

## MEMORANDUM

TO: GOVERNOR'S STAFF  
FROM: HOWARD  
DATE: 3/24/00  
SUBJECT: LEGISLATIVE AGENDA ITEMS

### *Deadline for original floor action on appropriations and revenue bills originating in own house Wednesday, March 29, 2000*

#### MS HOME CORP

**HB 603** – (Morris) Mississippi Home Corporation; increase the amount of bonds the corporation may issue and revise conflict of interest requirements  
1/27 (H) Referred to Ways and Means

<b>HB 1384</b> – (Morris)	Mississippi Home Corporation; reconstitute membership, increase bond authority and revise conflict of interest requirements 2/21 (H) Referred to Ways and Means <b>2/29 (H) TSDPCS; 3/10 (H) Sent to Senate; 3/16 (S) Referred to Finance</b>
<b>SB 3008</b> – (Minor)	Mississippi Home Corporation; reconstitute membership and increase the amount of bonds that it may issue 2/21 (S) Referred to Finance

#### TAX REFORM

**SC 560** – (Horhn) Interim joint study committee; create to study Mississippi's tax code  
2/21 (S) Referred to Rules

**SC 518** - (Harden) Taxation; joint committee to study state tax system  
1/14 (S) Referred to Rules

#### WORKFORCE TRAINING

**HB 31** – (Young) Universities and community colleges; authorize courses positively impacting state's economy  
1/12 (H) Referred to Universities & Colleges; **2/23 (H) TSDP; 3/14 (H) Passed; 3/15 Sent to Senate; 3/17 (S) Referred to Universities & Colleges**

**SB 2639** – (Burton) Employer training program tax credit; certified by State Board for Community/Junior Colleges  
**2/29 (S) TSDP; 3/8 (S) Passed; 3/10 (H) Referred to Univ. & Colleges; Ways and Means**

## **TEACHER PAY RAISE**

<b>HB 1577</b> – (Scott 80) Appropriation; State Department of Education for teachers' salaries 3/8 (H) Referred to Appropriations
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## **85 % RULE**

**HB 55** – (Ishee) Sentencing; revise 85% rule to apply only to violent offenders  
1/12 (H) Referred to Judiciary B  
**3/2 (H) TSDPCS; 3/9 (H) Tabled Subject to call; 3/15 Failed; 3/15 Motion to Reconsider; 3/16 Reconsidered; 3/16 (H) Amended; 3/16 (H) Passed; 3/20 Sent to Senate; 3/22 (S) Referred to Judiciary**

**SB 2800** – (Jackson) Corrections; exclude nonviolent offenders from mandatory 85% sentence  
2/16 (S) Referred to Judiciary; **3/7 (S) TSDPCS; 3/6 (S) Tabled Subject to call; 3/16 (S) Amended; 3/16 (S) Passed; 3/16 Motion to Reconsider; 3/17 Tabled; 3/20 Sent to House; 3/21 (H) Referred to Judiciary B; Penitentiary**

## **TEACHER SHORTAGE**

**HB 294** – (McCoy) Critical Teacher Shortage Act; clarify eligibility of teachers already in areas to participate in Masters Scholarship Programs  
1/12 Referred to Education; Appropriations; **2/23 (H) DR- TSDP; ED to AP; 3/2 (H) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Sent to Senate; 3/16 (S) Referred to Education; Appropriations**

## **HOSPITAL CON – HINDS**

**SB 2367** – (Huggins) Health facilities; direct the issuance of a certificate of need to a certain hospital  
1/9 (S) Referred to Public Health & Welfare; Appropriations  
2/9 (S) DR – TSDPCS; PH to AP; **2/29 (S) TSDPCS; 3/14 (S) Comm Sub Adopted; 3/14 (S) Passed; 3/16 Sent to House; 3/20 (S) Referred to Public Health and Welfare; Appropriations**

## **ELECTIONS**

**HB 763** – (Reynolds) NVRA; persons registered under motor voter may vote in state elections  
**2/18 (S) Referred to Elections**

