



West Virginia Legislature

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Bill Tracking List - Master - 2021RS

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Bill	Title	SA/SI	Last Action	Committee Reference	Notes
HJR. 2 (High)	Providing that courts have no authority or jurisdiction to intercede or intervene in, or interfere with, any impeachment proceedings of the House of Delegates or the Senate		03/03/21 - To Senate Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Oppose: The courts should retain their right to intercede or intervene. Our article on this - https://wvcag.org/?p=6129
SB 2 (None)	Relating generally to economic development loans and state-issued loan insurance		02/10/21 - To Senate Government Organization	Senate Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Support: creates equal footing between smaller companies and larger ones https://capitoltracker.mountainstatespotlight.org/bill/SB%202
HJR 3 (None)	Property Tax Modernization Amendment		02/11/21 - To House Finance	House Ref. 1 - Finance House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Watch
SB 3 (None)	Relating to COVID Liability		02/10/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: Same as SB 277
SB 4 (None)	Creating Intermediate Court of Appeals		02/10/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Oppose: Same as SB 275
HJR 4 (None)	State Apportionment Commission		02/11/21 - To House Political Subdivisions	House Ref. 1 - Political Subdivisions House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support: Same as HJR 5, would create an independent redistricting commission
HJR 5 (None)	Allowing citizens to participate directly in the formation of legislative districts		02/11/21 - To House Political Subdivisions	House Ref. 1 - Political Subdivisions House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support: Same as HJR 4, would create an independent redistricting commission
SB 5 (High)	Relating to claims arising out of WV Consumer Credit and Protection Act		03/03/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: would reduce consumer protections
HJR 7 (None)	Requiring a two-thirds vote in each house of the Legislature to increase any tax or fee		02/11/21 - To House Finance	House Ref. 1 - Finance House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Oppose: Same as HJR 9, would require a 2/3 majority to raise taxes
SB 7 (High)	Limiting political activity by public employees		02/26/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch
HJR 9 (None)	Super-Majority Required for		02/11/21 - To House Finance	House Ref. 1 - Finance	Oppose: Same as HJR 5, would require a 2/3 majority to raise taxes

		Passage of Tax Bill Amendment			House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	
HCR 9	(None)	Urging Congress to call a convention of states to limit terms of office of the US House of Representatives		03/03/21 - To House Rules	House Ref. 1 - Government Organization House Ref. 2 - Rules	Oppose: the constitutional convention is dangerous, and term limits are unneeded, as we have elections
SB 11	(High)	Declaring work stoppage or strike by public employees to be unlawful		03/05/21 - To House Message received	Senate Ref. 1 - Education	Oppose: should be legal, infringes on the right to demand better wages, insurance, etc.
SB 12	(High)	Relating to local health department accountability		03/05/21 - To House received message	Senate Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources	Oppose: politicizes decisions of local health departments and takes away their control and gives it to the county commission
SB 17	(None)	Requiring certain disclosures of election expenditures		02/10/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support: requires transparency of finances, which is needed.
SB 27	(None)	Allowing voters who register in person with county clerk to vote during early in-person voting		02/10/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support: makes exercising one's right to vote easier; allows people to register and vote on the same day during early voting, at the County Clerk's office.
SB 30	(None)	Permitting third-party ownership of renewable and alternative energy generating facilities		02/10/21 - To Senate Economic Development	Senate Ref. 1 - Economic Development Senate Ref. 2 - Government Organization	Support: this Power Purchase Agreement bill facilitates green energy competition in WV and solar panel installations on homes, small businesses, and non-profit organizations.
SB 37	(None)	Prohibiting registered lobbyists from appointment to state legislative, executive, or judicial position for five years		02/10/21 - To Senate Government Organization	Senate Ref. 1 - Government Organization Senate Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Watch
SB 38	(None)	Creating WV Black Lung Program		02/10/21 - To Senate Banking and Insurance	Senate Ref. 1 - Banking and Insurance Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
SB 39	(Mid)	Prohibiting insurance coverage from requiring prior authorization for tests to stage cancer		03/08/21 - To Senate On 2nd reading 2nd Reading	Senate Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
SB 40	(None)	Ensuring insurance coverage for residents with preexisting conditions		02/10/21 - To Senate Banking and Insurance	Senate Ref. 1 - Banking and Insurance Senate Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
SB 41	(None)	Relating generally to occupational pneumoconiosis		02/10/21 - To Senate Banking and Insurance	Senate Ref. 1 - Banking and Insurance Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
SB 49	(None)	Requiring PACs disclose contributors' names and addresses to Secretary of State		02/10/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support: promotes contribution transparency
SB 54	(None)	Permitting photo identification on voter registration cards		02/10/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary Senate Ref. 2 -	Watch

