

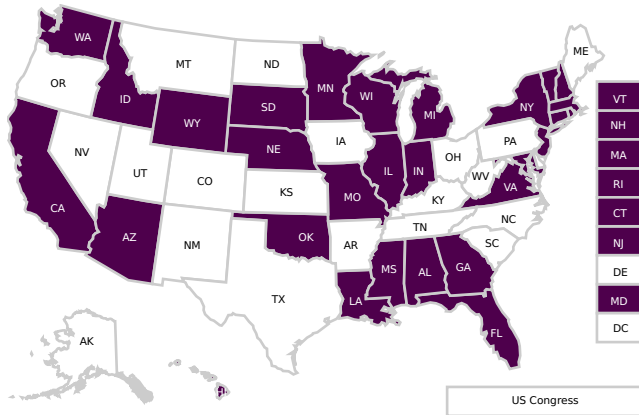
February 2020 State Legislation Update

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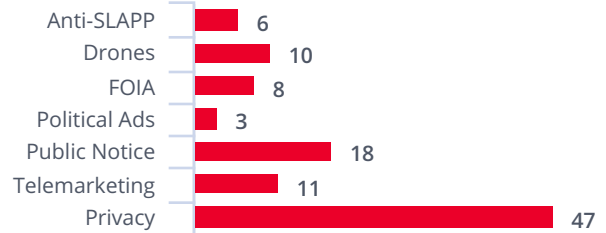
Introduction

LawView is a tool that will track state legislation on a monthly and as-needed basis. These reports cover state developments critical to the news media industry so that our members can affect policy decisions at a local level. We can add issues or bills to cover, pull reports on a specific piece of legislation upon request, and are open to suggestions for how we will shape this tool for you moving forward. Please email us at policy@newsmediaalliance.org.

Bills by State



Bills by Issue



Key Updates on Issues

Anti-SLAPP Related Bills:

- MD SB 1040: First reading to Senate Committee on Rules 02/19/20
- VA HB 759: Senate insisted on substitute 02/28/20
- VA SB 375: Reported from Courts of Justice with substitute and in House 02/28/20

Drones Related Bills:

- NH HB 1580: Public hearing with House Criminal Justice and Public Safety Committee 03/17/20
- FL SB 822: Placed on Rules Committee agenda 02/26/20
- OK SB 1896: Reported Do Pass as Amended by Appropriations Committee 02/26/20
- SD HB 1065: Reported Do Pass as Amended by Senate Judiciary 02/27/20

FOIA Related Bills:

- IL HB 4444: Tabled 02/18/20
- IL HB 5436: First reading to House Committee on Rules 02/18/20
- IL SB 3518: Co-sponsor added 02/27/20

IL HB 4559: Co-sponsor added 02/28/20

Political Advertising Related Bills:

VA HB 849: Bill text as passed House and Senate 03/02/20

WA SB 6152: Rules Committee relieved of further consideration; placed on second reading 03/02/20

CT HB 5410: Scheduled public hearing for March 6 03/02/20

Public Notice Related Bills:

ID H 439: Reported printed and referred to State Affairs 02/07

FL SB 1340: On Senate Judiciary Committee agenda 02/14/20

SD SB 179: Local Government Deferred to the 41st legislative date 02/19/20

GA SB 406: Senate read and referred 02/21/20

VA SB 869: Passed House 02/26/20

MS SB 2606: Referred from Technology Committee to Accountability Committee 02/26/20

MO HB 2567: Read second time 02/26/20

HI SB 2898: Reported from Ways and Means Committee with recommendation of passage on Third Reading 02/28/20

Telemarketing Related Bills:

VA SB 822: Failed 02/09/20

IL HB 5395: First reading; referred to Rules Committee 02/18/20

NY A 9508: Amended and recommitted to Ways and Means 02/22/20

NY S 7508: Amended and recommitted to Finance 02/22/20

CA AB 3007: First reading 02/24/20

NJ A 3500: Introduced and referred to Assembly Consumer Affairs Committee 02/25/20

VT S 324: First reading and referred to Commerce and Economic Development Committee 02/26/20

VA SB 812: Passed House 02/27/20

Privacy Related Bills:

MA SD 612: Senate concurred on extending reporting date to March 4 02/06/20

MA S 2056: Senate concurred on extending reporting date to March 4 02/06/20

AZ SB 1614: Second reading 02/06/20

WA HB 2742: First substitute bill substituted; referred to Appropriations Committee 02/07/20

MD HB 1389: Scheduled hearing with Committee on Economic Matters 02/10/20

MN HF 3096: Introduced, first reading, and referred to Commerce Committee 02/11/20

MS SB 2548: Referred to Judiciary Committee 02/17/20

IL HB 5603: First reading; referred to Rules Committee 02/18/20

AZ HB 2729: Reported do not pass out of Technology Committee 02/19/20

NH HB 1680: Commerce and Consumer Affairs Committee hearing 02/21/20

CT SB 134: Public hearing 02/25/20

WI SB 851: Introduced, co-sponsored, first reading, and referred to Committee on Government Operations, Technology, and Consumer Protection 02/20/20

NJ A 3255: Introduced and referred to Assembly Science, Innovation, and Technology Committee 02/25/20

NJ A 3283: Introduced and referred to Assembly Science, Innovation, and Technology Committee 02/25/20

WY HB 101: House no report prior to Committee of the Whole Cutoff 02/26/20

RI HB 7778: Introduced and referred to House Corporations Committee 02/26/20

IL SB 2330: Assigned to Judiciary Committee 02/27/20

HI HB 2572: Passed second reading as amended and placed on calendar for third reading 02/27/20

IL SB 3299: Assigned to Judiciary Committee 02/27/20

CA AB 2414: Referred to Committee on Privacy and Consumer Protection 02/27/20

VT S 110: Passed both House and Senate and delivered to governor 02/28/20

RI SB 2430: Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration 02/28/20

LA HB 617: Prefiled and provisionally referred to the Committee on Commerce 02/28/20

LA HB 654: Prefiled and provisionally referred to the Committee on Commerce 02/28/20

MD HB 249: Unfavorable report by Economic Matters; withdrawn 03/02/20

WA SB 6281: Referred to Committee on Rules 03/03/20

Bills by Issue

Anti-SLAPP (6)

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MD	HB 379	Hearing 2 05 At 2 00 P M 2020 01 22	In House	None	<div><div>50.0%</div><div>53.7%</div></div>
Title Courts - Civil Actions - Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation			Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance		
Description Altering the conditions under which a lawsuit is considered a strategic lawsuit against public participation (SLAPP suit); specifying the conditions under which a lawsuit is not considered a SLAPP suit; altering the conditions under which a defendant in a SLAPP suit is not civilly liable for certain communications; providing for a plaintiff's burden and the award of certain fees in connection with a motion to dismiss; providing that a ruling or failure to rule on a certain motion is immediately appealable; etc.					
Primary Sponsors Sandy Rosenberg, Jon Cardin					
State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MD	SB 1042	Rereferred To Judicial Proceedings 2020 03 02	In Senate	None	<div><div>66.5%</div><div>54.8%</div></div>
Title Civil Actions – Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation			Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Civil Rights, First Amendment Rights, Privacy, Detention Incarceration & Death Penalty		
Description Altering the conditions under which a lawsuit is considered a strategic lawsuit against public participation (SLAPP suit); specifying the conditions under which a lawsuit is not considered a SLAPP suit; altering the conditions under which a defendant in a SLAPP suit is not civilly liable for certain communications; providing for a plaintiff's burden and the award of certain fees in connection with a motion to dismiss; providing for the prospective application of the Act; etc.					
Primary Sponsors Shelly Hettleman, Charles Sydnor, Smith					
State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	A 1484	Introduced Referred To Assembly Judiciary Committee 2020 01 14	In Assembly	None	<div><div>5.8%</div><div>88.8%</div></div>
Title Authorizes application for dismissal of a "Strategic Lawsuit Against Public Participation " ("SLAPP").			Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Civil Law & Procedure, Civil Rights, Privacy, First Amendment Rights, Crime, White Collar, Violent		
Primary Sponsors Paul Moriarty					

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	S 815	Introduced In The Senate Referred To Senate Judiciary Committee 2020 01 14	In Senate	None	3.8% 0.0%

Title

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

Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Civil Law & Procedure, Civil Rights, Privacy, First Amendment Rights, Crime, White Collar, Violent

Primary Sponsors

Joe Lagana

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
VA	HB 759	House Delegates Vanvalkenburg Simon Kilgore 2020 03 02	Passed Senate	None	97.7% 68.1%

Title

Strategic lawsuits against public participation; special motion to dismiss, stay of discovery.

Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, Other, Crime, Procedure & Sentencing, Violent, Civil Rights, Other, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Communications, Books & Print Media, Health, Medicare & Medicaid, Families & Children, Other, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation

Description

Strategic lawsuits against public participation; special motion to dismiss; stay of discovery; fees and costs. Establishes a procedure by which a party alleging that a claim filed against him is a strategic lawsuit against public participation (SLAPP), as defined in the bill, may file a special motion to dismiss. The bill provides that the filing of such a special motion to dismiss shall stay discovery proceedings related to the claim, pending the entry of an order adjudicating the special motion to dismiss. The bill provides that a court shall award reasonable expenses related to a special motion to dismiss, including attorney fees and costs, if the moving party prevails, in whole or in part, on such a special motion. The bill allows the court to award such reasonable expenses to a prevailing responding party to a special motion to dismiss if the court finds that such a motion was filed in bad faith or solely with the intent to delay the underlying proceedings.

Primary Sponsors

Schuyler VanValkenburg

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
VA	SB 375	House Committee Substitute Printed 20108556 D H 1 2020 02 28	In House	None	95.1% 68.3%

Title

Immunity of persons; statements regarding matters of public concern or made at a public hearing.

Description

Immunity of persons; statements regarding matters of public concern or made at a public hearing; special plea to dismiss; stay of discovery. Provides that a person claiming immunity from certain claims for making statements at a public hearing or regarding matters of public concern may file a special plea to dismiss the underlying claim. The bill further provides that, upon the filing of such a plea, discovery related to such underlying claim shall be stayed pending the entry of an order adjudicating the plea.

Primary Sponsors

John Edwards

Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, State Legislature, Crime, Procedure & Sentencing, Violent, Communications, Books & Print Media, Civil Rights, First Amendment Rights, Health, Medicare & Medicaid, Health Care Providers, Pharmaceuticals, Families & Children, Other, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Benefits & Pensions

Drones (10)

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
FL	SB 822	Favorable By Rules Yeas 17 Nays 0 2020 03 02	In Senate	None	4.5% 86.0%

Title

Drones

Description

Adding an exception to prohibited uses of a drone, etc.