**HB 764** – (Reynolds) Affidavit ballot; create uniform  
**2/21 (S) Referred to Elections**

**HB 765** – (Reynolds) Armed Forces Absentee Ballot Law; revise  
**2/21 (S) Referred to Elections**

**HB 772** – (Reynolds) Election laws; technical revisions  
**2/28 (S) Referred to Elections**

- HB 1306** – (Reynolds) Elections; technical amendments  
**3/3 (H) Passed AA; 3/3 (H) Motion to Reconsider; 3/16 (H) Tabled; 3/17 Sent to Senate; 3/21 (S) Referred to Elections**
- SB 2810** – (Tollison) Elections; make certain technical amendments to the election laws  
**3/2 (S) TSDPCS; 3/8 (S) Tabled Subject to Call; 3/16 (S) Amended; 3/16 (S) Passed; 3/20 Sent to House; 3/21 (H) Referred to Apportionment & Elections; 3/23 (H) TSDPAA**
- SB 2812** – (Tollison) Elections; persons who register to vote under the “Motor Voter Act” may vote in state elections  
**3/2 (S) TSDP; 3/15 Passed; 3/16 Sent to House; 3/20 (H) Referred to Apportionment and Elections**

## **CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES**

- HB 506** – (Watson) Controlled substances; include precursors in enhancement provision  
1/25 (H) Referred to Judiciary A  
**3/1 (H) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Sent to Senate; 3/13 (S) Referred to Judiciary**
- HB 642** – (Moody) Controlled substances; revise Schedules II, III and IV  
2/01 (H) Referred to Judiciary A; **2/22 (H) TSDP; 2/24 (H) Passed; 2/25 (H) Sent to Senate; 2/25 (S) Referred to Judiciary**
- SB 2442** – (Tollison) Controlled substances; enhance penalty for methamphetamine precursor violation when in possession of a weapon  
1/26 (S) Referred to Judiciary; **2/22 (S) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Referred to Judiciary A**
- SB 2421** – (Huggins) Controlled substances; revise Schedules II, III and IV  
1/25 (S) Referred to Judiciary; **3/7 (S) TSDP; 3/15 Passed; 3/16 Sent to House; 3/20 (H) Referred to Judiciary A**
- HB 271** – (Moak) Appropriation; Bureau of Narcotics for cases against purchasers and sellers of illegal drugs.  
1/12 (H) Referred to Appropriations
- HB 769** – (Clarke) Appropriation; \$600,000 per congressional district for drug courts  
2/9 (H) Referred to Appropriations
- SB 2788** – (Turner) Methamphetamine; revise precursor prohibition  
**3/3 (S) TSDPCS; 3/14 (S) Comm Sub Adopted; 3/14 (S) Passed; 3/16 Sent to House; 3/20 (H) Referred to Judiciary A**
- HB 880** – (Watson) Controlled Substances Law; revise precursor provision  
**2/25 (S) Referred to Judiciary**

## **POULTRY**

- HB 205** – (Ellzey) Income tax; provide a credit for ad valorem taxes paid on poultry houses.  
1/12 (H) Referred to Ways and Means
- HB 1444** – (Miles) Mississippi Poultry Best Practices Act; create  
2/21 (H) Referred to Agriculture; **3/7 (H) TSDPCS; 3/14 (H) Failed; 3/14 (H) Motion to Reconsider; 3/15 Reconsidered; 3/15 Passed AA; 3/17 Sent to Senate; 3/22 (S) Referred to Agriculture**
- SB 2228** – (Burton) Ad valorem taxation; exempt egg houses, pullet houses and broiler houses  
1/14 (S) Referred to Finance

## **CAPITAL POST CONVICTION COUNSEL**

- HB 1228** – (Watson) Office of Capital Post-Conviction Counsel; create  
2/21 (H) Referred to Judiciary A; Appropriations  
**3/1 (H) DR – TSDPCS; JA to AP; 3/7 (H) TSDPCS; 3/13 (H) Passed; 3/13 (H) Motion to reconsider; 3/16 Reconsidered; 3/16 (H) Amended; 3/16 (H) Passed; 3/20 Sent to Senate; 3/22 (S) Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations**
- SB 2537** – (Gordon) Capital Post-Conviction Counsel; create office of  
2/3 (S) Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations;  
**2/17 (S) DR – TSDP; JU to AP; 2/17 (S) TSDP; 2/18 (S) Passed; 2/21 (S) Motion to Reconsider Entered; 3/2 Motion Tabled; 3/2 Sent to the House; 3/8 (H) Referred to Judiciary A; Appropriations**

## **SUPERINTENDENTS – APPOINT, SCHOOL BOARDS – ELECT**

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| <b>HB 87</b> – (Howell) | Superintendent of education, county; prohibit voters in certain school districts from voting in election for.<br><b>3/3 (H) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Passed; 3/13 Sent to Senate; 3/17 (S) Referred to Finance</b> |
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## **SUPPORT OUR STUDENTS**

