

TENNESSEE SENATE

WEEKLY CALENDAR



Week of March 25, 2019

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**SENATE
111TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**SCHEDULE
WEEK OF MARCH 25TH, 2019**

MONDAY, MARCH 25TH, 2019

4:30 P.M. SENATE SESSION

TUESDAY, MARCH 26TH, 2019

8:30 a.m. Finance, Ways and Means Committee
9:30 a.m. Revenue Subcommittee
10:30 a.m. State and Local Government Committee
12:30 p.m. Lunch
1:00 p.m. Commerce & Labor Committee
3:00 p.m. Judiciary Committee

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27TH, 2019

8:30 a.m. Government Operations Committee
9:30 a.m. Transportation Committee
10:30 a.m. Energy, Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee
12:00 noon Lunch
12:30 p.m. Health & Welfare Committee
2:30 p.m. Education Committee

THURSDAY, MARCH 28ST, 2019

8:30 A.M. SESSION – SENATE CHAMBER

OTHER MEETINGS

MONDAY, MARCH 25TH

* 12:00 noon – Joint Government Operations Rule Review (House Hearing Room 3)

* 1:00 p.m. – Council on Pensions & Insurance (House Hearing Room 2)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27TH

* 7:00 a.m. – Pre-Education Committee (8th Floor, conference room 8B)

SENATE
FINANCE, WAYS AND MEANS
COMMITTEE CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2019
8:30 AM – CORDELL HULL BUILDING
SENATE HEARING ROOM I

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

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|---|-----------------------|--------------------|
| WATSON (R) CHAIRMAN | BRIGGS (R) | JOHNSON (R) |
| STEVENS (R) 1ST VICE CHAIRMAN | GARDENHIRE (R) | KELSEY (R) |
| HENSLEY (R) 2ND VICE CHAIRMAN | GILMORE (D) | YAGER (R) |
| | HAILE (R) | YARBRO (D) |

BUDGET HEARINGS

TN COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY

TN DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY

AGENDA

1. [SB 0793](#) *Johnson, Reeves, Dickerson, Kyle, Kelsey, Jackson, Briggs, Hensley, Pody, Stevens, Bowling, Bailey (HB 0937 by *Lamberth, Gant, Todd, Lynn, Potts, DeBerry, Jernigan, Helton, Dixie, Carter, Johnson G, Whitson, Shaw, Ramsey, Carr, Doggett, Moon, Calfee, Cepicky, Weaver, Tillis, Sparks, Hurt, Russell, Ogles, Byrd, Sexton C, Casada, Hall, Hill T, Hicks, Crawford, Ragan, Chism, Lamar, Miller, White , Towns, Vaughan, Coley, Thompson, Leatherwood, Boyd, Freeman, Griffey)

Local Government, General- As introduced, increases pay supplement from \$600 to \$800 for police officers and firefighters who complete 40 hours of in-service training. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 24, Part 2 and Title 38, Chapter 8, Part 1.

2. [SB 0781](#) *Johnson, Niceley (HB 0925 by *Lamberth, Gant, Cepicky)

Mining and Quarrying- As introduced, relieves the commissioner of labor and workforce development of responsibilities concerning mine rescue operations; deletes statutes establishing the mine rescue corps within the department of labor and workforce development. - Amends TCA Title 59, Chapter 12.

3. [SB 0797](#) ***Johnson, Dickerson, Akbari, Robinson** (HB 0941 by *Lamberth, Gant)
Expunction- As introduced, removes \$180 fee for an individual petitioning the court for an expunction of certain criminal offenses; removes \$350 fee for a defendant applying for expunction of an offense following the completion of a diversion program. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 32 and Title 40, Chapter 35.

4. [SB 0902](#) ***Southerland** (HB 0963 by *Smith, Daniel, Carter)
Advertising- As introduced, requires certain outdoor advertising structures to obtain a permit or tag from the commissioner of transportation. - Amends TCA Title 54, Chapter 21, Part 1.

5. [SB 0960](#) ***Johnson, Briggs, Yager** (HB 1138 by *Lamberth, Gant, Baum, White , Cochran, Johnson G, Haston, Leatherwood, Russell, Cepicky, Dunn, Crawford, Zachary, Sexton C, Howell, Freeman, Hall, Todd)
Taxes, Amusement- As introduced, requires the department of revenue to report, by December 1 of each year, the number of physical fitness facilities from which the amusement tax was collected in the previous calendar year to the finance, ways and means committees of the senate and the house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 2 and Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 3.

6. [SB 0799](#) ***Johnson, Stevens, Crowe** (HB 0943 by *Lamberth, Gant, Curcio, Camper, Ogles, Doggett, Littleton)
Salaries and Benefits- As introduced, reinstates service credits and salary increases that were suspended during 2009-2010 for assistant public defenders and assistant district attorneys. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 14, Part 1 and Title 8, Chapter 7, Part 2.

7. [SB 0798](#) ***Johnson, Yager** (HB 0942 by *Lamberth, Gant, Farmer, White , Love, Curcio, Camper, Ogles, Doggett, Cepicky, Terry, Littleton)
Controlled Substances- As introduced, increases the penalty to a Class B felony for 15 grams or more or a Class A felony for 150 grams or more of fentanyl, carfentanyl, remifentanyl, alfentanyl, thiafentanyl, or any fentanyl derivative or analogue. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4.

8. [SB 0805](#) ***Johnson** (HB 0949 by *Lamberth, Gant, White , Powers, Griffey, Doggett, Cepicky, DeBerry)
Scholarships and Financial Aid- As introduced, enacts the Governor's Investment in Vocational Education Act; specifies that financial assistance received for all dual enrollment courses attempted after the fourth dual enrollment course reduces any subsequent award of the Tennessee HOPE scholarship. - Amends TCA Section 49-4-930.

9. [SB 0787](#) ***Johnson** (HB 0931 by *Lamberth, Gant, Crawford)
Taxes, Sales- As introduced, delays effective date of certain streamlined sales tax provisions until July 1, 2021. - Amends TCA Title 67; Chapter 72 of the Public Acts of 2011; Chapter 193 of the Public Acts of 2017; Chapter 273 of the Public Acts of 2015; Chapter 480 of the Public Acts of 2013; Chapter 530 of the Public Acts of 2009 and Chapter 602 of the Public Acts of 2007.
10. [SB 0681](#) ***Gardenhire** (HB 0825 by *Sherrell, Curcio)
Criminal Offenses- As introduced, increases the penalty for theft of property that includes a firearm valued at less than \$2,500 to a Class D felony. - Amends TCA Title 37; Title 39 and Title 40, Chapter 35.
11. [SB 0786](#) ***Johnson, Bell** (HB 0930 by *Lamberth, Gant, Hicks)
Taxes, Sales- As introduced, extends reporting requirement to department of revenue by wholesalers of food, candy, or nonalcoholic beverages regarding net sales of such products to retailers by deleting provision that repeals such requirement on July 1, 2019. - Amends TCA Section 67-6-410.
12. [SR 0018](#) ***Pody**
General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position- Expresses support for the Nation of Israel. -
13. [SB 1137](#) ***Swann** (HB 0779 by *Ramsey, Whitson)
Taxes, Sales- As introduced, increases, from \$100,000 to \$200,000, the maximum amount of annual sales that charitable entities whose primary purpose is fundraising in support of a city, county, or metropolitan library system may make to be excluded from the definition of "business" for sales tax purposes; authorizes such entities to make sales during temporary sales periods that occur no more than four times per calendar year. - Amends TCA Section 67-6-102.
14. [SB 0648](#) ***Kurita** (HB 0690 by *Hodges, Johnson C, Reedy)
Taxes, Sales- As introduced, allocates a portion of sales and use tax revenue to certain counties in which a new event center is to be constructed. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.
15. [SB 1349](#) ***Yager** (HB 0527 by *Reedy)
Health Care- As introduced, decreases from five to three business days the amount of time that an ambulance service provider has to furnish to a patient or a patient's authorized representative a copy of the patient's run record or records upon request in writing by the patient or representative. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 7; Title 55; Title 56; Title 68 and Title 71.

16. [SB 1351](#) *Yager, McNally (HB 1359 by *Calfee, Ragan)

Taxes, Sales- As introduced, allocates state sales and use tax revenues from the construction of a uranium processing facility to an eligible industrial development corporation that submits a completed application to the commissioner of finance and administration together with an application fee in an amount established by the department; establishes requirements for such allocation. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.

17. [SB 0558](#) *Johnson (HB 1028 by *Lynn)

Taxes- As introduced, requires that “net earnings” or “net loss” be defined as federal taxable income or loss according to the federal Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 20.

18. [SB 0713](#) *Stevens, Crowe, Haile (HB 1271 by *Holt, Shaw, Hill T)

Taxes, Exemption and Credits- As introduced, exempts from sales and use tax the sale of agricultural trailers and agricultural vehicles. - Amends TCA Title 55 and Title 67.

SENATE

REVENUE SUBCOMMITTEE OF FINANCE, WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2019
9:30 AM – CORDELL HULL BUILDING
SENATE HEARING ROOM I

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

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GARDENHIRE (R) VICE CHAIRMAN

GILMORE (D)
HAILE (R)

YAGER (R)

AGENDA

- 1. [SB 1198](#) *White (HB 1080 by *Rudd)**
Taxes, Excise- As introduced, redefines "passive investment income" for family-owned noncorporate entities to include rents from commercial property for entities who qualified as an obligated member entity as of January 1, 2019. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-2008.
- 2. [SB 0551](#) *Swann (HB 0423 by *Carr)**
Taxes, Sales- As introduced, makes permanent the removal of the cap on the amount of state shared sales tax revenue remitted to premiere type tourist resort municipalities. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.
- 3. [SB 0459](#) *Akbari, Gilmore (HB 0506 by *Camper)**
Taxes, Sales- As introduced, adds a minor league soccer franchise in the United Soccer League to the list of professional sports franchises for which a sports authority may be allocated sales tax revenue. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.
- 4. [SB 1213](#) *Crowe (HB 0818 by *Rudder)**
Taxes, Business- As introduced, extends the business tax exemption under present law for providing mental or behavioral health services to providers of foster care, therapeutic and rehabilitative care, residential treatment, and other social assistance programs. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 7.

