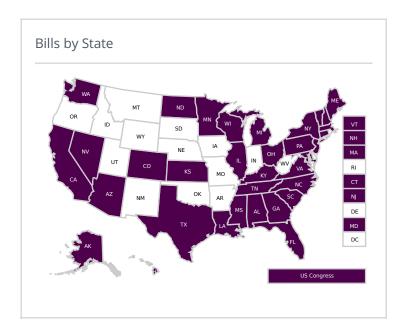


# December 6th Legislative Update

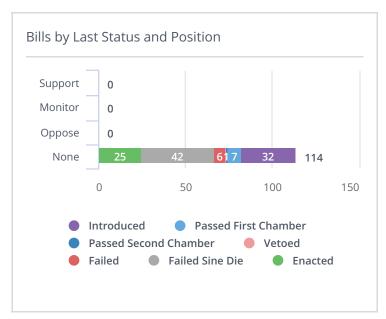
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## **Executive Summary**

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State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority
MA H 2263 Accompanied A Study Order See H 4721 2018 Failed sine die None None
07 10

### Title

An Act relative to strengthen the Commonwealth's Anti-SLAPP law

### Description

By Mr. Cusack of Braintree, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2263) of Mark J. Cusack and Michelle M. DuBois for legislation to ensure full participation by citizens and organizations in discussion of issues regarding the right to the freedom of petition, the freedom of speech, the freedom of expression or any matter of public concern. The Judiciary.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Mark Cusack

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority FN Outlook
NJ A 2077 Introduced Referred To Assembly Judiciary In Assembly None None
Committee 2018 01 09

### Title

Authorizes application for dismissal of a "Strategic Lawsuit Against Public Participation" ("SLAPP").

### **Primary Sponsors**

Joe Lagana, Paul Moriarty

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority FN Outlook

NJ S 2616 Introduced In The Senate Referred To Senate In Senate None None

Judiciary Committee 2018 05 31

## Title

Authorizes application for dismissal of a "Strategic Lawsuit Against Public Participation " ("SLAPP").

## **Primary Sponsors**

Joe Lagana

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 NY
 S 3417
 Referred To Judiciary 2018 01 03
 Failed sine die
 None
 None

## Title

Creates the anti-SLAPP act

## Description

Creates the anti-SLAPP act.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Kevin Parker

State Bill Number OH SB 206

Last Action

Refer To Committee Government Oversight

And Reform 2017 10 18

Status
In Senate

Position None

Priority
None

FN Outlook 95.2% 64.7%

Title

Protect persons engaging in certain communications

**Primary Sponsors** 

Matt Huffman

State Bill Number PA SB 95

Last Action

Referred To Judiciary 2017 04 26

Journal Page 31 2018 02 08

Status
In House

Position None

Priority
None

FN Outlook

Title

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in particular rights and immunities, providing for immunity for constitutionally protected communications.

State SC Bill Number

Last Action

Referred To Committee On Judiciary House

Status

Failed sine die

Position None

Priority

None

Title

Citizens Participation in Government Act

## Description

A Bill To Amend The Code Of Laws Of South Carolina, 1976, By Adding Article 3 To Chapter 36, Title 15 So As To Enact The "Citizens Participation In Government Act Of 2018" And To Provide That Acts In Furtherance Of The Constitutional Right To Free Speech, Right To Petition, Or Right Of Association Are Immune From Civil Liability Except When The Acts Are Not Aimed At Procuring A Governmental Or Electoral Action, Result, Or Outcome, To Provide Expedited Procedures For Hearing Motions In Actions Brought In Opposition To A Citizen'S Right To Petition The Government, To Create A Toll-Free Hotline In The Office Of The Attorney General For Use By The Public In Reporting Violations Of This Act, To Provide Remedies For Violations, Including Attorney'S Fees And Costs To The Prevailing Party; And To Designate Sections 15-36-10 Through 15-36-100 As Article 1, Chapter 36, Title 15 Entitled "South Carolina Frivolous Civil Proceedings Sanctions Act" And To Redesignate Article 36 As "Sanctions".

## **Primary Sponsors**

James Smith

Drones (23)

State CA Bill Number SB 347

Last Action 11 30

From Assembly Without Further Action 2018

In Assembly

Status

None

Priority None

#### Title

State Remote Piloted Aircraft Act.

#### Description

SB 347, as amended, Jackson. State Remote Piloted Aircraft Act. (1) Existing federal law, the FAA Modernization and Reform Act of 2012, provides for the integration of civil unmanned aircraft systems, commonly known as drones, into the National Airspace System. Existing federal law generally requires an aircraft to be registered with the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), prohibits a person from operating a United States registered aircraft unless that aircraft displays specified nationality and registration marks, and, unless authorized by the FAA, prohibits a person from placing on any aircraft a design, mark, or symbol that modifies or confuses those nationality and registration marks. The State Aeronautics Act governs various matters relative to aviation in the state, including, among other things, fostering and promoting safety in aeronautics and establishing only those regulations that are essential and clearly within the scope of the authority granted to the Department of Transportation by the Legislature, in order that persons may engage in every phase of aeronautics with the least possible restriction consistent with the safety and the rights of others. A violation of the act is a crime punishable by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment of not more than 6 months, or both. This bill would enact the State Remote Piloted Aircraft Act. The bill would prohibit a person from operating a remote piloted aircraft in any number of specified manners and would require any person using, operating, or renting a remote piloted aircraft and every commercial operator of a remote piloted aircraft to maintain adequate liability insurance or proof of financial responsibility, as specified. The bill would authorize the department to adopt rules and regulations governing the conditions under which remote piloted aircraft may be operated for the purpose of protecting and ensuring the general public interest and safety and the safety of persons operating remote piloted aircraft. The bill would authorize the department to make and amend general or special rules, orders, and procedures, and establish minimum standards consistent with the act as it deems necessary, to administer the provisions of the act, as specified. The bill would provide that remedies provided by the act are cumulative with any other remedies available under law. The bill would provide that the provisions of the act are severable. The bill would make a violation of any provision of the act or any rule or order issued pursuant to the act punishable as an infraction with a fine not exceeding \$250, or as a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment in a county jail not exceeding 6 months, or by a fine not exceeding \$1,000, or by both that fine and imprisonment. Because ... (click bill link to see more).

## **Primary Sponsors**

Hannah-Beth Jackson

State FL

Bill Number HB 471

Last Action

Consideration 2018 03 10

Indefinitely Postponed And Withdrawn From

Status Failed Position

None

Priority None

Title

**Unmanned Aircraft** 

## Description

Prohibits operating drone over certain facilities; authorizes use of drone in certain circumstances to facilitate collection of evidence at scene of crime or traffic crash; authorizes use of drone by local or state agency for specified purposes.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Clay Yarborough, Justice Appropriations Subcommittee

Bill Number

Status Failed

FL

SB 624

Indefinitely Postponed And Withdrawn From Consideration 2018 03 10

None

None

Title

Drones

## Description

Redefining the term "critical infrastructure facility"; authorizing the use of a drone if a law enforcement agency possesses reasonable suspicion that, under particular circumstances, swift action is needed to facilitate the collection of evidence at a crime scene or traffic crash scene; authorizing the use of a drone by a local or state agency when used in the assessment of damage, flood state, wildfire, or land management, or the monitoring and collection of scientific or marketing data, etc.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Dana Young, Senate Committee on Criminal Justice

State HI

Bill Number HB 1792

01 22

Referred To Trn Cpc Jud Referral Sheet 4 2018

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

Title

Relating To Unmanned Aerial Vehicles.

## Description

Establishes a new chapter to regulate the use of unmanned aerial vehicles. Requires the director of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs to adopt rules as necessary. Establishes prohibited uses of unmanned aerial vehicles and penalties, and authorizes civil action for violations. Makes certain uses of an unmanned aerial vehicle a misdemeanor. Clarifies that under certain circumstances, the used of an unmanned aerial vehicle may constitute an invasion of privacy.

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority
HI SB 454 Re Referred To Cph Jdc Wam 2018 01 17 Failed sine die None None

### Title

Relating To Unmanned Aerial Vehicles.

