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| Bill | PC # | Effective Date(s) | Composite Abstract |
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| HB0029 | 923 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7 and Title 63. As enacted, requires certain insurers to reimburse chiropractic physicians at the same rate as physicians for the same services. |
| HB0047 | 924 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, authorizes local boards of education and public charter school governing bodies to allow schools in the LEA or the public charter school, as applicable, to display the Ten Commandments, the first sentence of the second paragraph of the preamble to the Declaration of Independence, and the preamble to the United States Constitution in a prominent location in a school building. |
| HB0169 | 595 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 56 and Title 71. As enacted, expands the definition of a health benefit plan; requires a health benefit plan that amends, renews, or delivers a policy of coverage on or after January 1, 2026, and that provides coverage for prescription contraceptives, to provide coverage for a 12-month refill of contraceptives obtained at one time by an insured person. |
| HB0359 | 875 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 55. As enacted, defines "seriously bodily injury" for the purposes of the present law offense of vehicular assault, which occurs when a person who, as the proximate result of the person's intoxication, recklessly causes serious bodily injury to another person by the operation of a motor vehicle or vessel subject to registration; makes related changes. |
| HB0375 | 140 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 10 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 29. As enacted, requires each department, agency, or official of a local government that assesses and collects a fee of more than \$250 to document the justification and cost basis of the fee; makes such documentation a public record; subjects such documentation to an annual audit by the comptroller of the treasury. |
| HB0548 | 768 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 56. As enacted, enacts the "Tennessee Procurement Protection Act." |
| HB0555 | 930 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, increases from a Class E felony to a Class D felony the offense of burglary of a conveyance. |
| HB0569 | 769 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 35 and Title 66. As enacted, requires title insurance agencies that separately represent the buyer and seller in a real estate transaction and agree to an arrangement to share the title insurance premiums, commissions, or other fees paid by the buyer and seller, to provide written notice to the buyer and seller of such sharing arrangement and to receive signed, written acknowledgement from the buyer and seller confirming that they were so notified in writing; makes other related changes. |

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| HB0618 | 596 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 2 and Title 8. As enacted, prohibits an individual holding an elected office of a local government from holding another elected office in this state at the same time; grandfathers individuals holding more than one office presently until the terms expire; clarifies that such prohibition does not apply to an office in a political party's state executive committee. |
| HB0705 | 931 | Effective date(s) 05/07/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 56. As introduced, changes, from June 1 to July 1, the date by which an insurer or insurance group must submit its disclosure to the commissioner of commerce and insurance as required under the Corporate Governance Annual Disclosure Act. |
| HB0760 | 346 | Effective date(s) 05/02/2025, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49; Title 53; Title 63 and Title 68. As enacted, authorizes a healthcare practitioner to prescribe and a pharmacist to dispense a prescribed, bronchodilator rescue inhaler to an authorized entity to be administered to a person believed to be experiencing asthma symptoms or respiratory distress in an emergency situation, under a standing protocol from the healthcare practitioner; encourages schools in LEAs and public charter schools to keep bronchodilator rescue inhalers to be administered to students believed to be having asthma symptoms or in respiratory distress in an emergency situation. |
| HB0803 | 876 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 62, Chapter 2; Title 65; Title 68, Chapter 221 and Title 69. As enacted, makes revision to present law concerning sewerage systems using land application; exempts Hamilton County from the provisions requiring the developer of a subdivision or neighborhood that proposes to construct a treatment works to submit an application to the utility serving the area in which the system is located. |
| HB0878 | 743 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 40 and Title 67. As enacted, clarifies that all privilege taxes on litigation that clerks of certain courts fail to collect and pay to the department of revenue are debts of the clerks; adds certain reporting requirements. |
| HB0920 | 933 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 40. As enacted, prohibits a defendant charged with certain offenses from being released on the defendant's personal recognizance or upon execution of an unsecured bond. |
| HB0940 | 584 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 69, Chapter 9. As enacted, generally increases from 12 to 14, the age that a person must be to lawfully operate a personal watercraft upon the waters of Tennessee without being under the direct supervision of an adult, except that persons 12 and 13 may continue to operate a personal watercraft upon the waters of Tennessee without being under the direct supervision of an adult on Monday through Friday, excepting legal holidays. |
| HB0957 | 621 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 50, Part 8. As enacted, grants eligible state employees mandatory paid leave for fostering a minor child. |

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| HB1034 | 934 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 50; Title 63 and Title 68. As enacted, requires a court to apply rebuttable presumptions when determining the reasonableness in time of a restrictive covenant sought to be enforced after the termination of an employment or business relationship; makes related changes. |
| HB1194 | 622 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 50. As enacted, defines for purposes of the Tennessee Lawful Employment Act, a "private employer" as any person who is required by federal law and regulations to report remuneration paid to at least one employee; makes related changes. |
| HB1263 | 936 | Effective date(s) 05/07/2026, 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 36; Title 37 and Title 68. As enacted, provides, in addition to present law, an alternative method for the voluntary surrender of parental rights if executed within the geographic boundaries of the state. |
| HB1320 | 110 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2025, 07/01/2029 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 12 and Title 54. As enacted, in the event of a transportation system failure or other emergency, grants the commissioner emergency contracting authority to enter into contracts for design-build, construction manager/general contractor (CM/GC), and progressive design-build (PDB) services for the delivery of transportation projects; exempts the department from having to identify such contracts exceeding \$100 million in its transportation improvement program submitted annually to the general assembly in support of its annual funding recommendations, if they are issued under such emergency contracting authority; makes other revisions to the CM/GC and PDB process. |
| HB1372 | 939 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 11; Title 39, Chapter 12; Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 39, Chapter 14; Title 40, Chapter 24; Title 40, Chapter 35 and Title 40, Chapter 39. As enacted, provides that a person is criminally responsible for an offense committed by the conduct of another if, acting with intent to benefit in the proceeds or results of the offense, the person solicits, directs, aids, or attempts to aid another person to commit the offense. |
| HB1443 | 940 | Effective date(s) 05/07/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 9; Title 33; Title 52; Title 67 and Title 68. As enacted, enacts the "Caring for Caregivers Act." |
| HB1446 | 877 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4 and Title 8. As enacted, enacts the "Recognizing Judea and Samaria Act." |
| HB1450 | 941 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, makes various changes related to entities seeking to secure the release of a defendant. |
| HB1464 | 942 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7, Chapter 51; Title 8 and Title 50. As enacted, enacts "The Chance Carlton Act." |

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| HB1504 | 944 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, creates a capitol hill protection zone around the state capitol grounds that includes the state capitol, capitol annexes, World War II Memorial Building that formerly housed the state library and archives, Supreme Court Building, William R. Snodgrass Tennessee Tower, War Memorial Building, Legislative Plaza, James K. Polk State Office Building, Rachel Jackson Building, Andrew Jackson Building, John Sevier State Office Building, Cordell Hull Building, and the grounds, roads, and sidewalks along either side of the roads immediately surrounding such buildings. |
| HB1513 | 625 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 19. As enacted, requires political advertisements to include a disclaimer if the advertisements include deepfake elements impersonating or depicting a candidate engaging in activity or speech in which the impersonated or depicted candidate did not in fact engage; makes a violation of such disclaimer requirement a Class C misdemeanor; entitles candidate to damages and equitable relief for violations. |
| HB1525 | 945 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 40. As enacted, requires a sentencing court to order the sentences for two or more offenses involving more than one minor victim to run consecutively unless the court finds by a preponderance of the evidence that the facts of the case do not warrant the imposition of consecutive sentences and the imposition of consecutive sentences would not be in the best interest of justice. |
| HB1527 | 744 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, requires public schools and public charter schools to provide instruction in child trafficking awareness and prevention to students in grades kindergarten through 12 through health education, instead of being provided through a family life curriculum. |
| HB1536 | 946 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 43. As enacted, enacts the "Representative Johnny Shaw Tennessee Agricultural Innovation and Education Initiative." |
| HB1550 | 947 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 68, Chapter 140, Part 5. As enacted, expands the prescribed forms of epinephrine that an LEA or nonpublic school is authorized to administer when a student is believed to be experiencing a life-threatening allergic or anaphylactic reaction to any prescribed form of epinephrine, not just epinephrine auto-injectors. |