Primary Sponsors

Ben Albritton, Senate Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability

Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Firearms, Government Administration, State Legislature, State Agencies, Civil Rights, Privacy, Searches & Seizures, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Marine, Coastal Resources & Waterways, Housing & Property, Residential Property, Crime, Procedure & Sentencing

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	HB 12	Carried Over To 2020 Regular Session 2019 12 01	In House	None	3.4% 66.1%

Title

Relating To Unmanned Aircraft Systems.

Description

Defines unmanned aircraft systems. Establishes penalties for unauthorized use of unmanned aircrafts.

Categories: Transportation, Other, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, State Executive, Crime, Other, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Firearms

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	HB 13	Carried Over To 2020 Regular Session 2019 12 01	In House	None	18.9% 70.6%

Title
Relating To Violation Of Privacy.

Description
Clarifies that under certain circumstances, the use of an unmanned aircraft system may be a violation of privacy. Increases the penalty for violation of privacy in the second degree to a class C felony for offenses involving the use of an unmanned aircraft system.

Categories: Civil Rights, Privacy, Technology, Software & IT Services, Science & Research, Crime, Procedure & Sentencing, White Collar, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Firearms, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Communications, Telecommunications, Internet, Transportation, Aviation, Ground, Marine

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	SB 620	Carried Over To 2020 Regular Session 2019 12 01	In Senate	None	2.0% 65.3%

Title
Relating To Violation Of Privacy.

Description
Makes violation of privacy a more serious offense if an unmanned aircraft system is used to commit the offense.

Categories: Civil Rights, Privacy, Technology, Software & IT Services, Science & Research, Innovation, Crime, Procedure & Sentencing, White Collar, Violent, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Transportation, Ground, Aviation, Marine

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	SB 622	Carried Over To 2020 Regular Session 2019 12 01	In Senate	None	2.7% 63.9%

Title
Relating To Unmanned Aircraft Systems.

Description
Defines terms relating to unmanned aircrafts. Establishes the offenses of unauthorized use of unmanned aircraft in the first, second, and third degree.

Primary Sponsors
Clarence Nishihara

Categories: Transportation, Aviation, Government Administration, State Executive, Crime, Procedure & Sentencing, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Firearms, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NH	HB 1580	Executive Session 03 17 2020 01 00 Pm Lob 204 2020 02 26	In Senate	None	92.5% 63.1%

Title
(New Title) regulating the use of unmanned aircraft systems.

Primary Sponsors
Carol McGuire

Categories: Crime, Procedure & Sentencing, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Transportation, Aviation, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, National Security & Defense, Homeland Security, Armed Forces, Intelligence, Government Administration, State Executive, Civil Rights, Privacy, Searches & Seizures

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NH	SB 605	Hearing 01 16 2020 Room 100 Sh 01 30 Pm Sc 2 2020 01 09	In Senate	None	40.0% 43.7%
Title relative to violations of privacy involving an unmanned aerial vehicle.		Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Crime, Procedure & Sentencing, White Collar, Civil Rights, Privacy, Detention Incarceration & Death Penalty, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Transportation, Ground, Marine, Aviation			
Primary Sponsors Ruth Ward					
NJ	A 2119	Introduced Referred To Assembly Homeland Security And State Preparedness Committee 2020 01 14	In Assembly	None	12.2% 91.8%
Title Clarifies that crimes of trespassing and invasion of privacy also include use of unmanned aircraft systems.		Categories: Crime, Procedure & Sentencing, Infrastructure, Waste Management, Transport Infrastructure, Transportation, Aviation, Civil Rights, Privacy, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Occupational Safety, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Firearms, Housing & Property, Residential Property			
Primary Sponsors Chris Tully, Lisa Swain, Benjie Wimberly					
OK	SB 1896	Title Stricken 2020 02 26	In Senate	None	18.1% 76.1%
Title Unmanned aerial systems; creating the Unmanned Aircraft Systems Development Act of 2020; allowing for certain agency to develop certain test and procedures for operating unmanned aerial systems. Effective date.		Categories: Transportation, Aviation, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Crime, Procedure & Sentencing, Government Administration, State Executive, National Security & Defense, Homeland Security, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Civil Law & Procedure, Infrastructure, Other, Technology, Software & IT Services, Science & Research, Innovation, Sports & Recreation, Sports, Hunting & Fishing, Civil Rights, Privacy, Searches & Seizures			
Primary Sponsors Micheal Bergstrom					
SD	HB 1065	Judiciary Do Pass Amended Passed Yeas 7 Nays 0 2020 02 27	In Senate	None	18.9% 65.9%
Title Revise drone surveillance protections.		Categories: Crime, Procedure & Sentencing, White Collar, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Firearms, Disaster Response, Civil Rights, Privacy, Government Administration, State Legislature, Agriculture, Agricultural Crops, Meat & Livestock, Pesticides & Fertilizer, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary			
Primary Sponsors David Johnson, Helene Duhamel					

Title

Cybersecurity-Information Tech

Description

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Primary Sponsors

Jaime Andrade

Categories: Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Government Administration, State Agencies, State Executive, Civil Rights, Privacy, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Education, Higher Education, Teaching & Administration, Pre-K-12 Education, Budget, Government Contracting & Procurement, Health, Medical Practice, Crime, Juvenile, White Collar, Families & Children, Other, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Arts & Humanities, Libraries & Museums, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Marine, Coastal Resources & Waterways, Parks, Natural Reserves & Recreational Areas, Labor & Employment, Benefits & Pensions, Wages & Compensation, Occupational Safety, Industrials, Industrial Services, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Communications, Internet, Infrastructure, Waste Management, Sports & Recreation, Sports, Taxes, Property tax, Sales & Excise tax, Income tax

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
IL	HB 4444	Tabled 2020 02 18	In House	None	3.8% 85.9%

Title

Cybersecurity-Information Tech

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State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
IL	HB 4559	Added Chief Co Sponsor Rep John Connor 2020 02 28	In House	None	5.2% 88.3%

Title

Elections-Cyber Security

Description

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Exempts from the Act records that are designed to detect, defend against, prevent, or respond to potential cyber attacks on elections and voter registration held by the State Board of Elections, the Department of Innovation and Technology, election authorities, and other necessary parties. Amends the Election Code. Combines changes made by 2 Public Acts regarding cyber security efforts. Changes references to the "Help America Vote Act" to the "2018 Help America Vote Act Election Security Grant". Provides that the Cyber Navigator Program shall (rather than should) be designed to provide equal support to all election authorities, with allowable modifications based on need. Effective immediately.

Primary Sponsors

Diane Pappas, John Connor

Categories: Civil Rights, Privacy, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Government Administration, Elections, State Executive, Crime, Juvenile, Technology, Software & IT Services, Education, Higher Education, Teaching & Administration, Pre-K-12 Education, Families & Children, Other, Health, Medical Practice, Arts & Humanities, Libraries & Museums, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Marine, Coastal Resources & Waterways, Parks, Natural Reserves & Recreational Areas, Financials, Banking & Investment, Sports & Recreation, Sports, Hunting & Fishing, Labor & Employment, Benefits & Pensions, Wages & Compensation

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
IL	HB 5436	Referred To Rules Committee 2020 02 18	In House	None	16.4% 87.5%

Title

Foia-Debt Origination Fees

Description

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Provides that the exemption from disclosure for proprietary, privileged, or confidential financial data does not apply to fees charged by debt underwriters or fees charged by debt financiers.

Primary Sponsors

Amy Grant, Grant Wehrli, Deanne Mazzochi

Categories: Civil Rights, Privacy, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Crime, Juvenile, Education, Higher Education, Teaching & Administration, Pre-K-12 Education, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Families & Children, Other, Health, Medical Practice, Arts & Humanities, Libraries & Museums, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Parks, Natural Reserves & Recreational Areas, Marine, Coastal Resources & Waterways, Technology, Software & IT Services, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Sports & Recreation, Sports, Hunting & Fishing, Labor & Employment, Benefits & Pensions

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
IL	SB 1863	Rule 19 A Re Referred To Rules Committee 2019 11 28	In House	None	91.2% 54.4%

Title

Foia/Elections-Cybersecurity

Description

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Exempts from disclosure risk and vulnerability assessments, security measures, schedules, certifications, and response policies or plans that are designed to detect, defend against, prevent, or respond to potential cyber attacks upon the State's or an election authority's network systems, or records that the disclosure of which would, in any way, constitute a risk to the proper administration of elections or voter registration. Provides that the information is exempt only to the extent that disclosure could reasonably be expected to jeopardize the effectiveness of the measures or the safety of computer systems. Provides that the exemption applies to records held by the State Board of Elections, the Department of Innovation and Technology, election authorities, and any other necessary party to protect the administration of elections. Amends the Election Code. In provisions governing the administration of the cyber navigator program, directs the allocation of resources received in accordance with the 2018 Help America Vote Act Election Security Grant (instead of the allocation of resources received in accordance with the federal Help America Vote Act). Effective immediately.

Primary Sponsors

Terry Link, Greg Harris

Categories: Government Administration, Elections, State Executive, Crime, White Collar, Juvenile, Families & Children, Other, Marriage Issues, Child Care, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Communications, Internet, Telecommunications, Arts & Humanities, Libraries & Museums, Budget, Government Contracting & Procurement, Appropriations, Education, Higher Education, Teaching & Administration, Pre-K-12 Education, Transportation, Ground, Marine, Aviation, Civil Rights, Privacy, Taxes, Property tax, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Health, Medical Practice, Pharmaceuticals, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Housing & Property, Residential Property, Property Insurance, Infrastructure, Transport Infrastructure, Utilities, Waste Management, Sports & Recreation, Sports, Hunting & Fishing

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position
IL	SB 1929	Senate Floor Amendment No 2 Pursuant To Senate Rule 3 9 B Referred To Assignments 2019 07 03	In Senate	None

FN Outlook
2.2% 85.3%

Title

Foia-Exemptions-Prosecutor

Description

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Exempts from inspection and copying interagency or intra-agency memoranda or letters that would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency. Provides that the exemption does not apply to a record created 25 years or more before the date on which the record is requested. Replaces everything after the enacting clause. Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Exempts from inspection and copying under the Act: (1) materials gathered in connection with a grand jury proceeding or documents contained within the prosecution trial file, except as may be allowed under discovery rules adopted by the Illinois Supreme Court; and (2) records in the possession of a prosecutor that were prepared or compiled by the prosecutor in connection with post-conviction proceedings or any voluntary post-conviction internal review.