## Description

Establishes a new chapter to regulate the use of unmanned aerial vehicles. Requires the director of DCCA to adopt rules regarding unmanned aerial vehicles. Establishes prohibited uses of unmanned aerial vehicles and penalties, and authorizes civil action for violations. Makes certain uses of an unmanned aerial vehicle a misdemeanor. Clarifies that, under certain circumstances, first and second degree invasion of privacy may be committed using an unmanned aerial vehicle.

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	Priority
HI	SB 710	Re Referred To Psm Cph Jdc 2018 01 17	Failed sine die	None	None

#### Title

Relating To Unmanned Aerial Vehicles.

### Description

Establishes restrictions on the use of unmanned aerial vehicles. Amends the offenses of violation of privacy in the first and second degrees to specifically address the use of unmanned aerial vehicles in the commission of these offenses.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Laura Thielen, Will Espero, Michelle Kidani

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	Priority	FN Outlook
MA	H 3496	Accompanied A Study Order See H 4874 2018	In House	None	None	7.8% 0.0%
		08 09				

## Title

An Act relative to unmanned aerial vehicles

### Description

By Mr. Finn of West Springfield, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3496) of Michael J. Finn relative to penalties for unauthorized use of unmanned aerial vehicles. The Judiciary.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Mike Finn

State MA Bill Number H 3581 Last Action

08 09

Accompanied A Study Order See H 4874 2018

Status
In House

Position None

Priority
None

FN Outlook

Title

An Act to regulate the use of unmanned aerial vehicles

Description

By Miss Garry of Dracut, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3581) of Colleen M. Garry for legislation to regulate the use of unmanned aerial vehicles. The Judiciary.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Colleen Garry

State

Bill Number

Last Action

Status

Failed sine die

Position None

Priority
None

MA

S 1349

Bill Reported Favorably By Committee And

Referred To The Committee On Senate Ways

And Means 2018 02 26

Title

An Act to regulate the use of unmanned aerial vehicles

Description

By Mr. O'Connor, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1349) of Patrick M. O'Connor, Richard J. Ross, Donald F. Humason, Jr.,

Ryan C. Fattman and other members of the General Court for

legislation to regulate the use of unmanned aerial vehicles. Public

Safety and Homeland Security.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Patrick O'Connor

State MI Bill Number HB 5495

Last Action

Referred To Committee On Transportation

Status
In Senate

Position None

Priority
None

FN Outlook

2018 04 10

Title

Crimes; other; prohibition on using an unmanned aircraft in a manner that interferes with the operations of a key facility; provide for. Amends 1931 PA 328 (MCL 750.1 - 750.568) by adding sec. 45a.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Roger Hauck

State MI

Bill Number SB 715

Last Action

**Referred To Committee On Communications** 

And Technology 2018 05 10

Status In House Position None Priority None

### Title

Aeronautics; unmanned aerial systems; local ordinances; allow Mackinac Island to regulate unmanned aerial systems. Amends sec. 5 of 2016 PA 436 (MCL 259.305).

## **Primary Sponsors**

Wayne Schmidt

State Bill Number HB 1220 MS

Last Action

Died In Committee 2018 01 30

Status Failed Position None Priority None

Title

Unmanned aircrafts; prohibit counties and municipalities from regulating for certain purposes.

## Description

An Act To Prohibit The Governing Authorities Of Counties And Municipalities From Restricting And Regulating The Use Of Unmanned Aircraft Systems; To Provide Certain Definitions; And For Related Purposes.

### **Primary Sponsors**

**Brad Touchstone** 

State

Bill Number

Status

Position

Priority

NH

HB 1759

Inexpedient To Legislate Ma Vv 03 22 2018 Hj 10 P 18 2018 03 22

Failed

None

None

Title

regulating the use of drones.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Neal Kurk

NJ

Bill Number

Status

Position

None

A 1765

Security And State Preparedness Committee

2018 01 09

Introduced Referred To Assembly Homeland

In Assembly

None

## Title

Regulates and prohibits certain operation of drones.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Annette Quijano, Jon Bramnick, Vince Mazzeo, Raj Mukherji, Dan Benson

State NJ

Bill Number S 1741

Last Action

Introduced In The Senate Referred To Senate Law And Public Safety Committee 2018 02 05

Status In Senate Position None Priority None

## Title

Requires certain retailers to provide notice of FAA safety guidelines for flying drones to consumers.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Dick Codey

State Bill Number A 10625 NY

Last Action

Referred To Transportation 2018 05 09

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

#### Title

Relates to regulating the use of unmanned aircraft in the state

#### Description

Regulates the use of unmanned aircrafts in the state; defines terms; authorizes permitted uses of unmanned aircrafts; restricts use of unmanned aircrafts; makes related provisions.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Bill Magnarelli

State NY

Bill Number A 10939

Referred To Codes 2018 05 29

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

Title

Relates to conducting unlawful surveillance by use of a drone

### Description

Relates to conducting unlawful surveillance by use of a drone.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Chris Tague

State NY

Bill Number S 8936 Last Action

Referred To Rules 2018 06 06

Status

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

## Title

Relates to regulating the use of unmanned aircraft in the state

### Description

Regulates the use of unmanned aircrafts in the state; defines terms; authorizes permitted uses of unmanned aircrafts; restricts use of unmanned aircrafts; makes related provisions.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Dave Valesky

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority PA HB 1346 Approved By The Governor 2018 10 12 **Enacted** None None

### Title

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in burglary and other criminal intrusion, defining the offense of unlawful use of unmanned aircraft; and, in preemptions, prohibiting local regulation of unmanned aircraft.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Jeff Pyle

State Bill Number Status Position Priority US Signed By President 2018 10 05 HR 302 **Enacted** None None

### Title

FAA Reauthorization Act of 2018

### Description

Sports Medicine Licensure Clarity Act of 2017 (Sec. 2) This bill extends the liability insurance coverage of a state-licensed medical professional to another state when the professional provides medical services to an athlete, athletic team, or team staff member pursuant to a written agreement. Prior to providing such services, the medical professional must disclose to the insurer the nature and extent of the services. This extension of coverage does not apply at a health care facility or while a medical professional licensed in the state is transporting the injured individual to a health care facility.

## **Primary Sponsors**

**Brett Guthrie** 

State Bill Number HR 6401 Referred To The Subcommittee On Crime US

Terrorism Homeland Security And Investigations 2018 09 19

In House

None

None

#### Title

Preventing Emerging Threats Act of 2018

## **Primary Sponsors**

Michael McCaul

State **US**  Bill Number HR 6617

Last Action

t Action

Investigations 2018 10 01

Terrorism Homeland Security And

Referred To The Subcommittee On Crime

Status

In House

Position None

Priority
None

FN Outlook
5.4% 61.7%

Title

Preserving American Privacy Act of 2018

**Primary Sponsors** 

Ted Poe

State

Bill Number

Last Action

Governor Acts Of Assembly Chapter Text Chap

Status **Enacted** 

Position None

Priority
None

SB 307

dovernor Acts of Assembly Chap

0617 2018 03 30

Title

VA

Unmanned aircraft systems; work group to explore issues related system activities.

## Description

Department of Aviation; unmanned aircraft systems. Directs the Department of Aviation to convene a work group with stakeholders to explore issues related to unmanned aircraft system activities in coordination with the Federal Aviation Administration and other responsible federal agencies. The bill defines "unmanned aircraft" and "unmanned aircraft system" for application to Title 5.1 (Aviation), but such definitions shall not become effective unless reenacted by the 2019 Session of the General Assembly.