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| HB1553 | 948 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 48. As enacted, removes the filing fee that must be paid to the secretary of state to file articles of termination of corporation existence; increases the number of days after a person ceases solicitation activities after registration with the secretary of state, from 30 to 90, that the person has to notify the secretary of state; removes the requirement that a charitable organization that ceases solicitation activity and received in excess of \$1 million in gross revenue during the most recently completed fiscal year include an audited financial statement and forms required to be filed by a charitable organization with the U.S. internal revenue service with the organization's notice to the secretary of state that the organization ceased solicitation activities. |
| HB1624 | 949 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, creates a criminal offense of knowingly violating a no contact order issued as part of a defendant's sentence or conditions of probation or parole following conviction for certain criminal offenses in which the alleged victim of the offense is a domestic abuse victim; punishes a violation as a Class A misdemeanor. |
| HB1649 | 950 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 33, Chapter 2; Title 38; Title 39; Title 50; Title 63 and Title 68. As introduced, enacts "Matthew Davenport's Law," which creates certain criminal offenses and testing requirements related to Kratom. |
| HB1663 | 747 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 3. As enacted, excludes a person or entity that operates a family child care home and obtains a United States department of defense certificate to operate from being subject to licensure as long as such family child care home provides child care services only to an eligible patron. |
| HB1665 | 748 | Effective date(s) 10/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 33; Title 47; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. As enacted, prohibits certain healthcare providers from knowingly or willfully asking a minor, or a health insurance issuer, managed care organization, or entity providing reimbursement for healthcare services from requiring or requesting a healthcare provider or facility to ask, certain gender-related questions for any purpose; makes other related changes. |
| HB1668 | 951 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39. As introduced, creates the criminal offense of knowingly traveling, with intent to commit theft of another person's cash, from a commercial business or financial institution on the same path or route as another person without substantially deviating from that path or route while in possession of two or more criminal instruments. |
| HB1673 | 952 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 34; Title 7, Chapter 82; Title 9, Chapter 21 and Title 68, Chapter 221. As introduced, makes various changes to laws regarding utilities, including the procedure for consolidation of utilities and continuing education requirements for members of utility governing bodies. |

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| HB1704 | 771 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 41. As enacted, creates the Class A misdemeanor of intentionally failing or refusing to depart when a final order of removal is outstanding; creates the Class A misdemeanor of intentionally entering, attempting to enter, or being found in this state after being denied admission, excluded, deported, or removed from the United States. |
| HB1705 | 772 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 12 and Title 50. As enacted, generally requires, beginning July 1, 2026, all state and local governmental employers to verify the work authorization status of each prospective employee through the federal E-Verify program prior to employment; authorizes the attorney general to enforce compliance with the requirement against local governments and subjects a noncompliant local government to the withholding of all funds of this state allocated to the local government via grant, contract, or statute, including, but not limited to, state-shared taxes. |
| HB1708 | 954 | Effective date(s) 05/07/2026, 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4; Title 55, Chapter 50 and Title 65, Chapter 15. As introduced, requires an applicant for a driver license who cannot speak and read English sufficiently to be issued a restricted license for one year and to re-take the written driver license examination in English to be issued a driver license thereafter; requires evidence of U.S. citizenship, lawful permanent residence, or temporary lawful resident status prior to registering vehicles. |
| HB1709 | 955 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026, 05/07/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 20; Title 23; Title 33; Title 37; Title 39; Title 42; Title 43; Title 44; Title 45; Title 46; Title 47; Title 49; Title 52; Title 53; Title 55; Title 56; Title 57; Title 59; Title 60; Title 62; Title 63; Title 67; Title 68; Title 69; Title 70; Title 71 and Chapter 463 of the Public Acts of 2025. As introduced, specifies in various provisions that for a person to be eligible for a particular license, certificate, permit, or authorization, the person must be a citizen of the United States or a qualified alien. |
| HB1718 | 956 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 10 and Title 41. As introduced, requires the department of correction to study the cost of equipping correctional officers and employees of prison contractors with body cameras who work at Trousdale Turner Correctional Facility and report its findings to the chairs of the appropriate standing committees of the legislature not later than July 1, 2026. |
| HB1731 | 626 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 46. As enacted, specifies that, in regard to the criminal offense of desecration of a venerated object, "desecrate" includes, but is not limited to, the removal of objects from a place of burial by a person other than a family member of the deceased or an authorized representative of the cemetery. |

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| HB1741 | 749 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 8; Title 41; Title 53; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. As enacted, authorizes the department to adopt or amend a formulary for use in the correctional facilities operated by or on behalf of the department. |
| HB1753 | 957 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 58, Chapter 2 and Title 58, Chapter 8. As introduced, authorizes a governmental entity that responded to a request for aid during an emergency by another governmental agency to request additional time to forward an itemized invoice of the reimbursable costs for the emergency aid to the requesting governmental entity. |
| HB1760 | 958 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 68. As introduced, increases, from one to two working days of when the request is made, the time within which an inspection of a one-family or two-family building's footer is considered timely. |
| HB1787 | 959 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13. As enacted, increases the penalty for patronizing prostitution from a Class A misdemeanor to a Class B or Class A felony under certain circumstances that are currently punished as trafficking for a commercial sex act. |
| HB1815 | 751 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 8; Title 29; Title 40 and Title 41. As enacted, authorizes a sheriff, jail administrator, or deputy jailer to refuse or delay acceptance into the jail of an arrestee if the arrestee has not received medical treatment for obvious serious physical injuries or conditions of an emergency nature; makes other related changes. |
| HB1816 | 960 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 33; Title 38 and Title 41. As enacted, requires the Tennessee opioid abatement council to allocate funds held in the opioid abatement fund in a certain manner. |
| HB1864 | 990 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 5, Part 10. As enacted, extends the nursing home annual assessment fee to June 30, 2027; makes other related revisions. |
| HB1867 | 991 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 5. As introduced, authorizes the division to submit its annual report on the annual coverage assessment to the finance and health committees of both houses at intervals more frequent than quarterly. |
| HB1871 | 752 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Section 39-13-210 and Title 40. As enacted, requires a person convicted of second degree murder by knowingly killing another to be sentenced as no lower than a Range II offender. |
| HB1875 | 914 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 48 and Title 66. As enacted, prohibits a unit owners' association or homeowners' association from prohibiting a lot owner from installing an electric vehicle charging station for the lot owner's personal use on property owned by the lot owners; makes other changes related to electric vehicle charging stations. |

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| HB1886 | 992 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 49. As introduced, makes various changes to the requirements for locally adopted internet acceptable use policies; establishes certain authorizations and prohibitions for an LEA or public charter school with regard to email addresses for students in grades pre-K-5; requires an annual audit of each LEA's and public charter school's compliance with its adopted internet acceptable use policy. |
| HB1891 | 993 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10; Title 55, Chapter 8 and Title 55, Chapter 9. As enacted, allows a person who submits the fine and costs for a speeding ticket in lieu of appearing in court to also register for an approved driver education course online, of which successful completion can cause points for the speeding conviction to be removed from the person's record in accordance with current law. |
| HB1913 | 994 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 5. As enacted, enacts the "Regulatory Freedom Act of 2026." |
| HB1956 | 995 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 8; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. As enacted, expands the prohibition, from stage 4 advanced metastatic cancer or metastatic blood cancer to any cancer, against a health benefit plan that provides coverage for cancer requiring the use of a step therapy protocol before the health benefit plan provides coverage for an approved prescription drug to an enrollee who has received a diagnosis of cancer. |
| HB1979 | 997 | Effective date(s) 05/19/2026, 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 43; Title 49; Title 57; Title 67 and Title 71. As enacted, enacts the "Promising Futures Act." |
| HB2018 | 1001 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 38 and Title 41. As enacted, requires a memorandum of understanding entered between certain law enforcement agencies and federal officials concerning enforcement of federal immigration laws to include a requirement that the agency accept and honor any immigration detainer received from federal immigration authorities. |
| HB2029 | 1002 | Effective date(s) 05/19/2026, 01/01/2028 | Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 63. As introduced, enacts the "Dietetics and Nutrition Practice Act," which rewrites the requirements for licensure for the practice of dietetics and nutrition and makes other related changes; revises various provisions regarding the board of dietitians and nutritionists examiners, including expanding the board from five to nine members. |
| HB2030 | 774 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 70, Chapter 4. As enacted, repeals statutory requirements related to raccoon hunting, thereby permitting the Tennessee fish and wildlife commission to regulate such activities through proclamations and rules. |
| HB2070 | 756 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 60 and Title 68. As enacted, creates the "Tennessee Energy Freedom Act." |

