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Week Overview

The 105-day Washington State 2015 Legislature reached a major milestone at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 11th; the point at which all policy bills had to be passed out of their chamber of origin to remain alive. This critical deadline resulted in exceptionally long days for both chambers on Monday and Tuesday as legislators labored in overtime to vote on bills. Overall, the Senate passed 356 bills and the House 326. While both chambers return this week to committee meetings to hear the other's bills, focus now turns more sharply on budget negotiations, as members remain hopeful of adjourning on April 26th, the last official day of this session.

On Thursday following cut-off, Councilmembers Burgess, Bagshaw, Clark, Godden and Harrell travelled to Olympia for a successful day of talks with legislators around issues like Transportation, Marijuana and funding for senior services. Councilmembers also met for a roundtable lunch discussion with the Governor.

Priority Areas

Budget and Infrastructure

In an effort to address issues related to being legally required to fund initiatives passed by voters, including those which contained no fiscal note, the Senate passed [SSB 5715](#), by Sen. Fain (R), requiring ballot measures to include cost information.

Reports are circulating that the House budget will include some type of new revenue source, such as a capital gains tax.

Education

Both vehicles for the Early Start Act, [2SHB 1491](#) sponsored by Rep. Ruth Kagi (D) and the Senate version, [2SSB 5452](#) by Sen. Steve Litzow (R) were passed by their respective chambers.

Addressing the loss of an estimated \$40 million in funds due to the loss of a federal No Child Left Behind waiver, the Senate approved [SSB 5748](#). The legislation would restore the waiver, by meeting the requirement that test scores are factored into teacher and principal evaluations. The bill passed on bipartisan lines with a 26-23 vote, as several Senators who voted against similar legislation last year reversed their votes.

Safety Net, Housing and Health Care

Late on Tuesday evening, the Senate passed Sen. Marko Liias' (D) payday lending legislation, [ESSB 5899](#), after hearing two-hours of debate. Democrats filed 37 amendments to the 42-page bill, most seeking to enact stricter safeguards for consumers. The final vote of 30-18 (one excused) included one Republican voting in opposition and six Democrats voting in favor. The bill now moves to the House, where a similar bill did not receive a vote on the floor.

The House continued to look at wage legislation this week, passing Democratic Rep. Tana Senn's [SHB 1646](#), the Gender Equal Pay Opportunity Act, by a bipartisan 55-43 vote. The legislation's purpose is to close the gender wage gap.

For the fourth consecutive year the House has passed [HB 1647](#), the Reproductive Health Act. Rep. Eileen Cody's (D) bill requires Washington State insurance providers to cover abortions and contraceptives.

Environment

Governor Inslee's carbon pollution reduction legislation, [SHB 1314](#) by Rep. Fitzgibbon, received a hearing in House Appropriations on Thursday, March 12th. Some testifiers in the packed hearing room raised concerns about potential job losses in the state, while others touted job growth, a potential \$1.3 billion dollar revenue increase, and a recent poll showing strong support for carbon pollution reduction.

[ESSB 5735](#), Sen. Doug Ericksen's alternative to Governor Inslee's carbon reduction bill received a vigorous debate on the Senate floor as Democrats attempted to amend the bill to acknowledge climate change as real and that human activity contributes towards it. In the end, the amendment was altered by Senator Ericksen to change the words "significantly contribute" to "may contribute." The amendment was approved 29-20. The bill allows utilities to comply with state laws requiring more energy from renewable resources by investing in carbon reduction. The amended legislation then passed with Majority Coalition Caucus support by a 26-23 vote.

The House approved another Governor Request bill, also sponsored by Rep. Fitzgibbon, [ESSHB 1472](#), by a vote of 63-35, with the intent of reducing toxic chemicals in Washington State. It requires the Department of Ecology to create chemical action plans on select chemicals every two years to eliminate or reduce threats from these chemicals and provide an alternatives assessment. It also creates a Chemical Safety Committee in the state.

Transportation

Democratic Senator Cyrus Habib's bill, [ESB 5550](#), which would impose regulations on Transportation Network Companies (TNC's) such as Uber and Lyft, passed the Senate on a 30-18 vote. Amendments

preempting local jurisdiction's authority to license TNC's, and on driver background checks, were added. The bill has been referred to the House Committee on Business and Financial Services.

A bill exempting operators of for-hire vehicles, limousines and taxicabs from mandatory industrial insurance passed the House. Rep. Pat Sullivan's (D) [HB 1821](#) was approved 80-17.

Public Safety

Marijuana

[SB 5052](#), an omnibus medical marijuana bill sponsored by Sen. Ann Rivers (R), was passed from the House Healthcare and Wellness Committee on Friday, March 13th. Amendments supported by the City to clarify requirements for obtaining a retail license by current medical marijuana outlets were included in the legislation. The bill now moves to the Appropriations committee.