2018 08 01

## **Primary Sponsors**

John Cosgrove

## Federal Bills (13)

US HR 4

Bill Number Last Action
HR 4 S Amdt 3687 Senate Amendment Submitted

d In Senate

Position None

Priority
None

FN Outlook 21.4% 90.6%

Title

FAA Reauthorization Act of 2018

**Primary Sponsors** 

Bill Shuster

State

Bill Number HR 2997 Last Action

Placed On The Union Calendar Calendar No 213 2017 09 06

Status In House Position None Priority None

#### Title

US

21st Century AIRR Act

#### Description

21st Century Aviation Innovation, Reform, and Reauthorization Act or the 21st Century AIRR Act This bill reauthorizes and modifies Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) programs. It also establishes the American Air Navigation Services Corporation as a federally chartered, not-for-profit corporation to assume operational control of FAA air traffic services on October 1, 2020. The bill revises requirements for the pilot program for passenger facility charges at nonhub airports and the airport improvement program. The bill extends the authorization for airport development at Midway Island Airport. The Department of Transportation (DOT): shall carry out an environmental mitigation pilot grant program for sponsors of public-use airports; and may make grants to such sponsors for environmental mitigation projects to reduce or mitigate aviation impacts on noise, air quality, or water quality at the airport or within five miles of the airport. DOT shall establish a Safety Oversight and Certification Advisory Committee. The FAA must establish: the FAA Task Force on Flight Standards Reform, a Regulatory Consistency Communications Board, a safety workforce training strategy, and minimum dimensions for passenger seats on aircraft operated by air carriers. The FAA must also issue an order requiring the installation of a secondary cockpit barrier on aircraft manufactured for delivery to a passenger air carrier in the United States. DOT shall take appropriate actions to promote U.S. aerospace standards, products, and services abroad. DOT shall modify regulations regarding flight duty limitations and rest requirements to ensure that: (1) a flight attendant scheduled for a duty period of 14 hours or less is given a scheduled rest period of at least 10 consecutive hours, and (2) the rest period is not reduced under any circumstances. The bill prescribes certain requirements for improving passenger air service. The bill also reauthorizes the essential air service program and the small community air service development program. DOT shall: develop a comprehensive plan to accelerate the integration of civil unmanned aircraft systems (drones) into the national airspace system, establish a regional air transportation pilot program to provide operating assistance and grants to provide and maintain air service to communities not receiving sufficient air service, require each air carrier to submit for approval a one-page document that accurately describes the rights of passengers in air transportation, require large ticket agents to adopt minimum customer service standards, and establish a remote air traffic control tower pilot program for rural or small communities. Each air carrier must submit to the FAA an Employee Assault Prevention and Response Pla... (click bill link to see more).

## **Primary Sponsors**

Bill Shuster

State US

Bill Number HR 3228 Last Action

Referred To The House Committee On

Oversight And Government Reform 2017 07 13

Status In House Position None Priority None

Title

Free Press Act of 2017

## Description

Free Press Act of 2017 This bill requires the President to provide for video recorded press briefings covering the official business of the President to the White House press corps at least two times per week.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Jim Himes

Bill Number

HR 4382

Referred To The Subcommittee On Crime

**Terrorism Homeland Security And** 

Investigations 2017 12 13

In House

None

Priority None

Title

US

Free Flow of Information Act of 2017

**Primary Sponsors** 

Jamie Raskin

State **US**  Bill Number HR 5573

Last Action

Referred To The House Committee On Energy

And Commerce 2018 04 18

Status
In House

Position None Priority
None

FN Outlook
6.5% 86.3%

## Title

**ROBOCOP** Act

#### Description

Repeated Objectionable Bothering of Consumers on Phones Act or the ROBOCOP Act This bill directs the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to: (1) require providers of text messaging or voice services, for no additional charge, to enable technology that verifies the accuracy of caller ID information; (2) require providers to offer subscribers optional free robocall-technology blocking technology; and (3) provide an exemption process for subscribers originating a call if there is a need to provide misleading or inaccurate information (such as a call to conduct an activity of a domestic violence shelter or medical practice). The bill allows private actions to enjoin or recover damages for violations of the FCC's caller identification technology standards. States may bring civil actions for a pattern or practice of a failure to provide such technology or options. The bill amends the Communications Act of 1934 to make it unlawful for persons within or outside the United States, with the intent to cause harm, to intentionally interfere with call-blocking technology. The FCC must report on whether the requirements of this bill have reduced unwanted calls to consumers.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Jackie Speier

State **US**  Bill Number HR 6437

Last Action

Introduced In House 2018 07 19

In House

Position None Priority
None

FN Outlook

## Title

Secure America from Russian Interference Act of 2018

## **Primary Sponsors**

Steny Hoyer

State US

S 564

Last Action

Introduced In Senate 2017 03 08

Status
In Senate

Position None

Priority None FN Outlook

## Title

HANGUP Act

## Description

Help Americans Never Get Unwanted Phone Calls Act of 2017 or the HANGUP Act This bill amends the Communications Act of 1934 to repeal provisions that authorize the use of automated telephone equipment (robocall or robotext equipment) to call cellular telephones or residential telephone lines for the purpose of collecting debts owed to the U.S. government.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Ed Markey

State

Bill Number S 760

Last Action

Placed On Senate Legislative Calendar Under General Orders Calendar No 180 2017 07 24 Status
In Senate

Position None

Priority
None

FN Outlook 95.4% 52.7%

#### Title

US

Open, Public, Electronic, and Necessary Government Data Act

#### Description

Open, Public, Electronic, and Necessary Government Data Act or the OPEN Government Data Act (Sec. 4) This bill requires open government data assets made available by federal agencies (excluding the Government Accountability Office [GAO] and certain other government entities) to be published as machine-readable data. When not otherwise prohibited by law, and to the extent practicable, public data assets and nonpublic data assets maintained by the federal government must be available: (1) in an open format that does not impede use or reuse and that has standards maintained by a standards organization; and (2) under open licenses with a legal guarantee that the data be available at no cost to the public with no restrictions on copying, publishing, distributing, transmitting, citing, or adapting. If published government data assets are not available under an open license, the data must be considered part of the worldwide public domain. Agencies may engage with outside organizations and citizens to leverage public data assets for innovation in public and private sectors. Agencies must: (1) make their enterprise data inventories available to the public on Data.gov, and (2) designate a point of contact to assist the public and respond to complaints about adherence to open data requirements. For privacy, security, confidentiality, or regulatory reasons, agencies may maintain a nonpublic portion of their inventories. The General Services Administration must maintain a single public interface online as a point of entry dedicated to sharing open government data with the public. (Sec. 5) The Chief Operating Officer of each agency shall submit to Congress and to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a report assessing the coverage, quality, methods, effectiveness, and independence of the evaluation, research, and analysis efforts of the agency. The GAO shall submit to Congress a report that summarizes agency findings and highlights trends from the reports submitted and, if appropriate, recommends actions to further improve agency capacity to use evaluation techniques and data to support evaluation efforts. (Sec. 6) The OMB must develop and maintain an online repository of tools, best practices, and schema standards to facilitate the adoption of open data practices.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Brian Schatz

State Bill Number US \$ 1989

Last Action

Committee On The Judiciary Subcommittee On

Crime And Terrorism Hearings Held 2018 06 26

In Senate

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Position None

Priority
None

FN Outlook 63.9% 55.8%

**Title** Honest Ads Act

**Primary Sponsors** Amy Klobuchar State US Bill Number S 2705

Last Action

In Senate

Status

Position None Priority None

Read Twice And Referred To The Committee On Commerce Science And Transportation 2018 04 18

Title **ROBOCOP Act** 

## Description

Repeated Objectionable Bothering of Consumers on Phones Act or the ROBOCOP Act This bill directs the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to: (1) require providers of text messaging or voice services, for no additional charge, to enable technology that verifies the accuracy of caller ID information; (2) require providers to offer subscribers optional free robocall-technology blocking technology; and (3) provide an exemption process for subscribers originating a call if there is a need to provide misleading or inaccurate information (such as a call to conduct an activity of a domestic violence shelter or medical practice). The bill allows private actions to enjoin or recover damages for violations of the FCC's caller identification technology standards. States may bring civil actions for a pattern or practice of a failure to provide such technology or options. The bill amends the Communications Act of 1934 to make it unlawful for persons within or outside the United States, with the intent to cause harm, to intentionally interfere with call-blocking technology. The FCC must report on whether the requirements of this bill have reduced unwanted calls to consumers.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Dick Blumenthal

State US Bill Number S 2836

Committee On Homeland Security And Governmental Affairs Hearings Held 2018 09

Status

In Senate

Position None Priority None

Title

Preventing Emerging Threats Act of 2018

**Primary Sponsors** 

Ron Johnson

State US Bill Number S 3127

Last Action

Introduced In Senate 2018 06 25

Status In Senate

Position None Priority None

Title

Bot Disclosure and Accountability Act of 2018

**Primary Sponsors** 

Dianne Feinstein

US Bill Number S 3149

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Last Action
Read Twice And Referred To The Committee

2018 06 27

On Commerce Science And Transportation

Status
In Senate

Position None

Priority
None

FN Outlook 92.1% 54.4%

Title

DO NOT Call Act

**Primary Sponsors** 

Catherine Cortez Masto

## First Amendment (2)

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 ND
 SB 2201
 Filed With Secretary Of State 04 05 2017 04 13
 Enacted
 None
 None

Title

Relating To The Freedom Of Expression Of Student Journalists.