5. [SB 1461](#) *Bailey (HB 1382 by *Williams)
Budget Procedures- As enacted, requires the state funding board to report a single estimate of state revenue for the upcoming fiscal year as opposed to a range or multiple estimates; the board is to present the single estimate to the governor and the chairs of the finance, ways and means committees of the house of representatives and the senate.
- Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 9 and Title 67.

6. [SB 1458](#) *Bailey, Bowling (HB 0605 by *Tillis, Carter, Whitson)
Taxes- As introduced, requires the commissioner of revenue to make a thorough study and investigation of the tax laws of other states. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 65 and Title 67.

7. [SB 1462](#) *Bailey (HB 1410 by *Sherrell, Sexton C)
Taxes- As introduced, clarifies the "Taxpayer Bill of Rights" to require that any tax applications and notices be written in plain language. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 13; Title 45 and Title 67.

8. [SB 1455](#) *Bailey (HB 0695 by *Russell)
Taxes, Exemption and Credits- As introduced, creates sales and use tax exemption for sale of public safety and public works-related goods to certain nonprofit property owners associations. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 3.

9. [SB 1460](#) *Bailey, Bowling (HB 0634 by *Halford, Hill T, Sherrell)
Taxes, Sales- As introduced, exempts water furnished by a utility district and used exclusively in a farming operation from sales and use tax. - Amends TCA Title 67.

10. [SB 0398](#) *Kelsey (HB 1262 by *Holt)
Taxes- As introduced, clarifies that the commissioner of revenue's annual report on tax laws of other states is to be transmitted to the chief clerks of the senate and house of representatives and to the legislative librarian; authorizes the report to be transmitted electronically. - Amends TCA Title 67; Chapter 72 of the Public Acts of 2011; Chapter 193 of the Public Acts of 2017; Chapter 273 of the Public Acts of 2015; Chapter 452 of the Public Acts of 2017; Chapter 480 of the Public Acts of 2013; Chapter 530 of the Public Acts of 2009 and Chapter 602 of the Public Acts of 2007.

11. [SB 1161](#) *Kelsey, Kyle, Robinson (HB 1461 by *Casada, White)
Taxes, Sales- As introduced, for sales tax purposes, requires a lessee or renter to notify the commissioner of revenue if the lease or rental price of tangible personal property and computer software is calculated on a semi-monthly or quarterly basis. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.

- 12. [SB 0992](#) *Kelsey** (HB 0722 by *Coley)
Taxes, Privilege- As introduced, exempts judges and chancellors from the professional privilege tax assessed to persons licensed as attorneys. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 17.
- 13. [SB 1044](#) *Yarbro** (HB 1397 by *Kumar)
Taxes, Privilege- As introduced, exempts from real estate transfer tax, the transfer of any real estate where the transferor is a member, stock holder, or partner, the transferee is a limited liability company, corporation, or partnership, and the real estate so conveyed serves as a capital contribution to the business entity; also exempts transfers where the transferor is an LLC, corporation, or partnership, the transferee is an existing member, stock holder, or partner, and the property conveyed services as a distribution from the business entity. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-409.
- 14. [SB 0382](#) *Yarbro** (HB 0382 by *Thompson)
Taxes- As introduced, deletes exemption from sales and use tax for industrial machinery; deletes credit against franchise and excise tax liability for industrial machinery purchases. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4 and Title 67, Chapter 6.
- 15. [SB 0929](#) *Yarbro** (HB 1093 by *Thompson)
Economic and Community Development- As introduced, changes the date by which TACIR must report its findings concerning its study of a franchise and excise tax credit for certain shippers from February 1, 2020, to January 15, 2020. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7 and Title 67.
- 16. [SB 1032](#) *Yarbro** (HB 1345 by *Mitchell)
Taxes, Gasoline, Petroleum Products- As introduced, allows persons operating a terminal in this state to file their report with the department of revenue in electronic format. - Amends TCA Title 67.
- 17. [SB 1047](#) *Kyle** (HB 1061 by *Clemmons)
Taxes- As introduced, clarifies the "Taxpayer Bill of Rights" provision requiring the department to keep confidential the financial information provided by a taxpayer. - Amends TCA Title 67.
- 18. [SB 0253](#) *Kyle, Crowe** (HB 0246 by *Clemmons)
Taxes, Privilege- As introduced, phases out the professional privilege tax over a four-year period for tax years that begin on and after June 1, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 17.

- 19. [SB 1112](#) *Stevens** (HB 1266 by *Holt)
Taxes- As introduced, authorizes electronic submission of the report from the commissioner of revenue to the finance, ways and means committees of the senate and the house of representatives regarding tax credits claimed for the gross premiums tax and job tax. - Amends TCA Title 67.
- 20. [SB 0412](#) *Stevens** (HB 0991 by *Holt)
Taxes- As introduced, increases maximum civil penalty for submitting a fraudulent application for a refund of sales tax paid on appliances bought due to a natural disaster from \$25,000 to \$25,500. - Amends TCA Title 67.
- 21. [SB 0988](#) *Stevens** (HB 1024 by *Lynn)
Public Funds and Financing- As introduced, requires each board to notify the commissioner of finance and administration when the estimate of board fees for a fiscal year is more than the certified amount of board fees required by the board for that fiscal year. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 67.
- 22. [SB 0716](#) *Watson** (HB 0641 by *Carter)
Public Funds and Financing- As introduced, increases, from 15 to 20, the number of days after the end of each calendar month, within which a qualified public depository must submit to the state treasurer a report of the average daily balance of all secured public deposits held by the depository. - Amends TCA Title 9 and Title 67.
- 23. [SB 1372](#) *Yager** (HB 0427 by *Crawford)
Taxes, Exemption and Credits- As introduced, exempts maintenance contracts and agreements that are for the maintenance and repair of industrial machinery for purposes of the exemption from sales tax for industrial machinery. - Amends TCA Section 67-6-102 and Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 2.
- 24. [SB 0060](#) *Gilmore** (HB 0095 by *Shaw)
Taxes, Exemption and Credits- As introduced, eliminates the sales tax on feminine hygiene products. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.
- 25. [SB 0721](#) *Gardenhire** (HB 1268 by *Haston)
Revenue, Dept. of- As introduced, increases from 10 to 12 days the deadline for requesting a formal hearing before the commissioner on adverse action proposed or taken to implement any revenue regulatory or registration law administered by the commissioner, not including those laws relating to assessments or levies of taxes, fees, fines, penalties, interest, or the waiver of penalties. - Amends TCA Title 67.

26. [SB 0485](#) *Gardenhire (HB 0805 by *Haston)

Taxes- As introduced, clarifies that the definition of "sport and recreational equipment" for purposes of sales and use tax includes equipment used for electronic sports or esports. - Amends TCA Title 67.

27. [SB 0325](#) *Gardenhire (HB 0326 by *Hicks)

Taxes- As introduced, authorizes electronic transmission of the angel investor tax credit report by the Tennessee technology development corporation. - Amends TCA Title 67; Chapter 72 of the Public Acts of 2011; Chapter 193 of the Public Acts of 2017; Chapter 273 of the Public Acts of 2015; Chapter 452 of the Public Acts of 2017; Chapter 480 of the Public Acts of 2013; Chapter 530 of the Public Acts of 2009 and Chapter 602 of the Public Acts of 2007.

28. [SB 0423](#) *Hensley (HB 0494 by *Doggett, Griffey, Holt, Hill M, Hall, Gant, Hill T, Sexton C, Lamberth, Eldridge, Van Huss, Crawford)

Taxes, Privilege- As introduced, eliminates the special privilege tax on ammunition. - Amends TCA Section 8-8-201 and Title 70, Chapter 3.

29. [SB 0421](#) *Hensley, Crowe (HB 0417 by *Zachary)

Taxes, Sales- As introduced, exempts, over a period of three fiscal years, the sales price of tickets for admission to an intercollegiate athletic event hosted by a college or university from the amusement sales tax. - Amends TCA Title 67.

30. [SB 1505](#) *Hensley (HB 1379 by *Zachary)

Taxes, Amusement- As introduced, allocates all amusement tax revenue generated from an event hosted by a college or university to the college or university to be used exclusively for repairs, maintenance, renovation, enhancements, or debt service on facilities funded with approval of the state school bond authority. - Amends TCA Title 67.

SENATE
STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT
COMMITTEE CALENDAR

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10:30 AM - CORDELL HULL BUILDING
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COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

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| DICKERSON (R) CHAIRMAN | JACKSON (R) | WHITE (R) |
| BRIGGS (R) 1ST VICE CHAIRMAN | KELSEY (R) | YAGER (R) |
| GARDENHIRE (R) 2ND VICE CHAIRMAN | REEVES (R) | YARBRO (D) |

BUDGET HEARINGS

TN DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION

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TN BOARD OF PAROLE

AGENDA

1. [SJR 0227](#) *Southerland

General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position- Urges Secretary of State to include the Appalachian dialect in Section VI of the Tennessee Blue Book. -

2. [SJR 0154](#) *Massey

Constitutional Amendments- Proposes an amendment to the Constitution of Tennessee to provide for the exercise of powers and duties of the governor during disability. -

3. [SB 1414](#) *Bell (HB 1281 by *Hill T)

Utilities, Utility Districts- As introduced, permits the utility management review board to authorize the voluntary sale of all or part of the assets of a utility district to a public utility if certain conditions are met. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 82, Part 7 and Section 65-4-101.

4. [SB 0308](#) *Lundberg (HB 0377 by *Boyd, Marsh, Moon, Hill T, Leatherwood)
Utilities, Utility Districts- As introduced, requires utilities participating in utility bill round-up programs to provide notice to customers of program and customer rights no later than November 1, 2019; permits utilities to enroll new customers after January 1, 2020, only upon receipt of customer consent; requires utilities to remove customer from program upon receiving opt out notice. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 45; Title 47, Chapter 18 and Title 65.

5. [SB 0588](#) *Lundberg (HB 0807 by *Kumar)
Public Officials- As introduced, requires members of a board of directors of an industrial development corporation to disclose conflicts of interest. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7 and Title 8, Chapter 50, Part 5.

