

2021

HOUSE COMMERCE, LABOR and ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
COMMITTEE ACTION INDEX

BILL NUMBER	SUBJECT	DATE OF HEARING/ DISCUSSION	CURRENT STATUS
HB2016	Replacing the workers compensation prevailing factor standard with a substantial factor standard	None	None
HB 2017	Amending the disallowance of workers compensation benefits for fighting or horseplay if not work-related.	None	None
HB 2018	Increasing the minimum wage to \$17.25 over 10 years.	None	None
HB 2033	Increasing the minimum wage to \$15 per hour over a period of 6 years.	None	None
HB 2040	Changing the workers compensation law presumption of disqualifying drug impairment on the basis of certain drug concentration test levels from conclusive to rebuttable and removing the presumption with respect to marijuana.	None	None
HB 2041	Providing that workers compensation benefits for workers who are receiving social security or retirement benefits at the time of an accident are not reduced due to the receipt of the social security or retirement benefits.	None	None
HB2045	Revising Angel Investor tax credit act	1/13/2021	BPA 01/28/2021
HB2057	Allowing an alcoholic liquar manufacturer to obtain a drinking establishment license under certain conditions	2/15/2021	BP 02/25/2021
HB 2066	Expanding the military spouse and service members expedited licensure law to all applicants who have established or intend to establish residency in Kansas.	1/19/2021	BP
HB 2097	Decoupling the KIT and KIR workforce training programs from the high performance incentive fund program.	1/25/2021	BP 02/02/2021
HB 2112	Permitting online advertisement and sales of abandoned property by self-storage rental unit operators; providing for the designation by occupants of an alternate contact and limiting claims for loss or damage of stored property to the property value limit provided in the rental agreement.	1/25/2021	BP 02/02/2021
HB 2170	Amending the Kansas rural housing incentive district act to permit bond funding for vertical residential renovation of older buildings in central business districts.	None	None
HB 2171	Providing for the transferability of high performance incentive fund tax credits.	None	None
HB 2182	Establishing the Kansas promise scholarship act to provide scholarships for students who attend postsecondary educational programs that correspond to high-need career fields, authorizing payment of tuition for students who are dually or concurrently enrolled in high school and postsecondary school and requiring school districts to insure against injury or loss during work-based learning programs.	None	None

HB 2196	Changing provisions of the employment security law including creation of the unemployment compensation modernization and improvement council, development of a new unemployment insurance information technology system, provision of tax information to claimants, publication of trust fund data, the maximum benefit period, the charging of employer accounts for benefits paid, employer contribution rate determination and schedules, crediting of employer accounts for fraudulent or erroneous payments, transfer of federal COVID-19 moneys to the unemployment insurance trust fund, emergency expansion of the employment security board of review, providing for the my reemployment plan program and workforce training program availability to claimants, changes to the shared work compensation program and other unemployment trust fund provisions.	2/4/2021 02/09/2021 02/10/2021	BPA (Substitute for 2196) 02/18/2021 02/23/2021 02/25/2021
HB 2219	Enacting the Kansas targeted employment act to provide tax credits for the employment of persons with developmental disabilities.	02/16/2021	BP 03/10/2021
HB 2220	Providing an employment preference for persons with a disability for state government positions.	None	None
HB 2221	Amending STAR bonds law by adding rural redevelopment projects and major business facilities, increasing certain project investment and sales requirements, adding a return on investment analysis and other requirements and approvals by the secretary and extending the sunset date.	None	None
HB 2231	Amending the definition of the crime of conducting a pyramid promotional scheme, providing for an exemption and defining key terms.	02/15/2021	BP 02/24/2021
HB2287	Promise Scholarship Act for high need fields	02/17/2021	BP 03/10/2021
HB 2293	Creating the taxpayer empowerment, accountability and transparency in state contracting act; relating to private service contracts; requiring the department of administration to create a database of private service contract information and to analyze the potential impacts of such contracts; requiring contracting state agencies to obtain the resources needed to monitor the performance of private service contracts before finalizing such contracts.	None	None
HB 2297	Concerning requirements of publication of certain documents by the secretary of state; relating to session laws, the Kansas register, proposed amendments to the constitution of the state of Kansas, and Kansas administrative rules and regulations and guidance documents.	02/19/2021	BP 02/24/2021
HB 2298	Changing requirements for service of process on nonresident drivers and clarifying service of process on certain business entities.	02/19/2021	BP 02/24/2021
HB 2305	Allowing cities, counties or other local units of government to raise the minimum wage by ordinance, resolution or law.	None	None
HB 2306	Restoring local control over certain compensation, wage and benefit requirements for construction projects.	None	None
HB 2307	Expanding the definition of compensable personal injury in workers compensation law to include mental injuries suffered from physical injury, emotional shock or after a series of work-related events.	None	None
HB 2311	Extending workers compensation permanent disability benefits for the lifetime of the injured worker.	None	None

HB 2312	Permitting injured workers to choose a healthcare provider for care under workers compensation law.	None	None
HB2328	Prociding income tax credits for aerospace and aviation program graduates and their employers	03/22/2021	BPA 03/25/2021
HB 2331	Providing for the limited transfer of landowner or tenant deer hunting permits to nonresidents.	02/22/2021	None
HB 2351	Providing liability protection for businesses, municipalities and educational institutions that participate in high school work-based learning programs and providing that schools are responsible for injuries to students participating in such programs.	02/22/2021	None
HB 2354	Providing public employees and professional employees certain rights with respect to withholding of public employee organization and professional employee organization dues.	2/24/2021	None
HB 2370	Prohibiting a criminal conviction from acting as a sole disqualification for occupational licensure and creating guidelines to follow when considering criminal convictions of an applicant for occupational licensure.	None	None
HB 2391	Changing the secretary of state's business filings provisions, including instituting biennial business report filings, authorizing the secretary of state to contract with private entities for printing and binding services, changing publication and price requirements for publications of the secretary of state and repealing certain obsolete statutes including blanket music license filing provisions.	2/19/2021	BPA 02/24/2021
HB 2393	Providing workers compensation benefits for first responders suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder.	None	None
HB 2433	Protecting consumers and preventing online retail crime by requiring online marketplaces to verify and authenticate the identity of third parties who sell products on their platforms.	3/18/2021	None
HB 2442	Providing liability protection for businesses, municipalities and educational institutions that participate in high school work-based learning programs and providing that schools are responsible for injuries to students participating in such programs.	3/22/2021	None