Description

AN ACT to amend and reenact sections 15-10-55 and 15.1-19-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the freedom of expression of student journalists.

**Primary Sponsors** 

David Rust, Larry Luick, Erin Oban, Bill Devlin, Cindy Schreiber-Beck, Corey Mock

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 NY
 A 8333
 Enacting Clause Stricken 2018 02 01
 Failed sine die
 None
 None

Title

Relates to the enactment of the student journalist free speech act

Description

Enacts the student journalist free speech act to protect student speech unless it is libelous, an invasion of privacy, or incites students to commit an unlawful act, violate school policies, or to materially and substantially disrupt the orderly operation of the school.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Phil Palmesano

**FOIA (5)** 

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority

CT HB 5261 Public Hearing 03 05 2018 02 28 Failed sine die None None

#### Title

AN ACT CONCERNING FEES CHARGED BY MUNICIPALITIES UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT.

#### Description

To clarify that agencies may charge a fee for electronic copies and to allow municipalities to charge a higher fee for requests for a public record for commercial purposes.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Joint Committee on Government Administration and Elections

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority FN Outlook

IL HB 5998 Added Chief Co Sponsor Rep Jehan Gordon In House None None 0.0% 0.0%

Booth 2018 12 03

#### Title

**Publishing Criminal Records** 

## Description

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Provides that a law enforcement agency may not electronically provide or publish booking photographs unless: (1) the booking photograph is posted to social media to assist in the search for a missing person or to assist in the search for a fugitive, person of interest, or individual wanted in relation to a crime other than a petty offense, business offense, Class C misdemeanor, or Class B misdemeanor; or (2) the person is convicted of a crime other than a petty offense, business offense, Class C misdemeanor, or Class B misdemeanor. Deletes language providing that a law enforcement agency may publish on its social media website booking photographs relating to charges other than civil offenses, petty offenses, business offenses, Class C misdemeanors, and Class B misdemeanors. Amends the Consumer Fraud and Deceptive Business Practices Act. Provides that it is an unlawful practice for a for-profit publishing entity that publishes on a publicly available Internet website or in any other publication that charges a fee for removal or correction of the information to fail to remove within 30 days, without the imposition of any fee, the criminal record information of a person who provides the entity with: a pardon from the Governor or a certificate of innocence stating that the person is innocent of all offenses relating to the criminal record information; court records indicating that the person was found not guilty or that the case ended without a finding of guilt; or an order to expunge or seal the criminal record information of the person. Provides that a violating entity is subject to a civil penalty of \$1,000 per day, plus attorney's fees, which shall be deposited into the General Revenue Fund.

## **Primary Sponsors**

La Shawn Ford

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority
MI HB 4427 Assigned Pa 8517 With Immediate Effect 2017 Enacted None None
08 16

## Title

Law enforcement; other; release of recording taken by law enforcement officers with a body-worn camera; prohibit in certain circumstances. Creates new act.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Jim Runestad

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority
NY A 2750 Approval Memo 33 2017 12 13 Enacted None None

## Title

Relates to freedom of information requests and attorney's fees

## Description

Establishes that in a FOIL proceeding, the court shall assess against an agency reasonable attorney's fees and other litigation costs incurred when a person substantially prevails unless the court finds otherwise.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Amy Paulin

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 SC
 H 3352
 Act No 67 2017 05 31
 Enacted
 None
 None

Title

Office of Freedom of Information Act Review

## Description

An Act To Amend Section 30-4-30, Code Of Laws Of South Carolina, 1976, Relating To Rights To Inspect Public Records Under The Freedom Of Information Act, So As To Include Electronic Transmissions Among The Record Formats Available For Inspection, To Provide Certain Limitations Applicable To Prisoners, To Provide Public Bodies Are Not Required To Create Electronic Versions Of Public Records To Fulfill Records Requests, To Revise Requirements Concerning Records Request Fulfilment Fees, To Permit Public Bodies To Charge Certain Deposits Before Searching And Copying Public Records In Response To Records Requests, And To Revise The Time Limits And Manner For Responding To Records Requests And Complying With The Provisions Of The Act; To Amend Section 30-4-40, As Amended, Relating To Matters Exempt From Disclosure In The Freedom Of Information Act, So As To Revise Provisions Concerning Law Enforcement Records; To Amend Section 30-4-50, Relating To Categories Of Matters Declared To Be Public Information In The Freedom Of Information Act, So As To Include Law Enforcement Vehicle-Mounted Videos And Audio Recordings Of Certain Incidents Involving Law Enforcement Officers, To Provide Procedures Through Which Enforcement May Seek Exemption Of Disclosure Of The Recordings From The Circuit Court If There Is Clear And Convincing Evidence Of Specific Harm From The Release Of The Recordings, And To Provide Requirements For Related Court Orders; To Amend Section 30-4-100, Relating To Equitable Remedies Available Under The Freedom Of Information Act, So As To Include Time Constraints Within Which Determinative Hearings On The Requests For Relief Must Be Made; To Amend Section 30-4-110, Relating To Penalties For Violations Of The Freedom Of Information Act, So As To Remove Criminal Penalties, And To Provide Rights And Remedies Of Public Bodies From Whom Requests Are Made And Persons With Specific Interests In Exempt Information For Which Disclosure Is Sought, Among Other Things; And To Amend Section 30-2-50, Relating To The Prohibition On Obtaining Personal Information From A State Agency For Commercial Solicitation, So As To Extend The Prohibition To Information Obtained From Local Governments And Political Subdivisions Of The State. - Ratified Title

## **Primary Sponsors**

Weston Newton

Online Political Ad Disclosure (13)

State CT

Bill Number HB 5526 Last Action

Office Lco 2018 04 16

**Reported Out Of Legislative Commissioners** 

Status Failed sine die Position None Priority

None

Title

AN ACT CONCERNING DARK MONEY AND DISCLOSURE.

## Description

To (1) implement federal court rulings regarding independent expenditure political committees, (2) increase disclosure of independent expenditures and prohibit such expenditures by foreign-influenced entities, (3) reveal persons behind political committees and contributors to such committees, (4) require online platforms to disclose purchasers of political ads, and (5) increase transparency with respect to moneys paid to consultants.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Joint Committee on Government Administration and Elections

State Bill Number HB 2247 Last Action

Recommitted To Conference Committee As

Amended In Cd 1 With None Voting No And

None Excused 2018 05 01

**Passed Senate** 

Position None

Priority None

Title

ΗΙ

Relating To Campaign Finance.

### Description

Clarifies that certain disclosure requirements for campaign advertisements apply to advertisements communicated by electronic or digital means. (HB2247 CD1)

## **Primary Sponsors**

Chris Lee, Della Belatti, Tom Brower, Beth Fukumoto, Linda Ichiyama, Aaron Johanson, Matt LoPresti, Nicole Lowen, Dee Morikawa, Mark Nakashima, Scott Nishimoto, Roy Takumi, Thielen

State KS

Bill Number SB 58

Last Action

Died In Committee 2018 05 08

Status **Failed** 

Position None Priority None

Title

Facilitating the identification of the sponsors of internet political campaign advertisements.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Senate Committee on Ethics, Elections and Local Government

State MD Bill Number

Last Action

Status

Enacted

Position None Priority None

HB 981

Enacted Under Article Ii Section 17 C Of The

Maryland Constitution Chapter 834 2018 05 26

### Title

Online Electioneering Transparency and Accountability Act

Altering the definition of "campaign material" to include certain material that is disseminated and certain qualifying paid digital communications; altering the definition of "public communication" to include certain qualifying paid digital communications that require a person who makes independent expenditures of a certain amount to file an independent expenditure report with the State Board; requiring, under certain circumstances, an online platform to apply for a compliance waiver before receiving certain payment; etc.