Primary Sponsors

John Curran

Categories: Civil Rights, Privacy, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Education, Higher Education, Teaching & Administration, Pre-K-12 Education, Crime, Juvenile, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Families & Children, Other, Arts & Humanities, Libraries & Museums, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Marine, Coastal Resources & Waterways, Parks, Natural Reserves & Recreational Areas, Health, Other, Sports & Recreation, Sports, Hunting & Fishing, Technology, Software & IT Services, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Benefits & Pensions, Communications, Internet, Marketing

Title

Foia-Arrest/Criminal Records

Description

Amends the Freedom of Information Act. Exempts from inspection and copying a law enforcement record created for law enforcement purposes if the public body that is the recipient of the request did not create the record and did not participate in or have a role in any of the events that are the subject of the record. Provides that if a public body receives a request for a law enforcement record created for law enforcement purposes that it did not create, the public body shall direct the requester to the public body that created the law enforcement record. Deletes language exempting from inspection and copying a law enforcement record created for law enforcement purposes and contained in a shared electronic record management system if the law enforcement agency that is the recipient of the request did not create the record, did not participate in or have a role in any of the events which are the subject of the record, and only has access to the record through the shared electronic record management system. Replaces everything after the enacting clause with the provisions of the introduced bill, and replaces references to "public body" in the amendatory language with references to "law enforcement agency". Restores language exempting from inspection and copying a law enforcement record created for law enforcement purposes and contained in a shared electronic record management system if the law enforcement agency that is the recipient of the request did not create the record, did not participate in or have a role in any of the events which are the subject of the record, and only has access to the record through the shared electronic record management system. Deletes language: exempting from inspection and copying a law enforcement record created for law enforcement purposes if the law enforcement agency that is the recipient of the request did not create the record and did not participate in or have a role in any of the events that are the subject of the record; and providing that if a law enforcement agency receives a request for a law enforcement record created for law enforcement purposes that it did not create, the law enforcement agency shall direct the requester to the law enforcement agency that created the law enforcement record. Instead exempts from inspection and copying a law enforcement record that is: (i) created by a law enforcement agency other than the law enforcement agency that is the recipient of the request; and (ii) attached as an exhibit to a law enforcement record created by the law enforcement agency that is the recipient of the request, if the law enforcement agency notifies the requester of the additional law enforcement records available from different law enforcement agencies and the law enforcement agencies the requester ma... (click bill link to see more).

Primary Sponsors

Terry Link, Jay Hoffman

Categories: Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Civil Rights, Privacy, Government Administration, Municipal Governments, State Legislature, Crime, Juvenile, Education, Higher Education, Teaching & Administration, Pre-K-12 Education, Arts & Humanities, Libraries & Museums, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Parks, Natural Reserves & Recreational Areas, Marine, Coastal Resources & Waterways, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Families & Children, Other, Health, Other, Technology, Software & IT Services, Sports & Recreation, Sports, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Benefits & Pensions, Occupational Safety, Communications, Internet, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Taxes, Property tax

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
IL	SB 3518	Added As Co Sponsor Sen Steven M Landek 2020 02 27	In Senate	None	2.3% 88.2%

Title

Cybersecurity-Information Tech

Description

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Primary Sponsors

Elgie Sims

Categories: Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Government Administration, State Agencies, State Executive, Civil Rights, Privacy, Education, Higher Education, Teaching & Administration, Pre-K-12 Education, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Health, Medical Practice, Budget, Government Contracting & Procurement, Crime, Juvenile, White Collar, Families & Children, Other, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Public Resources, Marine, Coastal Resources & Waterways, Land Use & Conservation, Parks, Natural Reserves & Recreational Areas, Arts & Humanities, Libraries & Museums, Labor & Employment, Benefits & Pensions, Wages & Compensation, Occupational Safety, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Industrials, Industrial Services, Communications, Internet, Infrastructure, Waste Management, Taxes, Property tax, Sales & Excise tax, Income tax, Sports & Recreation, Sports, Hunting & Fishing

Political Ads (3)

Title

AN ACT CONCERNING CERTAIN CHANGES TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE LAWS.

Description

To (1) provide exemptions for communications that clearly identify the Governor or President of the United States and for campaign training conducted by party committees, (2) permit the use of Citizens' Election Program grant funds to offset dependent care costs, (3) increase transparency with respect to moneys paid to campaign consultants, (4) increase disclosure of independent expenditures and prohibit such expenditures by foreign-influenced entities, (5) reveal persons behind political committees and contributors to such committees, (6) revise the manner in which the State Elections Enforcement Commission processes complaints, (7) require online platforms to disclose purchasers of political advertisements, (8) ensure the amount of funds in the Citizens' Election Fund is sufficient to provide grants to each qualified candidate committee under the Citizens' Election Program, (9) create bright lines between coordinated and independent spending, (10) permit members of the State Elections Enforcement Commission to serve more than two consecutive terms, and (11) permit gubernatorial candidates participating in the Citizens' Election Program to raise additional funds and qualify for supplemental grants.

Primary Sponsors

Joint Committee on Government Administration and Elections

Categories: Government Administration, Elections, State Executive, Campaign Finance, Communications, Internet, Families & Children, Other, Marriage Issues, Crime, White Collar, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Affairs, Transportation, Ground, Marine, Aviation, Social Issues, Mental & Physical Disability, Travel & Leisure, Gambling, Hospitality, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Budget, Appropriations, Taxes, Property tax

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
VA	HB 849	House Bill Text As Passed House And Senate Hb 849 Er 2020 03 02	Passed Senate	None	97.2% 75.1%

Title

Political campaign advertisements; disclosure requirements, advertisements placed, etc.

Categories: Communications, Radio, Government Administration, State Legislature, Elections, Campaign Finance

Description

Political campaign advertisements; disclosure requirements; advertisements placed or promoted for a fee on an online platform. Subjects any message that is placed or promoted for a fee on an online platform to the same disclosure requirements to which print media, television, and radio advertisements are subject. The bill defines "online platform" as any public-facing website, web application, or digital application, including a social network, ad network, or search engine, that sells advertisements. The bill expands the definition of "print media" to include any non-video or non-audio message placed or promoted for a fee on an online platform, subjects advertisements in video format that are placed or promoted for a fee on an online platform to the same disclosure requirements to which television advertisements are subject, and subjects advertisements in audio format that are placed or promoted for a fee on an online platform to the same disclosure requirements to which radio advertisements are subject.

Primary Sponsors

Marcus Simon

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
WA	SB 6152	Rules Committee Relieved Of Further Consideration Placed On Second Reading 2020 03 02	In House	None	45.6% 80.5%

Title

Concerning certification of the level of foreign national ownership for corporations that participate in Washington state elections.

Categories: Government Administration, Elections, Campaign Finance, Families & Children, Other, Marriage Issues, Communications, Marketing, Internet, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Financials, Banking & Investment, Labor & Employment, Unions, Wages & Compensation, Social Issues, Charities & Nonprofits

Primary Sponsors

Jesse Salomon

Public Notice (18)

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
AL	HB 128	Read For The First Time And Referred To The House Of Representatives Committee On State Government 2020 02 04	In House	None	18.1% 92.5%

Title

Public notices, to provide for electronic publication on a public notice website, Legal Notice Savings and Modernization Act, Secs. 6-8-64, 17-4-1 am'd.

Categories: Government Administration, Municipal Governments, Communications, Internet, Books & Print Media, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation

Primary Sponsors

Andrew Sorrell

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
FL	SB 1340	On Committee Agenda Judiciary 02 19 20 1 30 Pm 110 Senate Building Temporarily Postponed 2020 02 14	In Senate	None	2.2% 87.9%

Title
Legal Notices

Description

Providing for the publication of legal notices on certain publicly accessible websites; allowing a governmental agency to publish legal notices on a publicly accessible website under certain circumstances; removing provisions relating to the publication of legal notices in newspapers; providing that an advertisement of a sale or disposition of property may be published on certain websites for a specified time period, etc.

Primary Sponsors

Joe Gruters

Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, Municipal Governments, Communications, Internet, Books & Print Media, Taxes, Property tax, Housing & Property, Residential Property, Commercial & Industrial Property, Transportation, Marine, Ground, Aviation, Budget, Appropriations, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Benefits & Pensions

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
GA	SB 406	Senate Read And Referred 2020 02 21	In Senate	None	87.1% 71.0%

Title
Counties, Municipal Corporations, and Other Governmental Entities; additional manner of publishing certain legal notices by counties; provide

Description

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 80 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to general provisions applicable to counties, municipal corporations, and other governmental entities, so as to provide an additional manner of publishing certain legal notices by counties; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Primary Sponsors

Lee Anderson, Ellis Black, Mike Dugan, Steve Gooch, Butch Miller, John Albers, Marty Harbin, Lindsey Tippins, Randy Robertson, Kay Kirkpatrick, Gloria Butler, David Lucas, Harold Jones, Chuck Payne, Chuck Hufstetler, Freddie Sims, Jesse Stone, Matt Brass, Frank Ginn, Tyler Harper, Ed Harbison, Bill Ligon

Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, Municipal Governments, Communications, Books & Print Media, Marketing, Internet

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	HB 1710	Referred To Lab Lmg Fin Referral Sheet 2 2020 01 21	In House	None	97.4% 62.5%

Title
Relating To Concessions On Public Property.

Description

Specifies advertising requirements for offers and allows for online advertising. Effective 7/01/2030.

Categories: Communications, Internet, Government Administration, Municipal Governments, State Agencies

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	HB 2342	Referred To Lab Jud Lmg Fin Referral Sheet 5 2020 01 27	In House	None	18.1% 62.5%

Title
Relating To Public Notices.

Categories: Communications, Books & Print Media, Government Administration, Municipal Governments

Description
Allows government agencies to publish public notice on their official website as an alternative to the newspaper.

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	SB 2143	The Committee On Gvo Deferred The Measure 2020 01 30	In Senate	None	4.2% 62.9%

Title
Relating To Concessions On Public Property.

Categories: Communications, Internet, Government Administration, Municipal Governments, State Agencies

Description
Specifies advertising requirements for offers and allows for online advertising. Effective 7/01/2030.

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	SB 2898	One Day Notice 03 03 20 2020 02 28	In Senate	None	2.6% 63.6%

Title
Relating To Public Notices.

Categories: Communications, Books & Print Media, Government Administration, Municipal Governments, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary

Description
Allows government agencies to publish public notice on their official website as an alternative to the newspaper. Effective 1/1/2050. (SD1)

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
ID	H 439	Reported Printed And Referred To State Affairs 2020 02 07	In House	None	36.6% 71.3%

Title
PUBLIC NOTICES – Adds to existing law to provide for electronic publication of legal notices on government websites.

Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Communications, Books & Print Media, Marketing, Telecommunications, Government Administration, State Legislature

Primary Sponsors
House Committee on State Affairs

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
IN	HB 1310	First Reading Referred To Committee On Local Government 2020 01 14	In House	None	10.9% 69.1%

Title
Public notice requirements.