6. [SB 0712](#) *Stevens (HB 1112 by *Powell)
Taxes, Ad Valorem- As introduced, provides that a purchaser of a parcel subject to delinquent taxes may only demand rents or profits from the occupier of the parcel after the purchaser has made an advance demand for such rents or profits; makes other revisions regarding delinquent tax proceedings. - Amends TCA Section 21-1-205 and Title 67, Chapter 5.

7. [SB 0708](#) *Stevens (HB 1269 by *Holt)
Taxes, Real Property- As introduced, revises provisions related to the ad valorem tax on mineral interests in real property. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 53; Title 48; Title 64 and Section 67-5-502.

8. [HJR 0186](#) *Holt
Memorials, Recognition- Tennessee Senior Citizen Day of Service -

9. [SB 0621](#) *Hensley, Yager (HB 0644 by *Hill T)
State Employees- As introduced, requires a state agency in any proceeding to suspend, terminate, or discipline an employee in state service to prove by a preponderance of the evidence that the employee violated state law or a rule or policy of the agency prior to taking such action. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8, Chapter 30; Title 9; Title 10 and Title 12.

10. [SB 0567](#) *Bowling (HB 0630 by *Bricken)
Taxes, Hotel Motel- As enacted, authorizes Coffee County to levy a privilege tax of up to 5 percent upon the privilege of occupancy by a two-thirds vote of its governing body. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-1425.

11. [SB 1293](#) *Pody (HB 0544 by *Daniel, Hill T, Holt, Boyd, Faison, Freeman, Lafferty, Cepicky, Carr)

Fiscal Review Committee- As introduced, requires the fiscal review committee to hear appeals from legislators related to fiscal notes produced by the committee; requires the committee to develop and adopt a formal appeal process. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 2 and Title 3, Chapter 7.

12. [SJR 0097](#) *Niceley

Constitutional Amendments- Proposes an amendment to Article XI, Section 5 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee concerning charitable lotteries to authorize the general assembly to authorize the operation of Bingo games to benefit public and private schools. -

13. [SB 0886](#) *Niceley (HB 0809 by *Kumar, Hill T)

Taxes, Real Property- As introduced, expands definition of agricultural land for purposes of greenbelt property tax program to include two noncontiguous tracts of land within same county totaling at least 15 acres and split only by public or private road. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 10.

14. [SB 0844](#) *Gilmore (HB 1187 by *Chism, Dixie, Littleton, Powell, Van Huss, Halford, Moon, Sparks, Staples)

Veterans- As enacted, eliminates the fee for interment of an eligible veteran's spouse in a state veterans' cemetery. - Amends TCA Title 46, Chapter 6.

15. [SB 0176](#) *Gilmore (HB 0201 by *Jernigan, Clemmons)

Taxes, Real Property- As introduced, enacts the "Affordable Rental Property Act." - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 23; Title 67, Chapter 4 and Title 67, Chapter 5.

16. [SB 0177](#) *Gilmore (HB 0251 by *Freeman)

State Symbols- As introduced, requires the secretary of state to conduct an online poll to determine a nominee to designate as the official state recording artist. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 3.

17. [SB 0741](#) *Kyle (HB 1207 by *Mitchell)

Human Services, Dept. of- As introduced, authorizes state agencies to provide child care services for state employees, with the department tasked to approve, administer, and coordinate such services. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 49 and Title 71.

- 18. [SB 0087](#) *Akbari** (HB 0877 by *Dixie, Jernigan, Chism, Potts, Love, Johnson G)
Election Laws- As introduced, extends the time by which a candidate may withdraw, from seven days after the qualifying deadline to 60 days before the election. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 5.
- 19. [SB 0503](#) *Akbari, Robinson** (HB 0768 by *Love)
Election Laws- As introduced, requires county election commissions to conduct a supplemental registration at public and private high schools once each fall and spring semester; authorizes high schools to provide opportunities for students to register to vote online at times other than the supplemental registrations. - Amends TCA Title 2 and Title 49.
- 20. [SB 0829](#) *Akbari** (HB 1057 by *Clemmons)
Election Laws- As introduced, extends the time before an election, from 45 days prior to 50 days prior, that a county election commission must publish in a newspaper of general circulation a notice advising elderly voters and voters with a disability that if such voters' polling places are inaccessible, such voters have the right to vote early by absentee ballot or at the election commission office on election day. - Amends TCA Title 2.
- 21. [SB 0501](#) *Akbari, Kyle** (HB 1423 by *Townes, Camper, Thompson, Chism, Cooper, Lamar, Sanderson, DeBerry, White , Vaughan, Wright, Smith)
County Government- As introduced, prohibits interpreting or amending county charter in a manner inconsistent with state law with respect to the duties, qualifications, and privileges of the constitutional county offices of sheriff, register, county clerk, assessor of property, or trustee. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 1, Part 2.
- 22. [SB 1150](#) *Akbari** (HB 1240 by *Camper, Dixie, Clemmons)
Prisons and Reformatory Institutions- As introduced, restricts the use of physical restraints on pregnant inmates; requires regular prenatal and postpartum medical care for pregnant inmates; prohibits the use of solitary confinement for pregnant inmates and inmates who have given birth within the past eight weeks. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40; Title 41 and Title 68.
- 23. [SB 1354](#) *Yager** (HB 0911 by *Keisling)
Election Laws- As introduced, provides notice and a reasonable time period in which a candidate who has been determined by the executive committee of a political party to be unqualified may respond to such determination before removal of the candidate's name from the ballot. - Amends TCA Section 2-5-204.

24. [SB 1363](#) *Yager (HB 1357 by *Calfee)

Metropolitan Government- As introduced, defines the county seat, if the county seat is an incorporated municipality, as the principal city for purposes of county and city consolidation, if the largest city by population in the county fails to adopt a consolidation resolution within 90 days of the county's adoption of a consolidation resolution. - Amends TCA Title 7.

25. [SB 1366](#) *Yager (HB 0603 by *Marsh, White)

Utilities, Utility Districts- As introduced, allows certain utilities to enter into agreements to provide certain coverage, insurance, or service agreements to customers; allows certain utilities to assist customers in installing or maintaining certain equipment; authorizes the costs for the coverage, insurance, service agreements, and equipment installation and maintenance to be added to customer bills or statements. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 34; Title 7, Chapter 36; Title 7, Chapter 52, Part 1 and Title 7, Chapter 82, Part 3.

26. [SB 1190](#) *White (HB 0295 by *Carr, Farmer)

Codes- As introduced, beginning January 1, 2020, requires electrical inspectors employed by a municipality, a county, or this state to be certified by the state fire marshal; establishes a recertification process for such electrical inspectors every three years; requires certain electrical inspectors under contract with the commissioner of commerce and insurance to be certified on and after January 1, 2020. - Amends TCA Title 68.

27. [SB 0394](#) *Jackson (HB 0391 by *Garrett)

County Government- As introduced, exempts the sheriff of a county from certain bond requirements if the county carries an insurance policy that provides government crime coverage, employee dishonesty coverage, or equivalent coverage. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 1; Title 8, Chapter 19 and Title 8, Chapter 8.

28. [SB 0249](#) *Jackson, Bowling (HB 0229 by *Bricken, Crawford, Tillis, Whitson, Todd, Gant, Leatherwood)

Registers of Deeds- As introduced, over a three-year period, deletes requirement that 52 percent of the 5 percent commission retained by county registers for collecting and reporting recordation tax must be remitted to state treasurer and credited to state general fund. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-409.

29. [SB 0321](#) *Jackson (HB 0543 by *White)

Taxes, Ad Valorem- As introduced, requires that tax deeds include as an exhibit in a delinquent tax lawsuit, a detailed description of the steps taken by the delinquent tax attorney to provide notice to all owners and interested parties; makes other related revisions governing delinquent tax proceedings. - Amends TCA Section 13-6-102; Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 21; Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 24 and Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 25.

- 30. [SB 0971](#) *Jackson** (HB 1079 by *Rudd)
Election Laws- As introduced, requires election officials to inspect filings for sufficiency and timeliness; establishes conclusive presumption that accepted filings are sufficient and timely filed. - Amends TCA Title 2.
- 31. [SB 0689](#) *Jackson** (HB 0900 by *Sparks, Hill T, Moody, Hawk, Byrd, Howell, Moon, Hill M, Staples)
State Employees- As introduced, restores longevity pay for employees of the executive branch in the service of the state hired after June 30, 2015. - Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 38.
- 32. [SB 0726](#) *Reeves, White** (HB 1078 by *Rudd, Terry)
Election Laws- As introduced, authorizes Rutherford County to establish a program to operate convenient voting centers for federal, state, and local elections under certain conditions. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 3.
- 33. [SB 0727](#) *Reeves, Johnson, Pody, Bell** (HB 1077 by *Rudd, Lynn, Boyd, Cochran, Russell)
Election Laws- As introduced, requires the coordinator of elections to continue to study convenience voting in other states and periodically update the general assembly by January 31 every odd-numbered year. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 3, Part 3.
- 34. [SB 0759](#) *Yarbro** (HB 0252 by *Freeman)
State Government- As introduced, requires an agency that requires an examination to be administered to a person applying for a license to engage in an occupation, trade, or profession to provide reasonable accommodations to a person diagnosed with dyslexia. - Amends TCA Title 4.
- 35. [SB 0770](#) *Yarbro, Robinson** (HB 0888 by *Hakeem)
Election Laws- As introduced, disqualifies a member of a county election commission from continuing to serve on the commission if the member's spouse, parent, sibling, or child qualifies for any public office. - Amends TCA Section 2-12-102.
- 36. [SB 0940](#) *Yarbro, Robinson** (HB 0735 by *Hodges)
Election Laws- As introduced, permits a person at least 16 years of age but not more than 18 years of age to be registered to vote upon turning 18 years of age through submittal of an application for a driver's permit, driver license, or photo identification license with the department of safety. - Amends TCA Title 2.