State MD Bill Number

Last Action

Status

**Enacted** 

Position None Priority None

SB 875

Enacted Under Article Ii Section 17 C Of The

Maryland Constitution Chapter 833 2018 05 26

#### Title

Online Electioneering Transparency and Accountability Act

## Description

Altering the definition of "campaign material" to include certain material that is disseminated and certain qualifying paid digital communications; altering the definition of "public communication" to include certain qualifying paid digital communications that require a person who makes independent expenditures of a certain amount to file an independent expenditure report with the State Board; requiring, under certain circumstances, an online platform to apply for a compliance waiver before receiving a certain payment; etc.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Craig Zucker

State MN Bill Number HF 4540

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

Introduction And First Reading Referred To **Government Operations And Elections Policy** 

2018 05 19

## Title

Express advocacy definition modified, campaign advertisement disclosures required, electioneering communication disclosures provided, and penalties provided.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Fue Lee

State

Bill Number SF 4113

Last Action

Referred To State Government Finance And

Policy And Elections 2018 05 19

Status
Failed sine die

Position None

Priority
None

Title

MN

Campaign finance provisions modifications; express advocacy definition modification; campaign advertisements disclosures and electioneering communication disclosures requirement

## **Primary Sponsors**

John Marty, Chris Eaton, Jim Carlson, Carolyn Laine

State **NC**  Bill Number HB 1065

Last Action

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Priority
None

Title

Digital Communications in Elections.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Pricey Harrison, David Lewis, Grier Martin, Jon Hardister

State

Bill Number

l ast Action

Status

Position

Priority

TN

HB 1847

Comp Sb Subst 2018 04 16

Subst For Comp Hb 2018 04 16

Withdrawn From Cal 2018 06 14

Failed sine die

None

None

Title

Election Laws - As introduced, requires political communications through a social media platform to indicate the person, candidate, or political committee who paid for and, as applicable, authorized the communication. - Amends TCA Section 2-19-120.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Jason Powell

State TN Bill Number SB 1635

Last Action

Status

Failed sine die

Position None

Priority
None

Title

Election Laws - As introduced, requires political communications through a social media platform to indicate the person, candidate, or political committee who paid for and, as applicable, authorized the communication. - Amends TCA Section 2-19-120.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Jeff Yarbro

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority FN Outlook
US HR 7067 Introduced In House 2018 10 16 In House None None 4.5% 76.8%

Title

Clean Money Act of 2018

**Primary Sponsors** 

Brendan Boyle

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority

VT H 828 House Message Governor Approved Bill On Enacted None None

May 16 2018 2018 05 16

Title

(Act 129) An act relating to disclosures in campaign finance law

**Primary Sponsors** 

John Gannon

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 WA
 SB 6075
 Senate Rules X File 2018 02 22
 Failed
 None
 None

Title

Concerning disclosure of contributors to online political advertising.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Guy Palumbo

Public Notice (10)

State ΙL

Bill Number HB 2585 Last Action

Public Act 100 0072 2017 08 11

Status **Enacted**  Position None Priority

None

#### Title

Legal Notices-Adjacent County

## Description

Amends the Notice By Publication Act and the Newspaper Legal Notice Act. Provides that, if notice is required to be published in a newspaper that is published in a particular unit of local government or school district, and if there is no newspaper published in that unit of local government or school district, then the notice may be published in a secular newspaper having general circulation within the unit of local government or school district (currently, those Acts require the newspaper to be published in the county in which the unit of local government or school district is located or in an adjoining county). Provides that the newspaper shall cause the notice to be placed (instead of "place the notice") on the statewide website established and maintained as a joint venture of the majority of Illinois newspapers as a repository for such notices. Amends the Legal Advertising Rate Act. Provides that the face of type of any required public notice shall not be (instead of "be made shall be not") smaller than the body type used in the classified advertising in the newspaper in which the required public notice is published.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Anthony DeLuca

State Bill Number ME LD 329 (HP 243)

Taken From The Table By The President Ld 329

In Senate April 13 2017 This Bill Having Been Returned By The Governor Together With Objections To The Same Pursuant To The Provisions Of The Constitution Of The State Of Maine After Reconsideration The Senate Proceeded To Vote On The Question Shall This Bill Become A Law Notwithstanding The Objections Of The Governor 32 In Favor And 0 Against Accordingly It Was The Vote Of The Senate That The Bill Become Law And The

Veto Was Overridden 2017 04 13

Position

Enacted

None

Priority None

Title

An Act Concerning the Law Governing the Posting of Newspaper Legal Notices and the Statewide Repository for Legal Notices

## **Primary Sponsors**

**Danny Martin** 

State NC Bill Number HB 205 Last Action

Withdrawn From Cal 2017 10 11

Status Vetoed Position None Priority

None

Title

WC Changes/Legal Notice Modernization.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Allen McNeill, Lee Zachary

State

NJ

Bill Number S 1439

Introduced In The Senate Referred To Senate

State Government Wagering Tourism Historic

Preservation Committee 2018 02 01

In Senate

Position None Priority None

Title

Electronic Publication of Legal Notices Act"; permits publication of legal notices by government agencies and persons on official government notice websites instead of newspapers.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Mike Doherty

State NY

Bill Number S 1237

Last Action

Status

Referred To Governmental Operations 2018 03 Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

Title

Authorizes state agencies to publish certain rule making notices by electronic means

Description

Authorizes state agencies to publish and transmit certain rule making notices by electronic means; provides for the provision of the state register by electronic means; authorizes the legislative administrative regulations review commission to accept data transmitted by electronic means.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Dave Valesky

State PA

Bill Number HB 2629

Referred To Judiciary 2018 09 10

In House

Position None

None

Title

An Act amending Title 45 (Legal Notices) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for electronic publication of legal notices.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Carol Hill-Evans

State Bill Number PA SB 745

Last Action

Referred To Local Government 2017 06 07

Status
In Senate

Position None Priority
None

FN Outlook 82.2% 77.4%

### Title

An Act amending Title 45 (Legal Notices) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes,in legal advertising, further providing for additional publication in legal journals; providing for electronic publication of legal notices by local government units; and making an appropriation.

State **VT**  Bill Number H 483 Last Action

Read First Time And Referred To The

Committee On Government Operations 2017

02 24

Status

Failed sine die

Position None

Priority
None

Title

An act relating to the publication of State, county, and municipal notices on electronic news media

**Primary Sponsors** 

Mary Hooper

State VT Bill Number S 97

Last Action

Read 1st Time Referred To Committee On

Government Operations 2017 02 24

Status

Failed sine die

Position None

Priority
None

Title

An act relating to the publication of State, county, and municipal notice on electronic news media

**Primary Sponsors** 

Anthony Pollina

State WI

AB 120

Last Actio

Published 4 17 2018 2018 04 17

Status **Enacted** 

Position None Priority
None

Title

information required to be included in class 2 and class 3 legal notices.

Description

An Act to create 985.075 of the statutes;

**Primary Sponsors** 

Introduced by Joint Legislative Council

Recently Enacted Laws (4)

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority
AK SCR 4 S Appointment Of Public Member Industry Enacted None None
Representative Ryan Marlow 2017 11 29

Title

Relating to the Task Force on Unmanned Aircraft Systems.

**Primary Sponsors** 

**Shelley Hughes** 

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 NC
 HB 337
 Signed By Gov 7 21 2017 2017 07 21
 Enacted
 None
 None

Title

Unmanned Aircraft Systems Law Revisions.

**Primary Sponsors** 

John Torbett

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 TX
 HB 1424
 Effective On 9 1 17 2017 06 15
 Enacted
 None
 None

Title

Relating to the operation of an unmanned aircraft over certain facilities or sports venues; creating a criminal offense.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Jim Murphy, Paul Workman, Brian Birdwell

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 TX
 HB 1643
 Effective On 9 1 17 2017 06 15
 Enacted
 None
 None

Title

Relating to the regulation of the operation of an unmanned aircraft and the prosecution of a related criminal offense.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Drew Springer, Pat Fallon, Ron Simmons, Greg Bonnen, Kel Seliger

## Telemarketing (4)

State Bill Number Last Action Status To Small Business Information Technology H KY HB 63

2018 01 02

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

Title

AN ACT relating to telephone solicitation.