Categories: Communications, Books & Print Media, Internet, Government Administration, Other

Description
Provides that a political subdivision may not pay more than \$300 for each insertion of a public notice. Provides that if: (1) the cost of a public notice that is required to be published exceeds \$300; or (2) a public notice corrects a previous public notice that contains an error or omission; publication of the public notice on the political subdivision's Internet web site satisfies the requirements applicable to the publication of such notices.

Primary Sponsors
Mac McNamara, Dave Wolkins

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MO	HB 2567	Read Second Time H 2020 02 26	In House	None	4.8% 94.8%

Title
Changes the law regarding newspapers

Categories: Communications, Books & Print Media, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, Other

Primary Sponsors
Steve Lynch

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MS	SB 2606	Dr Tsdpcs Te To Ac 2020 02 26	In Senate	None	2.2% 84.8%

Title

Local governmental entities; authorize to publish notices on a free, publicly accessible, official government website.

Description

An Act To Amend Sections 1-3-69, 7-7-221, 11-33-37, 13-3-31, 17-17-107, 17-17-227, 17-17-309, 17-17-348, 19-3-11, 19-3-33, 19-3-35, 19-5-9, 19-5-21, 19-5-81, 19-5-155, 19-5-157, 19-5-189, 19-5-207, 19-7-3, 19-9-11, 19-9-111, 19-29-18, 21-13-11, 21-17-1, 21-17-19, 21-19-51, 21-33-47, 21-33-207, 21-33-307, 21-35-5, 21-35-31, 21-39-3, 21-41-51, 21-45-11, 23-15-315, 23-15-857, 25-1-63, 27-31-50, 27-33-33, 27-35-83, 27-39-329, 27-43-3, 27-65-3, 29-3-29, 29-3-81, 31-7-13, 31-8-11, 31-25-28, 37-5-1, 37-5-18, 37-7-104, 37-7-105, 37-7-203, 37-7-207, 37-9-12, 37-57-104, 37-57-105, 37-59-13, 37-61-9, 39-13-11, 41-13-15, 47-4-3, 49-17-121, 49-28-5, 49-28-7, 49-28-43, 51-7-11, 51-8-61, 51-9-111, 51-9-115, 51-11-65, 51-15-109, 51-15-113, 51-29-5, 51-29-31, 51-31-47, 51-33-5, 51-35-309, 51-35-325, 51-39-17, 51-39-39, 51-41-21, 57-3-11, 57-3-13, 57-61-37, 57-75-17, 59-3-7, 59-3-9, 59-7-17, 59-7-113, 59-7-115, 59-13-5, 65-7-4, 65-7-121, 65-19-3, 65-21-17, 65-33-49, 65-33-51, 65-33-53, 77-3-16 And 77-5-407, Mississippi Code Of 1972, To Authorize Local Governmental Entities To Publish Public Notices By Using A Free, Publicly Accessible, Official Government Website; And For Related Purposes.

Primary Sponsors

Scott DeLano

Categories: Taxes, Property tax, Government Administration, Municipal Governments, Elections, State Legislature, Housing & Property, Residential Property, Commercial & Industrial Property, Property Insurance, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Disaster Response, Infrastructure, Waste Management, Transport Infrastructure, Utilities, Industrials, Minerals & Raw Materials, Industrial Services, Construction, Industrial Goods, Building Products, Aerospace & Defense, Budget, Appropriations, Economic Development, Education, Teaching & Administration, Higher Education, Pre-K-12 Education, Transportation, Marine, Ground, Aviation, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Communications, Books & Print Media, Telecommunications, Internet, Marketing, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Energy, Oil & Gas, Alternative & Renewables, Health, Health Care Providers, Pharmaceuticals, Medical Practice, Agriculture, Food Safety, Agricultural Crops, Agricultural Equipment, Arts & Humanities, Libraries & Museums, Travel & Leisure, Gambling, Tourism, Hospitality

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	S 451	Introduced In The Senate Referred To Senate State Government Wagering Tourism Historic Preservation Committee 2020 01 14	In Senate	None	4.7% 0.0%

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

Categories: Government Administration, Municipal Governments, Communications, Internet, Books & Print Media, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Housing & Property, Residential Property, Commercial & Industrial Property, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
OK	HB 2857	Second Reading Referred To Rules 2020 02 04	In House	None	3.8% 73.2%

Title

Publication of legal notices; allowing for publication on municipality's website; effective date.

Primary Sponsors

Daniel Pae

Categories: Government Administration, Municipal Governments, Elections, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Communications, Books & Print Media, Housing & Property, Residential Property

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
RI	HB 7149	Committee Recommended Measure Be Held For Further Study 2020 01 29	In House	None	4.8% 72.8%

Title

An Act Relating To Property -- Form And Effect Of Conveyances (Allows A Municipality To Publish Any Public Notice In A Newspaper Within The Municipality Or Any Other Platform Selected By The Town Or City Council Of Such Municipality.)

Categories: Communications, Books & Print Media, Government Administration, Municipal Governments, Housing & Property, Residential Property, Commercial & Industrial Property, Property Insurance

Primary Sponsors

David Place, Brian Newberry, Jack Lyle, Bob Quattrocchi, Blake Filippi

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
SD	SB 179	Local Government Deferred To The 41st Legislative Day Passed Yeas 5 Nays 1 2020 02 19	In Senate	None	79.3% 61.4%

Title

Revise the legal notice process.

Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Antitrust, Civil Law & Procedure

Primary Sponsors

Troy Heinert

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position
VA	HB 588	House Incorporated By Courts Of Justice Hb 712 Hope By Voice Vote 2020 01 27	Failed	None

Title

Legal notices; online publications.

Categories: Communications, Books & Print Media, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, Municipal Governments, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Benefits & Pensions

Description

Legal notices; online publications. Provides that, where any ordinance, resolution, notice, or advertisement is required by law to be published in a newspaper, such ordinance, resolution, notice, or advertisement may instead be published in an online publication. The bill further specifies the requirements for such online publication.

Primary Sponsors

Liz Guzman

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
VA	HB 712	House Continued To 2021 In Courts Of Justice By Voice Vote 2020 01 27	In House	None	20.7% 80.7%
Title Legal notices; online publications.		Categories: Communications, Books & Print Media, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, Municipal Governments, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Benefits & Pensions			
Description Legal notices; online publications. Provides that, where any ordinance, resolution, notice, or advertisement is required by law to be published in a newspaper, such ordinance, resolution, notice, or advertisement instead may be published in an online publication, subject to certain requirements specified in the bill.					
Primary Sponsors Patrick Hope					

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
VA	SB 869	House Passed House 73 Y 23 N 2020 02 26	Passed House	None	96.7% 62.6%
Title Hearing notice by localities; timely notice related to planning or zoning matter to newspaper, etc.		Categories: Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Government Administration, State Legislature, Communications, Books & Print Media, Housing & Property, Residential Property, Commercial & Industrial Property, National Security & Defense, Armed Forces, Taxes, Property tax, Estate & gift tax, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation			
Description Hearing notice by localities. Provides that in any instance in which a locality in Planning District 23 has submitted a timely notice request to such newspaper and the newspaper fails to publish the notice, such locality shall be deemed to have met certain notice requirements so long as the notice was published in the next available edition of a newspaper having general circulation in the locality.					
Primary Sponsors Bill DeSteph					

Telemarketing (11)

Title

Telecommunications: automatic dialing-announcing devices: call mitigation technology.

Description

AB 3007, as introduced, Chau. Telecommunications: automatic dialing-announcing devices: call mitigation technology. Existing law authorizes the Public Utilities Commission to control and regulate the use of automatic dialing-announcing devices, which existing law defines as automatic equipment that incorporates a storage capability of telephone numbers to be called, or a random or sequential number generator capable of producing numbers to be called, and the capability to disseminate a prerecorded message to the telephone number called. Existing law prohibits a person from operating an automatic dialing-announcing device except for specified purposes and uses, including to transmit a message to an established business associate, customer, or other person having an established relationship with the person using the automatic dialing-announcing device to transmit the message or to call a recipient at the recipient's request. Existing law prohibits a person operating an automatic dialing-announcing device from making a telephone connection for which no person, acting as an agent or telemarketer, is available for the person called. This bill would instead define "automatic dialing-announcing devices" for these purposes as automatic equipment that stores and calls, or automatically sends text messages to, telephone numbers, that generates in a random or sequential order and calls, or automatically sends text messages to, telephone numbers, that makes telephone calls that include artificial or prerecorded voice messages, or that sends text messages that include prewritten text messages. The bill would repeal the authorization for the use of automatic dialing-announcing devices to make calls pursuant to an established business relationship or the recipient's request. Existing law authorizes the use of automatic dialing-announcing devices pursuant to a prior agreement between the persons involved, whereby the person called has consented to receive the call. This bill would specifically authorize the person called to revoke that consent at any time and in any reasonable manner, regardless of the context in which the consent was provided. Under existing law, the commission has regulatory authority over public utilities, including telephone corporations. Existing law, with specified exceptions, directs the commission to require any call identification service offered by a telephone corporation, or by any other person or corporation that makes use of the facilities of a telephone corporation, to allow a caller to withhold, on an individual basis, the display of the caller's telephone number from the telephone instrument of the individual receiving the call. Existing law prohibits a caller from withholding the display of the caller's bus... (click bill link to see more).

Primary Sponsors

Ed Chau

Categories: Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Communications, Telecommunications, Infrastructure, Utilities, Waste Management, Technology, Software & IT Services, Science & Research, Innovation, Taxes, Property tax, Income tax, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Health, Health Care Providers, Medicare & Medicaid, Civil Rights, Privacy

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
IL	HB 5395	Referred To Rules Committee 2020 02 18	In House	None	12.7% 86.7%

Title

Autodialer-Caller Id-Consent

Description

Amends the Automatic Telephone Dialers Act. Redefines "recorded message" to mean any artificial or recorded communication that includes or introduces an advertisement or constitutes telemarketing without live voice interaction (rather than any taped communication soliciting the sale of goods or services without live voice interaction). Prohibits an autodialer from providing inaccurate caller ID information in violation of a specified federal law and regulations of the Federal Communications Commission. Provides that it is a violation of the Act to play a recorded message (rather than a prerecorded message) placed by an autodialer without the (i) prior express consent of the called party or (ii) the prior express written consent of the called party if the call is a call that delivers a health care message made by, or on behalf of, a covered entity or its business associate as those terms are defined in a specified provision of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996. Defines "telemarketing" and "prior express written consent".

Primary Sponsors

Avery Bourne, Lindsay Parkhurst, Amy Grant, Tony McCombie, Grant Wehrli

Categories: Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Health, Medical Practice, Health Care Providers, Health Insurance, Government Administration, State Legislature, State Executive, Crime, White Collar, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Affairs, Communications, Telecommunications, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Civil Rights, Privacy, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	A 951	Introduced Referred To Assembly Consumer Affairs Committee 2020 01 14	In Assembly	None	3.4% 92.3%

Title

Requires telecommunications service providers to provide call mitigation technology to subscribers.