Mental Health

On Monday, March 9th, [ESHB 1448](#), which became known as Sheena's Law from a case which triggered the legislation, passed the House on a strong bipartisan vote of 93-5. The legislation, sponsored by Rep. Marcus Ricelli (D), implements procedures for responding to suicide threats and attempts.

Republican Sen. Steve O'Ban's [SSB 5889](#), requiring mental health evaluations to be performed within fourteen days for those charged in crimes, was the third bill to be signed by the governor this session. The legislation is in direct response to a class-action lawsuit stating evaluations have not been done in a timely fashion.

[HB 1713](#), Rep. Eileen Cody (D)'s bill to integrate the treatment systems for mental health and chemical dependency, also passed the House on Monday, 63-35.

Looking Ahead

As committee hearings recommence and budget negotiations move into high gear, all eyes are on the April 26th final deadline. Lawmakers continue to voice optimism about adjourning on time.

The Senate transportation package will receive its first hearing in the House Transportation Committee on March 26th.

A proposed Water Bond bill, aiming to address water storage, flood control and storm water needs will be exec'd from Senate Ways and Means on Thursday, March 19th. The City is offering feedback to sponsors, as there are numerous critical concerns associated with the bill.

OIR welcomes SDOT director Scott Kubly and Mayor Murray's Transportation Policy Director Andrew Glass Hastings to Olympia on Tuesday, March 17th for a series of discussions with key legislators.

Bills Passed House of Origin- 3rd Cutoff

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
ESHB 1093	Unmanned aircraft	Concerning unmanned aircraft.	SLaw & Justice - First reading, referred to Law & Justice.	Morris
SHB 1105 (SB 5076)	Operating sup budget 2015	Making 2015 supplemental operating appropriations.	C 3 L 15 - Chapter 3, 2015 Laws.	Hunter
HB 1115 (SB 5097)	Capital budget 2015-2017	Concerning the capital budget.	HCap Budget - First reading, referred to Capital Budget.	Dunshee
HB 1116 (SB 5096)	Capital sup budget 2015	Concerning the supplemental capital budget.	HCap Budget - First reading, referred to Capital Budget.	Dunshee
E2SHB 1174 (SB 5684)	Flame retardants	Concerning flame retardants.	SEnergy, Enviro - First reading, referred to Energy, Environment & Telecommunications. Public Hearing in Energy, Environment & Telecommunications (Senate) on 3/17 @ 1:30pm	Van De Wege
SHB 1223	Lodging tx/workforce housing	Allowing the use of lodging taxes for financing workforce housing.	SHumSer/MenHlth - First reading, referred to Human Services, Mental Health & Housing.	Springer
SHB 1238	Affordable tuition planning	Concerning affordable tuition planning.	SHigher Ed - First reading, referred to Higher Education. Public Hearing in Higher Education (Senate) on 3/17 @ 1:30pm	Pollet
SHB 1240 (2SSB 5908)	Student restraint, isolation	Concerning restraint or isolation of students, including students with disabilities, in public schools.	SEL/K-12 - First reading, referred to Early Learning & K-12 Education. Public Hearing in Early Learning & K-12 Education (Senate) on 3/19 @ 8:00am	Pollet

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
SHB 1257 (SB 5123)	Tenant screening reports	Concerning tenant screening.	SFin Inst/Ins - First reading, referred to Financial Institutions & Insurance.	Walkinshaw
EHB 1258 (E2SSB 5269)	Detention decision review	Concerning court review of detention decisions under the involuntary treatment act.	SHumSer/MenHlth - First reading, referred to Human Services, Mental Health & Housing.	Walkinshaw
E2SHB 1276	Impaired driving	Concerning impaired driving.	SLaw & Justice - First reading, referred to Law & Justice. Public Hearing in Law & Justice (Senate) on 3/17 @ 8:00am	Klippert
SHB 1295 (2SSB 5437)	Breakfast after the bell	Concerning breakfast after the bell programs.	SEL/K-12 - First reading, referred to Early Learning & K-12 Education. Public Hearing in Early Learning & K-12 Education (Senate) on 3/16 @ 1:30pm	Hudgins
HB 1299 (SB 5360)	Trans budget 2015-2017	Making transportation appropriations for the 2015-2017 fiscal biennium.	HTrans - First reading, referred to Transportation.	Clibborn
HB 1355 (SB 5285)	Minimum hourly wage increase	Increasing the minimum hourly wage to twelve dollars over four years.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Farrell
HB 1356 (SB 5306)	Sick & safe employment leave	Establishing minimum standards for sick and safe leave from employment.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Jinkins
HB 1389 (SB 5181)	State fire service/disasters	Addressing the scope of state fire service mobilization and ensuring compliance with existing state and federal disaster response policies.	SGovtOp&Sec - First reading, referred to Government Operations & Security.	Goodman
ESHB 1417 (ESSB 5048)	Water-sewer districts	Subjecting a resolution or ordinance adopted by the legislative body of a city or town to assume a water-sewer district to a referendum.	SGovtOp&Sec - First reading, referred to Government Operations & Security.	Takko
2SHB 1436 (2SSB 5404)	Homeless youth	Concerning homeless youth prevention and protection.	SHumSer/MenHlth - First reading, referred to Human Services, Mental Health & Housing.	Kagi