- 37. [SB 1014](#) *Yarbro, Robinson (HB 1413 by *Towns)**
Election Laws- As introduced, requires, rather than permits, an elections officer to escort a voter who is a person with a disability or who is visibly pregnant or frail to the front of the line at a polling place at the request of the voter. - Amends TCA Title 2.
- 38. [SB 1017](#) *Yarbro (HB 1095 by *Freeman)**
Election Laws- As introduced, requires a brief summary of any question, regardless of length, submitted to the people for a vote. - Amends TCA Title 2.
- 39. [SB 0379](#) *Yarbro (HB 0108 by *Jernigan)**
Employees, Employers- As introduced, authorizes an attorney for a county, municipal, or metropolitan government to seek an injunction against a person who harasses an employee of the county, municipal, or metropolitan government, or any agency thereof. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 49 and Title 50.
- 40. [SB 0769](#) *Yarbro (HB 1313 by *Windle)**
Public Funds and Financing- As introduced, authorizes state treasurer to make deposits to facilitate the bank local community deposit program. - Amends TCA Title 9 and Title 45.
- 41. [SB 0196](#) *Kelsey (HB 0261 by *Daniel)**
State Government- As introduced, makes various changes to the Right to Earn a Living Act, including requiring entry regulations, public service restrictions, and statutes to be demonstrably necessary and carefully tailored to fulfill a legitimate public health or safety objective, and allowing persons to petition applicable licensing authorities and bring civil actions when such standard is not met. - Amends TCA Title 1; Title 4; Title 7; Title 38; Title 62; Title 63 and Title 67.
- 42. [SB 1009](#) *Kelsey (HB 1278 by *Holt)**
General Assembly- As introduced, clarifies that members of the general assembly are not subject to the requirement that a dual service agreement be entered into when being paid a salary for serving as a member of the general assembly pursuant to Article II, Section 23 of the Tennessee Constitution. - Amends TCA Title 1; Title 2; Title 3; Title 4; Title 8 and Title 10.
- 43. [SB 0478](#) *Gardenhire (HB 0665 by *Faison)**
Public Records- As introduced, prohibits governmental entities from entering into confidentiality agreements with regard to public records. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7.

- 44. [SB 0355](#) *Gardenhire** (HB 0327 by *Howell)
Industrial Development- As introduced, requires brownfield redevelopment projects to be sites located in mid-size and small counties; clarifies square footage qualifications for a project to include all facilities taken together; prohibits allocations to the corporation engaged in the project continuing past maturity of the original bond or obligation, which can be no longer than 30 years. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 53.
- 45. [SB 0366](#) *Gardenhire** (HB 0425 by *Hakeem)
Taxes, Exemption and Credits- As introduced, extends the deadline, from October 1 to December 1 each year, for a lessee or sublessee of a health, educational, and housing facility corporation to file a report listing leased properties and details of the lease and payment in lieu of tax (PILOT) agreements. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 23 and Title 48, Chapter 101, Part 3.
- 46. [SB 0350](#) *Briggs** (HB 0102 by *Hulsey)
Taxes, Alcoholic Beverages- As introduced, extends by one year the manner in which liquor-by-the-drink tax proceeds are distributed to local political subdivisions. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 49; Title 57 and Title 67.
- 47. [SB 0389](#) *Briggs** (HB 0365 by *Dunn)
Election Laws- As introduced, requires the county election commission to appoint the minimum number of election officials by at least 20 days before each election instead of 10 days before the election. - Amends TCA Title 2; Title 4; Title 5 and Title 8.
- 48. [SB 0391](#) *Briggs** (HB 0381 by *Marsh)
Public Contracts- As introduced, authorizes utility districts and utility authorities to contract for construction management services during local construction projects. - Amends TCA Section 12-4-107.
- 49. [SB 0673](#) *Kyle, Briggs** (HB 0787 by *Hall, White , Russell, Ramsey, Wright, Moon, Crawford, Griffey, Doggett)
Veterans Services, Dept. of- As introduced, requires the department to provide training in mental health crisis management to the employees of the department who directly interact with veterans for the purposes of assisting veterans with mental health issues. - Amends TCA Title 58, Chapter 3.
- 50. [SB 0206](#) *Briggs** (HB 1066 by *Sanderson)
Alcoholic Beverage Commission- As introduced, requires the commission to publish its annual report concerning statistical information provided by beer boards on its website instead of making copies of the report available to persons who submit a written request for the report. - Amends TCA Title 57.

51. [SB 0393](#) *Dickerson, Johnson (HB 0051 by *Whitson)
Taxes, Real Property- As introduced, decreases the frequency that banks that collect property taxes must provide evidence of such payments to the trustee, from daily to at least every three business days; deletes an obsolete code section; deletes outdated references to penalties that are no longer applied. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5.
52. [SB 1082](#) *Dickerson (HB 0794 by *Ramsey)
Alcoholic Beverages- As introduced, allows premises authorized to serve wine to also serve high alcohol content beer. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 3, Part 7 and Title 57, Chapter 4.
53. [SB 1093](#) *Dickerson, Gilmore, Robinson (HB 0965 by *Love, Lamar)
Election Laws- As introduced, authorizes person who registers to vote by mail to cast the person's first vote by absentee ballot. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 2.
54. [SB 1094](#) *Dickerson (HB 0907 by *Freeman)
Taxes, Sales- As introduced, extends the period, from six months to one year, that a county or city that held an election on a resolution or ordinance levying a local option sales and use tax that was rejected is prohibited from holding another election on such tax. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.
55. [SB 1095](#) *Dickerson (HB 1242 by *Marsh, White , Jernigan, Beck, Holsclaw)
Utilities, Utility Districts- As introduced, removes certain discontinuance of service requirements of utilities in Nashville/Davidson County; requires such utilities to establish policies in compliance with service practice standards and best practices for similarly situated utilities. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 52 and Title 65, Chapter 32.
56. [SB 1100](#) *Dickerson (HB 0247 by *Tillis, Lamberth, Sherrell, Vaughan)
State Government- As introduced, establishes daylight saving time as the standard time in Tennessee, subject to authorization to do so from the United States Congress. - Amends TCA Section 4-1-401.
57. [SB 1103](#) *Dickerson (HB 0597 by *Beck)
Taxes, Hotel Motel- As introduced, extends by six years the period in which Davidson County may charge an additional \$0.50 privilege tax on the occupancy of a hotel room and in which such county may allocate the tax revenue for the purposes of direct promotion of tourism; extends by six years the terms of the committee members that oversee the fund in which the additional tax is deposited. - Amends TCA Section 7-4-202.

58. [SB 1106](#) *Dickerson (HB 0170 by *Zachary)

Ethics- As introduced, removes term limits for members of the Tennessee ethics commission; extends time for the general assembly to confirm appointees to the commission from 30 to 90 days. - Amends TCA Section 3-6-103.

SENATE
COMMERCE AND LABOR
COMMITTEE CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2019
1:00 PM - CORDELL HULL BUILDING
SENATE HEARING ROOM I

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

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| BAILEY (R) CHAIRMAN | AKBARI (D) | NICELEY (R) |
| SWANN (R) 1ST VICE CHAIRMAN | GRESHAM (R) | SOUTHERLAND (R) |
| LUNDBERG (R) 2ND VICE CHAIRMAN | JOHNSON (R) | WATSON (R) |

BUDGET HEARING

TN DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE & INSURANCE

AGENDA

- 1. [SB 0433](#) *Bell** (HB 0012 by *Lafferty, Daniel, Todd, Reedy, Parkinson, Lamar, Sparks, Williams, Hardaway, Terry, Sexton C, Camper, White , Zachary, Holt, Faison, Dixie)
Business and Commerce- As introduced, prohibits local governments from requiring licenses for businesses that are operated only occasionally and by persons under 18 years of age; prohibits local governments from charging fees to operate home-based businesses, unless the combined offsite impact of the home-based business and the primary residential use materially exceed the offsite impact of the primary residential use alone. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 1, Part 1 and Title 6, Chapter 54, Part 1.
- 2. [SB 1393](#) *Bell** (HB 1190 by *Terry, Jernigan, White)
Landlord and Tenant- As introduced, establishes process for landlords to verify need of tenants and prospective tenants to have pet policies waived to accommodate the need for a service or support animal; creates penalties for misrepresentation. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21; Title 13, Chapter 20; Title 33; Title 39; Title 44, Chapter 17; Title 44, Chapter 8, Part 4; Title 63; Title 66 and Title 68.

3. [SB 0856](#) *Crowe (HB 0048 by *Boyd)
Funeral Directors and Embalmers- As introduced, authorizes lawful permanent residents of the United States to apply for an embalmer's license; changes the requirement that an applicant for an embalmer's license have obtained an associate of arts degree to an associate degree. - Amends TCA Section 62-5-307.

4. [SB 0484](#) *Gardenhire (HB 0530 by *Hill T)
Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies- As introduced, requires governmental entities to utilize public bidding when purchasing insurance; requires governmental entities to make certain disclosures in the public bids. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 29 and Title 56.

5. [SB 0239](#) *Gilmore, Niceley (HB 0121 by *Stewart)
Consumer Protection- As introduced, prohibits a person who regularly engages in or solicits consumer transactions involving the installation of used tires from installing an unsafe used tire on a motor vehicle; specifies that installing an unsafe used tire is a violation of the Tennessee Consumer Protection Act of 1977. - Amends TCA Title 47 and Title 55.

6. [SB 1157](#) *Jackson (HB 1300 by *Casada, Ogles)
Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies- As introduced, makes various changes to the "Revised Tennessee Captive Insurance Act," including allowing captives to get one change of business plan for free each year, allowing captives to hold their capital and surplus in currencies other than U.S. dollars, such as cryptocurrency, with the approval of the commissioner, and other changes. - Amends TCA Title 56.

7. [SB 0804](#) *Johnson (HB 0948 by *Lamberth, Gant, Boyd)
Consumer Protection- As introduced, transfers responsibilities concerning the Tennessee Consumer Protection Act of 1977 from the department of commerce and insurance to the attorney general and reporter; creates a division of consumer affairs within the office of the attorney general and reporter. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 47, Chapter 18; Title 47, Chapter 23 and Title 63.

8. [SB 0255](#) *Kyle (HB 0216 by *Clemmons, Johnson G)
Sex Discrimination- As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Pay Equality Act." - Amends TCA Title 50.