Primary Sponsors

Rob Karabinchak, Clinton Calabrese, Kevin Rooney

Categories: Communications, Telecommunications, Government Administration, State Legislature, Infrastructure, Waste Management, Utilities, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Hardware, Science & Research, Social Issues, Charities & Nonprofits, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Affairs

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	A 1446	Introduced Referred To Assembly Consumer Affairs Committee 2020 01 14	In Assembly	None	14.6% 92.7%

Title

Prohibits telemarketers from making certain unsolicited telemarketing sales calls.

Primary Sponsors

BettyLou DeCroce, Chris DePhillips, Dan Benson

Categories: Communications, Telecommunications, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Consumers, Consumer Products, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	A 3500	Introduced Referred To Assembly Consumer Affairs Committee 2020 02 25	In Assembly	None	4.3% 90.6%

Title

Prohibits automated telephone calling and text messaging and requires telecommunications service providers to provide call mitigation technology to subscribers.

Primary Sponsors

Valerie Vainieri Huttie, Jim Kennedy

Categories: Communications, Telecommunications, Government Administration, State Executive, Infrastructure, Utilities, Waste Management, Technology, Software & IT Services, Science & Research, Innovation, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Affairs, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Social Issues, Charities & Nonprofits, Civil Rights, Privacy

Title

Enacts into law major components of legislation necessary to implement the state transportation, economic development and environmental conservation budget for the 2020-2021 state fiscal year

Description

Enacts into law major components of legislation necessary to implement the state transportation, economic development and environmental conservation budget for the 2020-2021 state fiscal year; increases the threshold for requiring competitive bidding for projects funded by consolidated local highway assistance payments (Part A); relates to penalties for commercial vehicles on parkways and penalties for over-height vehicles (Part B); relates to the display of amber and blue lights on safety service patrol vehicles (Part C); relates to highway worker safety (Subpart A); relates to highway clearance (Subpart B); relates to increased fines for injury to pedestrians (Subpart C) (Part D); relates to the maximum dimension of certain vehicles proceeding to and from the New York state thruway authority (Part E); relates to agreements for the use of the thruway authority's fiber optic system (Part F); consolidates the New York state bridge authority with the New York state thruway authority; defines the "Cross-Hudson bridge system"; makes related provisions (Part G); imposes penalties for unlicensed operation of ground transportation to and from airports; authorizes the commissioner of motor vehicles to deny a registration or renewal application for a motor vehicle where a current or previously registered owner of such motor vehicle has been found in violation of any provision establishing civil or criminal liability for unlicensed ground transportation service or unlicensed operation; authorizes police to seize a motor vehicle that may be subject to legal forfeiture if the officer finds probable cause; makes related provisions (Part H); relates to setting the aggregate principal amount of bonds the Metropolitan transit authority, the Triborough bridge and tunnel authority and the New York city transit authority can issue to ninety billion one hundred million dollars (Part I); relates to procurements conducted by the New York City transit authority and the metropolitan transportation authority (Part J); relates to extending authorization for increment financing for the MTA (Part K); relates to providing the metropolitan transit authority the right to enter private property to trim trees and vegetation for safety purposes (Part L); relates to providing for penalties for drivers who evade tolls or fraudulently alter license plates to avoid payment of tolls and takes measures to deter fraudulent use of certain toll exemptions (Part M); includes station customer assistants; persons whose official duties include the sale or collection of tickets, passes, vouchers, or other fare payment media for use on a train or bus; persons whose official duties include the maintenance, repair, inspection, troubleshooting, testing or cleaning of a transit signal system, elevated ... (click bill link to see more).

Primary Sponsors

Joint 2016 General Budget Conference Committee

Categories: Transportation, Ground, Marine, Infrastructure, Transport Infrastructure, Utilities, Waste Management, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Marine, Coastal Resources & Waterways, Parks, Natural Reserves & Recreational Areas, Government Administration, State Executive, Municipal Governments, Taxes, Property tax, Crime, White Collar, Consumers, Consumer Products, Automotive Parts, Consumer Technology, Retail, Consumer Affairs, Industrials, Industrial Services, Construction, Minerals & Raw Materials, Communications, Telecommunications, Internet, Television, Budget, Appropriations, Economic Development, Agriculture, Food Safety, Pesticides & Fertilizer, Agricultural Equipment, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Disaster Response, Housing & Property, Residential Property, Property Insurance, Commercial & Industrial Property, Food & Beverage, Alcoholic Beverage, Tobacco, Technology, Innovation, Science & Research, Software & IT Services, Energy, Oil & Gas, Alternative & Renewables, Social Issues, Welfare & Poverty, Mental & Physical Disability, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Families & Children, Other, Health, Health Care Providers, Pharmaceuticals, Medical Practice, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Benefits & Pensions, Occupational Safety, Environment, Environmental Quality/Standards, Climate Change, Civil Rights, Privacy, Gender, National Security & Defense, Veterans, Armed Forces

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Primary Sponsors

Senate Committee on Budget and Revenues

Categories: Transportation, Ground, Marine, Infrastructure, Transport Infrastructure, Utilities, Waste Management, Public Resources, Land Use & Conservation, Marine, Coastal Resources & Waterways, Parks, Natural Reserves & Recreational Areas, Government Administration, State Executive, Municipal Governments, Taxes, Property tax, Crime, White Collar, Consumers, Consumer Products, Automotive Parts, Consumer Technology, Retail, Consumer Affairs, Industrials, Industrial Services, Construction, Minerals & Raw Materials, Communications, Telecommunications, Internet, Television, Budget, Appropriations, Economic Development, Agriculture, Food Safety, Pesticides & Fertilizer, Agricultural Equipment, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Disaster Response, Housing & Property, Residential Property, Property Insurance, Commercial & Industrial Property, Food & Beverage, Alcoholic Beverage, Tobacco, Technology, Innovation, Science & Research, Software & IT Services, Energy, Oil & Gas, Alternative & Renewables, Social Issues, Welfare & Poverty, Mental & Physical Disability, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Families & Children, Other, Health, Health Care Providers, Pharmaceuticals, Medical Practice, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Benefits & Pensions, Occupational Safety, Environment, Environmental Quality/Standards, Climate Change, Civil Rights, Privacy, Gender, National Security & Defense, Veterans, Armed Forces

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
VA	SB 812	House Vote Block Vote Passage 100 Y 0 N 2020 02 27	Passed House	None	96.0% 75.3%

Title

Virginia Telephone Privacy Protection Act; telephone solicitation calls.

Description

Telephone privacy protection. Provides that for the purposes of the Virginia Telephone Privacy Act (the Act), "telephone solicitation call" includes any text message sent to any wireless telephone with a Virginia area code, or to a wireless telephone registered to any natural person who is a resident of the Commonwealth, for the purpose of offering or advertising any property, goods, or services for sale, lease, license, or investment, including offering or advertising an extension of credit or for the purpose of fraudulent activity. The bill prohibits a telephone solicitor from engaging in any conduct that results in the display of false or misleading caller identification information on the called party's telephone. The bill increases the amount of damages and the amount of the civil penalty for violations of the Act from \$500 for each such violation to \$500 for a first violation, \$1,000 for a second violation, and \$5,000 for each subsequent violation and increases to \$5,000 the maximum civil penalty the court may impose for a willful first or second violation.

Primary Sponsors

Joe Morrissey

Categories: Communications, Telecommunications, Government Administration, State Executive, Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Crime, White Collar, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Agriculture, Meat & Livestock, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Families & Children, Other

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position
VA	SB 822	Senate Passed By Indefinitely In Commerce And Labor 15 Y 0 N 2020 02 09	Failed	None

Title

Telephone privacy protection; solicitor to immediately disclose who is calling, etc.

Description

Telephone privacy protection. Requires a telephone solicitor to immediately disclose who is calling and what property, good, or service is being offered. The measure also prohibits caller ID spoofing, which is defined in the measure as causing any caller identification service to transmit caller identification information that represents or states that the call originates from a telephone with an area code assigned to an area in the Commonwealth or from a location in the Commonwealth if the person on whose behalf the telephone solicitation call is being made does not conduct business from a location in the Commonwealth.

Primary Sponsors

Joe Morrissey

Categories: Communications, Telecommunications, Government Administration, State Executive, Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Crime, White Collar, Agriculture, Agricultural Equipment, Agricultural Crops, Meat & Livestock, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Benefits & Pensions

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
VT	H 889	Read First Time And Referred To The Committee On Commerce And Economic Development 2020 01 23	In House	None	27.6% 62.1%
Title An act relating to promoting consumer privacy and security		Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Home Improvement / Home Building, Retail, Automotive Parts, Personal Products, Commercial Services, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Semiconductors, Hardware, Civil Rights, Privacy, Reproductive Issues			
Primary Sponsors Robert Hooper					

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
VT	S 324	Read First Time And Referred To The Committee On Commerce And Economic Development 2020 02 26	In House	None	95.0% 55.1%
Title An act relating to prohibiting robocalls		Categories: Crime, White Collar, Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Home Improvement / Home Building, Retail, Automotive Parts, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Communications, Marketing, Telecommunications			
Primary Sponsors Randy Brock, Dick Sears					

Privacy (47)

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
AZ	HB 2729	Reported Do Pass Out Of Technology Committee 2020 02 19	In House	None	17.7% 71.1%
Title Personal data; processing; security standards		Categories: Crime, White Collar, Civil Rights, Privacy, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Retail, Consumer Affairs, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Health, Health Insurance, Health Care Providers, Medicare & Medicaid, Government Administration, State Legislature, State Executive, Budget, Appropriations, Technology, Software & IT Services, Science & Research, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance			
Primary Sponsors Domingo DeGrazia					

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
AZ	SB 1614	Senate Second Reading 2020 02 06	In Senate	None	71.2% 61.8%
Title Consumer data; privacy		Categories: Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Retail, Consumer Affairs, Civil Rights, Privacy, Crime, White Collar, Property, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, State Executive, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Communications, Internet, Telecommunications			
Primary Sponsors Sean Bowie					

Title

Mobile applications: recordable information: privacy.

Description

AB 2414, as introduced, Chau. Mobile applications: recordable information: privacy. Existing law, the California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018, grants a consumer various rights with regard to the consumer's personal information that is held by a business, including the right to know what personal information is collected by a business, to have personal information held by that business deleted, and to direct a business to not sell the consumer's personal information, as specified. Existing law requires an operator of a commercial website or online service that collects personally identifiable information through the internet, about individual consumers residing in California who use or visit its commercial internet website or online service, to make a privacy policy available to consumers and to include specified information relating to the collection of personally identifiable information within that privacy policy. This bill would require the operator of a mobile application to provide clear and conspicuous notice that fully informs consumers when, how, and why their recordable information, defined to include visual, audio, or geolocation information, will be collected, used, and shared upon installation of the application. The bill would require the operator of a mobile application to obtain consent before collecting or using recordable information and to obtain separate consent before disclosing that information.