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ESHB 1449 (SB 5087)	Oil transportation safety	Concerning oil transportation safety.	SEnergy, Enviro - First reading, referred to Energy, Environment & Telecommunications. Public Hearing in Energy, Environment & Telecommunications (Senate) on 3/18 @ 1:30pm	Farrell
E2SHB 1491 (E2SSB 5452)	Early care & education systm	Improving quality in the early care and education system.	SEL/K-12 - First reading, referred to Early Learning & K-12 Education.	Kagi
SHB 1511 (SSB 5433)	Tribal history, culture, etc	Requiring Washington's tribal history, culture, and government to be taught in the common schools.	SEL/K-12 - First reading, referred to Early Learning & K-12 Education. Public Hearing in Early Learning & K-12 Education (Senate) on 3/17 @ 1:30pm	Ortiz-Self
ESHB 1553	Opportunity restoration	Encouraging certificates of restoration of opportunity.	SLaw & Justice - First reading, referred to Law & Justice. Public Hearing in Law & Justice (Senate) on 3/19 @ 8:00am	Walkinshaw
HB 1554	Children/guardians, family	Exempting information of guardians or family members of children enrolled in child care, early learning, parks and recreation, after-school, and youth development programs.	SGovtOp&Sec - First reading, referred to Government Operations & Security.	Stambaugh
ESHB 1571 (SB 5926)	Paint stewardship	Concerning paint stewardship.	SEnergy, Enviro - First reading, referred to Energy, Environment & Telecommunications. Public Hearing in Energy, Environment & Telecommunications (Senate) on 3/17 @ 1:30pm	Peterson
2SHB 1576 (SSB 5864)	Annexed areas/sales & use tx		SWays & Means - First reading, referred to Ways & Means.	Fitzgibbon

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
HB 1647 (SB 5574)	Reproductive health care	Concerning health plan coverage of reproductive health care.	SHealth Care - First reading, referred to Health Care.	Cody
HB 1720	Healthy housing	Concerning healthy housing.	SHumSer/MenHlth - First reading, referred to Human Services, Mental Health & Housing. Public Hearing in Human Services, Mental Health & Housing (Senate) on 3/19 @ 10:00am	Robinson
2SHB 1735 (SSB 5740)	Extended foster care	Concerning extended foster care services.	SHumSer/MenHlth - First reading, referred to Human Services, Mental Health & Housing. Public Hearing in Human Services, Mental Health & Housing (Senate) on 3/16 @ 10:00am	Orwall
ESHB 1745 (SB 5668)	Voting rights	Enacting the Washington voting rights act.	SGovtOp&Sec - First reading, referred to Government Operations & Security.	Moscoco
SHB 1783 (SB 5675)	Dual language instruction	Expanding dual language and bilingual instruction for early learners through secondary students.	SEL/K-12 - First reading, referred to Early Learning & K-12 Education. Public Hearing in Early Learning & K-12 Education (Senate) on 3/17 @ 1:30pm	Ortiz-Self
HB 1821 (SB 5710)	For hire, limo, taxi/ind ins	Addressing industrial insurance requirements and options for owners and lessees of for hire vehicles, limousines, and taxicabs.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Sullivan
2SHB 1916	Chem dependncy & mental hlth	Integrating administrative provisions for chemical dependency and mental health.	SHumSer/MenHlth - First reading, referred to Human Services, Mental Health & Housing.	Pollet

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ESHB 1980 (SB 6020)	Sunshine committee rec's	Implementing recommendations of the sunshine committee.	SGovtOp&Sec - First reading, referred to Government Operations & Security. Public Hearing in Government Operations & Security (Senate) on 3/19 @ 10:00am	Springer
EHB 2086 (SB 5900)	The homeless/religious orgs	Prohibiting certain limitations on the hosting of the homeless by religious organizations.	SHumSer/MenHlth - First reading, referred to Human Services, Mental Health & Housing.	McBride
SSB 5012	Industrial hemp	Authorizing the growing of industrial hemp.	HCommerce & Gam - First reading, referred to Commerce & Gaming. Public Hearing in Commerce & Gaming (House) on 3/16 @ 1:30pm	Hatfield
ESSB 5048 (ESHB 1417)	Water-sewer districts	Subjecting a resolution or ordinance adopted by the legislative body of a city or town to assume a water-sewer district to a referendum.	HLocal Govt - First reading, referred to Local Government. Public Hearing in Local Government (House) on 3/18 @ 8:00am Exec Session in Local Government (House) on 3/19 @ 1:30pm	Chase
2SSB 5052	Cannabis patient protection	Establishing the cannabis patient protection act.	HHC/Wellness - First reading, referred to Health Care & Wellness.	Rivers
E2SSB 5057	Hazardous material transport	Concerning the safe transport of hazardous materials.	HEnvironment - First reading, referred to Environment. Public Hearing in Environment (House) on 3/16 @ 1:30pm	Ericksen
SB 5076 (SHB 1105)	Operating sup budget 2015	Making 2015 supplemental operating appropriations.	SWays & Means - First reading, referred to Ways & Means.	Hill
SB 5088 (HB 1182)	Geological hazard assessment	Concerning a geological hazards assessment.	HAg & Nat Res - First reading, referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources.	Pearson