- HB 1417** – Appropriation; State Department of Education for Support Our Students (S.O.S.)  
(Scott 80<sup>th</sup>) program  
2/21 (H) Referred to Appropriations
- SB 3206** – Appropriation; DOE – Support Our Students Program from block grant funds FY  
(Blackmon) 2001  
2/24 (S) Referred to Appropriations
- SB 3203** – Appropriation; AG – Boys and Girls Clubs of America from CSBG funds; FY 2001  
(Blackmon) 2/24 (S) Referred to Appropriations

## **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

- SB 2906** – (Furniss) MS Emergency Management Agency; authorize local organizations to apply for matching funds  
**3/2 (S) TSDPCS; 3/15 Passed CSA AA; 3/17 Sent to House; 3/20 (H) Referred to Military Affairs**

## **HEALTH INSURANCE**

- SB 2803** – (Kirby) State and Public School Employees Health Insurance Board; revise composition  
**2/24 (S) TSDPCS; 3/10 (S) Sent to House; 3/13 (H) Referred to Insurance**

## **CHIP**

**HB 1469** – (Holland) Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP); reduce eligibility waiting period and conduct outreach campaign  
2/21 Referred to Public Health and Welfare; Appropriations  
**3/2 (S) DR – TSDPCS – PH to AP; 3/7 (H) TSDPCS; 3/13 (H) Passed; 3/15 Sent to Senate; 3/16 (S) Referred to Public Health & Welfare; Appropriations**

## **PUBLIC DEFENDER**

**HB 695** – Appropriation; Administrative Office of Courts for funding Statewide Public  
(Fillingane) Defender Commission  
2/1 (H) Referred to Appropriations  
**SB 2182** – (Harden) Appropriations; FY 2001 for statewide public defender and FY 2000 deficit  
1/13 (S) Referred to Appropriations

## **COMPUTER BILL**

<b>HB 1486</b> – (Warren)	School Ad Valorem Tax Reduction Fund; cap at FY 2000 appropriated levels with excess going to Education Enhancement Fund 2/21 Referred to Education; Ways and Means; <b>3/6 (H) DR-TSDP – ED to WM; 3/7 (H) TSDP; 3/13 (H) Amended; 3/13 (H) Passed AA; 3/15 Sent to Senate; 3/16 (S) Referred to Finance; 3/23 (S) TSDPAA</b>
<b>SB 2423</b> – (Chaney)	School Ad Valorem Tax Reduction Fund; cap at FY 2000 appropriated levels with excess going to Education Enhancement Fund 1/25 (S) Referred to Finance; <b>2/10 (S) TSDPCS; 3/15 Passed CSA AA; 3/17 Sent to House; 3/20 (H) Referred to Education; Ways and Means</b>

## **THREE PHASE BUILDING**

**HB 1305** – (Brown) Public property; require DFA to prepare five-year capital improvements plan, require certain projects to be funded in three phases  
2/21 (H) Referred to Public Buildings, Grounds and Lands; **3/6 (H) TSDPCS; 3/10 (H) Passed; 3/14 Sent to Senate; 3/17 (S) Referred to Public Property; Finance**