Primary Sponsors

Ed Chau

Categories: Communications, Internet, Civil Rights, Privacy, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Retail, Home Improvement / Home Building, Consumer Affairs, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Families & Children, Other

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
CA	SB 753	In Assembly Read First Time Held At Desk 2020 01 27	In Assembly	None	94.9% 48.4%

Title

Public social services: emergency notification.

Description

SB 753, as amended, Stern. Public social services: emergency notification. Existing law permits an authorized employee of a county social services department to disclose the name and residential address of elderly or disabled clients to police, fire, or paramedical personnel, or other designated emergency services personnel, in the event of a public safety emergency that necessitates the possible evacuation of the area in which those elderly or disabled clients reside. Existing law specifies that public safety emergencies include, but are not limited to, events that jeopardize the immediate physical safety of county residents. This bill would additionally permit those individuals' telephone numbers and e-mail addresses to be disclosed and would specifically identify a public safety power shut-off as a public safety emergency. The bill would require a county social services agency that intends to disclose information as described above to notify elderly or disabled individuals receiving services of that fact and give the individual the option to opt out of having that information disclosed. The bill would limit the use of the disclosed information to providing emergency services in the event of a public safety emergency described above.

Primary Sponsors

Henry Stern

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Retail, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Government Administration, State Executive, Civil Rights, Privacy, Social Issues, Mental & Physical Disability, Welfare & Poverty, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Disaster Response, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Crime, White Collar, Health, Medicare & Medicaid, Health Care Providers, Medical Practice, Health Insurance, Pharmaceuticals

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
CT	SB 134	Public Hearing 02 25 2020 02 20	In Senate	None	4.3% 0.0%

Title

AN ACT CONCERNING CONSUMER PRIVACY.

Description

To require businesses to disclose the proposed use of any personal information and to give consumers the right to discover what personal information the business possesses and to opt out of the sale of such information and to create a cause of action and penalties for violations of such requirements.

Primary Sponsors

Joint Committee on General Law

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Civil Rights, Privacy, Government Administration, State Executive, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Social Issues, Mental & Physical Disability, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Crime, White Collar, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Health, Medical Practice, Medicare & Medicaid

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
FL	HB 963	1st Reading 2020 01 14	In House	None	26.2% 83.1%

Title

Consumer Data Privacy

Description

Prohibits use of personal data contained in public records for certain marketing, soliciting, & contact without person's consent; requires operator of certain website or online service to establish designated request address & provide specified notice regarding collection & sale of consumer information; prohibits sale of consumer information upon request of consumer; requires DLA to adopt rules; provides for injunctions & civil penalties.

Primary Sponsors

David Santiago

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Products, Retail, Automotive Parts, Consumer Affairs, Communications, Internet, Government Administration, State Executive, Civil Rights, Privacy, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Families & Children, Other, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Transportation, Ground

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
FL	SB 1670	Introduced Sj 163 2020 01 22	In Senate	None	4.1% 75.5%

Title

Consumer Data Privacy

Description

Prohibiting the use of personal data contained in public records for certain marketing, soliciting, and contact without the person's consent; requiring the operator of a website or online service that collects certain information from consumers in this state to establish a designated request address and provide specified notice regarding the collection and sale of such information; prohibiting such operator from making any sale of consumer information upon request of the consumer, etc.

Primary Sponsors

Doug Broxson

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Affairs, Communications, Internet, Government Administration, State Executive, Civil Rights, Privacy, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Families & Children, Other, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Transportation, Ground

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	HB 2572	Passed Second Reading As Amended In Hd 2 Placed On The Calendar For Third Reading With None Voting Aye With Reservations None Voting No 0 And Representative S Cabanilla Arakawa Excused 1 2020 02 27	In House	None	77.8% 64.8%

Title
Relating To Privacy.

Description

Modernizes "personal information" for the purposes of security breach of personal information law. Prohibits the sale of geolocation information and internet browser information without consent. Amends provisions relating to electronic eavesdropping law. Prohibits certain manipulated images of individuals. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD2)

Primary Sponsors

Chris Lee

Categories: Communications, Internet, Telecommunications, Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Crime, White Collar, Property, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Civil Rights, Privacy, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Health, Health Insurance, Financials, Insurance

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	SB 418	Carried Over To 2020 Regular Session 2019 12 01	In Senate	None	2.1% 64.2%

Title
Relating To Privacy.

Description

Requires a business to: disclose the categories and specific pieces of identifying information collected about a consumer upon verifiable request from the consumer; disclose the identity of third parties to which the business has sold or transferred identifying information about a consumer upon verifiable request from the consumer; publicly disclose the categories of identifying information that collected from consumers and the purposes for collection; and delete identifying information collected from a consumer upon verifiable request from the consumer. Authorizes consumers to opt out of the sale of identifying information by a business. Prohibits a business from selling the identifying information of an individual under sixteen years of age unless affirmatively authorized to do so. Prohibits a business from discriminating against consumers who exercise their rights to request disclosures or deletions or to opt out.

Primary Sponsors

Karl Rhoads, Jarrett Keohokalole

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Retail, Civil Rights, Privacy, Communications, Internet, Families & Children, Other, Government Administration, Other, Technology, Software & IT Services, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Health, Medical Practice, Medicare & Medicaid, Crime, White Collar

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
HI	SB 2451	Referred To Cph Tec Jdc 2020 01 23	In Senate	None	4.1% 67.3%

Title

Relating To Personal Information.

Description

Prohibits a third party from selling or using personal information about a consumer that has been sold to the third party by a business unless the consumer has received explicit notice, provides express written consent, and is provided an opportunity to exercise the right to opt out. Specifies notification requirements for businesses.

Primary Sponsors

Russell Ruderman, Roz Baker, Michelle Kidani, Donna Kim

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Products, Retail, Consumer Technology, Home Improvement / Home Building, Automotive Parts, Consumer Affairs, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Communications, Internet, Civil Rights, Privacy

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
IL	HB 5603	Referred To Rules Committee 2020 02 18	In House	None	6.8% 82.4%

Title

Consumer Privacy Act

Description

Creates the Consumer Privacy Act. Provides that a consumer has the right to request that a business that collects the consumer's personal information disclose to that consumer the categories and specific pieces of personal information the business has collected. Requires a business to, at or before the point of collection, inform a consumer as to the categories of personal information to be collected and the purposes for which the categories of personal information shall be used. Requires the business to provide notice when collecting additional categories of personal information or when using a consumer's personal information for additional purposes. Provides that a consumer has the right to request that a business delete any personal information about the consumer which the business has collected from the consumer, with some exceptions. Requires a business that collects or sells a consumer's personal information to make certain disclosures to the consumer upon receipt of a verifiable consumer request. Provides that a consumer has the right, at any time, to opt out of the sale of his or her personal information to third parties. Prohibits a business from discriminating against a consumer who exercises any of the rights established under the Act by denying goods or services or charging the consumer different prices or rates for goods or services. Permits a business to provide financial incentives to a consumer that authorizes the sale of his or her personal information. Contains provisions concerning deadlines for processing a consumer's disclosure request; categories of personal information that must be disclosed; notice requirements; consumer information that is not subject to the Act's requirements; civil penalties for violations of the Act; and other matters. Amends the State Finance Act. Creates the Consumer Privacy Fund.

Primary Sponsors

Michelle Mussman

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Retail, Civil Rights, Privacy, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Health, Health Care Providers, Medical Practice, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Social Issues, Mental & Physical Disability, Welfare & Poverty, Crime, White Collar, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research

Title

Data Transparency Privacy Act

Description

Creates the Data Transparency and Privacy Act. Provides that any business that processes personal information or deidentified information must, prior to processing, provide notice to the consumer to whom the information refers or belongs of specific information in the service agreement or somewhere readily accessible on the business' website or mobile application. Establishes a "right to know" for consumers and prescribes types of information that they may request of businesses. Provides that consumers have the right to opt out of agreements that entail the disclosure of personal information from the business to third parties and affiliates, the sale of personal information from the business to third parties and affiliates, and the processing of personal information by the business, third parties, and affiliates. Provides that consumers have the right to request that a business correct inaccurate personal information about the consumer or delete personal information about the consumer. Prescribes a protocol for the handling of consumer requests by businesses. Prescribes pricing incentives and prohibitions against discrimination. Provides that businesses, affiliates, and third parties must conduct risk assessments and provides requirements for the assessments. Provides that enforcement of the Act may arise through private actions or enforcement by the Attorney General. Provides that any waiver of the provisions of the Act is void and unenforceable. Contains home rule preemption and severability provisions. Effective July 1, 2021.

Primary Sponsors

Tom Cullerton

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Retail, Consumer Technology, Civil Rights, Privacy, Crime, White Collar, Property, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
IL	SB 3299	Assigned To Judiciary 2020 02 27	In Senate	None	11.9% 87.9%

Title

Consumer Privacy Act

Description

Creates the Consumer Privacy Act. Provides that a consumer has the right to request that a business that collects the consumer's personal information disclose to that consumer the categories and specific pieces of personal information the business has collected. Requires a business to, at or before the point of collection, inform a consumer as to the categories of personal information to be collected and the purposes for which the categories of personal information shall be used. Requires the business to provide notice when collecting additional categories of personal information or when using a consumer's personal information for additional purposes. Provides that a consumer has the right to request that a business delete any personal information about the consumer that the business has collected from the consumer, with some exceptions. Requires a business that collects or sells a consumer's personal information to make certain disclosures to the consumer upon receipt of a verifiable consumer request. Provides that a consumer has the right, at any time, to opt out of the sale of his or her personal information to third parties. Prohibits a business from discriminating against a consumer who exercises any of the rights established under the Act by denying goods or services or charging the consumer different prices or rates for goods or services. Permits a business to provide financial incentives to a consumer that authorizes the sale of his or her personal information. Contains provisions concerning deadlines for processing a consumer's disclosure request; categories of personal information that must be disclosed; notice requirements; consumer information that is not subject to the Act's requirements; civil penalties for violations of the Act; and other matters. Amends the State Finance Act. Creates the Consumer Privacy Fund. Effective January 1, 2021.