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SB 70	(None)	Relating to residency requirements for voter registration		02/10/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch
SB 76	(None)	Providing compensation to victims of abusive lawsuits	SI HB2569	02/10/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch
SB 96	(None)	Creating online voters' guide		02/10/21 - To Senate Government Organization	Senate Ref. 1 - Government Organization Senate Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support: helps voter's vote. Good stuff.
SB 110	(None)	Adjusting distance from polling place certain election-related activity is prohibited		02/10/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch
SB 118	(None)	Require parental notification of minors being prescribed contraceptives		02/10/21 - To Senate Health and Human Resources	Senate Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources Senate Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Oppose
SB 119	(None)	Prohibiting certain misleading pharmaceutical advertising practices		02/10/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support
SB 123	(None)	Changing determination of compensation paid to landowner when eminent domain used for pipeline		02/10/21 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Ref. 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
SB 124	(None)	Relating to insulin cost management		02/10/21 - To Senate Banking and Insurance	Senate Ref. 1 - Banking and Insurance Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
SB 130	(None)	DEP rule relating to ambient air quality standards	SI HB2382	02/11/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: DEP rules bundled with water quality standards rules (SB 137 and HB 2382 & 2389)
SB 137	(None)	DEP rule relating to requirements governing water quality standards	SI HB2389	02/11/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: relaxes water quality standards
SB 148	(None)	DHHR rule relating to public health standards for businesses remaining open during COVID-19 outbreak	SI HB2434	02/11/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch
SB 156	(High)	Authorizing Department of Homeland Security to promulgate legislative rules	SI HB2442	02/17/21 - To House Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Government Organization Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch
SB 158	(None)	State Emergency Response Commission rule relating to emergency planning and community right to know	SI HB2444	02/12/21 - To Senate Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 156	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch

SB 159	(None)	State Emergency Response Commission rule relating to emergency planning grant program	SI HB2445	02/12/21 - To Senate Reported in Com. Sub. for S. B. 156	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch
SB 229	(None)	Implementing system for ranked choice voting for election of justices to WV Supreme Court of Appeals		02/11/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support
SB 230	(None)	Prohibiting civil rights violations		02/11/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support
SB 231	(None)	Relating generally to medical cannabis		02/11/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support
SB 233	(None)	Relating to insurance coverage for insulin		02/11/21 - To Senate Banking and Insurance	Senate Ref. 1 - Banking and Insurance Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
SB 234	(None)	Ensuring coverage for residents with preexisting conditions		02/11/21 - To Senate Banking and Insurance	Senate Ref. 1 - Banking and Insurance Senate Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
SB 252	(None)	Relating to unlawful discriminatory practices covered by Human Rights Act and Fair Housing Act		02/12/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support
SB 254	(None)	Adding definitions of "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" to categories covered by Human Rights Act	SI HB2538	02/12/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support
SB 255	(None)	Relating to wholesale importation of prescription drugs		02/12/21 - To Senate Health and Human Resources	Senate Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
SB 256	(None)	Prohibiting insurers from denying coverage as result of preexisting condition		02/12/21 - To Senate Banking and Insurance	Senate Ref. 1 - Banking and Insurance Senate Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
SB 257	(None)	Relating to prohibition on short-term duration health insurance		02/12/21 - To Senate Banking and Insurance	Senate Ref. 1 - Banking and Insurance Senate Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
SB 258	(None)	Relating to taxation of prescription opioids		02/12/21 - To Senate Health and Human Resources	Senate Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
SB 259	(None)	Authorizing small private employers to buy-in to PEIA		02/12/21 - To Senate Banking and Insurance	Senate Ref. 1 - Banking and Insurance Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Support