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| HB2081 | 1003 | Effective date(s) 05/19/2026, 07/01/2026, 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 37; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. As introduced, adds the commissioner of mental health and substance abuse services as a member of the Tennessee second look commission; makes various other changes relating to child abuse and child sexual abuse. |
| HB2093 | 1004 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 56; Title 68, Chapter 11 and Title 71, Chapter 5. As introduced, prohibits a managed care organization from suspending, denying, refusing to review, terminating, or otherwise taking action resulting in the actual or constructive termination of a qualified nursing facility contract except under certain listed circumstances; specifies that the bureau of TennCare has the exclusive authority to determine whether a qualified nursing facility may be terminated from participating in the TennCare program and makes other related changes. |
| HB2101 | 880 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4. As enacted, increases the amount of products containing ephedrine or pseudoephedrine a person may purchase in a one-year period from 43.2 grams to 61.2 grams; changes references to the "National Precursor Log Exchange" to the "electronic sales tracking system"; requires any manufacturer of an ephedrine or pseudoephedrine product that is sold in or into this state to, on a monthly basis, pay fees to the administrator of the electronic sales tracking system. |
| HB2111 | 1006 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 41. As introduced, creates the family advisory board within the department of correction for the purposes of assisting the families of incarcerated individuals. |
| HB2121 | 1007 | Effective date(s) 05/19/2026, 10/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 49 and Title 67. As introduced, requires each LEA and public charter school to submit an expenditure report to the office of research and education accountability in the office of the comptroller of the treasury and to the department of education by August 1 each year; requires the department to make the expenditure report submitted by each LEA and public charter school available to the public by posting the report on the state report card. |
| HB2130 | 881 | Effective date(s) 04/27/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 62, Chapter 2, Part 4. As enacted, authorizes graduates of certain accredited engineering technology curriculums to apply for and become registered as engineers, provided, that such persons have prior engineering experience and meet certain examination requirements. |

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| HB2156 | 1009 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 67. As introduced, requires the department of revenue to study the potential economic impact of making all excise tax credits transferable to any person or entity, other than the person or entity to whom or to which the credits are initially made; requires the department to report to the finance, ways and means committee of the senate and the committee in the house of representatives having jurisdiction over tax-related matters by December 15, 2026. |
| HB2157 | 1010 | Effective date(s) 05/19/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 8; Title 38 and Title 39. As introduced, increases, from 10 calendar days to 10 business days, the time the POST commission has to notify a retired officer of its denial of the officer's permit application to carry a firearm. |
| HB2175 | 1011 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 55; Title 56 and Title 65. As introduced, establishes requirements governing delivery network companies and delivery network company drivers. |
| HB2177 | 1012 | Effective date(s) 05/19/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 9; Title 49, Chapter 13; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 3 and Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 3. As introduced, allows certain schools to be exempt from conducting separate audits of certain school funds; establishes that if a local education agency fails to submit a financial report before December 1 of the following fiscal year, then the per pupil funding allocated to the public charter school shall not decrease; changes the enrollment lottery process for public charter schools; changes the requirements for public charter school replication applications; makes various other changes. |
| HB2194 | 761 | Effective date(s) 04/16/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. As enacted, requires the board of regents, state university boards, and the board of trustees for the University of Tennessee system to adopt and implement policies that clearly distinguish between tenure decisions and disciplinary actions for faculty members. |
| HB2246 | 1016 | Effective date(s) 05/19/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 68. As enacted, authorizes a physician to perform stem cell therapy or regenerative medicine therapy that is not approved by the United States food and drug administration if such therapy is used for a treatment or procedure that is within the scope of practice of the physician; makes related changes. |
| HB2262 | 762 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 71. As enacted, requires the department to make an initial screening, and potentially an assessment, upon receiving a report of harm that includes a report of harm alleging facts that involve a caregiver; makes other related changes. |
| HB2279 | 777 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 38 and Title 39. As enacted, enacts the "Crush Transnational Repression in Tennessee Act." |

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| HB2317 | 1021 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, provides that a person commits the offense of grooming of a minor when the person engages in a course of grooming conduct directed at a minor with the specific intent to commit, or facilitate the commission by another person of, a sexual offense or violent sexual offense against the minor; or to cause or induce the minor to engage in simulated sexual activity that is patently offensive or sexual activity; makes related changes. |
| HB2343 | 1022 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, revises law relative to leave for teachers. |
| HB2366 | 1024 | Effective date(s) 05/19/2026, 08/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 67. As introduced, prohibits a local government from impeding ingress or egress or blocking streets or other rights-of-ways to or within a tourism development zone except in cases of an emergency for purposes of allowing temporary access to first responders or for hosting large events. |
| HB2368 | 918 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 8; Title 10; Title 33; Title 36; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 41; Title 49; Title 50; Title 55 and Title 70. As enacted, creates a Class A misdemeanor offense when a person operates an unmanned aircraft within 400 feet of or above a ticketed entertainment event; makes related changes. |
| HB2369 | 1025 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, revises present law that authorizes the attorney general to bring an action to enforce compliance with the "Tennessee Abortion-Inducing Drug Risk Protocol Act" or intervene as a matter of right in a case in which the constitutionality of such act is challenged. |
| HB2408 | 1029 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18; Title 65 and Title 67. As enacted, requires a person or entity that makes telephone solicitations using an automated telephone dialing system to delivery artificial or prerecorded voice messages to residential subscribers in this state to maintain a record of the number of such telephone solicitations made each month; makes other related changes. |
| HB2446 | 1031 | Effective date(s) 05/21/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 68. As introduced, removes the requirements that grants awarded to volunteer fire departments each year must be equally divided among the three grand divisions of the state and that the grant funds cannot be used to purchase fire trucks or vehicles. |
| HB2498 | 765 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 5. As enacted, prohibits the division from providing coverage or reimbursement for a medical procedure performed on, or administered to, an individual if the performance or administration of the procedure is for the purpose of enabling the individual to identify with, or live as, a purported identity inconsistent with the individual's sex, or treat purported discomfort or distress from a discordance between the individual's sex and asserted identity. |

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| HB2502 | 1035 | Effective date(s) 05/21/2026, 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 38; Title 39; Title 45; Title 47; Title 49 and Title 67. As introduced, classifies a money transmission originating in this state to a location outside of the United States or its territories as a service transaction subject to the sales and use tax; requires revenues from such tax to be allocated to certain purposes. |
| HB2505 | 766 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 12; Title 13; Title 29; Title 39; Title 45; Title 47 and Title 67. As enacted, makes it a class A misdemeanor for a virtual kiosk operator or other person to knowingly install or allow installation of, permit, place, or otherwise operate a virtual currency kiosk in this state. |
| HB2509 | 1037 | Effective date(s) 05/21/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 53; Title 13; Title 48, Chapter 101, Part 3; Title 56 and Title 67. As introduced, establishes the community workforce housing innovation pilot program to be administered by the Tennessee housing development agency; authorizes the agency to provide loans to an applicant for construction or rehabilitation of workforce housing in each of the three grand divisions; requires the housing to be affordable to natural persons or families whose total annual household income does not exceed 150 percent of area median income; prioritizes projects that set aside at least 80 percent of units for workforce housing. |
| HB2530 | 1039 | Effective date(s) 05/21/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2; Title 20, Chapter 9, Part 6; Title 55, Chapter 17, Part 1; Title 62, Chapter 13; Title 62, Chapter 18; Title 62, Chapter 2; Title 62, Chapter 20; Title 62, Chapter 27; Title 62, Chapter 35; Title 62, Chapter 4; Title 62, Chapter 6; Title 62, Chapter 76; Title 68, Chapter 102 and Title 68, Chapter 105. As introduced, transfers oversight of land surveyors from the state board of examiners for land surveyors to the state board of examiners for architects and engineers; removes registration requirement for interior designers; removes funding mechanism that requires revenues generated from contractor licensing fees, penalties, or interest allocated, in part, to the board of licensing contractors be utilized for the purposes set forth in the Go Build Tennessee Act; and makes other changes relative to occupational boards. |

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| HB2533 | 1040 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 5, Chapter 21; Title 8, Chapter 50, Part 8; Title 49, Chapter 10, Part 1; Title 49, Chapter 10, Part 14; Title 49, Chapter 11, Part 1; Title 49, Chapter 11, Part 8; Title 49, Chapter 13; Title 49, Chapter 15, Part 1; Title 49, Chapter 16, Part 2; Title 49, Chapter 17; Section 49-2-203; Title 49, Chapter 3, Part 1; Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 4; Title 49, Chapter 50, Part 10; Title 49, Chapter 50, Part 16; Title 49, Chapter 50, Part 18; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 10; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 15; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 22; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 23; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 30; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 34; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 42; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 81; Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 2; Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 3 and Section 68-204-110. As introduced, terminates the dyslexia advisory council and directs the advisory council for the education of students with disabilities to advise the department of education on matters related to dyslexia; terminates the energy efficient schools council and creates an office of energy efficient schools within the department; expands student eligibility for an individualized education account; revises other various provisions of law related to education. |
| HB2536 | 767 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Section 8-27-201; Section 8-27-301 and Section 8-27-701. As enacted, replaces certain members of the state insurance committee, the local education insurance committee, and the local government insurance committee. |
| HB2539 | 1041 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 33; Title 36; Title 37; Title 48; Title 49; Title 52; Title 53; Title 55; Title 56; Title 62; Title 63 and Title 68. As enacted, makes revisions to health law, including, but not limited to, revising certain reporting requirements, requiring a person licensed by the board of examiners in psychology to complete certain suicide prevention training, defining palliative care, and clarifying certain rulemaking authority of health boards and the commissioner of health. |
| HB2552 | 1044 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 7. As introduced, requires a local government to approve, deny, or identify deficiencies in a development application, development plan, or a site inspection submitted by a developer within 30 days; requires changes in contracts between local governments and contractors or developers to be in writing; requires a local government to release a contractor or developer from its required bond within 30 days of receiving a determination from an independent inspector that the contractor or developer has completed all work required by the contract; makes other related changes. |