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
ESB 5091	Nuclear energy as alt energy	Including nuclear energy in the definition of a "qualified alternative energy resource" for the purposes of RCW 19.29A.090.	HTech & Econ D - First reading, referred to Technology & Economic Development.	Brown
SB 5094 (HB 1352)	Hydroelectric generation	Allowing incremental electricity produced as a result of efficiency improvements to hydroelectric generation projects whose energy output is marketed by the Bonneville power administration to qualify as an eligible renewable resource under the energy independence act.	HTech & Econ D - First reading, referred to Technology & Economic Development.	Brown
SB 5096 (HB 1116)	Capital sup budget 2015	Concerning the supplemental capital budget.	SWays & Means - First reading, referred to Ways & Means.	Honeyford
SB 5097 (HB 1115)	Capital budget 2015-2017	Concerning the capital budget.	SWays & Means - First reading, referred to Ways & Means.	Honeyford
SB 5121	Marijuana research license	Establishing a marijuana research license.	HCommerce & Gam - Referred to Commerce & Gaming.	Kohl-Welles
E2SSB 5269 (EHB 1258)	Detention decision review	Concerning court review of detention decisions under the involuntary treatment act.	HJudiciary - First reading, referred to Judiciary. Public Hearing in Judiciary (House) on 3/18 @ 8:30am Exec Session in Judiciary (House) on 3/19 @ 1:30pm	O'Ban
ESSB 5343 (HB 1751)	Transit construction/parking	Concerning parking impact mitigation from regional transit authority facility construction.	HTrans - First reading, referred to Transportation.	Hasegawa
SB 5360 (HB 1299)	Trans budget 2015-2017	Making transportation appropriations for the 2015-2017 fiscal biennium.	STransportation - First reading, referred to Transportation.	Liias
SB 5396	Children/guardians, family	Exempting information of guardians or family members of children enrolled in child care, early learning, parks and recreation, after-school, and youth development programs.	HState Governme - First reading, referred to State Government.	Roach
2SSB 5404 (2SHB 1436)	Homeless youth	Concerning homeless youth prevention and protection.	HErly Lrn/H Svc - First reading, referred to Early Learning & Human Services. Public Hearing in Early Learning & Human Services (House) on 3/18 @ 1:30pm	O'Ban

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SSB 5433 (SHB 1511)	Tribal history, culture, etc	Requiring Washington's tribal history, culture, and government to be taught in the common schools.	HComm Dev, Hous - First reading, referred to Community Development, Housing & Tribal Affairs.	Litzow
E2SSB 5452 (E2SHB 1491)	Early care & education system	Improving quality in the early care and education system.	HErly Lrn/H Svc - First reading, referred to Early Learning & Human Services. Public Hearing in Early Learning & Human Services (House) on 3/20 @ 10:00am	Litzow
SSB 5463 (2SHB 1107)	Cultural & heritage programs	Concerning access to and creation of cultural and heritage programs and facilities.	HComm Dev, Hous - First reading, referred to Community Development, Housing & Tribal Affairs. Public Hearing in Community Development, Housing & Tribal Affairs (House) on 3/17 @ 1:30pm	Hill
2SSB 5486 (2SHB 1728)	Parents for parents program	Creating the parents for parents program.	HErly Lrn/H Svc - First reading, referred to Early Learning & Human Services. Public Hearing in Early Learning & Human Services (House) on 3/17 @ 8:00am Exec Session in Early Learning & Human Services (House) on 3/20 @ 10:00am	Frockt
ESSB 5550	Commercial trans. providers	Regulating providers of commercial transportation services.	HBus & Fin Svcs - First reading, referred to Business & Financial Services. Public Hearing in Business & Financial Services (House) on 3/20 @ 10:00am	Habib

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SSB 5609 (HB 1378)	Synthetic plastic microbeads	Protecting waterways from pollution from synthetic plastic microbeads.	HEnvironment - First reading, referred to Environment.	Bailey
SSB 5740 (2SHB 1735)	Extended foster care	Concerning extended foster care services.	HErly Lrn/H Svc - First reading, referred to Early Learning & Human Services. Public Hearing in Early Learning & Human Services (House) on 3/18 @ 1:30pm	Fain
2SSB 5755 (2SHB 1885)	Property crimes, impacts of	Addressing and mitigating the impacts of property crimes in Washington state.	HPublic Safety - First reading, referred to Public Safety.	Hargrove
SSB 5795 (SHB 1911)	Water or sewer facilities	Authorizing municipalities to create assessment reimbursement areas for the construction or improvement of water or sewer facilities.	HLocal Govt - First reading, referred to Local Government. Public Hearing in Local Government (House) on 3/17 @ 10:00am Exec Session in Local Government (House) on 3/18 @ 8:00am	Roach
ESSB 5804 (HB 1289)	State energy code, adoption	Modifying the procedure for adoption and amendment of the Washington state energy code.	HTech & Econ D - First reading, referred to Technology & Economic Development.	Liias