SB 260	(None)	Establishing Minority Health Advisory Team		02/12/21 - To Senate Health and Human Resources	Senate Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
SB 275	(High)	Relating generally to WV Appellate Reorganization Act of 2021	SI HB2023	02/25/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary House Ref. 2 - Finance Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Oppose: same as SB 4
SB 277	(High)	Creating COVID-19 Jobs Protection Act	SI HB2021	03/08/21 - To House On 2nd reading, Calendar 2nd Reading	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: Same as SB 3
SB 288	(None)	Creating Katherine Johnson Fair Pay Act of 2021	SI HB2121	02/13/21 - To Senate Workforce	Senate Ref. 1 - Workforce Senate Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
SB 295	(High)	Relating generally to economic development loans and loan insurance issued by state	SI HB2018	02/23/21 - To House Finance	House Ref. 1 - Finance Senate Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Support: Governor's version of SB 2
SB 319	(None)	Relating to establishing Community Health Equity Initiative Demonstration Project	SI HB2611	02/17/21 - To Senate Health and Human Resources	Senate Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Support: Establishes a Minority Health Taskforce.
SB 322	(None)	Relating generally to the payment of salary or wages under the Parental Leave Act	SI HB2156	02/17/21 - To Senate Government Organization	Senate Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Support
SB 387	(High)	Relating to drug screening of applicants for cash assistance	SI HB2615	03/04/21 - To House Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources Senate Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources	Oppose: would require drug screening in order to receive assistance, would spend millions to weed out maybe 7 people a year.
SB 405	(None)	Amending definition of "aboveground storage tank"	SI HB2598	02/23/21 - To Senate Judiciary	Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: would exempt all oil & gas industry tanks, which may include carcinogens, that are near drinking water intakes from state regulation.
SB 492	(None)	Establishing program for bonding to reclaim abandoned wind and solar generation facilities	SI HB2342	03/01/21 - To Senate Energy, Industry, and Mining	Senate Ref. 1 - Energy, Industry and Mining Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Oppose: this bill is meant to disadvantage renewable energy
HB 2002	(High)	Relating to Broadband		03/05/21 - To Senate Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary House Ref. 2 - Technology and Infrastructure Senate Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Support
HB 2003	(High)	Relating to the authority and obligations of the Governor and Legislature when in declared states of		02/22/21 - To Senate Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary Senate Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Watch

	preparedness and emergency			Senate Ref. 2 - Judiciary		
HB 2005	(High)	Relating to health care costs		02/17/21 - To Senate Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources Senate Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources	Watch
HB 2013	(High)	Relating to the Hope Scholarship Program		03/05/21 - To Senate Education	House Ref. 1 - Education House Ref. 2 - Finance Senate Ref. 1 - Education Senate Ref. 2 - Finance	Oppose: would siphon funds from public school to private, destabilizing our public school system
HB 2014	(High)	Relating to role of the Legislature in appropriating federal funds		02/22/21 - To Senate Finance	House Ref. 1 - Finance Senate Ref. 1 - Finance	Watch
HB 2015	(Mid)	Requiring rules of local boards of health to be approved by the county commission except in cases of a public health emergency		03/08/21 - To House On 2nd reading, Calendar 2nd Reading	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources	Oppose: Same as SB 12
HB 2016	(None)	Relating to the "COVID-19 Essential Jobs Protection Act"		02/10/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: same as SB 277 & SB 3
HB 2017	(None)	Rewriting the Criminal Code		02/10/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch
HB 2018	(None)	Relating generally to economic development loans and loan insurance issued by state	SI SB295	02/15/21 - To House Finance	House Ref. 1 - Finance	Governor's version of SB 2, same as SB 295
HB 2021	(None)	Creation of West Virginia COVID-19 Immunity Act	SI SB277	02/12/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: same as SB 277 & SB 3, HB 2016
HB 2023	(None)	Relating generally to West Virginia Appellate Reorganization Act of 2021	SI SB275	02/12/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary House Ref. 2 - Finance	Oppose: same as SB 4 & SB 275
HB 2062	(None)	Creating a Small Business and Minority Populations Economic and Workforce Development Taskforce		02/10/21 - To House Small Business, Entrepreneurship and Economic Development	House Ref. 1 - Small Business, Entrepreneurship and Economic Development House Ref. 2 - Government Organization	Support
HB 2063	(None)	Relating to unfair or deceptive telemarketing acts or practices		02/10/21 - To House Technology and Infrastructure	House Ref. 1 - Technology and Infrastructure House Ref. 2 - Government Organization	Support
HB 2066	(None)	Providing school days for registering eligible students to vote and to provide transportation to voting places	SI HB2118	02/10/21 - To House Education	House Ref. 1 - Education House Ref. 2 - Finance	Support