## Description

Amend KRS 367.46955 to prohibit knowingly using a caller identification service to transmit misleading or inaccurate caller identification information with the intent of defrauding or causing to another person or wrongfully obtain anything of value.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Kim King, Myron Dossett, Wesley Morgan

Bill Number NJ A 4384

Introduced Referred To Assembly Consumer

Affairs Committee 2018 09 13

In Assembly

None

Priority None

Title

Prohibits telemarketers from making certain unsolicited telemarketing sales calls.

## **Primary Sponsors**

BettyLou DeCroce, Chris DePhillips, Dan Benson

Bill Number NJ S 2918

Introduced In The Senate Referred To Senate

In Senate

Commerce Committee 2018 09 17

None

Priority None

Title

Prohibits telemarketers from making certain unsolicited telemarketing sales calls.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Linda Greenstein

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 SC
 H 4628
 Act No 218 2018 05 31
 Enacted
 None
 None

#### Title

Telephone Privacy Protection Act

## Description

An Act To Amend The Code Of Laws Of South Carolina, 1976, By Adding Chapter 21 To Title 37 So As To Enact The "South Carolina Telephone Privacy Protection Act"; To Define Relevant Terms; To Prohibit Telephone Solicitors From Initiating Or Causing To Be Initiated A Telephone Solicitation During Certain Hours Of The Day And To Provide Exceptions; To Require Telephone Solicitors To Disclose Certain Information At The Outset Of A Telephone Solicitation, Including The Consumer'S Right To Be Added To The Telephone Solicitor'S In-House "Do Not Call List" Upon Request; To Prohibit A Person, With Fraudulent Or Other Specified Intent, From Making Or Initiating A Telephone Call Or Text Message Or Engaging In Conduct That Results In The Display Of Misleading, False, Or Inaccurate Caller Identification Information; To Require Telephone Solicitors To Play Certain Prerecorded Identifications And Opt-Out Messages Under Certain Circumstances; To Prohibit A Person From Initiating Or Causing To Be Initiated A Telephone Solicitation Directed To A Telephone Number When A Person At That Telephone Number Previously Stated A Desire Not To Be Contacted, And To Prohibit Telephone Solicitors From Initiating Or Causing To Be Initiated A Telephone Solicitation To A Telephone Number On The National Do Not Call Registry; To Provide Remedies For Violations: To Authorize The Administrator Of The Department Of Consumer Affairs To Issue Administrative Orders Requiring A Person To Cease And Desist, Or Return Property Or Money Received In Violation Of This Act, To Impose Penalties, And To Authorize The Attorney General To Investigate And Enforce Alleged Violations Of This Act; To Provide That Nothing In This Act May Be Construed To Limit Other Remedies Available Under Federal Or State Law; And To Delete Section 16-17-445. - Ratified Title

## **Primary Sponsors**

Rick Martin

## Consumer Data Privacy (33)

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority
AL SB 318 Assigned Act No 2018 396 2018 03 27 Enacted None None

## Title

Consumer protection, business and other entities including government entities, notification to individuals of breach of data under certain conditions, notice to Attorney General, Alabama Data Breach Notification Act

#### **Primary Sponsors**

Arthur Orr

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority
AZ HB 2154 Signed By Governor 2018 04 11 Enacted None None

Title

Personal information; data security breaches

**Primary Sponsors** 

T.J. Shope

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position

CA AB 375 Chaptered By Secretary Of State Chapter 55 Enacted None

Priority

None

Statutes Of 2018 2018 06 28

#### Title

Privacy: personal information: businesses.

#### Description

AB 375, Chau. Privacy: personal information: businesses. The California Constitution grants a right of privacy. Existing law provides for the confidentiality of personal information in various contexts and requires a business or person that suffers a breach of security of computerized data that includes personal information, as defined, to disclose that breach, as specified. This bill would enact the California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018. Beginning January 1, 2020, the bill would grant a consumer a right to request a business to disclose the categories and specific pieces of personal information that it collects about the consumer, the categories of sources from which that information is collected, the business purposes for collecting or selling the information, and the categories of 3rd parties with which the information is shared. The bill would require a business to make disclosures about the information and the purposes for which it is used. The bill would grant a consumer the right to request deletion of personal information and would require the business to delete upon receipt of a verified request, as specified. The bill would grant a consumer a right to request that a business that sells the consumer's personal information, or discloses it for a business purpose, disclose the categories of information that it collects and categories of information and the identity of 3rd parties to which the information was sold or disclosed. The bill would require a business to provide this information in response to a verifiable consumer request. The bill would authorize a consumer to opt out of the sale of personal information by a business and would prohibit the business from discriminating against the consumer for exercising this right, including by charging the consumer who opts out a different price or providing the consumer a different quality of goods or services, except if the difference is reasonably related to value provided by the consumer's data. The bill would authorize businesses to offer financial incentives for collection of personal information. The bill would prohibit a business from selling the personal information of a consumer under 16 years of age, unless affirmatively authorized, as specified, to be referred to as the right to opt in. The bill would prescribe requirements for receiving, processing, and satisfying these requests from consumers. The bill would prescribe various definitions for its purposes and would define "personal information" with reference to a broad list of characteristics and behaviors, personal and commercial, as well as inferences drawn from this information. The bill would prohibit the provisions described above from restricting the ability of the business to comply with federal, state, or loc... (click bill link to see more).

#### **Primary Sponsors**

Ed Chau, Bob Hertzberg

State CA Bill Number AB 1680 Last Action

From Senate Committee Without Further Action 2018 11 30

Status In Senate Position None Priority None

#### Title

California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018.

#### Description

AB 1680, as amended, Burke. Director of Technology: procurement: training program. California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018. Existing law, the California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018, grants, commencing on January 1, 2020, a consumer various rights with regard to personal information relating to that consumer that is held by a business, including the right to request a business to delete any personal information about the consumer collected by the business, and requires the business to comply with a verifiable consumer request to that effect, unless it is necessary for the business or service provider to maintain the customer's personal information in order to carry out specified acts. The act prohibits a business from discriminating against the consumer for exercising any of the consumer's rights under the act, except if the difference is reasonably related to value provided by the consumer's data. This bill would, instead, prohibit a business from unreasonably discriminating against a consumer for exercising of any of the consumer's rights under the act. The act authorizes a business to offer financial incentives for collection, sale, or deletion of personal information. The act authorizes a business to offer a different rate, price, level, or quality of goods or services to the consumer if that price or difference is directly related to the value provided to the consumer by the consumer's data. The act, however, prohibits a business from entering a consumer into a financial incentive program unless the consumer gives the business opt-in consent for the program pursuant to a specified process. The act prohibits a business from using financial incentives practices that are unjust, unreasonable, coercive, or usurious in nature. This bill would, instead, authorize a business to offer incentives, including payments to consumers for compensation, for the sale or retention of personal information, and make conforming changes to that effect. The bill would, instead, authorizes a business to offer a different rate, price, level, or quality of goods or services to the consumer if that price or difference is reasonably related to the value provided to the business by the consumer's data, including offering a specific good or service whose functionality is reasonably related to collection, use, or sale of the consumer's data. The bill would, instead, prohibit a business from entering a consumer into an incentive program unless the consumer gives the business prior opt-in consent after notice provided to the consumer. The bill would, instead, prohibit a business from using incentive practices that are coercive or usurious in nature. Existing law establishes in state government the Department of Technology within the Government Operations Ag... (click bill link to see more).

#### **Primary Sponsors**

Autumn Burke, Evan Low, Kevin Mullin

State **CA**  Bill Number
AB 2182

Last Action

From Senate Committee Without Further Action 2018 11 30

Status
In Senate

Position None

Priority
None

FN Outlook 97.1% 74.1%

### Title

Privacy: personal information: breach: disclosure.