Didn't Make the 3rd Cutoff

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor
HB 1007 (SB 5336)	Traffic safety cameras	Limiting the use of automated traffic safety cameras to detect speed violations not in school zones to certain cities.	HRules C - Returned to Rules Committee for second reading.	Fey
HB 1084	Land use applications/notice	Addressing notice requirements for land use applications, approvals, and decisions.	HLocal Govt - First reading, referred to Local Government.	Pollet
SHB 1086	Public record commercial use	Establishing a cost recovery mechanism for public records sought for commercial purposes.	HApprops - Referred to Appropriations.	Moeller
2SHB 1107 (SSB 5463)	Cultural & heritage programs	Concerning access to and creation of cultural and heritage programs and facilities.	HRules C - Returned to Rules Committee for second reading.	Springer
SHB 1180 (SB 5128)	High-capacity trans service	Concerning dedicated funding sources for high capacity transportation service.	HFinance - Referred to Finance.	Fey
HB 1182 (SB 5088)	Geological hazard assessment	Concerning a geological hazards assessment.	HRules X - House Rules "X" file.	Hurst
HB 1245	Gun sale background checks	Repealing background check provisions for gun sales and transfers relating to Initiative Measure No. 594.	HJudiciary - First reading, referred to Judiciary.	Shea
SHB 1255 (SB 5254)	Minority & women's business	Concerning the office of minority and women's business enterprises account.	HApprops - Referred to Appropriations.	Tarleton
2SHB 1278	Building energy use	Concerning building energy use disclosure requirements.	HRules R - Referred to Rules 2 Review.	Fitzgibbon
HB 1286 (SB 5258)	Long-term care funding study	Requiring a study for funding options for long-term care services and supports.	HApprops - Referred to Appropriations.	Tharinger
HB 1289 (ESSB 5804)	State energy code, adoption	Modifying the procedure for adoption and amendment of the Washington state energy code.	HTech & Econ D - First reading, referred to Technology & Economic Development.	Buys
SHB 1314 (SB 5283)	Carbon pollution market prog	Implementing a carbon pollution market program to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.	HApprops - Referred to Appropriations.	Fitzgibbon
HB 1352 (SB 5094)	Hydroelectric generation	Allowing incremental electricity produced as a result of efficiency improvements to hydroelectric generation projects whose energy output is marketed by the Bonneville power administration to qualify as an eligible renewable resource under the energy independence act.	HRules R - Referred to Rules 2 Review.	Nealey
SHB 1354 (SB 5569)	Employee antiretaliation	Concerning the employee antiretaliation act.	HRules C - Returned to Rules Committee for second reading.	Ryu

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HB 1359 (SB 5402)	Marijuana acquisition/adults	Ensuring safe, responsible, and legal acquisition of marijuana by adults.	HCommerce & Gam - First reading, referred to Commerce & Gaming.	Moscoso
HB 1378 (SSB 5609)	Synthetic plastic microbeads	Protecting waterways from pollution from synthetic plastic microbeads.	HEnvironment - First reading, referred to Environment.	McBride
HB 1387	Building officials	Supporting apprenticeship training for building officials.	HApprops - Referred to Appropriations.	Takko
HB 1416 (SB 5193)	Water-sewer distr. lien docs	Exempting documents recording a water-sewer district lien from the surcharge for local homeless housing and assistance.	HComm Dev, Hous - First reading, referred to Community Development, Housing & Tribal Affairs.	Wylie
SHB 1458 (SB 5494)	Tobacco and vapor products	Concerning the age of individuals at which sale or distribution of tobacco and vapor products may be made.	HFinance - Referred to Finance.	Orwall
HB 1460 (SSB 5376)	Eviction records reporting	Concerning the disclosure of certain eviction records in certain reports.	HJudiciary - First reading, referred to Judiciary.	Robinson
HB 1461	Marijuana T.O.	Relating to marijuana.	HCommerce & Gam - First reading, referred to Commerce & Gaming.	Hurst
HB 1497	School district's board	Concerning appointments of the board of directors of a school district of the first class having within its boundaries a city with a population of four hundred thousand people or more.	HEducation - First reading, referred to Education.	Pettigrew
SHB 1501	Social services financing	Concerning public-private financing of prevention-based social service programs.	HApprops - Referred to Appropriations.	Zeiger
HB 1502 (SB 5026)	Reproductive health care	Declaring that it is an unfair practice for any employer who provides health insurance to its employees as part of an employee's benefit package to not include contraceptive coverage as part of the benefit package, to fail to comply with federal rules adopted under the affordable care act relating to the provision of contraceptive coverage, or to discriminate against any employee based on that employee's use of any reproductive health care service, drug, or device.	HJudiciary - First reading, referred to Judiciary.	Jinkins
HB 1565 (SB 5378)	Housing options/govt progrms	Concerning the preservation of housing options for participants in government assistance programs.	HJudiciary - First reading, referred to Judiciary.	Ormsby
HB 1593 (SB 5813)	Local transportation options	Concerning local transportation options.	HTrans - First reading, referred to Transportation.	McBride