HB 2068	(None)	Establishing a special memorial day to be known as Juneteenth honoring human rights and the end of slavery in the United States		02/10/21 - To House Political Subdivisions	House Ref. 1 - Political Subdivisions House Ref. 2 - Government Organization	Support
HB 2074	(None)	Implementing the recommendations of the studies required by the Natural Gas and Horizontal Well Control Act		02/10/21 - To House Energy and Manufacturing	House Ref. 1 - Energy House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2091	(None)	Creating a process by which voters may recall a county ordinance in a special election		02/10/21 - To House Political Subdivisions	House Ref. 1 - Political Subdivisions House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Watch
HB 2094	(High)	Relating to the juvenile restorative justice programs		02/25/21 - To Senate Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary Senate Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2102	(None)	Relating to required notices for air quality permits prior to the permit being granted		02/10/21 - To House Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Government Organization House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2105	(None)	West Virginia Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Control Act		02/10/21 - To House Workforce Development	House Ref. 1 - House Ref. 2 - Government Organization	Support
HB 2112	(None)	Prohibiting provisions within settlement agreements that prevent the disclosure of factual information related to a claim filed in a civil action		02/10/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2114	(None)	Prohibiting civil rights violations based on disability, gender identity or sexual orientation		02/10/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2118	(None)	Providing school days to register and transport eligible students to vote	SI HB2066	02/10/21 - To House Education	House Ref. 1 - Education House Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
HB 2119	(None)	Relating to electioneering or distributing literature at early voting locations		02/10/21 - To House Political Subdivisions	House Ref. 1 - Political Subdivisions House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Watch
HB 2121	(None)	Katherine Johnson and Dorothy Vaughan Fair Pay Act of 2020	SI SB288	02/10/21 - To House Workforce Development	House Ref. 1 - House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2122	(None)	Implementing The Agreement Among the States to Elect the President and Vice President by National Popular Vote		02/10/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary House Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
HB 2128	(None)	Family Protection Act		02/10/21 - To House Workforce Development	House Ref. 1 - House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support

HB 2129 (None)	Establishing an industrial water extraction fee		02/10/21 - To House Energy and Manufacturing	House Ref. 1 - Energy House Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
HB 2130 (None)	Relating to the Consumer Credit and Protection Act		02/10/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Support: act would apply to general leases, landlords, tenants and residential rental fees
HB 2131 (None)	Clarifying that the county or regional solid waste authority that may impose and collect an additional solid waste assessment fee is the county or region where the waste originates		02/10/21 - To House Political Subdivisions	House Ref. 1 - Political Subdivisions House Ref. 2 - Government Organization	Support
HB 2132 (None)	Relating to horizontal well control standards		02/10/21 - To House Energy and Manufacturing	House Ref. 1 - Energy House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2156 (None)	Relating generally to the payment of salary or wages under the Parental Leave Act	SI SB322	02/10/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary House Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
HB 2166 (None)	Reducing the cost of prescription drugs		02/10/21 - To House Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources	Support
HB 2173 (None)	Health Care Transparency Act		02/10/21 - To House Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2174 (None)	West Virginia Monument and Memorial Protection Act of 2021		02/10/21 - To House Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Oppose: protects confederate monuments
HB 2194 (None)	Establishing the Minority Health Advisory Team		02/10/21 - To House Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources House Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
HB 2201 (None)	Repealing the section of code relating to unlawful military organizations		02/10/21 - To House Veterans' Affairs and Homeland Security	House Ref. 1 - Veterans' Affairs and Homeland Security House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Oppose
HB 2226 (None)	Protecting consumers from surprise bills by health care providers		02/10/21 - To House Banking and Insurance	House Ref. 1 - Banking and Insurance House Ref. 2 - Health and Human Resources	Support
HB 2227 (None)	Prohibiting blasting within 625 feet of an occupied dwelling		02/10/21 - To House Energy and Manufacturing	House Ref. 1 - Energy House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2232 (None)	Providing a process by which a city may hold an election to recall an ordinance		02/10/21 - To House Political Subdivisions	House Ref. 1 - Political Subdivisions House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Watch