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| HB2560 | 1045 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9; Title 13; Title 16; Title 39; Title 55; Title 58; Title 62; Title 65; Title 68 and Title 71. As enacted, creates the department of Tennessee emergency management assistance ("TEMA") to authorize the creation of local organizations for emergency management in the political subdivisions of the state, and to authorize cooperation with the federal government and the governments of other states. |
| HB2567 | 921 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 18; Section 38-6-103; Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, makes various changes to the present law pertaining to the persistent domestic violence offender registry. |
| HB2569 | 922 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 68. As enacted, lowers the age of an inpatient from 65 to 50 or older when a hospital, each year from October 1 through March 1, must offer immunization against influenza disease prior to discharge; requires a hospital to offer immunization against pneumococcal disease to an inpatient aged 50 or older prior to discharge. |
| HB2574 | 1046 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Section 55-10-407. As enacted, clarifies present law regarding the revocation of a person's driver license for an implied consent violation. |
| SB0016 | 533 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, generally provide that a middle school student or high school student who transfers from one member school to another is immediately eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics at the member school to which the student transfers if certain criteria is met. |
| SB0175 | 631 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 40 and Title 41. As enacted, requires by July 1, 2027, and each July 1 thereafter, the commissioner of correction to deliver to the chairs of legislative committees with jurisdiction over the department of correction a report containing data with regard to individuals who may be certified eligible for parole for being chronically debilitated or incapacitated. |
| SB0218 | 604 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 40. As enacted, establishes a presumption that a defendant should not be released on the defendant's personal recognizance if the defendant is charged with a felony offense that involved the use or display of a firearm or resulted in the serious bodily injury or death of the victim; requires a magistrate who determines that the presumption has been rebutted to include in the bail order written findings for each factor considered in making such a determination. |
| SB0232 | 1050 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 7. As enacted, authorizes the county election commission to designate restroom facilities in each building in which the election is held that are for the use of workers or volunteers working for a campaign with certain limitations on access. |

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| SB0254 | 1051 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 55. As enacted, requires a defendant who is ordered to wear a transdermal monitoring device or alternative device, including other alternative alcohol or drug monitoring device, or global positioning monitoring device, as a condition of pretrial release, and who has not been determined by the court to be indigent, to pay all fees associated with the installation, monitoring, maintenance, and operation of the device. |
| SB0273 | 632 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Section 39-14-136 and Title 49. As enacted, clarifies that a school employee does not commit the criminal offense of falsifying educational and academic documents for altering, creating, or duplicating the grade of a student in an educational or academic document if the alteration, creation, or duplication is due to the student obtaining the grade through a program that allows students to retake a failed course, exam, or assignment and earn credit. |
| SB0343 | 965 | Effective date(s) 05/13/2026, 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 29; Title 33; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. As enacted, authorizes, as of January 1, 2027, a licensed paramedic to make an actual determination and pronouncement of death; makes related changes. |
| SB0350 | 606 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 66. As enacted, generally restricts a landlord from prohibiting a residential tenant from lawfully possessing, carrying, transporting, or storing a firearm, any part of a firearm, or firearm ammunition in the tenant's residential property; a vehicle located in a parking area provided for tenants or tenants' guests; or other locations controlled by the landlord necessary to enter or exit any such location in leases entered into, amended, extended, or renewed on or after July 1, 2026. |
| SB0400 | 778 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, requires the department to develop guidance for Tennessee accelerating literacy and learning corps (TALLC) members on how to align tutoring services for students with the remediation the student needs and with the academic standards adopted by the state board of education for the student's grade level; requires the department to provide LEAs with a list of secure data management systems that utilize platforms capable of tracking the effectiveness of intervention methods, resource allocation, and student progress in real time across all schools in the LEA; makes other related changes. |
| SB0468 | 1052 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 37; Title 41; Title 49 and Title 68. As enacted, enacts the "Riley Gaines Women's Safety and Protection Act." |

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| SB0471 | 224 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 13. As enacted, establishes that family life curriculum must include age-appropriate instruction and evidence regarding the positive personal and societal outcomes associated with the method by which a person completes the following in sequential order: obtains a high school diploma or high school equivalency credential; enters into the workforce or pursues a postsecondary degree or credential; enters into marriage; and has children. |
| SB0502 | 884 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 24. As enacted, expands the scope of practice for athletic trainers by authorizing them to treat conditions that limit or prevent a person's participation in certain physical activities rather than just treating injuries that limit or prevent such participation; makes related changes. |
| SB0539 | 1053 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 7; Title 13; Title 48; Title 49; Title 67 and Title 68. As enacted, establishes the process for property tax assessment and valuation of multi-unit rental housing that receives a federal, state, or local incentive based on low-income renter restrictions. |
| SB0550 | 817 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 68, Chapter 7. As enacted, increases the number of members on the medical cannabis commission from nine to 10, and provides that the additional member must be a member who is a specialist in the area of substance abuse prevention and serve as a nonvoting member. |
| SB0591 | 780 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39. As enacted, clarifies, for purposes of criminal offenses relative to threats of mass violence on school property or at a school-related activity or failing to report such threats, that a threat of mass violence is credible if the threat causes another to reasonably expect the commission of an act of mass violence. |
| SB0599 | 1054 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4. As enacted, terminates the James K. Polk Memorial Association and requires the Tennessee historical commission to enter into good faith negotiations for the purchase and transfer of the James K. Polk Home in Columbia. |
| SB0609 | 683 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 36 and Title 37. As enacted, requires a court to consider the extent to which a parenting schedule provides each parent a meaningful opportunity to participate in the child's life, consistent with the child's best interest, in addition to the other relevant factors, when making a child custody determination. |
| SB0639 | 1055 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 7; Title 63; Title 65; Title 68 and Title 69. As enacted, authorizes municipal water and sewer systems to undertake certain projects on private property. |
| SB0866 | 684 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 28. As enacted, specifies that a party filing a counterclaim, third-party complaint, or cross-claim related to the design, planning, supervision, or construction of an improvement of real property is not subject to the four-year statute of repose. |

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| SB0879 | 1060 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 5, Part 3. As enacted, requires the commissioner of human services to provide the commissioner of correction with a form application for food assistance for use by inmates who are preparing for release. |
| SB1017 | 73 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 21 and Title 55, Chapter 4. As enacted, authorizes issuance of a free distinguishing placard for eligible disabled veterans to be used in lieu of a distinguishing license plate for parking purposes; authorizes issuance of a distinguishing placard upon payment of the applicable fee for eligible disabled veterans who have been issued a free distinguishing license plate for parking purposes. |
| SB1110 | 782 | Effective date(s) 04/23/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 68. As enacted, enacts the "Rescue Squad Recognition Act." |
| SB1232 | 1061 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 32, Part 1. As enacted, enacts the "Recovery Court Renewal Act." |
| SB1279 | 126 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 2. As enacted, authorizes the commissioner to determine the type, amounts, and other characteristics of deposit insurance required to be maintained by each state bank; describes criteria the commissioner must consider in making the determinations. |
| SB1369 | 887 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2030, 07/01/2028, 05/05/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 33; Title 68; Title 71 and Chapter 985 of the Public Acts of 2024. As enacted, revises law relative to the operation of acute care hospitals. |
| SB1464 | 686 | Effective date(s) 04/13/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 10; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 41 and Chapter 253 of the Public Acts of 2021. As enacted, requires each state governmental entity and official to maintain certain information relative to the operational enforcement of federal and state immigration laws as confidential, and provides that such information is not subject to public inspection. |
| SB1469 | 687 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 29; Title 39; Title 47 and Title 50. As enacted, adds regulations for content creation that involves certain minors. |
| SB1477 | 822 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4. As enacted, makes various revisions to law relative to license plates, including, but not limited to, creating new specialty earmarked license plates and cultural license plates, granting extensions to certain license plates, and making other related changes. |
| SB1492 | 967 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, directs the Tennessee advisory commission on intergovernmental relations to study the status of the crime stoppers programs across the state and make recommendations to enhance such programs. |