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SHB 1684	Public records, charges for	Concerning charges for the cost of providing public records in response to public records requests.	HRules R - Referred to Rules 2 Review.	Takko
SHB 1690 (SB 5571)	Convention cntrs tx deferral	Providing a tax deferral for the expansion of certain existing public facilities district convention centers.	HFinance - Referred to Finance.	Walkinshaw
SHB 1701 (SB 5608)	Job applicants/arrests, etc.	Prohibiting employers from asking about arrests or convictions before an applicant is determined otherwise qualified for a position.	HRules C - Returned to Rules Committee for second reading.	Moscoco
2SHB 1728 (2SSB 5486)	Parents for parents program	Creating the parents for parents program.	HRules X - House Rules "X" file.	Ormsby
HB 1733 (SB 5672)	Nursing staffing, hospitals	Concerning nursing staffing practices at hospitals.	HApprops - Referred to Appropriations.	Cody
HB 1739 (SB 5639)	Death penalty, eliminating	Reducing criminal justice expenses by eliminating the death penalty in favor of life incarceration.	HJudiciary - First reading, referred to Judiciary.	Carlyle
HB 1747 (SB 5789)	Firearms storage	Concerning the protection of children through responsible storage of firearms.	HJudiciary - First reading, referred to Judiciary.	Kagi
HB 1751 (ESSB 5343)	Transit construction/parking	Concerning parking impact mitigation from regional transit authority facility construction.	HTrans - First reading, referred to Transportation.	Santos
HB 1757	Local transportation options	Concerning local transportation options.	HRules R - Referred to Rules 2 Review.	Fey
HB 1769 (SB 5665)	High-tech R&D tax prefs	Reinstating tax preferences for high-technology research and development.	HFinance - Referred to Finance.	Pettigrew
SHB 1809 (SB 5697)	Crew size on certain trains	Establishing minimum crew size on certain trains.	HRules C - Returned to Rules Committee for second reading.	Haler
SHB 1857 (SB 5727)	Extreme risk protec. orders	Concerning extreme risk protection orders.	HApprops - Referred to Appropriations.	Jinkins
2SHB 1885 (2SSB 5755)	Property crimes, impacts of	Addressing and mitigating the impacts of property crimes in Washington state.	HRules R - Referred to Rules 2 Review.	Klippert
HB 1910 (SB 5732)	Law enforcement oversight	Encouraging effective oversight of law enforcement conduct.	HJudiciary - First reading, referred to Judiciary.	Ryu
SHB 1911 (SSB 5795)	Water or sewer facilities	Authorizing municipalities to create assessment reimbursement areas for the construction or improvement of water or sewer facilities.	HRules C - Returned to Rules Committee for second reading.	Fitzgibbon
SHB 1917	Recordings/law enf., etc.	Concerning video and/or sound recordings made by law enforcement or corrections officers.	HRules C - Returned to Rules Committee for second reading.	Hansen

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HB 1957	Job order contract	Concerning the maximum total dollar amount that may be awarded under a job order contract for cities with a population of more than four hundred thousand.	HRules C - Returned to Rules Committee for second reading.	Walkinshaw
HB 1988	Resident undergrad tuition	Freezing resident undergraduate tuition at the four-year institutions of higher education.	HHi Ed - First reading, referred to Higher Education.	Goodman
HB 2009	Immunization exempts/children	Concerning exemptions from immunizations for school-age children.	HRules C - Returned to Rules Committee for second reading.	Robinson
HB 2045	Net metering systems	Promoting development of reliable distributed energy resources through extending and modifying an existing tax incentive for certain net metering systems, preserving the existing ground rules for net metering until net metering systems' generating capacity equals 0.5 percent of the utility's 1996 peak demand, requiring distribution resources planning, and authorizing a reliability charge and other alternatives to existing ground rules for net metering, for a utility that has achieved the existing 0.5 percent interconnection requirement for net metering systems.	HTech & Econ D - First reading, referred to Technology & Economic Development.	Morris
SHB 2051 (SB 5377)	Tenant relocation	Concerning the provision of time and assistance for tenants to relocate due to a rent increase or change of use of the residential unit.	HRules C - Returned to Rules Committee for second reading.	Farrell
HB 2135 (SSB 5898)	Homeless client mgmt info	Modifying Washington homeless client management information system requirements and policies.	HComm Dev, Hous - First reading, referred to Community Development, Housing & Tribal Affairs.	Appleton
HJR 4204 (SJR 8201)	Initiative measures	Amending the Constitution to address changes in state expenditures and revenues made by initiative.	HState Governme - First reading, referred to State Government.	Kagi
SB 5026 (HB 1502)	Reproductive health care	Declaring that it is an unfair practice for any employer who provides health insurance to its employees as part of an employee's benefit package to not include contraceptive coverage as part of the benefit package, to fail to comply with federal rules adopted under the affordable care act relating to the provision of contraceptive coverage, or to discriminate against any employee based on that employee's use of any reproductive health care service, drug, or device.	SLaw & Justice - First reading, referred to Law & Justice.	Pedersen