## **HEALTH CARE**

<b>HB 729</b> – (Frierson)	Physicians; create medical education scholarships at UMMC to practice family medicine in rural areas 2/9 (H) Referred to Universities & Colleges; Appropriations 2/23 (H) DR – TSDPAA; UC to AP; <b>3/2 (H) DR – TSDPCS; AP to UC; 3/7 (H) TSDPCS; 3/14 (H) Amended; 3/14 (H) Passed CSA AA; 3/16 Sent to Senate; 3/17 (S) Referred to Universities &amp; Colleges; Appropriations</b>
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<b>SC 539</b> – (Scoper)	Joint Committee to Study the Establishment of Out-Patient Clinics in Underserved Rural Areas of the state; create 2/8 (S) Referred to Rules
<b>SB 2846</b> – (Huggins)	“Patient Protection Act”; transfer administration from MS Department of Insurance to MS Department of Health <b>3/7 (S) TSDP; 3/14 (S) Passed; 3/15 Sent to House; 3/16 (H) Referred to Insurance</b>
<b>SB 2861</b> – (Harden)	School nurse intervention program; reenact and extend for one year <b>3/7 (S) TSDP; 3/14 (S) Passed; 3/15 Sent to House; 3/16 (H) Referred to Public Health &amp; Welfare; Appropriations</b>
<b>SB 2869</b> – (Huggins)	Medicaid program eligibility and reimbursable services; bring forward <b>3/7 (S) TSDPCS; 3/15 (S) Comm Sub Adopted; 3/15 (S) Passed; 3/17 Sent to House; 3/20 (H) Referred to Public Health and Welfare; Appropriations</b>
<b>HB 551</b> – (Clarke)	Smoking; prohibit in all state buildings except in designated areas <b>2/9 (S) Referred to Public Health and Welfare</b>
<b>HB 641</b> – (Moody)	Tobacco; prohibit use by adults on educational property <b>3/1 (H) TSDPCS; 3/9 (H) Motion to Reconsider Entered; 3/16 (H) Reconsidered; 3/16 (H) Amended; 3/16 (H) Passed; 3/20 Sent to Senate</b>
<b>HB 846</b> – (Moody)	Physician assistants; provide for licensure and regulation of 2/9 (H) Referred to Public Health and Welfare; <b>2/22 (H) TSDPAA; 3/1 (H) Amended; 3/1 (H) Passed as Amended; 3/3 (H) Sent to Senate; 3/6 (S) Referred to Public Health and Welfare</b>

## **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

<b>HB 546</b> – (Ford)	Mississippi Business Finance Corporation; extend repealer on authority to issue bonds to finance economic development projects <b>2/21 (S) Referred to Finance; 3/21 (S) TSDP</b>
<b>HB 838</b> – (Shows)	Mississippi Business Investment Act; revise projects for which assistance may be provided and increase amount of bonds authorized under <b>3/2 (H) TSDPCS; 3/10 (H) Sent to Senate; 3/16 (S) Referred to Finance; 3/23 (S) TSDPAA</b>
<b>HB 1152</b> – (Davis)	Economic Development Highway Act; revise definition of “high economic benefit project” <b>3/6 (H) TSDP; 3/13 (H) Passed; 3/14 Sent to Senate; 3/17 (S) Sent to Highways and Transportation; Finance</b>
<b>HB 1347</b> – (Morris)	Small Business Assistance Act; extend repealer and revise certain provisions (DECD) <b>2/29 (H) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Sent to Senate; 3/13 (S) Referred to Finance</b>
<b>HB 1371</b> – (Morris)	Major Economic Impact Act; clarify duties of authority (DECD) <b>2/29 (H) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Sent to Senate; 3/13 (S) Referred to Finance</b>
<b>HB 1403</b> – (Scott 80)	Small Business Assistance Act; increase amount of funds available for loans and increase amount of bonds that may be issued 2/21 (H) Referred to Ways and Means
<b>HB 1681</b> – (Morris)	Bonds; increase amount of bonds authorized for certain economic development programs and revise use of certain bond proceeds. <b>3/23 (H) TSDP; 3/23 (H) Passed</b>

- SB 2734** – (Harden) Major Economic Impact Act; include certain Fortune 500 companies  
2/14 (S) Referred to Finance
- SB 2661** – (King) Economic Development Highway Act; revise definition of “high economic development benefit project”  
**3/7 (S) TSDP; 3/13 (S) Passed; 3/14 Sent to House; 3/16 (H) Referred to Transportation; Ways & Means**
- SB 2587** – (Simmons) Economic Development; authorize certain programs and tax credits to encourage development in less developed counties  
2/8 (S) Referred to Economic Development & Tourism & Parks, Finance
- SB 2171** – (Smith) Income tax; revise businesses eligible for job tax credit under the Economic Development Reform Act (DECD)  
1/13 (S) Referred to Finance
- SB 3166** – (Horhn) Special Task Force for Economic Development Planning; require heads of state institutions of higher learning to assist  
**2/28 (S) TSDPCS; 3/9 (S) Passed; 3/13 Sent to House; 3/21 (H) Referred to Education and Ways and Means**
- SB 3201** – (Blackmon) Approp.; DECD – Community Dev. Block Grant Funds for economic development; FY 2001  
2/24 (S) Referred to Appropriations
- SB 3210** – (Horhn) Bonds; issue to fund additional grants under the MS Small Business Assistance Act  
2/29 (S) Referred to Finance