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| SB1569 | 607 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 41 and Title 49. As enacted, requires the department to conduct an annual education assessment of each inmate who is serving a period of confinement for committing a felony offense to ascertain the inmate's highest grade or educational level attained, as well as their interest in continuing, completing, or advancing their education; requires the department to notify such inmates of the educational programming and opportunities available. |
| SB1580 | 647 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 33; Title 47 and Title 63. As enacted, prohibits a person from developing or deploying an artificial intelligence system that advertises or represents to the public that such system is or is able to act as a qualified mental health professional. |
| SB1585 | 1069 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9; Title 12; Title 48; Title 49 and Title 67. As enacted, revises the assessment testing requirements for students who participate in the education savings account (ESA) program. |
| SB1587 | 1070 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 50. As introduced, creates a Class A misdemeanor for a person who is unlawfully present in the United States to operate a commercial motor vehicle in this state; requires the law enforcement agency of an officer who arrests a person who is unlawfully present in the United States to operate a commercial motor vehicle in this state to ensure that federal immigration authorities are notified; creates related civil actions that may be pursued by the attorney general and reporter or by a qui tam plaintiff. |
| SB1589 | 609 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 41. As enacted, authorizes the Tennessee corrections institute to establish certification requirements for corrections officers and to inspect and certify local correctional training academies; makes various changes regarding plans of action that may be submitted by a local certified facility following annual inspection; allows the director and full-time employees of the Tennessee corrections institute to carry a handgun under certain circumstances. |
| SB1602 | 1072 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13 and Title 55, Chapter 10. As enacted, enacts the "James Bardsley, Jr. Life Protection Act." |
| SB1618 | 580 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 10. As enacted, clarifies that if a financial institution reasonably believes a customer is deceased, then the financial institution does not have a duty to confirm service of a subpoena on the customer, the customer's estate, or the customer's heirs; makes other changes related to financial records. |

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| SB1622 | 1075 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 5. As introduced, requires the commissioner to develop and implement a statewide, outcomes-based, county-level quality assurance program no later than July 1, 2027; directs the commissioner to send reports to the general assembly detailing the department's progress toward implementing the program at the end of each fiscal year quarter until the program is fully implemented. |
| SB1625 | 581 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8. As enacted, clarifies the areas in which a personal delivery device may be operated and where such devices are prohibited; authorizes local resolutions or ordinances to both regulate and prohibit such devices but only in compliance with state law. |
| SB1635 | 648 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 21, Part 3. As enacted, clarifies that stuttering and other types of communication disorders are qualifying medical conditions for purposes of the "2021 Precious Cargo Act," which authorizes drivers who have certain medical conditions to apply for a designation in the Tennessee Vehicle Title and Registration System (VTRS) database of a need for assistance in communicating with first responders during traffic stops. |
| SB1636 | 589 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 34. As enacted, requires a fiduciary's sworn accounting of receipts and expenditures filed annually with the court supervising a guardianship or conservatorship to include the date of the fiduciary's last contact with the person with a disability. |
| SB1641 | 612 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Section 10-7-604. As enacted, requires the secretary of state to omit from each annual publication of agency information mailing addresses and telephone numbers of agency members. |
| SB1654 | 790 | Effective date(s) 11/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 4; Title 9; Title 47, Chapter 18; Title 56 and Title 63. As enacted, clarifies that, as of November 1, 2026, a non-governmental entity receiving in-kind funding from the state or a political subdivision of the state pursuant to the federal Public Health Service Act is eligible to qualify as a 340B entity, only if the entity is also a recipient of one or more state or federal grant awards that are subject to audit, reporting, and oversight requirements under state and federal law; authorizes the comptroller of the treasury and any state agency or political subdivision providing in-kind funding to verify eligibility and enforce compliance. |
| SB1659 | 693 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, adds aggravating circumstances for a jury to consider when determining the sentence of a defendant convicted of certain offenses. |

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| SB1667 | 1077 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 29; Title 55 and Title 56. As enacted, prohibits the initial issuance of registration of a motor vehicle if the vehicle has not met the requirements of the "Financial Responsibility Law of 1977," which provides insurance and financial responsibility requirements for motor vehicle operators; makes related changes. |
| SB1668 | 1078 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 6 and Title 7. As enacted, authorizes municipalities and metropolitan governments to adopt a tiered system of monetary penalties for repeated violations of the same municipal ordinance by the same person or entity within a 12-month period. |
| SB1672 | 1079 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9 and Title 67. As enacted, creates the joint capital tourism board; makes other related changes. |
| SB1681 | 1080 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 68. As introduced, prohibits hospital emergency departments from denying an appropriate medical screening examination to a pregnant woman who presents at the emergency department reporting to be in active labor or experiencing an emergency medical condition; prohibits transferring the pregnant woman unless her condition has been stabilized; requires that a transfer be under certain conditions and only upon the recommendation of an examining physician or qualified medical professional; imposes penalties and licensing sanctions for violations. |
| SB1683 | 695 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 29 and Title 71, Chapter 3. As enacted, enacts the "Tennessee Child Care Hosting Safe Harbor Act." |
| SB1684 | 827 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 21. As enacted, authorizes, effective January 1, 2027, temporary placards to be issued to a female who has a pregnancy certified to be high risk by her physician. |
| SB1692 | 1081 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 58; Title 62; Title 63 and Title 68. As enacted, enacts the "Military Families Licensing Recognition Act." |
| SB1723 | 1084 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 10 and Title 49. As enacted, vacates and reconstitutes the board of directors of the Tennessee education lottery corporation; requires certain information maintained by the corporation to be subject to a public records request; terminates the lottery corporation on June 30, 2030. |
| SB1725 | 696 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 69, Chapter 9. As enacted, creates the Class C misdemeanor offense of mooring a recreational vessel for more than 14 consecutive days at any one place along the water's edge of a reservoir or at any place within one mile of the water's edge; makes other related revisions. |

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| SB1735 | 614 | Effective date(s) 03/26/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 47. As enacted, removes the requirement that an assurance of voluntary compliance with the Tennessee Consumer Protection Act of 1977 be in writing, and filed and subject to the approval of the circuit or chancery court of Davidson County; makes other changes related to consumer protection. |
| SB1738 | 969 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Section 55-4-116 and Section 55-6-107. As enacted, exempts a military service member who is stationed out of state on military orders from paying the additional registration fee imposed on all-electric vehicles. |
| SB1740 | 830 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 15. As enacted, expands the disposition allowed when a person under 21 is found to have unlawfully purchased, possessed, accepted receipt of, or presented fraudulent proof of age to purchase tobacco, smoking hemp, a vapor product, or a smokeless nicotine product to include requiring community service work, the successful completion of a prescribed court program, or placing the person on an informal adjustment for a period of 90 days for a first violation, and, for a second or subsequent violation, placing the person on probation for up to six months in addition to requiring community service and the successful completion of a prescribed court program focusing on the dangers of tobacco and vapor products. |
| SB1741 | 831 | Effective date(s) 04/27/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, enacts the "Charlie Kirk Act." |
| SB1747 | 1086 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39. As enacted, creates an offense of recklessly discharging a firearm into the air, ground, a body of water, or an object in close proximity to the person if the firearm is discharged at a place of public gathering or at a public event where there are at least 25 people in attendance at the time of the discharge; punishes the offense as a Class A misdemeanor; specifies certain exceptions to the offense. |
| SB1762 | 1088 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 49. As enacted, authorizes the establishment of adult public charter schools, which are defined as public charter schools that exclusively serve students who are 18 or older by providing instruction to such students in accordance with the rules for adult high schools promulgated by the state board of education to assist such students in obtaining course credit leading to the attainment of a high school diploma. |
| SB1774 | 1093 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 37; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 3; Title 40; Title 49 and Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 7. As enacted, creates a criminal offense for certain school employees who intentionally engage in bullying or cyberbullying of a student; clarifies that a teacher or school employee of a local education agency who is found to have committed an act of harassment, intimidation, bullying, or cyberbullying is subject to dismissal or suspension. |