HB 2266	(None)	Relating to expanding certain insurance coverages for pregnant women		02/13/21 - To House Finance	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources House Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
HB 2284	(None)	Creating a state-administered wholesale drug importation program		02/10/21 - To House Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2300	(None)	Including Family Court Judges in the Judges' Retirement System		02/11/21 - To House Pensions and Retirement	House Ref. 1 - Pensions and Retirement House Ref. 2 - Finance	Watch
HB 2328	(None)	Relating to criminal trespass		02/12/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch
HB 2329	(None)	Relating to net metering		02/12/21 - To House Energy and Manufacturing	House Ref. 1 - Energy House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Oppose: would reduce buy-back value of energy produced by solar panels
HB 2342	(None)	Establishing and implementing a program to require bonding sufficient to reclaim abandoned wind generation facilities and solar generation facilities	SI SB492	03/05/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Energy House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Oppose: this bill is meant to disadvantage renewable energy
HB 2346	(None)	Relating to the Medical Cannabis Act		02/12/21 - To House Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support: adding definitions to "serious medical condition"; requiring rules related to use of edible medical cannabis; protecting patients from another state with medical cannabis in possession from arrest; and clarifying that colleges and private businesses shall be included in medical cannabis research programs.
HB 2356	(None)	Relating to the use of medical cannabis		02/12/21 - To House Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support: allowing medical cannabis to be dispensed as dry flower or plant flower and in edible forms; removing the restriction that medical cannabis not be dispensed in dry leaf or plant form; and removing the prohibition on smoking medical cannabis.
HB 2357	(None)	Requiring all schools to instruct students on the Holocaust and other genocides		02/12/21 - To House Education	House Ref. 1 - Education House Ref. 2 - Finance	Support
HB 2382	(Mid)	Authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to ambient air quality standards	SI SB130	03/04/21 - To House Recommended to Judiciary on 1st reading	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: DEP rules bundled with water quality standards rules (SB 137 and HB 2389)
HB 2389	(None)	Authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to promulgate a legislative rule relating to requirements governing water quality standards	SI SB137	02/13/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: relaxes water quality standards
HB 2434	(None)	Authorizing the Department of Health and Human Resources to promulgate a	SI SB148	02/13/21 - To House Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Watch, same as SB 148

		legislative rule relating to public health standards for businesses remaining open during the COVID-19 outbreak				
HB 2442	(None)	Authorizing the Fire Commission to promulgate a legislative rule relating to standards for the certification and continuing education of municipal, county, and other public sector building code officials, building code inspectors, and plans examiners	SI SB156	02/13/21 - To House Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Watch
HB 2444	(None)	Authorizing the State Emergency Response Commission to promulgate a legislative rule relating to emergency planning and community right to know	SI SB158	02/13/21 - To House Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Watch
HB 2445	(None)	Authorizing the State Emergency Response Commission to promulgate a legislative rule relating to emergency planning grant program	SI SB159	02/13/21 - To House Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Watch
HB 2477	(None)	Authorizing the Secretary of State to promulgate a legislative rule relating to loan and grant programs under the Help America Vote Act (HAVA) for the purchase of voting equipment, election systems, software, services and upgrades	SI SB213	02/13/21 - To House Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Support: Similar to SB 213.
HB 2500	(High)	Create an act for Statewide Uniformity for Auxiliary Container Regulations		02/24/21 - To Senate Government Organization	House Ref. 1 - Government Organization Senate Ref. 1 - Government Organization	Oppose: would make it impossible for local communities to tackle the enormous problem of plastic pollution in our environment
HB 2538	(None)	Adding "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" to the categories covered by the Human Rights Act	SI SB254	02/16/21 - To House Workforce Development	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support
HB 2569	(None)	Providing compensation to victims of abusive lawsuits	SI SB76	02/17/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Watch
HB 2598	(Mid)	Altering the definition of an above ground storage tank	SI SB405	03/08/21 - To House On 1st reading, Special Calendar 1st Reading, Special Calendar	House Ref. 1 - Energy House Ref. 2 - Health and Human Resources	Oppose: would exempt all oil & gas industry tanks, which may include carcinogens, that are near drinking water intakes from state regulation.
	(None)	Establishing the		02/19/21 - To	House Ref. 1 -	Support: Establishes a Minority Health Taskforce.

HB 2611		Minority Health Advisory Team	SI SB319	House Health and Human Resources	Health and Human Resources House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	
HB 2615	(None)	Relating to the program for drug screening of applicants for cash assistance	SI SB387	02/19/21 - To House Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources	Oppose: would require drug screening in order to receive assistance, would spend millions to weed out maybe 7 people a year.
HB 2708	(None)	Relating generally to required health insurance coverage for diabetics		02/23/21 - To House Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources House Ref. 2 - Finance	Support: Reduces insulin costs and caps out of pocket expenses at \$25 for 30 day supply of insulin and non-insulin medication.
HB 2795	(None)	Relating to criminal justice training regarding autistic persons		03/01/21 - To House Health and Human Resources	House Ref. 1 - Health and Human Resources House Ref. 2 - Judiciary	Support - inserts autism-specific training into police and corrections officer training
HB 2814	(None)	Election Security, Access, and Modernization Act of 2021	SI SB561	03/02/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary House Ref. 2 - Finance	Support: Improves access to absentee voting options, making it easier for West Virginians to vote
HB 2869	(None)	To remove any mandatory mask mandate in West Virginia		03/03/21 - To House Judiciary	House Ref. 1 - Judiciary	Oppose: Anti-Mask-Mandate Bill