## **REPAIR AND RENOVATION**

- HB 1573** – (Peranich) Bonds; issue general obligation bonds for repair and renovation of state-owned buildings and facilities  
3/2 (H) Referred to Public Buildings, Grounds and Lands; Ways and Means
- HB 1679** – (Smith 39<sup>th</sup>) Bonds; issue bonds for IHL and community/junior colleges repair and renovation  
**3/23 (H) TSDP; 3/23 (H) Passed**
- HB 1680** - (Smith 39<sup>th</sup>) Bonds; issue bonds for various state capital improvements and repair and renovation  
**3/23 (H) TSDP; 3/23 (H) Passed**
- SB 3193** – (Gordon) Bonds; issue for repair and renovation of state-owned buildings  
2/23 (S) Referred to Appropriations
- SB 3234** – (Jackson) Bonds; issue GO bonds for repair and renovation of state-owned buildings and facilities  
3/17 (S) Referred to Finance
- SB 2832** – (Gordon) DFA, FY 2000 appropriation; expend authorized projects  
2/17 (S) Referred to Appropriations; **3/7 (S) TSDP; 3/13 (S) Passed; 3/14 Sent to House; 3/15 (H) Referred to Appropriations; 3/23 (H) TSDP; 3/23 (H) Passed**

## **GOVERNOR’S APPOINTMENTS**

- HB 414** – (Holland) Mississippi Egg Marketing Board; revise membership of  
**2/24 (S) Referred to Agriculture**

- HB 1450** – (Fredricks) Physical Therapy Board; create to licensure physical therapists, and transfer current licensure powers from Board of Health  
**2/24 (H) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Sent to Senate; 3/13 (S) Referred to Public Health and Welfare; Appropriations**
- HB 1383** – (Malone) State Parole Board; abolish the terms of office of members and extend the date of the repealer for two years  
**2/24 (H) TSDP; 3/8 (H) Amended; 3/8 (H) Passed As Amended; 3/13 Sent to Senate; 3/16 (S) Referred to Judiciary**
- SB 2776** – (Huggins) Executive Director, Division of Medicaid; prescribe qualifications of  
**2/22 (S) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Referred to Public Health and Welfare**
- SB 2556** – (Stogner) Mississippi Egg Marketing Board; revise membership of  
**2/29 (S) TSDP; 3/9 (S) Motion to Reconsider Entered; 3/14 (S) Tabled; 3/14 Sent to House; 3/16 (H) Referred to Agriculture**

## **ABORTION**

- HB 923** – (Robinson 84) Killing of a fetus; clarify that such action shall constitute a crime  
**3/2 (H) TSDP; 3/9 (H) Motion to Reconsider Entered; 3/16 (H) Tabled; 3/17 Sent to Senate; 3/21 (S) Referred to Public Health and Welfare**

## **EDUCATION**

- HB 310** – (Jennings) Public schools; authorize display of Ten Commandments in classrooms and other areas  
**3/2 (H) TSDP; 3/9 (H) Amended; 3/9 (H) Passed as Amended; 3/9 (H) MRC; 3/16 (H) Tabled; 3/17 Sent to Senate; 3/22 (S) Referred to Judiciary**
- HB 659** – (Fillingane) Public school classroom; authorize brief period of quiet reflection  
**3/2 (H) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Sent to Senate; 3/16 (S) Referred to Education**
- HB 776** – (Warren) Suspension or expulsion; clarify authority regarding students whose presence is detrimental to educational environment  
**3/2 (H) TSDP; 3/9 (H) Amended; 3/9 (H) Passed as Amended; 3/13 Sent to Senate; 3/16 (S) Referred to Education**
- HB 902** – (Warren) School Safety Center and Crisis Management Program; establish in State Department of Education  
**3/7 (H) TSDP; 3/13 (H) Passed; 3/14 Sent to Senate; 3/16 (S) Referred to Education; Appropriations**
- HB 1039** – (Warren) School security personnel; require minimum level of basic law enforcement training  
**3/7 (H) TSDPCS; 3/13 (H) Passed; 3/13 (H) Passed CSA; 3/15 Sent to Senate; 3/17 (S) Referred to Education; Judiciary**
- HB 1264** – (Gadd) Mississippi Prepaid Affordable College Tuition (MPACT) Program; expand board's investment authority  
**3/2 (H) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Sent to Senate; 3/17 (S) Referred to Universities & Colleges**
- HB 1262** – (Gadd) Mississippi Affordable College Savings (MACS) Program; create  
**3/2 (H) TSDP; 3/10 (H) Passed; 3/13 Sent to Senate; 3/17 (S) Referred to Universities & Colleges; Appropriations**