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| SB1782 | 651 | Effective date(s) 04/01/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8. As enacted, makes changes to the regulation and prohibition authorized by local governments and state agencies relative to class 1, 2, and 3 electric bicycles in certain locations. |
| SB1783 | 1094 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 50. As enacted, requires driver license station staff to inquire of applicants whether the applicant would like a driver license that complies with the federal REAL ID Act of 2005 or does not comply with such act; makes other related revisions. |
| SB1793 | 1096 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 68, Chapter 211. As enacted, establishes the office of cooperative marketing for recyclables and the recycling market development and diversion advisory council. |
| SB1814 | 1097 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39; Title 62, Chapter 18 and Title 66. As enacted, creates a Class A misdemeanor offense of intentionally moving, altering, destroying, or removing a monument the person knows, or reasonably should know, is a property corner monument, historic land surveying monument, or geodetic control monument. |
| SB1815 | 1098 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39. As enacted, enacts the "Grace Anne Sparks Coercive Suicide Prevention Law of 2026." |
| SB1817 | 834 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, revises law relative to LEAs providing enrollment and services to certain students who are the dependent children of service members. |
| SB1822 | 893 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, requires an LEA that operates a public high school that meets certain criteria to permit certain high school students who are enrolled in private schools to participate in interscholastic athletics at the public high school. |
| SB1823 | 894 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 4. As enacted, requires a state department, agency, or official who contracts with a business to acquire property or services to make payments under the contract to the business within a certain time frame after receipt of the invoice; requires such state departments, agencies, and officials to annually report to the chairs of the appropriate standing committees of the senate and house of representatives the number and aggregate amount of late payments made for the preceding fiscal year and the amount of interest paid and outstanding on such late payments. |
| SB1828 | 701 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, enacts the "Charlie Kirk American Heritage Act." |
| SB1840 | 793 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 28; Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, requires prosecution for vehicular homicide committed on or after July 1, 2026, to commence within 10 years from the date the offense occurs. |
| SB1843 | 702 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39; Title 57, Chapter 7; Title 63 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 10. As enacted, enacts the "Nitrous Oxide Abuse Prevention and Retail Sale Prohibition Act"; makes related changes. |

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| SB1847 | 1100 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39. As enacted, lowers the standard for the use of deadly force to protect property. |
| SB1858 | 835 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 20, Chapter 18. As enacted, increases minimum time from 15 to 90 days that a court must give the general assembly to remedy any defects in a redistricting plan; makes related changes. |
| SB1859 | 704 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 47. As enacted, incorporates amendments adopted to the Uniform Commercial Code by the Uniform Law Commission in 2018 and 2022. |
| SB1861 | 705 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 6, Part 2. As enacted, authorizes the chief administrative officer of the bureau of workers' compensation of the department of labor and workforce development to disburse funds from the subsequent injury and vocational recovery fund for costs associated with implementing and maintaining a computer system for the bureau of workers' compensation; makes other changes related to workers' compensation. |
| SB1865 | 652 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 102. As enacted, creates the rescue squad grant program to provide annual grants to rescue squads for the purchase of firefighting equipment and training; directs the commissioner of commerce and insurance to evaluate grant requests and select grant award recipients each year. |
| SB1868 | 1102 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 1. As enacted, requires a child placed in the custody of the department to remain in custody so long as necessary to complete treatment or services, which must be evidence-based and provided by a qualified provider; makes other changes to child custody law; creates a juvenile commitment review task force to examine system issues and service gaps for certain children committed to the custody of the department. |
| SB1884 | 970 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 217, Part 1. As enacted, makes various changes to the "Tennessee Drycleaner's Environmental Response Act." |
| SB1900 | 1104 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, increases the penalty for assaulting a first responder from a Class A misdemeanor with a mandatory fine of \$5,000 and a mandatory minimum of 30 days incarceration to a Class E felony with a mandatory fine of \$10,000 and a mandatory minimum of 60 days incarceration. |
| SB1909 | 1105 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 22. As enacted, removes a conviction for domestic assault from the definition of a violent offender for purposes of drug treatment courts; changes the definition of a violent offender for purposes of drug treatment courts from an offender with a conviction for an offense involving certain acts to an offender with a conviction for a felony offense involving certain acts within the previous 10 years. |

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| SB1910 | 616 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 32; Title 35 and Title 67. As enacted, makes various changes regarding trusts and wills, including permitting confidential information related to trusts that is contained in court filings, including court orders, to be redacted or filed under seal without a prior court order. |
| SB1915 | 1106 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1 and Title 4, Chapter 58. As introduced, adds local governments to the entities that must verify that each applicant for public benefits is a United States citizen or lawfully present in the United States; authorizes the attorney general and reporter to investigate violations of requirements for verification of citizenship or presence for public benefits; requires certain reporting related to such verification for benefits. |
| SB1926 | 1107 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 63, Chapter 5. As enacted, requires a dental hygienist to be working under the direct supervision of a dentist seeing a new patient before completing diagnostic radiographs; assessing and recording existing hard and soft tissue data; performing prophylaxis; and applying fluoride agents. |
| SB1945 | 896 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 11. As enacted, allows the court to temporarily revoke a defendant's bond and order the defendant held without bail for no more than 10 days pending a bail revocation hearing if the defendant violates a condition of release, is charged with an offense committed during the defendant's release, or engages in conduct that results in the obstruction of the orderly and expeditious progress of the trial. |
| SB1957 | 710 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, enacts the "Tennessee Religious Freedom Act," which authorizes a local board of education to open a meeting of the board with a prayer led by a member of the board as long as the prayer does not require participation of any person in attendance at the meeting and no person is harassed or coerced to participate in the prayer. |
| SB1968 | 844 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 1; Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 6. As enacted, requires a director of schools to refer to juvenile court certain students who were formerly enrolled in the LEA, who were receiving certain truancy interventions, who withdrew from the LEA, and who did not transfer to another LEA; makes related changes. |
| SB1970 | 711 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7. As enacted, entitles an individual who is not a citizen of this state to inspect or receive a copy of any law enforcement record or report pertaining solely to that individual. |

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| SB1981 | 845 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 6. As enacted, adds a requirement that an award of attorneys' fees and costs incurred when an employer unreasonably denies a workers' compensation claim or unreasonably fails to timely initiate any of the benefits associated with the claim must be based on a finding by the workers' compensation judge that the employer's conduct was unreasonable; makes related changes. |
| SB1983 | 971 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Section 67-5-2701. As enacted, revises standards for the length of the redemption period for a property subject to a tax sale based on whether the period of delinquency is three years or less or is more than three years. |
| SB1992 | 1109 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39. As introduced, creates the Class E felony offense of engaging in conduct intended to influence the outcome of an event while the person or another is a party to a contract with a prediction-market by which the person will benefit, directly or indirectly, from the occurrence of the outcome; defines "prediction-market" as a platform on which individuals trade contracts based on the outcome of unknown future events. |
| SB2005 | 847 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2028 | Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 38 and Title 68. As enacted, requires certification from the peace officer standards and training commission and certain other criteria to be met in order for the commissioner of commerce and insurance, the commissioner's deputies, a municipal fire investigator, or a salaried county fire investigator to exercise police powers, including the power to arrest, relative to cases of arson or suspected arson. |
| SB2017 | 1110 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 34, Part 6. As enacted, requires retirement credit established for a period of disability for a commissioned member of the department of safety or agent of the Tennessee bureau of investigation to be at no cost to that member; authorizes political subdivisions that pass a resolution to establish retirement credit for its employees to allow the credit for a period of disability for any member who is subject to mandatory retirements to be at no cost to such person. |
| SB2024 | 617 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 2, Part 1. As enacted, exempts from the requirement that wages earned by employees in private employment are due and payable no later than the fifth day of the succeeding month those employees who are employed on a piece-work or commission basis, and requires that compensation for such employees is due and payable by the last day of the succeeding month; makes certain other changes relative to employee compensation. |

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| SB2030 | 972 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 39, Part 2. As enacted, requires sexual offenders and violent sexual offenders to notify the owner or operator of any campground on which the offender intends to stay overnight of the offender's status as a sexual offender or violent sexual offender prior to beginning the stay; creates the offense of knowingly staying overnight at a campground without providing the required notice, which is punished as a Class E felony. |
| SB2041 | 712 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 28 and Title 39, Chapter 17. As enacted, creates a civil action for individuals who are the subject of an intimate image that is intentionally disclosed without the individual's consent under certain circumstances. |
| SB2047 | 795 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, changes, from the department of education to the state board of education upon the recommendation of the department, the party responsible for selecting the intervention option for priority schools receiving tier three interventions through the progressive tiered intervention system. |
| SB2065 | 796 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 17. As enacted, removes requirement that persons seeking licensure as speech language pathologists be members of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association. |
| SB2070 | 797 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 8; Title 56 and Title 71. As enacted, enacts the "Stopping Health Insurers from Excluding Legal Decisions (SHIELD) Act." |
| SB2076 | 714 | Effective date(s) 04/14/2026, 01/01/2028 | Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 8. As enacted, redefines the practice of optometry. |
| SB2079 | 799 | Effective date(s) 04/23/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 14; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. As enacted, divides the appointing authority for the nine voting members of the Tennessee higher education commission among the governor, the speaker of the senate, and the speaker of the house of representatives equally; establishes various tuition and fee limitations and requirements for public institutions of higher education. |
| SB2087 | 850 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, requires the principal or the principal's designee provide notification to the parent or legal guardian of each student who was in the classroom or instructional area at the time that a classroom evacuation occurred by the end of the day in which the classroom evacuation occurred unless the event that prompted the classroom evacuation is an ongoing emergency or is otherwise under investigation by a state or local law enforcement agency, in which case the notification must not be provided to parents and legal guardians until the emergency event is resolved or the principal or the principal's designee determines that providing the notification does not impede an ongoing investigation, as applicable. |