Primary Sponsors

Laura Fine

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Retail, Civil Rights, Privacy, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Government Administration, State Executive, Health, Medical Practice, Health Care Providers, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Crime, White Collar, Social Issues, Mental & Physical Disability, Welfare & Poverty, Technology, Innovation, Software & IT Services, Science & Research

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
LA	HB 617	Under The Rules Provisionally Referred To The Committee On Commerce 2020 02 28	In House	None	76.3% 0.0%

Title

PRIVACY/COMPUTERS: Provides relative to the protection of personally identifiable information

Primary Sponsors

Francis Thompson

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Communications, Internet, Civil Rights, Privacy, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Government Administration, State Executive, Families & Children, Other, Financials, Insurance, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Transportation, Ground

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
LA	HB 654	Under The Rules Provisionally Referred To The Committee On Commerce 2020 02 28	In House	None	42.1% 0.0%

Title
PRIVACY/COMPUTERS: Provides relative to the protection of personally identifiable information

Primary Sponsors
Edmond Jordan

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Communications, Internet, Civil Rights, Privacy, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Government Administration, State Executive, Families & Children, Other, Financials, Insurance, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Transportation, Ground

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MA	S 2056	Senate Concurred 2020 02 06	In Senate	None	3.3% 82.0%

Title
An Act relative to the cybersecurity of the internet connected devices and autonomous vehicles

Description
By Ms. Creem, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2056) of Cynthia Stone Creem for legislation relative to the cybersecurity of the internet connected devices and autonomous vehicles. Transportation.

Primary Sponsors
Cindy Creem

Categories: Communications, Internet, Telecommunications, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Consumer Affairs, Transportation, Ground, Government Administration, State Executive, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MA	SD 612	Senate Concurred 2020 02 06	In Senate	None	3.6% 82.0%

Title
An Act relative to the cybersecurity of the internet connected devices and autonomous vehicles

Description
By Ms. Creem, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2056) of Cynthia Stone Creem for legislation relative to the cybersecurity of the internet connected devices and autonomous vehicles. Transportation.

Primary Sponsors
Cindy Creem

Categories: Communications, Internet, Telecommunications, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Consumer Affairs, Transportation, Ground, Government Administration, State Executive, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MD	HB 249	Unfavorable Report By Economic Matters Withdrawn 2020 03 02	In House	None	46.9% 58.7%

Title

Consumer Protection - Right to Opt Out of Third-Party Disclosure

Description

Authorizing consumers to demand that a business not disclose the consumer's personal information to third parties and to exercise the right to opt out of third-party disclosure through a certain setting, including a browser setting, browser extension, or global device setting; prohibiting a business from disclosing the personal information of a consumer to a third party if the business has certain knowledge of or willfully disregards the fact the consumer is under the age of 18; etc.

Primary Sponsors

Courtney Watson, Ned Carey

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Civil Rights, Privacy, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Financials, Banking & Investment, Financial Regulation, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Crime, White Collar

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MD	HB 784	First Reading Economic Matters 2020 02 03	In House	None	35.6% 57.8%

Title

Maryland Online Consumer Protection Act

Description

Requiring certain businesses that collect a consumer's personal information to provide certain clear and conspicuous notices to the consumer at or before the point of collection; authorizing a consumer to submit a certain request for information to a certain business that collects the consumer's personal information; requiring a certain business to comply with a certain request for information in a certain manner and within 45 days after receiving a verifiable consumer request; etc.

Primary Sponsors

Ned Carey, Courtney Watson

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Civil Rights, Privacy, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Crime, White Collar, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Communications, Internet, Social Issues, Mental & Physical Disability, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Financial Regulation, Health, Health Care Providers

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MD	HB 1389	Hearing 2 26 At 1 00 P M 2020 02 10	In House	None	65.0% 56.7%

Title

Maryland Personal Information Protection Act – Geolocation Information and Unfair, Abusive, and Deceptive Trade Practices

Description

Prohibiting a business from collecting, using, storing, or disclosing certain geolocation information from a certain application on a mobile device of an individual except in certain circumstances; authorizing a business to collect, use, store, or disclose certain geolocation information from a certain application on a mobile device of an individual if certain notification is provided to and consent is obtained from the individual; etc.

Primary Sponsors

Sara Love

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Communications, Other, Government Administration, State Executive, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Civil Rights, Privacy, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Crime, White Collar, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Health, Health Insurance, Medical Practice, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MD	SB 957	Hearing 2 19 At 1 00 P M 2020 02 04	In Senate	None	51.6% 61.0%

Title

Maryland Online Consumer Protection Act

Description

Requiring certain businesses that collect a consumer's personal information to provide certain clear and conspicuous notices to the consumer at or before the point of collection; authorizing a consumer to submit a certain request for information to a certain business that collects the consumer's personal information; requiring a certain business to comply with a certain request for information in a certain manner and within 45 days after receiving a verifiable consumer request; etc.

Primary Sponsors

Susan Lee, Joanne Benson, Clarence Lam

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Civil Rights, Privacy, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Crime, White Collar, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Communications, Internet, Social Issues, Mental & Physical Disability, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Financial Regulation, Health, Health Care Providers

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position
MI	HB 4187	Referred To Second Reading 2019 12 10	Failed sine die	None

Title

Trade; data security; data breach notification act; enact. Creates new act. TIE BAR WITH: HB 4186'19

Primary Sponsors

Diana Farrington

Categories: Crime, White Collar, Property, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Government Administration, State Agencies, State Executive, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Health, Health Insurance, Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Communications, Internet, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Disaster Response, Firearms, National Security & Defense, Armed Forces, Intelligence, Civil Rights, Privacy

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MN	HF 3096	Introduction And First Reading Referred To Commerce 2020 02 11	In House	None	3.1% 61.9%

Title

Consumer rights regarding personal data given, data transparency obligations placed on businesses, private right of action created, and attorney general enforcement provided.

Primary Sponsors

Mohamud Noor

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Retail, Consumer Technology, Civil Rights, Privacy, Financials, Banking & Investment, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Telecommunications, Government Administration, State Executive, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Health, Medicare & Medicaid, Medical Practice, Health Insurance, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
MS	SB 2548	Referred To Judiciary Division A 2020 02 17	In Senate	None	4.8% 84.6%

Title

Mississippi Consumer Data Privacy Act; enact.

Description

An Act To Create The "Mississippi Consumer Data Privacy Act"; To Authorize Consumers To Request That Businesses Disclose Certain Information; To Authorize Consumers To Request That Businesses Delete Personal Information Collected By Businesses; To Require Businesses To Disclose Certain Information To Consumers, To Inform Consumers Of Their Right To Request That Personal Information Be Deleted, And To Delete Personal Information Collected About Consumers Upon Request; To Authorize Consumers To Instruct Businesses To Not Sell The Consumers' Personal Information; To Authorize Consumers To Bring Civil Actions Against Businesses That Violate This Act; To Authorize The Attorney General To Bring Civil Actions Against Businesses That Violate This Act; To Require The Attorney General To Adopt Regulations To Further The Purposes Of This Act; And For Related Purposes.

Primary Sponsors

Angela Turner-Ford

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Retail, Civil Rights, Privacy, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Government Administration, State Executive, Crime, White Collar, Property, Communications, Internet, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NE	LB 746	Notice Of Hearing For February 04 2020 2020 01 27	In Legislature	None	0.0% 0.0%

Title

Adopt the Nebraska Consumer Data Privacy Act

Primary Sponsors

Carol Blood

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Civil Rights, Privacy, Government Administration, State Executive, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Communications, Internet, Crime, White Collar, Transportation, Ground, Health, Medicare & Medicaid, Financials, Insurance

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NH	HB 1680	Executive Session 03 03 2020 10 30 Am Lob 302 2020 02 20	In House	None	43.0% 44.8%

Title
relative to the collection of personal information by businesses.

Primary Sponsors
Garrett Muscatel

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Retail, Consumer Technology, Government Administration, State Executive, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Civil Rights, Privacy, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Health, Other, Social Issues, Mental & Physical Disability, Crime, White Collar, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	A 2188	Introduced Referred To Assembly Science Innovation And Technology Committee 2020 01 14	In Assembly	None	4.5% 91.7%

Title
Requires commercial Internet websites and online services to notify customers of collection and disclosure of personally identifiable information and allows customers to opt out.

Primary Sponsors
Raj Mukherji, Andrew Zwicker, Britnee Timberlake

Categories: Communications, Internet, Civil Rights, Privacy, Government Administration, State Executive, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Crime, White Collar, Health, Other, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Affairs

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	A 3255	Introduced Referred To Assembly Science Innovation And Technology Committee 2020 02 25	In Assembly	None	3.6% 90.2%

Title
Requires certain businesses to notify customers of certain information concerning the collection and sale of personally identifiable information and to allow customers to opt-in to collection and sale.

Primary Sponsors
John Burzichelli

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Civil Rights, Privacy, Families & Children, Other, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Crime, White Collar, Health, Medical Practice, Pharmaceuticals, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Social Issues, Mental & Physical Disability

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	A 3283	Introduced Referred To Assembly Science Innovation And Technology Committee 2020 02 25	In Assembly	None	2.9% 92.1%

Title
New Jersey Disclosure and Accountability Transparency Act (NJ DaTA) establishes certain requirements for disclosure and processing of personally identifiable information; establishes Office of Data Protection and Responsible Use in Division of Consumer Affairs.

Primary Sponsors
Andrew Zwicker

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Technology, Science & Research, Software & IT Services, Civil Rights, Privacy, Health, Other, Government Administration, State Executive, Crime, White Collar, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Communications, Internet, Marketing

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	S 236	Withdrawn From Consideration 2020 01 30	In Senate	None	22.7% 0.0%

Title

Requires commercial Internet websites and online services to notify customers of collection and disclosure of personally identifiable information and allows customers to opt out.

Categories: Communications, Internet, Civil Rights, Privacy, Government Administration, State Executive, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Crime, White Collar, Health, Medicare & Medicaid, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Affairs

Primary Sponsors

Troy Singleton, Joe Vitale

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	S 269	Introduced In The Senate Referred To Senate Commerce Committee 2020 01 14	In Senate	None	4.0% 89.7%

Title

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

Categories: Crime, White Collar, Government Administration, State Executive, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Health, Other, Civil Rights, Privacy, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders

Primary Sponsors

Tom Kean

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NJ	S 1257	Introduced In The Senate Referred To Senate Commerce Committee 2020 02 03	In Senate	None	3.3% 85.5%

Title

Requires commercial Internet websites and online services to notify consumers of collection and disclosure of personally identifiable information and allows consumers to opt out.

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Communications, Internet, Civil Rights, Privacy, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Health, Health Insurance, Financials, Insurance, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research

Primary Sponsors

Troy Singleton

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NY	A 3818	Referred To Consumer Affairs And Protection 2020 01 08	In Assembly	None	2.9% 83.2%

Title

Relates to establishing the online consumer protection act

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Communications, Internet, Civil Rights, Privacy, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research

Description

Relates to establishing the online consumer protection act; defines terms; provides that an advertising network shall post clear and conspicuous notice on the home page of its own website about its privacy policy and its data collection and use practices related to its advertising delivery activities; makes related provisions.