- HB 1404** – (Scott 80) Appropriation; State Department of Education for Motivating Parents and Children (MPAC) pilot program  
2/21 (H) Referred to Appropriations
- HB 1561** – (Scott 80) Appropriation; Department of Human Services for youth aftercare program  
3/1 (H) Referred to Appropriations
- HB 1562** – (Scott 80) Appropriation; State Department of Education for school counselors  
3/1 (H) Referred to Appropriations
- SB 2298** – (Hewes) Mississippi Affordable College Savings Program; establish  
**2/29 (S) TSDPCS; 3/10 (S) Sent to House; 3/13 (H) Referred to Univ. & Colleges; Ways and Means**
- SB 2302** – (Harden) School districts; authorize pre-kindergarten pilot program in public schools  
**3/3 (S) Sent to House; 3/8 (H) Referred to Education and Appropriations**
- SB 2491** – (Harden) School board members; prescribe educational qualifications  
**3/2 (S) TSDPCS; 3/9 (S) Amended; 3/9 (S) Passed as Amended; 3/13 Sent to House; 3/16 (S) Referred to Education**
- SB 2814** – (Hewes) Appropriation; Board of IHL for Gulf Coast Campus of USM; addl FY 2000  
2/17 (S) Referred to Appropriations
- SB 2918** – (Hewes) Mississippi Prepaid Affordable College Tuition Program, define investment authority  
**2/28 (S) TSDP; 3/10 (S) Sent to House; 3/13 (H) Referred to Univ. and Colleges**
- SB 3204** – (Blackmon) Approp.' DOE – MPAC Pilot Program from block grant funds; FY 2001  
2/24 (S) Referred to Appropriations
- SB 3205** – (Blackmon) Approp.; DOE – School Resource Officer Pilot Program from block grant funds; FY 2001  
2/24 (S) Referred to Appropriations

## **SCHOOL SAFETY**

- SB 2597** – (Harden) School district security personnel with police power; require minimum training standards  
**3/7 (S) TSDP; 3/15 Passed; 3/16 Sent to House; 3/20 (H) Referred to Education; Judiciary B**
- SB 2522** – (Harden) Immunity of school personnel from liability for lawful action; add school counselors to  
**3/7 (S) TSDP; 3/15 Passed; 3/16 Sent to House; 3/20 (H) Referred to Education**
- SB 2528** – (Harden) School Safety Center and Crisis Management Program; establish in State Dept. of Education  
**3/7 (S) TSDPCS; 3/14 (S) Comm Sub Adopted; 3/14 (S) Tabled; 3/16 (S) Amended; 3/16 (S) Passed; 3/20 Sent to House; 3/21 (H) Referred to Education; Appropriations**

## **STATE GOVERNMENT**

- HC 70** – (Formby) HCR; study committee on delivery of government services using electronic media  
2/21 (H) Referred to Rules
- HB 1389** – (Ford) Ceiling on salaries; exempt DECD Director and Governor's Chief of Staff  
**3/2 (H) TSDPCS; 3/9 (H) Passed; 3/13 Sent to Senate; 3/17 Sent to Senate**

**SC 550** – (Chaney) E-Government Committee to study feasibility of electronic government services; authorize  
**3/3 (H) Referred to Rules**

## **GAMING**

**HB 881** – (Capps) State universities and community or junior colleges; authorize to offer certain courses  
**3/2 (H) TSDP; (H) Failed; (H) Motion to Reconsider Entered; 3/16 (H) Reconsidered; 3/16 (H) Passed; 3/17 Sent to Senate; 3/22 (S) Referred to Universities and Colleges**

## **CRIME**

**HB 1000** – (Malone) Corrections; revise certain provisions regarding operations  
**3/7 (H) TSDPCS; 3/13 Passed; 3/15 Sent to Senate; 3/17 (S) Referred to Corrections; Appropriations**

**SB 2111** – (Jackson) Gangs; establish Task Force  
**3/7 (S) TSDP; 3/10 (S) Passed; 3/14 Sent to House; 3/16 (H) Referred to Juvenile Justice; Appropriations**

## **RESPECT IN SCHOOLS**

<b>HB 581</b> – (Woods)	Public school students; require use of appropriate titles of respect with school employees 1/27 (H) Referred to Education <b>3/2 (H) TSDPCS; 3/9 (H) Amended; 3/9 (H) Passed as Amended; <u>3/13 Sent to Senate; 3/17 (S) Referred to Education</u></b>
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