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| SB2088 | 897 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 38; Title 40; Title 53; Title 63 and Title 68. As enacted, authorizes a law enforcement officer to cause to be administered a blood or urine test on a person for the presence of a psychotropic drug if such officer has probable cause to believe that the person committed a mass shooting and the person consents to such test; clarifies that if the person is a minor, then a parent or legal guardian must consent; directs the health science center to study the drug interactions between any drugs found in the person's blood or urine. |
| SB2106 | 898 | Effective date(s) 05/05/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, prohibits an educator from engaging in any sexually related behavior with certain students enrolled, graduated, or withdrawn from school; requires violations to be reported to the state board of education. |
| SB2133 | 974 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14, Part 2. As enacted, adds starvation resulting in death of a livestock animal to the types of conduct that constitute the Class E felony of aggravated cruelty to a livestock animal, when done in a depraved and sadistic manner without justifiable or lawful purpose. |
| SB2138 | 715 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40 and Title 55. As enacted, requires a person convicted of vehicular homicide proximately resulting from the person's intoxication to be punished as no lower than a Range II offender if the person, as a result of the same course of conduct, is also convicted of leaving the scene of the accident. |
| SB2141 | 899 | Effective date(s) 05/05/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 43, Chapter 6, Part 5 and Title 49. As enacted, removes various dates by which various reports must be submitted by various entities; makes various changes to the Tennessee student assistance award; requires new and existing transfer pathways to be reviewed on a rotating basis; authorizes the Tennessee higher education commission to conduct private meetings for certain purposes; makes various other changes related to financial aid and higher education. |
| SB2153 | 800 | Effective date(s) 04/21/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 33 and Title 68, Chapter 1. As enacted, authorizes the department to establish and administer an early childhood mental health home visiting program as a voluntary, evidence-based and home-based intervention to promote the mental health, developmental progress, and family stability of children from birth to five years of age and their families. |
| SB2158 | 801 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Section 4-4-116 and Chapter 512 of the Public Acts of 2025. As enacted, revises and clarifies procedures of the joint committee on ways and means, including authorizing the committee to issue notice that a hearing will not be held or to hold a hearing to review the application or acceptance of federal aid in an amount that is less than \$25 million. |

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| SB2165 | 802 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Section 36-1-113 and Section 37-2-415. As enacted, requires the department of children's services to provide a copy of a petition to terminate parental rights for a child in the custody of the department to the child's foster parent, if the foster parent has served as the physical placement for the child for a period of nine or more consecutive months; requires the department to provide the required copy within seven days of the filing or being served with the petition. |
| SB2173 | 1120 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 70, Chapter 9. As introduced, requires the executive director of the Tennessee wildlife resources agency to post a list of areas within the state that allow the use of off-highway motor vehicles, including the acreage of the area and the estimated length of the trails, on the commission's website. |
| SB2184 | 717 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 29; Title 31 and Title 34. As enacted, states that the Uniform Partition Heirs Property Act does not apply to sales of land to pay the debts of an estate; revises the method for determining a decedent's gross estate for purposes of calculating a surviving spouse's elective share. |
| SB2201 | 853 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 37; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 30 and Title 55, Chapter 10. As enacted, specifies that if a student is referred to juvenile court for being unlawfully absent from school and is ultimately adjudicated to be unruly, that the disposition made by the juvenile judge or magistrate may include the suspension of the student's driving privileges or ability to obtain a driver license for a period of up to one year. |
| SB2205 | 854 | Effective date(s) 04/27/2026, 07/01/2026 | As enacted, enacts the "Subterranean Transportation Infrastructure Coordination Act." |
| SB2213 | 1122 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 7; Title 13, Chapter 7; Title 65 and Title 68. As introduced, requires that a public utility's request to the public utility commission for a cost recovery mechanism regarding innovative natural gas resource infrastructure be submitted in writing. |
| SB2219 | 805 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1. As enacted, requires each juvenile court, through the juvenile court clerk or juvenile court staff, each month within the statewide juvenile case management system prescribed by the administrative office of the courts, to report to the administrative office of the courts each new dependency and neglect case, including for each child named in the petition, certain information. |

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| SB2225 | 723 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1. As enacted, requires, rather than permits, the child protective team for a case involving a human trafficking offense to include a representative from a non-governmental agency specialized in combatting the commercial sexual exploitation of minors; extends the time within which the department or child protective team must determine whether reported abuse was indicated or unfounded from 60 days to 90 days or, in cases involving a child fatality, 180 days. |
| SB2232 | 855 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Section 9-4-216. As enacted, specifies the conditions that must be satisfied for monies from the governor's response and recovery fund to be provided to eligible local governmental entities and to eligible individuals in qualifying counties following an emergency or disaster. |
| SB2238 | 856 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 70, Chapter 2. As enacted, enacts the "Hunting for Heroes Act"; creates the Tennessee national guard sportsman license. |
| SB2239 | 857 | Effective date(s) 04/27/2026, 01/01/2028 | Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 6 and Title 63, Chapter 9. As enacted, requires at least one hour of the board of medical examiners' required continuing education hours to be completed on topics related to nutrition; requires the same of the board of osteopathic examination. |
| SB2262 | 858 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 29; Title 47 and Title 65. As enacted, authorizes a small business that believes an online search engine has blacklisted the small business to contact the online search engine and request a response concerning the action; authorizes a small business affected by an online search engine's failure to comply with the response requirement to bring a civil action. |
| SB2265 | 1124 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 18; Title 38, Chapter 6, Part 1 and Title 39. As introduced, creates a registry within the Tennessee bureau of investigation of persons convicted of certain crimes related to organized retail theft; makes various other changes relative to the offense of organized retail crime. |
| SB2295 | 1127 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 57 and Title 67. As introduced, requires the commission to submit to the members of the general assembly, by February 1 rather than February 15, of each odd-numbered year, a biennial report on the prevention of underage drinking, drunk driving, and other harmful uses of alcohol. |
| SB2310 | 808 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, requires each LEA and public charter school serving students in any of the grades K–5 to adopt a policy governing the age-appropriate and instructional use of digital devices by students to minimize unnecessary screen time while preserving instructional effectiveness. |
| SB2324 | 730 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 36 and Title 37. As enacted, revises various provisions regarding children, including requiring a parent educational seminar in certain juvenile cases. |

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| SB2326 | 731 | Effective date(s) 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 66. As enacted, requires a homeowners' association that collects assessments for common expenses to obtain and maintain a blanket fidelity bond to insure the homeowners' association against losses resulting from theft or dishonesty committed by the officers, directors, or persons employed by the homeowners' association, or committed by any managing agent or employees of the managing agent. |
| SB2348 | 864 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 10 and Title 49. As enacted, requires the state board of education, in consultation with the department of education, to qualify an advanced degree in media and technology as an advanced degree that leads to a library information specialist endorsement; establishes certain staffing requirements for libraries in public schools that serve students in any combination of grades nine through 12 based on current student enrollment; requires a public school that serves any of the grades 9-12 to employ a full-time library information specialist with an endorsement as a library information specialist if certain criteria is met. |
| SB2354 | 809 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39; Title 44 and Title 70. As enacted, authorizes a person to possess a raccoon without the payment of the \$150 personal possession permit fee if the raccoon is obtained from a legal source and has been vaccinated; the raccoon is non-native and was not captured from the wild; and a possession permit for the raccoon has been issued by TWRA. |
| SB2355 | 810 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 16; Title 20; Title 33; Title 34; Title 36 and Title 37. As enacted, generally requires a guardian ad litem appointed by the court to complete training appropriate to that role, including training in early childhood, child, and adolescent development. |
| SB2360 | 661 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 47; Title 55, Chapter 31 and Title 66, Chapter 19. As enacted, authorizes enforcement of a garagekeeper's lien on a motor vehicle that was stored for the purpose of repairs without express written authorization from the owner for such storage if the garagekeeper makes a good faith attempt to acquire consent prior to repairs and provides notice to the owner by certified mail. |
| SB2363 | 866 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. As enacted, requires a third-party booking site that includes information about ancillary hotel services available at a hotel to disclose that there are additional fees required to access the services and which services require payment of additional fees by the consumer if access to the services requires payment of such fees; establishes violations of the requirement as violations of the Tennessee Consumer Protection Act of 1977; makes related changes. |

