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HB 2128 (vetoed): JLAC: auditor general

Makes a number of changes to the audit requirements of the OAG, including: requiring county transportation excise taxes to be conducted after the first 5 years of the tax, rather than 10 years, and requiring the OAG to conduct an investigation of a political subdivision if authorized by law or requested by an authorized person. Requires JLBC to notify Legislators of the cost of conducting any special audit included in a legislative measure. Modifies the factors that a Legislative COR must consider in determining the need for continuation or termination of an agency. Modifies meeting, review and report requirements for JLAC. Click [here](#) for the Governor's veto letter.

Click [here](#) for bill history.

HB 2162: JPs; residency requirement

Requires a candidate for JP or constable to be a qualified elector in the precinct at the time of filing a nomination paper and to have lived in the precinct for a least one year prior to the date of the general election. Would have applied to JPs and constables elected after the effective date. Click [here](#) for the Governor's veto letter.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2169: state retirement; waiting period; repeal

Repeals statute that prohibits any employee hired on or after July 20, 2011 from becoming a member of ASRS and the LTD Program before their 27th week of employment. Click [here](#) for the Governor's veto letter.

Click [here](#) for bill history.

HB 2250: emergency generator systems; exemption

Exempts certified generators in compliance with DOD specifications in effect on January 1, 2017, from state and county air quality emissions standards, subject to EPA approval. Click [here](#) for the Governor's letter.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

HB 2321: homeowners' associations; cumulative voting; prohibition

Prohibits a condominium or planned community HOA from using the process of cumulative voting whereby members cumulate their votes by multiplying the number of votes they are entitled to cast by the number of directors for whom they are entitled to vote; and cast the total number of votes for a single candidate or distribute among two or more candidates. Clarifies that a person who owns more than one unit or property is not prohibited from casting a ballot for each unit or property they own. Click [here](#) for Governor's veto letter.

Click [here](#) for bill history.

HB 2533: TPT; aircraft; fractional ownership

Exempts aircrafts sold to individuals who will enter the aircraft into a fractional ownership program from TPT and use tax. Click [here](#) for the Governor's veto Letter.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1036: charter schools; rulemaking exemption

Exempts SBCS from rulemaking requirements and establishes a procedure for persons to petition SBE and SBCS to object to a policy or rule within one year of adoption. Click [here](#) for the Governor's veto letter.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1209: teacher; principal; evaluation instrument

Reduces the quantitative data component of teacher and principal evaluations to 20 to 40% and outlines requirements and prohibitions on the use of quantitative data in evaluations. Instructs evaluation frameworks to allow for the exclusion of students not enrolled for the full year and include teacher observations that account for a specified percentage. Modifies requirements for performance based compensation distributions from the Classroom Site Fund to include school district, school and individual teacher performance as well as at least four of the remaining statutory components. Removes the authority for school districts to modify performance based compensation components. Click [here](#) for the Governor's veto letter.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1247: conservation easement; in lieu payments

Allows the holder of a conservation easement to make an annual payment on the reduction of value of the original parcel in lieu of taxes to the county treasurer. Click [here](#) for the Governor's veto letter.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1337: industrial hemp; licensing

Authorizes industrial hemp production, processing, manufacturing, distribution and commerce in Arizona, subject to regulation by the ADA. Requires the ADA to adopt rules overseeing licensure of growers and processors and the production and management of industrial hemp and hemp seed. Requires an applicant for licensure to submit a full set of fingerprints to obtain a criminal background check. Specifies a license is valid for two years and permits the ADA Director to revoke or refuse to issue or renew a license. A licensed grower or processor is required to keep and maintain records and the ADA Director may inspect and audit those records during normal business hours with at least three days' notice, conduct a physical inspection of the site and take a sample for analysis. Permits the ADA Director to: 1) order a crop that contains an average delta-9 THC concentration exceeding 0.3% on a dry weight basis to be destroyed; 2) issue and enforce a written cease and desist order against any grower or processor; and 3) assess a \$5,000 civil penalty for specified violations. Provides an affirmative defense for a licensed grower or processors for the possession or cultivation of industrial hemp, unless the charge does not meet the definition of *industrial hemp* and provides an exemption from the statutes that criminalize certain offenses related to marijuana. Click [here](#) for the Governor's veto letter.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.

SB 1384: school-sponsored media; student journalists

Permits student journalists to exercise freedom of speech and press in school-sponsored media. Outlines prohibited content standards and the authority to retain the distribution of content. Provides protections for students, advisors and schools acting in accordance with this Act.

Requires schools to adopt written policies that meet specified criteria. Click [here](#) for the Governor's veto letter.

Click [here](#) for the bill history.