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SB 5087 (ESHB 1449)	Oil transportation safety	Concerning oil transportation safety.	SEnergy, Enviro - First reading, referred to Energy, Environment & Telecommunications.	Rolfes
SB 5089	Energy ind. act/clean energy	Revising definitions in the energy independence act to promote the use of clean energy in the future.	SRules 2 - Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.	Brown
SB 5090	Energy ind. act/clean energy	Providing an additional alternative compliance option in the energy independence act to promote the use of clean energy in the future.	SRules 2 - Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.	Brown
2SSB 5105	DUI 4th offense/felony	Making a fourth driving under the influence offense a felony.	SRules 2 - Passed to Rules Committee for second reading.	Padden
SB 5123 (SHB 1257)	Tenant screening reports	Concerning tenant screening.	SFin Inst/Ins - First reading, referred to Financial Institutions & Insurance.	Frockett
SSB 5124	Electronic smoking devices	Prohibiting the sale of electronic smoking devices to minors.	SRules 2G - Made eligible to be placed on second reading.	Warnick
SB 5128 (SHB 1180)	High-capacity trans service	Concerning dedicated funding sources for high capacity transportation service.	STransportation - First reading, referred to Transportation.	Liias
SB 5181 (HB 1389)	State fire service/disasters	Addressing the scope of state fire service mobilization and ensuring compliance with existing state and federal disaster response policies.	SWays & Means - Referred to Ways & Means.	Pearson
SB 5193 (HB 1416)	Water-sewer distr. lien docs	Exempting documents recording a water-sewer district lien from the surcharge for local homeless housing and assistance.	SWays & Means - Referred to Ways & Means.	Benton
SSB 5208	Lodging tx/workforce housing	Allowing the use of lodging taxes for financing workforce housing.	SRules 2G - Made eligible to be placed on second reading.	Miloscia
SB 5254 (SHB 1255)	Minority & women's business	Concerning the office of minority and women's business enterprises account.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	McCoy
SB 5258 (HB 1286)	Long-term care funding study	Requiring a study for funding options for long-term care services and supports.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	Bailey
SSB 5277	Patronizing a prostitute	Concerning the crime of patronizing a prostitute.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	Kohl-Welles

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SB 5283 (SHB 1314)	Carbon pollution market prog	Implementing a carbon pollution market program to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.	SEnergy, Enviro - First reading, referred to Energy, Environment & Telecommunications.	Ranker
SB 5285 (HB 1355)	Minimum hourly wage increase	Increasing the minimum hourly wage to twelve dollars over four years.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Jayapal
SB 5289	Abortion, notifying parents	Requiring notification to parents or guardians in cases of abortion.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	Padden
SB 5306 (HB 1356)	Sick & safe employment leave	Establishing minimum standards for sick and safe leave from employment.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Habib
SB 5336 (HB 1007)	Traffic safety cameras	Limiting the use of automated traffic safety cameras to detect speed violations not in school zones to certain cities.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	Miloscia
SSB 5376 (HB 1460)	Eviction records reporting	Concerning the disclosure of certain eviction records in certain reports.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	Habib
SB 5377 (SHB 2051)	Tenant relocation	Concerning the provision of time and assistance for tenants to relocate due to a rent increase or change of use of the residential unit.	SFin Inst/Ins - Referred to Financial Institutions & Insurance.	Kohl-Welles
SB 5378 (HB 1565)	Housing options/govt progrms	Concerning the preservation of housing options for participants in government assistance programs.	SHumSer/MenHlth - Referred to Human Services, Mental Health & Housing.	Kohl-Welles
SB 5402 (HB 1359)	Marijuana acquisition/adults	Ensuring safe, responsible, and legal acquisition of marijuana by adults.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	Conway
SSB 5417	Local govt marijuana policy	Concerning local government marijuana policies.	SWays & Means - Referred to Ways & Means.	Rivers
2SSB 5437 (SHB 1295)	Breakfast after the bell	Concerning breakfast after the bell programs.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	Litzow
SB 5494 (SHB 1458)	Tobacco and vapor products	Concerning the age of individuals at which sale or distribution of tobacco and vapor products may be made.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Miloscia