9. [SB 0195](#) *Massey, Swann, Jackson, Briggs, Pody, Bowling, White, Hensley, Yarbrow, Crowe, Niceley, Southerland (HB 0184 by *Smith, Sexton C, Lamberth, Casada, Terry, Hill M, Dunn, Holt, Hill T, Lynn, Sanderson, Howell, Faison, Byrd, Zachary, Daniel, Holsclaw, Moon, Crawford, Rudd, DeBerry, Jernigan, Hulsey, Sparks, Carr, Johnson C, Boyd, Moody, Carter, Calfee, Weaver, Hicks, Thompson, Hodges)

Insurance, Health, Accident- As introduced, enacts the "Proton Therapy Access Act," which requires health insurance coverage to cover hypofractionated proton therapy in the same manner as it covers intensity modulated radiation therapy under certain conditions. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 56 and Title 71.

10. [SB 1299](#) *Pody (HB 0272 by *Gant, Travis)

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies- As introduced, broadens the manner and ability of insurers or insurance producers to pay referral fees to unlicensed persons. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 6 and Title 56, Chapter 8.

11. [SB 0650](#) *Reeves, Haile, Swann, Yager (HB 0786 by *Sexton C, Terry, Powers, Sparks)

Pharmacy, Pharmacists- As introduced, makes various changes to law concerning pharmacy benefits managers; requires the comptroller of the treasury to perform an annual audit of all pharmacy benefits managers providing services funded by this state. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7, Part 31.

12. [SB 0987](#) *Reeves, Haile, Swann, Yager, Crowe (HB 1179 by *Terry, Sparks, Sexton C)

Pharmacy, Pharmacists- As introduced, removes the use of state-funded pharmacy benefits managers; removes certain exemption under public records law. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 10; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71.

13. [SB 0466](#) *Roberts (HB 0539 by *Howell)

Employees, Employers- As introduced, requires the consideration of the 20-factor test in IRS Revenue Ruling 87-41 to determine whether an employer-employee relationship exists in certain employment arrangements. - Amends TCA Title 50.

14. [SB 0476](#) *Roberts, Lundberg, Stevens, Dickerson, Massey, Crowe, Bailey (HB 0498 by *Whitson, Tillis, Rudd, Hill T, Smith, Hill M, Jernigan, Sexton C, Curcio, Casada, Freeman, Daniel, Powell, Byrd, Hawk, Littleton, Van Huss, Gant, Hodges, Staples)

TennCare- As introduced, reduces the time period from 30 days to 15 days for an enrollee or applicant for medical assistance to mail documentation of a material change affecting the enrollee or applicant's TennCare application. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 33; Title 56; Title 68 and Title 71.

15. [SB 0510](#) *Roberts (HB 0419 by *Smith, Casada, Sexton C, Helton, Howell, Daniel, Powers)

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies- As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Right to Shop Act." - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 33; Title 56; Title 63 and Title 68.

16. [SB 0513](#) *Roberts (HB 1265 by *Holt, Littleton, Daniel, Hill T, Eldridge, Keisling, Hicks, Faison, Williams, Cepicky, Hardaway)

Economic and Community Development- As introduced, enacts the "Fair Accountability and Clarity in Tax Subsidies Act." - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 67.

17. [SB 0645](#) *Roberts (HB 0874 by *Curcio)

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies- As introduced, corrects a reference to the insurance and banking committee of the house of representatives by replacing it with a reference to the insurance committee of the house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 56.

18. [SB 1369](#) *Yager (HB 0910 by *Keisling)

Insurance, Health, Accident- As introduced, prohibits an HMO from denying payment for preventative and diagnostic services provided by primary care providers or through a provider's supervision of auxiliary personnel; requires the commissioner of commerce and insurance to report violations to the general assembly. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 32.

19. [SB 0380](#) *Yarbro, Gilmore (HB 0387 by *Freeman)

Employees, Employers- As introduced, makes it a discriminatory practice for a person who is paying a non-employee for labor or services to engage in harassment of the non-employee because of the non-employee's sex; holds such persons liable for the actions of their employees in engaging in such harassment under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 50.

20. [SB 0461](#) *Yarbro, Robinson, Niceley, Bowling (HB 0273 by *Hulsey, Jernigan, Parkinson, Potts, Hodges, Clemmons, Coley, Windle, Thompson, Freeman, Johnson G, Beck, Chism, Mitchell, Love, Hakeem, Miller, Lamar, Dixie, Cooper, Stewart, Crawford, Van Huss, Cepicky, Hill T)

Economic and Community Development- As introduced, enacts the "Save Tennessee Call Center Jobs Act of 2019." - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9; Title 12; Title 50 and Title 67.

21. [SB 0772](#) *Yarbro (HB 1034 by *Shaw)

Labor and Workforce Development, Dept. of- As introduced, requires commissioner, in collaboration with the commissioner of correction, to study the use of a shared data system to monitor individuals from their release from a correctional facility to employment and report their findings jointly to the state and local government committee of the senate and the state government committee of the house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 41; Title 49; Title 50 and Title 71.

22. [SB 0941](#) *Yarbro (HB 0859 by *Thompson)

Economic and Community Development, Dept. of- As introduced, establishes the office of apprenticeship and work-study programs within the department; provides a tax credit to entities that participate in the programs; and reinstates certain apprenticeship programs for certain professional boards and commissions. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 49; Title 62 and Title 67.

23. [SB 1467](#) *Bailey (HB 0741 by *Hill M)

Health Care- As introduced, corrects a reference to the insurance and banking committee of the house of representatives by replacing it with a reference to the insurance committee of the house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 8 and Title 71.

24. [SB 1174](#) *Swann (HB 0673 by *Garrett)

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies- As introduced, specifies that the rules that the commissioner of commerce and insurance adopts in accordance with the Insurers Rehabilitation and Liquidation Act must be promulgated in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act. - Amends TCA Title 56.

SENATE
JUDICIARY
COMMITTEE CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2019
3:00 PM - CORDELL HULL BUILDING
SENATE HEARING ROOM I

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

BELL (R) CHAIRMAN
LUNDBERG (R) 1ST VICE CHAIRMAN
WHITE (R) 2ND VICE CHAIRMAN

BOWLING (R)
GARDENHIRE (R)
KYLE (D)

ROBERTS (R)
ROBINSON (D)
STEVENS (R)

BUDGET HEARINGS

TN BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

TN OFFICE OF THE POST-CONVICTION DEFENDER

AGENDA

1. [SB 1377](#) *Yager (HB 0213 by *Travis, Boyd)
Marriage- As introduced, authorizes members and former members of the general assembly to solemnize marriages. - Amends TCA Section 36-3-301.

2. [SB 0214](#) *Haile (HB 0168 by *Lamberth, Hardaway)
Clerks, Court- As introduced, authorizes the disposal of delinquent and unruly juvenile court records and documents after a period of 10 years following the juvenile reaching 18 years of age. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7 and Title 18, Chapter 1.

3. [SB 0649](#) *Haile, Briggs, McNally, Johnson, Stevens, Swann, Jackson, Lundberg, Bowling, Massey, Yarbrow, Gilmore, Southerland, Yager (HB 1047 by *White, Littleton)
Courts- As introduced, makes various changes to zero to three courts, including adding five additional courts, extending such courts to January 1, 2025, and allowing such courts to reinstate a revoked or suspended driver license of a party to an action before the court and waive unpaid fines and fees based on the party's satisfactory progress toward meeting the goals of the court. - Amends TCA Title 16; Title 36; Title 37 and Chapter 366 of the Public Acts of 2017.

4. [SB 0001](#) *Kelsey, Briggs, Crowe, Jackson, McNally, Johnson, Reeves, Dickerson, Kyle, Massey, Swann, Southerland (HB 0035 by *Moon, Whitson, Wright, Van Huss, Ragan, Boyd, Camper, Helton, Hazlewood, Hodges, White, Russell, Ramsey, Calfee, Crawford)

Tennessee Bureau of Investigation- As introduced, creates the Green Alert system within the TBI to assist in the identification and location of a missing veteran at risk. - Amends TCA Title 38, Chapter 6, Part 1.

5. [SB 1178](#) *Dickerson (HB 1446 by *DeBerry, Jernigan, Camper)

Orders of Protection- As introduced, allows a law enforcement officer or person who has a relationship with the respondent to petition a court for the issuance of an extreme risk protection order based on clear and convincing evidence that the respondent poses a significant risk of causing personal injury to the respondent or others by possessing a firearm. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40.

6. [SB 1297](#) *Pody (HB 1151 by *Ragan, Griffey)

Criminal Offenses- As introduced, expands the offense of indecent exposure to include incidents occurring in a restroom, locker room, dressing room, or shower, designated for single-sex, multi-person use, if the offender is a member of the opposite sex than the sex designated for use. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

7. [SB 1301](#) *Pody (HB 1176 by *Weaver)

Law Enforcement- As introduced, removes requirement that an off-duty law enforcement officer notify principal or other administrative staff person if the off-duty officer will be present on school grounds or inside school building during regular school hours and in possession of a firearm. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1309 and Section 39-17-1350.

8. [SB 1304](#) *Pody (HB 0836 by *Rudd, Ragan, Sherrell, Hulsey, Jernigan)

Adoption- As introduced, prohibits a private licensed child-placing agency from being required to perform, assist, consent to, refer, or participate in any child placement for foster care or adoption that would violate the agency's written religious or moral convictions. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 1, Part 1.

9. [SB 1347](#) *Pody (HB 1460 by *Sherrell)

Handgun Permits- As introduced, waives the fee for obtaining a lifetime handgun carry permit for former law enforcement officers who served at least 10 years and left the law enforcement agency while in good standing. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1351.