### Description

AB 2182, as amended, Levine. Privacy: personal information: breach: disclosure. Existing law requires a person or business conducting business in California that owns or licenses computerized data that includes personal information, as defined, to disclose a breach in the security of the data to a resident of California whose encrypted or unencrypted personal information was, or is reasonably believed to have been, acquired by an unauthorized person, as specified. Existing law requires that disclosure to be made in the most expedient time possible and without unreasonable delay, consistent with the legitimate needs of law enforcement or any measures necessary to determine the scope of the breach and restore the reasonable integrity of the data system. This bill would instead specify that disclosures be made in the most expedient time possible and without unreasonable delay, consistent with the legitimate needs of law enforcement or on a rolling basis while taking any measures necessary to determine the scope of the breach and restore the reasonable integrity of the data system. would, in the event that a person or business delays full disclosure of the security breach due to the determination of the scope of the breach or the restoration of the reasonable integrity of the data system, require the person or business to disclose as much information as it can, to as many affected residents as it can, and as soon as it can, on a rolling basis.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Marc Levine

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 CA
 SB 1121
 Chaptered By Secretary Of State Chapter 735
 Enacted
 None
 None

Chaptered By Secretary Of State Chapter 735 Statutes Of 2018 2018 09 23

#### Title

California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018.

## Description

SB 1121, Dodd. California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018. (1) Existing law, the California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018, grants, commencing on January 1, 2020, a consumer various rights with regard to personal information relating to that consumer that is held by a business, including the right to request a business to delete any personal information about the consumer collected by the business, and requires the business to comply with a verifiable consumer request to that effect, unless it is necessary for the business or service provider to maintain the customer's personal information in order to carry out specified acts. The act requires a business that collects personal information about a consumer to disclose the consumer's right to delete personal information described above on its Internet Web site or in its online privacy policy or policies. This bill would modify that requirement by requiring a business that collects personal information about a consumer to disclose the consumer's right to delete personal information in a form that is reasonably accessible to consumers and in accordance with a specified process.(2) The act establishes several exceptions to the requirements imposed, and rights granted, by the act, including prohibiting the act from being interpreted to restrict the ability of a business to comply with federal, state, or local laws, and by providing that the act does not apply if it is in conflict with the California Constitution. This bill would provide that the rights afforded to consumers and the obligations imposed on any business under the act does not apply if those rights or obligations would infringe on the noncommercial activities of people and entities described in a specified provision of the California Constitution addressing activities related to newspapers and periodicals. The bill would also prohibit application of the act to personal information collected, processed, sold, or disclosed pursuant to a specified federal law relating to banks, brokerages, insurance companies, and credit reporting agencies, among others, and would also except application of the act to that information pursuant to the California Financial Information Privacy Act. The bill would provide that these exceptions, and the exception provided to information collected, processed, sold, or disclosed pursuant to the Driver's Privacy Protection Act of 1994, do not apply to specific provisions of the act related to unauthorized theft and disclosure of information. The bill would revise and expand the exception provided for medical information, would except a provider of health care or a covered entity, and would also except information collected as part of clinical trials, as specified. The bill would also clarify that the act does n... (click bill link to see more).

## **Primary Sponsors**

Bill Dodd

 State
 Bill Number
 Last Action
 Status
 Position
 Priority

 CO
 HB 18-1128
 Governor Signed 2018 05 29
 Enacted
 None
 None

#### Title

Protections For Consumer Data Privacy

## Description

Except for conduct in compliance with applicable federal, state, or local law, the bill requires covered and governmental entities in Colorado that maintain paper or electronic documents (documents) that contain personal identifying information (personal information) to develop and maintain a written policy for the destruction and proper disposal of those documents. Entities that maintain, own, or license personal information, including those that use a nonaffiliated third party as a service provider, shall implement and maintain reasonable security procedures for the personal information. The notification laws governing disclosure of unauthorized acquisitions of unencrypted and encrypted computerized data are expanded to specify who must be notified following such unauthorized acquisition and what must be included in such notification. (Note: This summary applies to the reengrossed version of this bill as introduced in the second house.) Read More

## **Primary Sponsors**

Cole Wist, Jeff Bridges, Kent Lambert, Lois Court

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	Priority
GA	HB 499	House Second Readers 2017 02 28	Failed sine die	None	None

## Title

Georgia Personal Data Security Act; enact

### Description

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 34 of Chapter 1 of Title 10 of the O.C.G.A., relating to identity theft, so as to enact the "Georgia Personal Data Security Act"; to improve systems and procedures for providing and regulating notifications of data beaches affecting Georgia residents; to revise legislative findings and declarations; to modify definitions; to modify when notices of certain security breaches are required and to provide for the contents of such notices; to require certain entities to maintain certain data security procedures; to require that certain notices of a data breach be sent to certain officials of this state; to provide for enforcement by the Attorney General; to provide for civil penalties; to provide for designations; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Sheri Gilligan

Bill Number State

HB 2774

Last Action Rule 19 A Re Referred To Rules Committee

2017 04 28

Failed sine die

Status

Position None Priority None

Title

IL

Right To Know Act

### Description

Creates the Right to Know Act. Provides that an operator of a commercial website or online service that collects personally identifiable information through the internet about individual customers residing in Illinois who use or visit its commercial website or online service shall notify those customers of certain specified information pertaining to its personal information sharing practices. Requires an operator to make available certain specified information upon disclosing a customer's personal information to a third party, and to provide an e-mail address or toll-free telephone number whereby customers may request or obtain that information. Provides for a right of action to customers whose rights are violated under the Act. Provides that any waiver of the provisions of the Act or any agreement that does not comply with the applicable provisions of the Act shall be void and unenforceable. Provides that no provision of the Act shall be construed to conflict with or apply to certain specified provisions of federal law or certain interactions with State or local government. Provides findings and purpose. Defines terms. Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the bill as introduced with changes. Provides that the parent or legal guardian of a customer under the age of 18 may submit a request for specified information on behalf of that customer. Provides that an operator shall not be required to respond to a request made by the same customer more than once within a given 12-month period. Modifies the term "operator" to mean any person or entity that owns a website located on the Internet or an online service that collects and maintains personal information (rather than personally identifiable information) from a customer residing in Illinois. Modifies a Section concerning a right of action for a violation of the Act to specify that a violation of the Act constitutes a violation of the Consumer Fraud and Deceptive Business Practices Act. Provides that any person whose rights under the Act are violated shall also have, in addition to any rights under the Consumer Fraud and Deceptive Business Practices Act, a right of action against an offending party to seek injunctive relief, if appropriate. Removes language concerning liquidated damages and recovery of reasonable attorneys' fees, costs, and expenses. Makes conforming changes. Provides that nothing in the Section concerning violation and right of action under the Act shall prevent a person from seeking a right of action for a violation of the Biometric Information Privacy Act or otherwise seeking relief under the Code of Civil Procedure. Provides that nothing in the Act shall be construed to apply to any State agency, federal agency, unit of local government, or any... (click bill link to see more).

## **Primary Sponsors**

Arthur Turner

Bill Number Last Action State

> Rule 19 A Re Referred To Rules Committee 2018 05 31

Status Failed sine die Position None Priority None

Title

IL

Right To Know Act

SB 1502

### Description

Creates the Right to Know Act. Provides that an operator of a commercial website or online service that collects personally identifiable information through the internet about individual customers residing in Illinois who use or visit its commercial website or online service shall notify those customers of certain specified information pertaining to its personal information sharing practices. Requires an operator to make available certain specified information upon disclosing a customer's personal information to a third party, and to provide an e-mail address or toll-free telephone number whereby customers may request or obtain that information. Provides for a right of action to customers whose rights are violated under the Act. Provides that any waiver of the provisions of the Act or any agreement that does not comply with the applicable provisions of the Act shall be void and unenforceable. Provides that no provision of the Act shall be construed to conflict with or apply to certain specified provisions of federal law or certain interactions with State or local government. Provides findings and purpose. Defines terms. Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Reinserts the provisions of the bill as introduced with changes. Provides that the parent or legal guardian of a customer under the age of 18 may submit a request for specified information on behalf of that customer. Provides that an operator shall not be required to respond to a request made by the same customer more than once within a given 12-month period. Modifies the term "operator" to mean any person or entity that owns a website located on the Internet or an online service that collects and maintains personal information (rather than personally identifiable information) from a customer residing in Illinois. Modifies a Section concerning a right of action for a violation of the Act to specify that a violation of the Act constitutes a violation of the Consumer Fraud and Deceptive Business Practices Act. Provides that any person whose rights under the Act are violated shall also have, in addition to any rights under the Consumer Fraud and Deceptive Business Practices Act, a right of action against an offending party to seek injunctive relief, if appropriate. Removes language concerning liquidated damages and recovery of reasonable attorneys' fees, costs, and expenses. Makes conforming changes. Provides that nothing in the Section concerning violation and right of action under the Act shall prevent a person from seeking a right of action for a violation of the Biometric Information Privacy Act or otherwise seeking relief under the Code of Civil Procedure. Provides that nothing in the Act shall be construed to apply to any State agency, federal agency, unit of local government, or any... (click bill link to see more).