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SB 5519	Marijuana reform	Enacting the comprehensive marijuana reform act.	SWays & Means - Referred to Ways & Means.	Kohl-Welles
SB 5569 (SHB 1354)	Employee antiretaliation	Concerning the employee antiretaliation act.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Hasegawa
SB 5571 (SHB 1690)	Convention cntrs tx deferral	Providing a tax deferral for the expansion of certain existing public facilities district convention centers.	SWays & Means - First reading, referred to Ways & Means.	Fain
SB 5572	Marijuana sales, etc.	Concerning the sales, distribution, and delivery of marijuana.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Kohl-Welles
SB 5574 (HB 1647)	Reproductive health care	Concerning health plan coverage of reproductive health care.	SHealth Care - First reading, referred to Health Care.	Hobbs
SB 5608 (SHB 1701)	Job applicants/arrests, etc.	Prohibiting employers from asking about arrests or convictions before an applicant is determined otherwise qualified for a position.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Miloscia
SB 5639 (HB 1739)	Death penalty, eliminating	Reducing criminal justice expenses by eliminating the death penalty in favor of life incarceration.	SLaw & Justice - First reading, referred to Law & Justice.	Miloscia
SB 5665 (HB 1769)	High-tech R&D tax prefs	Reinstating tax preferences for high-technology research and development.	SWays & Means - First reading, referred to Ways & Means.	Hill
SB 5668 (ESHB 1745)	Voting rights	Enacting the Washington voting rights act.	SRules 2 - Moved to Rules White Sheet.	Habib
SB 5672 (HB 1733)	Nursing staffing, hospitals	Concerning nursing staffing practices at hospitals.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Conway
SB 5675 (SHB 1783)	Dual language instruction	Expanding dual language and bilingual instruction for early learners through secondary students.	SEL/K-12 - First reading, referred to Early Learning & K-12 Education.	Roach
SB 5684 (E2SHB 1174)	Flame retardants	Concerning flame retardants.	SEnergy, Enviro - First reading, referred to Energy, Environment & Telecommunications.	Nelson
SB 5697 (SHB 1809)	Crew size on certain trains	Establishing minimum crew size on certain trains.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Parlette

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SB 5710 (HB 1821)	For hire, limo, taxi/ind ins	Addressing industrial insurance requirements and options for owners and lessees of for hire vehicles, limousines, and taxicabs.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Fain
SB 5724	Safe routes to school progrm	Concerning funding for the safe routes to school program.	STransportation - First reading, referred to Transportation.	Billig
SB 5727 (SHB 1857)	Extreme risk protec. orders	Concerning extreme risk protective orders.	SLaw & Justice - First reading, referred to Law & Justice.	Frocket
SB 5732 (HB 1910)	Law enforcement oversight	Encouraging effective oversight of law enforcement conduct.	SLaw & Justice - First reading, referred to Law & Justice.	Jayapal
SB 5789 (HB 1747)	Firearms storage	Concerning the protection of children through responsible storage of firearms.	SLaw & Justice - First reading, referred to Law & Justice.	Kohl-Welles
SB 5813 (HB 1593)	Local transportation options	Concerning local transportation options.	STransportation - First reading, referred to Transportation.	Cleveland
SSB 5864 (2SHB 1576)	Annexed areas/sales & use tx	Concerning sales and use tax for cities to offset municipal service costs to newly annexed areas.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	Nelson
SB 5896 (HB 1517)	Liquor revenue distribution	Concerning the distribution of liquor revenues to local jurisdictions.	SWays & Means - First reading, referred to Ways & Means.	Fraser
SSB 5898 (HB 2135)	Homeless client mgmt info	Modifying Washington homeless client management information system requirements and policies.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	Miloscia
SB 5900 (EHB 2086)	The homeless/religious orgs	Prohibiting certain limitations on the hosting of the homeless by religious organizations.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	Miloscia
2SSB 5908 (SHB 1240)	Student restraint, isolation	Concerning restraint or isolation of students, including students with disabilities, in public schools.	S2nd Reading - Placed on second reading by Rules Committee.	McAuliffe
SB 5926 (ESHB 1571)	Paint stewardship	Concerning paint stewardship.	SEnergy, Enviro - First reading, referred to Energy, Environment & Telecommunications.	Chase
SB 5964	Infill development	Addressing infill development.	SGovtOp&Sec - First reading, referred to Government Operations & Security.	Roach

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SB 6020 (ESHB 1980)	Sunshine committee rec's	Implementing recommendations of the sunshine committee.	SGovtOp&Sec - First reading, referred to Government Operations & Security.	Chase
SB 6029	Living wage	Establishing a living wage.	SCommerce and L - First reading, referred to Commerce & Labor.	Miloscia
SJR 8201 (HJR 4204)	Initiative measures	Amending the Constitution to address changes in state expenditures and revenues made by initiative.	SWays & Means - First reading, referred to Ways & Means.	Fain