- 10. [SB 0616](#) *Hensley** (HB 0921 by *Cepicky, Hill M, Littleton)
Children's Services, Dept. of- As introduced, requires a maximum caseload of 20 for case managers; creates a maximum caseload of 10 for foster care case managers; requires the department to comply with the maximum caseload ratios. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 5.
- 11. [SB 1341](#) *Massey** (HB 1295 by *Farmer)
Domestic Violence- As introduced, requires the domestic violence coordinating council, in coordination with the administrative office of the courts, to revise the affidavit of firearms dispossession form to require only a signature from a defendant convicted of domestic violence. - Amends TCA Section 39-13-111.
- 12. [SB 0731](#) *Briggs** (HB 0891 by *Staples)
Criminal Procedure- As introduced, prohibits a court from accepting any plea agreement that allows an elected public official who is charged with an infamous crime involving an offense committed in the person's official capacity or involving the duties of the person's office from qualifying for, seeking, or holding public office at some point in the future. - Amends TCA Title 2; Title 8, Chapter 18; Title 39 and Title 40.
- 13. [SB 1152](#) *Akbari** (HB 1395 by *Miller, Camper)
Children and Youth, Commission on- As introduced, requires the commission to make its comprehensive report on the status of children and youth in Tennessee available to the public by publishing the report on the commission's website. - Amends TCA Title 37.
- 14. [SB 1025](#) *Yarbro** (HB 1224 by *Potts, Clemmons)
Domestic Violence- As introduced, requires the court to order that a defendant convicted of domestic violence who transfers possession of firearms to a third party must have the third party complete and return to the court an affidavit certifying that the third party is not prohibited from possessing firearms, acknowledges receipt of firearms from the defendant, and accepts their responsibility under this section. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6; Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13 and Title 40.
- 15. [SB 0865](#) *Bowling** (HB 1447 by *Moody, Freeman)
Domestic Violence- As introduced, requires a handgun carry permit holder convicted of domestic assault to surrender the permit to the court within 48 hours of conviction to be forwarded to the department of safety for revocation. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

- 16. [SB 0655](#) *Robinson** (HB 1185 by *Chism, Miller, Hakeem, Bricken, Freeman, Moon, Staples, Halford, Hawk, Cooper, Powell, Clemmons, Shaw, Love, Lafferty, Lamar, DeBerry)
Juvenile Offenders- As introduced, enacts the "Juvenile Justice Stop Solitary Confinement Act." - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 41, Chapter 4.
- 17. [SB 0656](#) *Robinson** (HB 1186 by *Chism)
Criminal Offenses- As introduced, revises the penalties for theft of property. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Section 40-32-101.
- 18. [SB 0584](#) *Lundberg** (HB 0622 by *Hulse)
Juvenile Offenders- As introduced, requires that a child who is charged with a delinquent act that could qualify the child as a violent juvenile sexual offender must be given verbal and written notice of the violent juvenile sexual offender registration requirements at least 48 hours in advance of a hearing on whether the child committed such act. - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 40.
- 19. [SB 0542](#) *Gardenhire** (HB 0675 by *Garrett)
Trusts- As introduced, allows a revocable living trust that becomes irrevocable upon the death of the settlor to refer to a written statement of personal property not otherwise disposed of by the revocable trust; gives a trustee who has resigned or been removed the right and authority to petition the court for a release and discharge from all liability related to the trust, makes various other revisions. - Amends TCA Title 30; Title 31; Title 32; Title 34; Title 35 and Title 67.
- 20. [SB 0719](#) *Gardenhire** (HB 0854 by *Carter)
Courts- As introduced, allows a court to exercise domestic relations jurisdiction regardless of the nature of the allegations unless and until a pleading is filed or relief is otherwise sought in a juvenile court invoking its exclusive original jurisdiction over proceedings in which a child is alleged to be delinquent, unruly or dependent and neglected, or to have committed a juvenile traffic offense. - Amends TCA Section 37-1-103.
- 21. [SB 0534](#) *Roberts, Crowe** (HB 0799 by *Doggett, Byrd, Jernigan)
Criminal Offenses- As introduced, broadens the offense of financial exploitation of an elderly or vulnerable person to include the use of a telephone or other electronic or communication device to fraudulently or deceptively obtain or attempt to obtain money, property, or another thing of value from that person; increases penalty for such offense. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 5.

- 22. [SB 0401](#) *Stevens** (HB 0033 by *Boyd, Jernigan, White)
Process, Service of- As introduced, adds a private process server to the list of individuals authorized to personally serve a copy of a warrant or summons on behalf of a landlord in an action for forcible entry and detainer to regain possession of such landlord's real property. - Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 18.
- 23. [SB 0405](#) *Stevens** (HB 0873 by *Curcio, Farmer, Potts)
Appeal and Review- As introduced, allows petitions for post-conviction relief based on new non-scientific evidence establishing that the petitioner is actually innocent of the offense for which the petitioner was convicted; establishes certain requirements for evidence on which such petitions are based. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 30, Part 1.
- 24. [SB 0447](#) *Bell, Crowe** (HB 0397 by *Moody, Littleton, Coley, Byrd)
Public Funds and Financing- As introduced, establishes a victims of human trafficking fund in the state treasury to provide comprehensive treatment and support services to victims of human trafficking. - Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 2; Section 39-13-314 and Title 39, Chapter 11, Part 7.
- 25. [SB 0450](#) *Bell** (HB 0331 by *Lynn)
Finance and Administration, Dept. of- As introduced, deletes restriction on size of grant the department is authorized to make to the Tennessee sheriffs' association from statewide automated victim information and notification system fund for management of system; corrects language regarding deposits into such fund. - Amends TCA Section 40-38-505 and Section 67-4-602.

SENATE
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS
COMMITTEE CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 2019
8:30 AM - CORDELL HULL BUILDING
SENATE HEARING ROOM I

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

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| ROBERTS (R) CHAIRMAN | BELL (R) | KYLE (D) |
| JACKSON (R) 1ST VICE CHAIRMAN | CROWE (R) | PODY (R) |
| BOWLING (R) 2ND VICE CHAIRMAN | KURITA (I) | ROSE (R) |

AGENDA

- 1. [SB 0016](#) *Dickerson, Akbari, Kyle, Robinson (HB 0001 by *Staples)**
Gambling- As introduced, authorizes sports betting in this state only in jurisdictions that approve sports betting by local option election; imposes a 10 percent tax on gaming revenue; distributes 40 percent of the tax to the general fund for general appropriations, 30 percent to Tennessee colleges of applied technologies and community colleges for equipment and capital projects, and 30 percent to local governments for education and infrastructure; establishes the Tennessee gaming commission to regulate sports betting; authorizes the commission to collaborate with the Tennessee bureau of investigation for purposes of enforcement. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 14; Title 38; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 5; Title 47, Chapter 18; Title 49 and Title 67.
- 2. [SB 1114](#) *Yarbro (HB 1120 by *Freeman)**
State Government- As introduced, creates the state government advisory task force on community resilience. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 68.
- 3. [SB 0281](#) *Kurita, Massey (HB 0774 by *Ramsey)**
Health Care- As introduced, enacts the "Chronic Disease Prevention Act." - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 39; Title 67; Title 68 and Title 71.
- 4. [SB 0146](#) *Roberts (HB 0478 by *Daniel)**
Sunset Laws- As introduced, extends the Tennessee public television council to June 30, 2025. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49, Chapter 50, Part 9.

SENATE
TRANSPORTATION AND SAFETY
COMMITTEE CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 2019
9:30 AM - CORDELL HULL BUILDING
SENATE HEARING ROOM I

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

MASSEY (R) CHAIRMAN
PODY (R) 1ST VICE CHAIRMAN
NICELEY (R) 2ND VICE CHAIRMAN

BAILEY (R)
BOWLING (R)
BRIGGS (R)

GILMORE (D)
STEVENS (R)
SWANN (R)

AGENDA

1. [SB 0041](#) *Massey (HB 0178 by *Howell)
Highways, Roads and Bridges- As introduced, increases, from 10 to 30, the number of days a utility facility owner located in a state right-of-way has to respond to a second relocation notice and the number of days an owner has to file a reservation of rights notice with the department of transportation. - Amends TCA Title 54.

2. [SB 0042](#) *Massey (HB 0179 by *Howell)
Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration- As introduced, changes the date from March 1 to March 15 by which the commissioner of revenue must annually report the status of the computerized titling and registration system. - Amends TCA Title 55.

3. [SB 0044](#) *Massey (HB 0181 by *Howell)
Highways, Roads and Bridges- As introduced, requires a county or municipality to publish its certified highway map on the county or municipality's website, which must be accessible to the public, no less than 30 days prior to the date of the public hearing on the map. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 67.

4. [SB 0173](#) ***Swann** (HB 0164 by *Holsclaw, Freeman, Hazlewood, Powell, Dixie, Beck)
Traffic Safety- As introduced, expands the current offense for talking on handheld devices while driving within marked school zones to talking on such devices on any road, highway, or street. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10 and Title 55, Chapter 8.

5. [SB 0639](#) ***Johnson, Briggs** (HB 1154 by *Ragan, White , Cepicky, Russell, Moon, Reedy, Wright, Crawford, Whitson, Windle, Ramsey, Lamberth, Van Huss, Williams, Gant, Daniel, Sherrell, Lynn, Love)
Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration- As introduced, adds the word "valor" to the Silver Star specialty license plate. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.

6. [SB 0779](#) ***Johnson, Stevens, Bowling** (HB 0923 by *Lamberth, Gant, Carr)
Transportation, Dept. of- As introduced, converts the department's construction manager/general contractor services (CM/GC) pilot program into a fully authorized project delivery method; establishes limitations for CM/GC contracts. - Amends TCA Title 54, Chapter 1.

7. [SB 0780](#) ***Johnson, Swann** (HB 0924 by *Lamberth, Gant, Bricken)
Motor Vehicles- As introduced, authorizes automobile transporters meeting certain length limitations to operate on the national network of highways; revises related vehicle size, weight, and load provisions. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 7.

8. [SB 0045](#) ***Massey** (HB 0182 by *Howell)
Highways, Roads and Bridges- As introduced, requires locally appointed commissioners to report to the county legislative body within 60 days of the completion of any repair work on bridges, levees, or causeways. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 67.

9. [SB 1491](#) ***Bailey** (HB 0533 by *Hill T)
Motor Vehicles- As introduced, exempts certain motor vehicle dismantlers and recyclers from the requirement to keep certain records of transactions of buying or selling automobile parts. - Amends TCA Section 55-17-109; Title 55, Chapter 3, Part 2 and Title 55, Chapter 5, Part 1.

10. [SB 1298](#) ***Pody** (HB 1322 by *Eldridge)
Criminal Offenses- As introduced, increases the fines for persons failing to operate their vehicles according to law when coming upon certain vehicles. - Amends TCA Title 55.