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| SB2366 | 900 | Effective date(s) 05/05/2026 ,01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 63. As enacted, requires the board of medical examiners to issue a provisional foreign training license of two years, which may be extended for an additional one year, to an internationally trained physician who has successfully completed the examination described in current law upon finding sufficient evidence that the internationally trained physician has met certain listed criteria; makes related changes. |
| SB2372 | 1131 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40 and Title 57. As introduced, expands the offense of adulteration of food, liquids, or pharmaceuticals to include adulteration for the purpose of making the user of the food, liquid, or pharmaceutical involuntarily intoxicated; classifies the offense as a Class D felony; requires a licensee that sells or offers samples of an intoxicating alcoholic beverage for consumption on the licensed premises to maintain drink drug testing devices for customers for the purpose of rapidly testing a beverage suspected of being spiked or laced with a controlled substance or drug. |
| SB2375 | 901 | Effective date(s) 05/18/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, revises law concerning math education; requires the state board of education, in developing and adopting a uniform grading system for students in grades 9-12, to include in such system the high school course grades achieved by students in eighth grade; specifies that the uniform grading system for students in grades K-8 must include K-8 course work. |
| SB2377 | 902 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, requires the state board of education to establish a qualified dyslexia interventionist endorsement to allow an educator to provide targeted instructional intervention, academic support, behavioral support, or related services to students demonstrating characteristics of dyslexia. |
| SB2403 | 1132 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49. As introduced, requires public schools to annually submit to the department of education a list of all local assessments administered by the school each year and the administration schedule for each such local assessment; removes the option for a local education agency or public charter school to administer to students a universal screener that is not the universal screener provided by the state; creates the assessment review board composed of nine classroom teachers to review the Tennessee comprehensive assessment program tests administered to students in the most recent school year. |
| SB2404 | 1133 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 49. As introduced, deletes an obsolete pilot program that awarded grant funds to five local education agencies to implement innovative and high-quality preschool programs in the 2023-2024 school year; deletes a Tennessee preschool task force that was created to develop a strategic plan for preschool education by June 1, 2024. |

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| SB2412 | 903 | Effective date(s) 05/05/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 18; Title 29, Chapter 39 and Title 63, Chapter 6, Part 11. As enacted, revises present law that authorizes the attorney general to bring an action to enforce compliance with the Tennessee Abortion-Inducing Drug Risk Protocol Act or intervene as a matter of right in a case in which the constitutionality of such act is challenged; makes related changes. |
| SB2419 | 1135 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 68. As introduced, increases from 10 calendar days to 10 business days, the deadline by which applications for permits for public fireworks displays must be made in writing in advance of the proposed display. |
| SB2424 | 733 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 2, Part 3. As enacted, enacts the "Sen. Frank Niceley National Security and Economic Protection Act." |
| SB2426 | 812 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, authorizes LEAs with a voluntary pre-K program to enroll children who are not at-risk, but who live in the LEA's geographic area, are three on or before August 15 and who have a parent employed by the LEA, and certain children who are five on or before August 15 to be eligible for IEP and who have not previously been enrolled in an LEA's voluntary pre-K program, if certain criteria is met. |
| SB2427 | 813 | Effective date(s) 04/23/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 7. As enacted, revises various provisions regarding medication aides, including allowing for a student in good standing enrolled in an approved school of nursing to be eligible to receive a medication aide certificate. |
| SB2431 | 1136 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 33; Title 63 and Title 68. As introduced, designates as not requiring a license from the health facilities commission as a regulated healthcare facility or service any magnetic resonance imaging or positron emission tomography that is not used for diagnostic purposes. |
| SB2434 | 868 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 49. As enacted, creates the Class C misdemeanor offense of knowingly using an unmanned aircraft over the grounds of a school. |
| SB2441 | 905 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49. As enacted, requires an LEA to close a virtual school not meeting certain requirements for continued operation; requires the department of education to maintain and publish on the department's website a list of providers that operated or managed a virtual school that was closed for not meeting the requirements for continued operation; makes other related changes. |
| SB2454 | 906 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 9. As enacted, authorizes direct and continuing appropriations by certain airport authorities for the issuance of debt that is not a liability of the state and the payment of debt service thereon. |

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| SB2461 | 1139 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 29; Title 36; Title 63 and Title 68. As introduced, creates a certification requirement to practice in assisted reproductive technology; requires the department of health to create a certification process for fertility clinics and makes other related changes. |
| SB2466 | 871 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 16; Title 17; Title 18; Title 20; Title 22; Title 24; Title 25; Title 26; Title 27; Title 28; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 43; Title 54 and Title 55. As enacted, makes various changes to the law relative to fraudulent freight theft. |
| SB2468 | 1140 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 29 and Title 39. As introduced, requires that if a vandalism offense occurred at a house of worship, the sentencing court to include as part of the sentence a fine of no less than two times the total amount of any property damage or loss or cleaning and restoration expenses incurred by the house of worship as a result of the offense. |
| SB2469 | 1141 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. As introduced, authorizes certain sitting or retired judges to carry weapons in any location that a law enforcement officer is authorized to carry a weapon if the judge could otherwise qualify for an enhanced handgun carry permit. |
| SB2471 | 907 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 11; Title 29; Title 39; Title 40; Title 44; Title 45; Title 46; Title 59; Title 66; Title 68 and Title 70. As enacted, includes in the offense of criminal trespass intrusion on property, or any portion of property, without the consent of the owner, by driving, parking, or otherwise operating a motorized vehicle or bicycle. |
| SB2473 | 978 | Effective date(s) 05/19/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7 and Title 42. As enacted, vacates the present board of commissioners of each existing authority for metropolitan and regional airports, and reconstitute a new governing body; makes related changes. |
| SB2509 | 980 | Effective date(s) 05/19/2026, 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 7 and Title 71, Chapter 3. As enacted, enacts the "Tennessee Child Care Red Tape Reduction Act." |
| SB2525 | 873 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 37; Title 49; Title 50, Chapter 5 and Title 71. As enacted, allows a high school student who is older than 16 but younger than 19 to work in a child care center outside of school hours or during school hours through a work-based learning program if the student meets certain criteria. |
| SB2528 | 981 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10 and Title 11, Chapter 8. As introduced, expands the purposes for which monies from the Ocoee River recreation and economic development fund may be expended by the Ocoee River recreation and economic development fund board; replaces the park manager member of the board with the director of the division of state parks. |

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| SB2529 | 734 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 12 and Title 54. As enacted, requires the department of transportation to install signs or markers displaying language or an appropriate symbol indicating to motorists that a rest area or welcome center has an adult-sized changing table; requires the department to publish on its website the locations of rest areas and welcome centers that have an adult-sized changing table. |
| SB2535 | 735 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 55. As enacted, requires the department to collaborate with the department of safety to develop guidelines for LEAs and public charter schools providing a driver education and training course that include certain criteria. |
| SB2585 | 737 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026, 01/01/2027 | Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 8, Chapter 50; Title 33; Title 36; Title 52; Title 56; Title 63 and Title 68. As enacted, changes references to marital and family therapists to marriage and family therapists throughout the code, and makes other changes relative to marriage and family therapists. |
| SB2589 | 983 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 4. As enacted, reconstitutes the commission. |
| SB2597 | 738 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 70. As enacted, authorizes the executive director of the wildlife resources agency to enter into agreements with local law enforcement agencies for the purpose of enforcing wildlife management laws and rules; creates a criminal offense for feeding black bears under certain circumstances. |
| SB2601 | 739 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 22. As enacted, increases from \$100,000 to \$250,000 the retained risk limit for a single risk covered by a policy of insurance issued by a county mutual insurance company. |
| SB2637 | 679 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 71, Chapter 3, Part 5. As enacted, prohibits an individual from serving as a teacher or assistant teacher in a child care program for children who are four or younger unless the individual is at least 18. |
| SB2641 | 986 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 4. As enacted, revises law relative to pension plans and proxy advisors. |
| SB2642 | 741 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 35 and Title 48. As enacted, establishes a process to notify a charitable organization that it has been designated as a beneficiary in an instrument that provides for payment or transfer at death without probate; makes related changes. |
| SB2650 | 815 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 29; Title 36; Title 37; Title 39 and Title 40. As enacted, requires a notification of a restorative justice option, which is a voluntary, victim-centered process that may include facilitated communication, conferencing, community repair agreements, or other structured accountability and repair practices, to be provided through a program for victims in Davidson and Shelby counties. |

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| SB2670 | 816 | Effective date(s) 07/01/2026 | Amends TCA Title 12 and Title 49. As enacted, enacts the "Higher Education Purchasing Act." |
| SB2690 | 1142 | Effective date(s) 05/22/2026, 07/01/2026 | As introduced, makes appropriations for the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2025, and July 1, 2026. |