## **Primary Sponsors**

Mike Hastings

State ΙL

Bill Number

Last Action

Status

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

SB 3007

Rule 3 9 A Re Referred To Assignments 2018 05

## Title

Personal Information Report Ga

### Description

Amends the Personal Information Protection Act. Provides that a data collector required to report breaches to more than 100 Illinois residents as a result of a single breach must also report to the Attorney General. Provides that the Attorney General shall report annually to the General Assembly specified information concerning breaches of data security by February 1 of each year.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Kwame Raoul

State Bill Number

Position

None

LA **HB 888** 

Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The

Failed sine die

None

Committee On Commerce 2018 04 04

## Title

COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Creates the Internet and Social Media **Data Protection Act** 

## **Primary Sponsors**

Jay Morris

State NJ

Bill Number A 4640

In Assembly

Position None Priority None

Introduced Referred To Assembly Science **Innovation And Technology Committee 2018** 

10 22

## Title

Requires certain businesses to notify data subjects of collection of personally identifiable information and establishes certain security standards.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Valerie Vainieri Huttle, Jamal Holley

State

Bill Number

Priority

NJ S 3153

Introduced In The Senate Referred To Senate

Commerce Committee 2018 10 29

In Senate

None

None

## Title

Requires certain businesses to notify data subjects of collection of personally identifiable information and establishes certain security standards.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Tom Kean

State NV Bill Number

BDR 58-325

Last Action None

Status

Position None

Priority None

### Title

Revises provisions relating to consumer protection and consumer privacy.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Office of the Governor

State NY

Bill Number A 5220

Enacting Clause Stricken 2017 02 09

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

## Title

Restricts the disclosure of personal information by businesses

## Description

Restricts the disclosure of personal information by businesses.

### **Primary Sponsors**

Jeffrey Dinowitz

State NY Bill Number A 5232

Last Action

Enacting Clause Stricken 2017 02 09

Status

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

Title

Relates to the protection of personal information by businesses

Relates to the protection of personal information by businesses.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Jeffrey Dinowitz

NY

Bill Number A 7191

Referred To Rules 2018 06 19

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

## Title

Prohibits the disclosure of personally identifiable information by an internet service provider without the express written approval of the consumer

## Description

Prohibits the disclosure of personally identifiable information by an internet service provider without the express written approval of the consumer.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Monica Wallace

State NY

Bill Number

Last Action

03

Status

Position None Priority None

A 7521

Referred To Governmental Operations 2018 01

Failed sine die

Title

Relates to establishing the New York state online privacy act

Establishes the New York state online privacy act; establishes the Office of State Online Privacy Protection and Internet Safety; establishes the New York State Online Accounts and Social Media Privacy Act; establishes the requirements for use and destruction of online personal and private information; includes definitions, requirements, specifications for minors, responsibilities, liability and enforcement.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Rebecca Seawright

State NY Bill Number A 8097

Enacting Clause Stricken 2017 12 15

Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

Title

Restricts the disclosure of personal information by businesses

## Description

Restricts the disclosure of personal information by businesses.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Brian Kavanagh

State NY Bill Number A 9780

07

Referred To Governmental Operations 2018 02 Failed sine die

Position None Priority None

Title

Enacts the "personal information protection act"

## Description

Enacts the "personal information protection act"; establishes a personal information bill of rights requiring parties having custody of residents' personal identifying information to ensure the security thereof; provides for the approval of programs to secure personal identifying information by the office of information security; requires the notification of the division of state police and the subjects of information upon the breach of such information; directs the office of technology services to establish an information sharing and analysis program to assess threats to cybersecurity; establishes standards for the protection of personal information and provides for a private right of action in the event such standards are violated.

### **Primary Sponsors**

Amy Paulin

State **NY** 

Bill Number A 10571

Last Action

2018 05 07

Referred To Consumer Affairs And Protection

Status
Failed sine die

Position None

Priority

None

## Title

Restricts the disclosure of personal information by businesses

#### Description

Restricts the disclosure of personal information by businesses.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Nily Rozic

State **NY** 

Bill Number S 72

Last Action

Print Number 72 A 2018 03 26

Ctatus

Failed sine die

Position None

Priority
None

### Title

Restricts the disclosure of personal information by businesses

### Description

Restricts the disclosure of personal information by businesses.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Brad Hoylman

State **NY** 

Bill Number S 3657

Last Action

Referred To Finance 2018 01 03

Status

Failed sine die

Position None

Priority
None

## Title

Relates to establishing the New York state online privacy act

## Description

Establishes the New York state online privacy act; establishes the Office of State Online Privacy Protection and Internet Safety; establishes the New York State Online Accounts and Social Media Privacy Act; establishes the requirements for use and destruction of online personal and private information; includes definitions, requirements, specifications for minors, responsibilities, liability and enforcement.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Marty Golden

State Bill Number Last Action
NY S 5603 Referre

Referred To Consumer Protection 2018 01 03

Failed sine die

Position None

Priority
None

Title

Prohibits the disclosure of personally identifiable information by an internet service provider without the express written approval of the consumer

## Description

Prohibits the disclosure of personally identifiable information by an internet service provider without the express written approval of the consumer.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Dave Carlucci

State Bill Number NY S 7555

Last Action

21

Reported And Committed To Finance 2018 03

Status

Failed sine die

Position None

None

Title

Enacts the "personal information protection act"

## Description

Enacts the "personal information protection act"; establishes a personal information bill of rights requiring parties having custody of residents' personal identifying information to ensure the security thereof; provides for the approval of programs to secure personal identifying information by the office of information security; requires the notification of the division of state police and the subjects of information upon the breach of such information; directs the office of technology services to establish an information sharing and analysis program to assess threats to cybersecurity; establishes standards for the protection of personal information and provides for a private right of action in the event such standards are violated.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Terrence Murphy

State Bill Number NY S 8161

Last Action

Referred To Consumer Protection 2018 04 11

Status

Failed sine die

Position None

Priority
None

Title

Prohibits internet service providers from disclosing personally identifiable information under certain circumstances

#### Description

Prohibits internet service providers from disclosing personally identifiable information where a consumer requests that his or her information not be disseminated; defines terms; makes exceptions; imposes a civil penalty.

## **Primary Sponsors**

Dave Carlucci

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority ОН SB 220 Effective 11 2 18 2018 11 02 **Enacted** None None Title Provide legal safe harbor if implement cybersecurity program **Primary Sponsors** Bob Hackett, Kevin Bacon State Bill Number Position Priority Referred To Commerce 2017 10 13 PA HB 1863 In House None None Title An Act regulating electronic mail solicitations; protecting privacy of Internet consumers; regulating use of data about Internet users; and prescribing penalties. **Primary Sponsors Curtis Thomas** State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority Read First Time And Referred To The Failed sine die VTH 147 None None Committee On Commerce And Economic Development 2017 01 27 Title An act relating to consumer protection and data security breaches **Primary Sponsors** Bill Botzow Status State Bill Number Last Action Position Priority House Message Governor Allowed To Become VTH 764 **Enacted** None None Law Without Signature On May 22 2018 2018 05 22 Title (Act 171) An act relating to data brokers and consumer protection State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority VT S 156 Read 1st Time Referred To Committee On Failed sine die None None

Title

An act relating to protecting Vermont consumer data

Judiciary 2018 01 03

**Primary Sponsors** 

Michael Sirotkin

State Bill Number Last Action Status Position Priority
WA HB 2200 Public Hearing In The House Committee On Failed sine die None None
Appropriations At 9 00 Am 2018 02 03

Title

Protecting the privacy and security of internet users.

**Primary Sponsors** 

Drew Hansen

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