- 11. [SB 1143](#) *Akbari, Gilmore, Robinson** (HB 0839 by *Lamberth, Miller, Howell)
Driver Licenses- As introduced, prevents suspension of a driver license for failure to pay fines or costs imposed for a driving offense if the person is indigent or enters into payment plan; requires person be issued restricted driver license until moneys owed the court are fully paid. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 24, Part 1; Title 55, Chapter 50, Part 3 and Title 55, Chapter 50, Part 5.
- 12. [SB 1486](#) *Bailey** (HB 0082 by *Williams)
Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration- As introduced, requires that notation of liens and encumbrances and extensions of mortgages on certificates of title be performed by county clerks. - Amends TCA Title 55.
- 13. [SB 1489](#) *Bailey** (HB 0076 by *Sexton C, Hodges)
Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration- As introduced, authorizes military and memorial plates to be personalized; requires payment of a fee to defray the costs of designing and manufacturing the personalized plates. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.
- 14. [SB 1492](#) *Bailey** (HB 0536 by *Whitson, Howell)
Motor Vehicles- As introduced, requests department of safety to conduct a study on the number of motor vehicle accidents reported to the department during the previous four calendar years that resulted in serious bodily injury or property damage exceeding \$1,000 and involved a malfunctioning airbag or other restraint system component; requires department to submit a report to the transportation and safety committee of the senate and the transportation committee of the house of representatives on or before February 1, 2020, if a study is conducted. - Amends TCA Title 55.
- 15. [SB 1498](#) *Bailey** (HB 1090 by *Keisling)
Motor Vehicles- As introduced, defines "trailer" for purposes of the length restriction on buses operating with trailers attached. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 7, Part 2.
- 16. [SB 1045](#) *Kyle** (HB 0832 by *Howell)
Traffic Safety- As introduced, prohibits persons from standing or conducting activities in the median of state highways without prior approval from TDOT; creates a Class C misdemeanor offense that requires issuance of a warning citation for a first offense. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8.
- 17. [SB 0043](#) *Massey** (HB 0180 by *Howell, Smith)
Transportation, Dept. of- As introduced, authorizes an electronic format of the report provided by the department to each member of the general assembly regarding the status of highway projects in the county or counties represented by the member. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 54; Title 55; Title 65 and Title 67.

18. [SB 1375](#) *Yager (HB 0221 by *Windle)

Motor Vehicles- As introduced, authorizes off-highway vehicles to be operated on certain segments of state highways in Morgan County. - Amends TCA Section 55-8-185.

SENATE
ENERGY, AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES
COMMITTEE CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 2019
10:30 AM - CORDELL HULL BUILDING
SENATE HEARING ROOM I

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KURITA (I)

REEVES (R)
ROBINSON (D)
ROSE (R)

BUDGET HEARINGS

TN Department of Environment and Conservation

TN Department of Tourist Development

TN Wildlife Resources Agency

AGENDA

1. [SR 0019](#) *McNally, Yager

General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position- Expresses disagreement and displeasure with TVA's decision to retire Bull Run Fossil Plant in Anderson County. -

2. [SB 1358](#) *Yager (HB 1256 by *Halford)

Conservation- As introduced, requires the executive director of the wildlife resources agency to issue an annual report concerning acquisition priorities for wetland and bottomland hardwood forest acquisition. - Amends TCA Section 11-14-401.

3. [SB 1056](#) *Dickerson (HB 0964 by *Love)

Solid Waste Disposal- As introduced, adds the chairs of the energy, agriculture and natural resources committee of the senate and the agriculture and natural resources committee of the house of representatives to list of committee chairs and officials to whom the department of environment and conservation must submit a quarterly report concerning expenditures from the tire environmental fund. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 55; Title 67 and Title 68.

4. [SB 1482](#) *Bailey (HB 1134 by *Sherrell)

Pensions and Retirement Benefits- As introduced, extends retirement and certain other benefits to state park rangers that are extended to wildlife officers of the Tennessee wildlife resources agency. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 8; Title 11 and Title 58.

5. [SB 0665](#) *Haile (HB 1328 by *Keisling, Byrd, Tillis)

Boats, Boating- As introduced, limits operating permit fee for commercial non-motorized vessel outfitters to the amount of the fee imposed on commercial fishermen; authorizes implementation of parking pass system for outfitters; imposes limitation on fees assessed such outfitters. - Amends TCA Title 69, Chapter 9 and Title 70.

6. [SB 0888](#) *Niceley (HB 1468 by *Hurt, Miller)

Agriculture- As introduced, authorizes the department of agriculture to provide notice of registered landrace varieties of hemp to licensed growers and processors via the department's website. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4; Title 43; Title 44, Chapter 6; Title 47, Chapter 26; Title 53; Title 67 and Title 68.

PRESENTATION

STATE OF TENNESSEE POLLINATORS
HOWARD KERR

SENATE

HEALTH AND WELFARE COMMITTEE CALENDAR

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| REEVES (R) 2 ND VICE CHAIRMAN | MASSEY (R) | YARBRO (D) |

BUDGET HEARINGS

TN DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN'S SERVICES

TN DEPARTMENT OF INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

TN DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. [SJR 0238](#) *Robinson
Naming and Designating- "Sickle Cell Awareness Month" in Tennessee, November 2019 -
2. [SJR 0250](#) *Roberts
Memorials, Recognition- Lupus Awareness Month, May 2019 -
3. [HJR 0134](#) *Whitson, Williams
General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position- Recognizes the suicidal health crisis at the Natchez Trace Parkway Bridge. -

SENATE

HEALTH AND WELFARE COMMITTEE CALENDAR

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WATSON (R)

YARBRO (D)

REGULAR CALENDAR

1. [SB 0637](#) *Johnson (HB 1462 by *Casada, Gant, Sexton C, Terry)

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities- As introduced, changes, from 10 days to 10 business days, the period within which an applicant for a certificate of need for a nonresidential substitution-based treatment center for opiate addiction must notify the chief executive officer of the county or municipality of the filing of the application if it involves a healthcare facility in which the county or municipality is the lessor of the facility or real property on which it sits. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 16.

2. [SB 0179](#) *Gardenhire (HB 0416 by *Helton, Rudder, Hall, Carr, Byrd, Smith, Eldridge, Moon, Gant, Vaughan, Cooper)

Employees, Employers- As introduced, prohibits a trustee or former trustee of a board of trustees of a hospital authority from entering into an arrangement for employment or the provision of labor or services with the authority until at least 12 months have expired following the trustee or former trustee's tenure of service on the board. - Amends TCA Title 7 and Title 68.

3. [SB 1123](#) *Briggs (HB 1129 by *Hazlewood)

Public Health- As introduced, changes from December 31 to December 15 the annual date by which the departments of health and human services must jointly provide to the appropriate committees of the senate and the house of representatives a written list of available state and federal options under medicaid and temporary assistance for needy families. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 39; Title 43; Title 44; Title 53; Title 67 and Title 68.

4. [SB 0266](#) *Reeves (HB 0104 by *Todd, Wright, Leatherwood, Helton, Smith, Gant, Griffey, Cepicky, Daniel)

Boards and Commissions- As introduced, expands the number of legislative committees to which health-related boards must submit reports on board vacancies. - Amends TCA Title 63.

5. [SB 0467](#) *Roberts (HB 0296 by *Hill M)

Licenses- As introduced, exempts certain medical professionals from massage licensure requirements where massages for compensation are provided in the offices of such medical professionals by licensed massage therapists. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 18.

6. [SB 0743](#) *Hensley, Robinson (HB 0422 by *Smith, Helton, White , Reedy, Hardaway)

Professions and Occupations- As introduced, clarifies references to "patient" to mean "human patient" as applied to the practice of nursing; specifies that only persons licensed by the board of nursing may be licensed in the practice of nursing. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8; Title 55, Chapter 9, Part 4 and Title 63.

7. [SB 1419](#) *Dickerson (HB 1406 by *Powell, Jernigan)

Hearing and Hearing Aids- As introduced, allows the Tennessee council for the deaf, deaf-blind, and hard of hearing to submit its annual report and needs assessment to the governor and general assembly electronically. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 9; Title 13; Title 24; Title 37; Title 40; Title 49; Title 50; Title 55; Title 60; Title 65 and Title 71.

8. [SB 1084](#) *Dickerson (HB 0868 by *DeBerry, Crawford)

Professions and Occupations- As introduced, removes certain qualifications for the supervision of prospective clinical pastoral therapists; authorizes the board of clinical pastoral therapists to establish its own qualifications for supervisors. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 22, Part 2.

9. [SB 1062](#) *Dickerson, Bowling (HB 0919 by *Terry, Travis, Jernigan, Staples)

Health, Dept. of- As introduced, authorizes electronic transmission of the summary of the data concerning high-volume prescribers and any disciplinary action by the department to the health committees of the senate and house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 38, Chapter 3; Title 39, Chapter 17; Title 43; Title 50; Title 53; Title 63; Title 67 and Title 68.

10. [SB 0028](#) *Crowe, Robinson, Kyle, Johnson, Reeves, Dickerson, Bowling, Massey (HB 0037 by *Whitson, Casada, Hawk, Love, Hazlewood, Helton, Carter, Gant, Weaver, Beck, Hicks, Hill M, Howell, Johnson G, Ogles, Jernigan, Zachary, Dixie, Lamberth, Clemmons, Cooper, Sherrell, Hall, Byrd, Van Huss, Moon, Calfee)

Public Health- As introduced, creates the state Alzheimer's disease and related dementia advisory council. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 14 and Title 71.

11. [SB 0609](#) *Massey (HB 0657 by *Hill M)

Medical Occupations- As introduced, permits dental hygienists to exercise prescriptive authority that is limited to fluoride agents, topical oral anesthetic agents, and nonsystemic oral antimicrobials under certain conditions; requires the board of dentistry to set educational and training requirements by rule; requires board to also determine allowable percentages of certain active ingredients in medications that may be prescribed by dental hygienists. - Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 63.