Primary Sponsors

Nily Rozic

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NY	A 8526	Referred To Consumer Affairs And Protection 2020 01 08	In Assembly	None	2.6% 84.9%

Title

Relates to enacting the NY privacy act

Description

Enacts the NY privacy act to require companies to disclose their methods of de-identifying personal information, to place special safeguards around data sharing and to allow consumers to obtain the names of all entities with whom their information is shared; creates a special account to fund a new office of privacy and data protection.

Primary Sponsors

Linda Rosenthal

Categories: Civil Rights, Privacy, Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Crime, White Collar, Technology, Software & IT Services, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Communications, Internet, Financials, Insurance, Health, Other, Families & Children, Other, Social Issues, Other

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NY	S 2323	Referred To Consumer Protection 2020 01 08	In Senate	None	4.5% 86.9%

Title

Relates to establishing the online consumer protection act

Description

Relates to establishing the online consumer protection act; defines terms; provides that an advertising network shall post clear and conspicuous notice on the home page of its own website about its privacy policy and its data collection and use practices related to its advertising delivery activities; makes related provisions.

Primary Sponsors

Brian Kavanagh

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Communications, Internet, Civil Rights, Privacy, Government Administration, Other, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
NY	S 5642	Referred To Consumer Protection 2020 01 08	In Senate	None	4.0% 89.4%

Title

Relates to enacting the NY privacy act

Description

Enacts the NY privacy act to require companies to disclose their methods of de-identifying personal information, to place special safeguards around data sharing and to allow consumers to obtain the names of all entities with whom their information is shared; creates a special account to fund a new office of privacy and data protection.

Primary Sponsors

Kevin Thomas

Categories: Civil Rights, Privacy, Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Technology, Other, Crime, White Collar, Communications, Other, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Financials, Insurance, Health, Other, Families & Children, Other, Social Issues, Other

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
RI	HB 7778	Introduced Referred To House Corporations 2020 02 26	In House	None	18.2% 78.2%

Title

An Act Relating To Commercial Law -- General Regulatory Provisions -- Rhode Island Transparency And Privacy Protection Act (Creates "Rhode Island Transparency And Privacy Act" Which Mandates Websites That Collect Or Store Personal Info To Disclose Practice.)

Categories: Civil Rights, Privacy, Communications, Internet, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Retail, Consumer Technology, Crime, White Collar, Financials, Insurance, Families & Children, Other, Health, Health Insurance

Primary Sponsors

Evan Shanley, Jean Barros, Jay Edwards, Liana Cassar, Lauren Carson

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
RI	SB 2430	Scheduled For Hearing And Or Consideration 03 03 2020 2020 02 28	In Senate	None	36.2% 78.1%

Title

An Act Relating To Commercial Law--General Regulatory Provisions -- Consumer Privacy Protection (Creates "Consumer Privacy Protection Act.")

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Retail, Civil Rights, Privacy, Communications, Internet, Marketing, Telecommunications, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance

Primary Sponsors

William Conley, Hanna Gallo, Mark McKenney, Michael McCaffrey, Cynthia Coyne

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position
VA	HB 473	House Continued To 2021 In Communications Technology And Innovation By Voice Vote 2020 01 27	In House	None

FN Outlook
5.5% 73.2%

Title

Personal data; management and oversight.

Description

Personal data; Virginia Privacy Act. Gives consumers the right to access their data and determine if it has been sold to a data broker. The measure requires a controller, defined in the bill as a person that, alone or jointly with others, determines the purposes and means of the processing of personal data, to facilitate requests to exercise consumer rights regarding access, correction, deletion, restriction of processing, data portability, objection, and profiling. The measure also (i) requires transparent processing of personal data through a privacy notice, (ii) requires controllers to disclose if they process personal data for direct marketing or sell it to data brokers, and (iii) requires controllers to conduct a risk assessment of each of their processing activities involving personal data and an additional risk assessment any time there is a change in processing that materially increases the risk to consumers. The measure applies to any legal entity that conducts business in the Commonwealth or produces products or services that are intentionally targeted to residents of the Commonwealth and that (a) controls or processes personal data of not fewer than 100,000 consumers or (b) derives over 50 percent of gross revenue from the sale of personal data and processes or controls personal data of not fewer than 25,000 customers. A violation of this measure is made a prohibited practice under the Virginia Consumer Protection Act.

Primary Sponsors

Mark Sickles

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Products, Retail, Consumer Affairs, Civil Rights, Privacy, Crime, White Collar, Health, Health Care Providers, Technology, Software & IT Services, Science & Research, Financials, Insurance, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Communications, Telecommunications, Marketing, Families & Children, Other

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position
VA	HB 952	House Continued To 2021 In Communications Technology And Innovation By Voice Vote 2020 01 27	In House	None

FN Outlook
4.6% 71.7%

Title

Digital services; protection for minors.

Description

Digital services; protection for minors. Requires the operator of a digital service, which is defined as a website, online service, online application, or mobile application, to permit minors to remove, or to request and obtain removal of, content or information posted on a digital service. The measure prohibits an operator of a digital service directed to minors from marketing or advertising to minors specified products or services that minors are prohibited from buying. The measure also prohibits marketing or advertising certain products on the basis of personal information specific to a minor or knowingly using, disclosing, compiling, or allowing a third party to do so. Violations are prohibited practices under the Virginia Consumer Protection Act. The measure has a delayed effective date of January 1, 2021.

Primary Sponsors

Hala Ayala

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Products, Retail, Consumer Affairs, Families & Children, Other, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, Firearms, Crime, White Collar, Illicit drugs, Communications, Marketing, Internet, Transportation, Ground, Travel & Leisure, Gambling, Hospitality, Housing & Property, Residential Property, Labor & Employment, Wages & Compensation, Benefits & Pensions, Technology, Software & IT Services, Science & Research, Innovation

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
VA	HB 954	House Continued To 2021 In Communications Technology And Innovation By Voice Vote 2020 01 27	In House	None	4.5% 72.3%

Title

Cybersecurity; care and disposal of customer records, security for connected devices.

Description

Cybersecurity; care and disposal of customer records; security for connected devices. Requires any business to take all reasonable steps to dispose of, or arrange for the disposal of, customer records within its custody or control containing personal information when the records are no longer to be retained by the business by shredding, erasing, or otherwise modifying the personal information in those records to make it unreadable or undecipherable. The measure requires any business that owns, licenses, or maintains personal information about a customer to implement and maintain reasonable security procedures and practices appropriate to the nature of the information in order to protect the personal information from unauthorized access, destruction, use, modification, or disclosure. A violation of these requirements constitutes a prohibited practice under the Virginia Consumer Protection Act. The measure also requires a manufacturer of a device or other physical object that is capable of connecting directly or indirectly to the Internet to (i) equip the device with reasonable security features, (ii) demonstrate conformity with industry standards for cybersecurity and resiliency, (iii) provide an opt-in forum or registration capability to allow consumers to know when a vulnerability or breach is discovered, (iv) make patch notification and end-of-life support events easily obtainable by registered users of the manufacturer's connected devices, and (v) when it is aware of existing vulnerabilities that put more than 500 users at risk, notify the office of the Chief Information Officer of the Commonwealth and provide remediation steps to consumers without unreasonable delay. The bill has a delayed effective date of January 1, 2021.

Primary Sponsors

Hala Ayala

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Affairs, Technology, Software & IT Services, Crime, White Collar, Civil Rights, Privacy, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Communications, Internet, Telecommunications, Transportation, Ground, Families & Children, Other, Health, Medical Practice, Health Insurance

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
VT	S 110	Delivered To Governor On February 28 2020 2020 02 28	Passed House	None	86.4% 67.7%

Title

An act relating to data privacy and consumer protection

Primary Sponsors

Michael Sirotkin

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Education, Pre-K-12 Education, Teaching & Administration, Higher Education, Civil Rights, Privacy, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Communications, Internet, Telecommunications, Marketing, Government Administration, State Executive, Financials, Insurance, Banking & Investment, Crime, White Collar, Property, National Security & Defense, Armed Forces, Health, Other

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
WA	HB 2742	Referred To Appropriations 2020 02 07	In House	None	21.5% 84.9%

Title
Concerning the management and oversight of personal data.

Primary Sponsors
Shelley Kloba

Categories: Civil Rights, Privacy, Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Crime, White Collar, Technology, Innovation, Communications, Marketing, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Health, Health Care Providers, Financials, Insurance, Transportation, Ground, Aviation, Budget, Appropriations

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
WA	HB 2759	First Reading Referred To Innovation Technology Economic Development 2020 01 21	In House	None	2.8% 86.6%

Title
Creating a consumer data bill of rights.

Primary Sponsors
Zack Hudgins

Categories: Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Civil Law & Procedure, Crime, White Collar, Procedure & Sentencing, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Retail, Consumer Affairs, Civil Rights, Privacy, Budget, Appropriations, Economic Development, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Science & Research, Communications, Internet, Telecommunications, Marketing

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
WA	SB 6281	Referred To Rules 2 Review 2020 03 03	In House	None	62.7% 74.7%

Title
Concerning the management and oversight of personal data.

Primary Sponsors
Reuven Carlyle

Categories: Civil Rights, Privacy, Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Legal Affairs, State Judiciary, Crime, White Collar, Technology, Innovation, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Health, Health Care Providers, Transportation, Ground, Social Issues, Mental & Physical Disability, Financials, Insurance

State	Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position	FN Outlook
WI	SB 851	Read First Time And Referred To Committee On Government Operations Technology And Consumer Protection 2020 02 20	In Senate	None	17.9% 57.2%

Title
the privacy of consumer data, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty. (FE)

Description
An Act to create 134.985 of the statutes;

Primary Sponsors
Chris Larson, Tim Carpenter, Lena Taylor

Categories: Consumers, Consumer Affairs, Consumer Products, Consumer Technology, Retail, Civil Rights, Privacy, Financials, Banking & Investment, Insurance, Technology, Software & IT Services, Innovation, Communications, Internet, Families & Children, Other, Child Care, Health, Health Insurance

State: WY | Bill Number: HB 101 | Last Action: H No Report Prior To Cow Cutoff 2020 02 26 | Status: In House | Position: None

FN Outlook
40.9% 67.0%

Title
Protection and privacy of online customer information.

Description
AN ACT relating to consumer protection; providing for the protection of customer personal information for broadband internet access service; defining terms; providing for penalties and other enforcement; and providing for an effective date.

Primary Sponsors
Mike Yin

Categories: Communications, Internet, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, First Responders, Civil Rights, Privacy, Government Administration, State Executive, State Legislature, Crime, White Collar, Consumers, Consumer Products, Consumer Affairs, Health, Health Care Providers