SENATE
EDUCATION
COMMITTEE CALENDAR

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BELL (R)
CROWE (R)
DICKERSON (R)

HAILE (R)
HENSLEY (R)
LUNDBERG (R)

AGENDA

1. [SJR 0116](#) *Gresham

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment- Karen Clark, Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission -

BUDGET HEARINGS

UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS

MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY

TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY

2. [SB 0182](#) *Reeves, Robinson (HB 0248 by *Tillis)

Local Education Agencies- As introduced, requires local boards of education to adopt policies to allow a parent to view photos or video footage collected from a camera or video camera installed inside a school bus under certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

3. [SB 1267](#) *Pody (HB 1394 by *Cepicky)
Education- As introduced, requires the department of education to provide LEAs with access to their students' TCAP and end-of-course assessment items and the students' answers within 60 days following the administration of the assessments; requires an LEA to provide each teacher with access to the teacher's students' assessment information within 90 days following the administration of the assessments; requires that the provided information include all questions posed to students. - Amends TCA Title 49.

4. [SB 1035](#) *Gardenhire (HB 1276 by *Holt)
Local Education Agencies- As introduced, requires a local board of education that maintains an internet website and that establishes a program of school-based decision making that authorizes school personnel, including classroom teachers, to decide the school budget to post the adopted school budget on the board's website before the beginning of each school year. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 49.

5. [SB 0273](#) *Massey (HB 0267 by *Staples)
Education- As introduced, encourages LEAs to provide an age-appropriate seizure education program to teach students about seizures and seizure disorders; encourages the state board of education to promulgate rules for the development and implementation of seizure education programs. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6.

6. [SB 1195](#) *White, Roberts (HB 0970 by *Littleton, Carter, Curcio, Farmer)
Education, Dept. of- As introduced, allows the department to post its annual report on its website in lieu of distributing the report to certain persons and entities. - Amends TCA Title 49.

7. [SB 0760](#) *Yarbro (HB 0253 by *Freeman, White)
Local Education Agencies- As introduced, requires LEAs to provide students with characteristics of dyslexia appropriate tiered dyslexia-specific intervention through services provided by a teacher trained in dyslexia intervention; requires the department of education to employ at least one dyslexia specialist beginning with the 2019-2020 fiscal year. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 2.

8. [SB 0936](#) *Yarbro (HB 1058 by *Clemmons)
Education, Dept. of- As introduced, enacts the "Teacher Residency Program Grant Act"; requires the department to establish and administer a program of grants for university teacher preparation programs and LEAs to create teacher residency programs. - Amends TCA Title 49.

9. [SB 0773](#) *Yarbro (HB 1310 by *Shaw)

Tennessee Higher Education Commission- As introduced, changes from October 1 to October 31 of each year the date by which the department of labor and workforce development must provide data on the state's anticipated workforce needs and other information to the commission. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7 and Title 49, Chapter 8.

10. [SB 1046](#) *Kyle (HB 1483 by *Hardaway, Clemmons)

Local Education Agencies- As introduced, requires LEAs to provide free feminine hygiene products in eligible public high schools. - Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 68.

11. [SB 0604](#) *Robinson (HB 0664 by *Parkinson)

Education- As introduced, requires students expelled in grades seven through 12 to attend alternative school; requires a governing body of a public charter school to establish an alternative educational setting for students suspended from the regular school program; prohibits a charter school from expelling a student from school attendance until after the student has been placed in an alternative educational setting. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

12. [SB 0442](#) *Bell (HB 0091 by *Hicks, Carr, Cochran)

Education- As introduced, authorizes LEAs that receive pre-kindergarten program approval to utilize an alternative academic growth indicator approved by the state board of education and adopted by the LEA, rather than the pre-k/kindergarten growth portfolio model approved by the state board of education in the evaluation of pre-kindergarten and kindergarten teachers. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 1.

13. [SB 0033](#) *Dickerson (HB 0025 by *Jernigan, Hulsey, Whitson, Hodges, Potts, Stewart, Ramsey, Clemmons, Love)

Education- As introduced, removes the Tennessee School for the Deaf from the Tennessee School for the Blind facilities beginning with the 2022-2023 school year; changes from Davidson County to middle Tennessee the location at which a Tennessee School for the Deaf branch must operate; prohibits certain schools from sharing certain leadership positions at the same time. - Amends TCA Title 49.

14. [SB 1061](#) *Dickerson (HB 1303 by *Baum)

Education, Higher- As introduced, requires the department of correction, in partnership with the Tennessee higher education commission and the board of regents, to develop and submit to the general assembly an annual report detailing the higher education opportunities available to incarcerated individuals in this state. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 41; Title 49 and Title 50.

- 15. [SB 1058](#) *Dickerson, Yarbrow, Akbari, Gilmore** (HB 1330 by *Haston, White)
Education- As introduced, deletes an obsolete provision requiring the office of research and education accountability to report on whether community schools have met their education and community goals to the education committees of the general assembly by November 1, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 24.
- 16. [SB 0187](#) *Gresham** (HB 0982 by *White)
Education- As introduced, requires the safety instruction provided by a school to include information about the proper and safe usage of dockless electric scooters, if such scooters are available for use in the area around the school. - Amends TCA Title 49.
- 17. [SB 1243](#) *Gresham, Hensley, Pody, Bowling, Reeves, Bailey, Dickerson, Kelsey, Swann** (HB 1016 by *Weaver, Coley, Van Huss, Kumar, Cepicky, Lafferty, Hall, Ragan, Sanderson, Holt, Doggett, Baum, Helton, Carter, Eldridge, Reedy, Rudd, Rudder, Wright)
Local Education Agencies- As introduced, requires students to pass a civics test to receive a full diploma upon graduation from high school; requires LEAs to include all 100 questions from the United States civics test, instead of only 25 to 50 questions, on the civics test prepared by the LEA; increases from 70 to 75 the percentage of questions a student must correctly answer to pass the civics test. - Amends TCA Title 49.
- 18. [SB 1260](#) *Gresham** (HB 0736 by *Lafferty)
Education- As introduced, requires the office of research and education accountability (OREA) to study whether community schools are providing effective on-the-job training opportunities to students and file a report containing the findings, conclusions, and recommendations from the study with the education committees of the general assembly no later than January 1, 2020. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6.
- 19. [SB 1251](#) *Gresham** (HB 0788 by *Dunn)
Education- As introduced, makes various changes to state education laws; revises certain duties of the commissioner of education; transfers certain duties from the department of education to local boards of education; transfers certain duties from the state board of education to local education agencies. - Amends TCA Title 49.

SENATE LEADERSHIP

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| SENATOR GILMORE | 741-2453 |
| SENATOR KYLE | 741-4167 |
| SENATOR ROBINSON | 741-2509 |
| SENATOR YARBRO | 741-3291 |

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| SENATOR DICKERSON | 741-6679 |
| SENATOR GARDENHIRE | 741-6682 |
| SENATOR GRESHAM | 741-2368 |
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| SENATOR LUNDBERG | 741-5761 |
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| SENATOR NICELEY | 741-2061 |
| SENATOR PODY | 741-2421 |
| SENATOR REEVES | 741-1066 |
| SENATOR ROBERTS | 741-4499 |
| SENATOR ROSE | 741-1967 |
| SENATOR SOUTHERLAND | 741-3851 |
| SENATOR STEVENS | 741-4576 |
| SENATOR SWANN | 741-0981 |
| SENATOR WATSON | 741-3227 |
| SENATOR WHITE | 741-6853 |
| SENATOR YAGER | 741-1449 |

THE SENATE
111TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR RANDY MCNALLY
GENERAL APPOINTMENTS

STANDING COMMITTEES

SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE: SENATOR FERRELL HAILE
DEPUTY SPEAKER: SENATOR JANICE BOWLING

COMMERCE AND LABOR

CHAIRMAN: SENATOR BAILEY
1ST VICE CHAIRMAN: SENATOR SWANN
2ND VICE CHAIRMAN: SENATOR LUNDBERG
SENATOR AKBARI
SENATOR GRESHAM
SENATOR JOHNSON
SENATOR NICELEY
SENATOR SOUTHERLAND
SENATOR WATSON

EDUCATION

CHAIRMAN: SENATOR GRESHAM
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SENATOR HAILE
SENATOR HENSLEY
SENATOR LUNDBERG

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RESOURCES

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SENATOR AKBARI
SENATOR GRESHAM
SENATOR KURITA
SENATOR REEVES
SENATOR ROBINSON
SENATOR ROSE

FINANCE, WAYS, AND MEANS

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2ND VICE CHAIRMAN: SENATOR HENSLEY
SENATOR BRIGGS
SENATOR GARDENHIRE
SENATOR GILMORE
SENATOR HAILE
SENATOR JOHNSON
SENATOR KELSEY
SENATOR YAGER
SENATOR YARBRO

HEALTH AND WELFARE

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2ND VICE CHAIRMAN: SENATOR REEVES
SENATOR HENSLEY
SENATOR JACKSON
SENATOR MASSEY
SENATOR SWANN
SENATOR WATSON
SENATOR YARBRO

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

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2ND VICE CHAIRMAN: SENATOR BOWLING
SENATOR BELL
SENATOR CROWE
SENATOR KURITA
SENATOR KYLE
SENATOR PODY
SENATOR ROSE

JUDICIARY

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2ND VICE CHAIRMAN: SENATOR WHITE
SENATOR BOWLING
SENATOR GARDENHIRE
SENATOR KYLE
SENATOR ROBERTS
SENATOR ROBINSON
SENATOR STEVENS

TRANSPORTATION & SAFETY

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2ND VICE CHAIRMAN: SENATOR NICELEY
SENATOR BAILEY
SENATOR BOWLING
SENATOR BRIGGS
SENATOR GILMORE
SENATOR STEVENS
SENATOR SWANN

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2ND VICE CHAIRMAN: SENATOR GARDENHIRE
SENATOR JACKSON
SENATOR KELSEY
SENATOR REEVES
SENATOR WHITE
SENATOR YAGER
SENATOR YARBRO

SELECT COMMITTEES

CALENDAR

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SENATOR YARBRO

RULES

CHAIRMAN: SENATOR WATSON
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SENATOR STEVENS
SENATOR YARBRO

ETHICS

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SENATOR AKBARI
SENATOR YAGER

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