

Weekly Activity – All Tracked Bills (April 9-13, 2018)

[HB 56](#), Hoffmann

Provides relative to the signs displayed at the point of purchase of any tobacco, alternative nicotine, or vapor product

April 9, 2018	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
April 9, 2018	House	Scheduled for Floor Debate on 4/13/2018

[HB 105](#), Stokes

Allows certain Type 1 charter schools to act as their own local education agencies

April 12, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
April 12, 2018	House	Reported favorably

[HB 189](#), Wright

Provides for processes, including agency review and public comment, to identify agency rules that may be contrary to law, outdated, unnecessary, overly complex, or burdensome

April 10, 2018	House	Finally passed by vote of 96 to 2
April 11, 2018	Senate	Received in the Senate
April 12, 2018	Senate	Referred to committee on Senate & Governmental Affairs

[HB 225](#), Stagni

Requires instruction in public high schools on prevention of shaken baby syndrome

April 11, 2018	House	Finally passed by vote of 97 to 0
April 12, 2018	Senate	Received in the Senate

[HB 239](#), Pierre

Provides relative to definition of vapor products

April 9, 2018	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
April 9, 2018	House	Scheduled for Floor Debate on 4/13/2018

[HB 243](#), Talbot

Prohibits a manufacturer or wholesale distributor from engaging in price gouging in the sale of an essential off-patent or generic drug

April 11, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
April 11, 2018	House	Reported with amendments
April 12, 2018	House	Reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading

[HB 246](#), Thibaut

Authorizes the commissioner of insurance to apply for a state innovation waiver to establish and implement a reinsurance program

April 11, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
April 11, 2018	Senate	Reported favorably
April 12, 2018	Senate	Referred to the Legislative Bureau

[HB 261](#), Marino

Provides relative to the use of telecommunications devices as a form of harassment

April 10, 2018	House	Finally passed by vote of 99 to 0
April 11, 2018	Senate	Received in the Senate
April 12, 2018	Senate	Referred to committee on Judiciary C

[HB 284](#), Smith

Revises procedures relative to a student's inability to pay for school meals and a student's meal debt

April 9, 2018	Senate	Referred to committee on Education
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[HB 287](#), Edmonds

Provides relative to laws concerning abortion based on genetic abnormality

April 10, 2018	House	Finally passed by vote of 96 to 0
April 11, 2018	Senate	Received in the Senate
April 12, 2018	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

[HB 324](#), Foil

Provides relative to the La. State Board of Medical Examiners

April 11, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
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[HB 362](#), Hoffmann

Provides relative to the state's system of Medicaid-funded long-term care

April 11, 2018 House Hearing Scheduled

HB 413, Ivey

Creates a new Taylor Opportunity Program for Students (TOPS) award, the TOPS Transfer Award, and raises grade point average and ACT score required for initial eligibility for a TOPS Opportunity Award

April 12, 2018 House Returned to the calendar subject to call

April 12, 2018 House Notice given to call from calendar on Tuesday, April 17, 2018

HB 429, Cromer

Provides relative to denial of claims for dental services

April 11, 2018 House Returned to the calendar subject to call

April 11, 2018 House Notice given to call from calendar on Monday, April 16, 2018

HB 436, Johnson

Provides relative to the regulation of pharmacy benefit managers

April 11, 2018 Senate Hearing Scheduled

HB 470, Stokes

Creates and provides for the Louisiana Medical Research Fund

April 11, 2018 House Hearing Scheduled

HB 472, Thibaut

Establishes the Louisiana Health Reinsurance Association

April 10, 2018 House Amended

April 10, 2018 House Finally passed by vote of 63 to 34

April 11, 2018 Senate Received in the Senate

April 12, 2018 Senate Referred to committee on Insurance

HB 488, Amedee

Provides relative to the mandatory reporting of certain crimes of sexual abuse of a minor

April 11, 2018 House Hearing Scheduled

April 11, 2018 House Reported favorably

April 12, 2018 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

HB 492, Bagley

Requires that pharmacists report to certain parties when refills of certain psychiatric medications go undispensed

April 11, 2018 House Hearing Scheduled

HB 498, Jordan

Requires school crisis management and response plans to provide for parental notification in the event of a shooting or other violent incident or emergency situation

April 12, 2018 House Finally passed by vote of 103 to 0

HB 541, Stokes

Provides for the length of and subject matters considered during regular legislative sessions

April 11, 2018 House Called from the calendar

April 11, 2018 House Amended

April 11, 2018 House Killed on final passage by vote of 40 to 50

HB 547, LeBas

Prohibits penalties for disclosure by pharmacists of certain prescription drug cost information

April 12, 2018 House Hearing Scheduled

HB 548, Miller, D.

Requires, with limited exceptions, that prescribers transmit prescriptions for drugs to pharmacies electronically

April 11, 2018 House Returned to the calendar subject to call

HB 574, Miller, D.

Creates the Louisiana Board of Emergency Medical Services

April 12, 2018 House Hearing Scheduled

HB 579, James

Provides relative to the authorization for therapeutic use of marijuana

April 12, 2018 House Amended

April 12, 2018 House Finally passed by vote of 60 to 39

HB 616, Hilferty

Provides relative to foods and beverages, other than school breakfast or lunch, offered in public schools

April 11, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
April 11, 2018	House	Reported with amendments
April 12, 2018	House	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

HB 627, Lyons

Authorizes the recommendation of medical marijuana for treating certain health conditions of persons with autism

April 9, 2018	Senate	Received in the Senate
April 10, 2018	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

HB 657, Simon

Requires interoperability of electronic health records

April 11, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
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HB 724, Miller, D.

Provides an exception to certain provisions of the ethics code to allow a licensed physician to perform the duties of certain positions at the Louisiana Department of Health and to practice medicine outside of the performance of such duties

April 9, 2018	House	Called from the calendar
April 9, 2018	House	Failed to pass by vote of 46 to 41; to be reconsidered
April 10, 2018	House	Vote reconsidered
April 10, 2018	House	Returned to the calendar subject to call
April 10, 2018	House	Notice given to call from calendar on Thursday, April 12, 2018
April 12, 2018	House	Called from the calendar
April 12, 2018	House	Amended
April 12, 2018	House	Finally passed by vote of 59 to 37

HCR 11, Norton

Requests that the state Dept. of Education include school-level and system-level data in annual report of status of health and physical education in public schools and that schools and school governing authorities respond to the department's survey relative to such report

April 11, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
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HCR 19, Foil

Requests the La. Department of Health to add Severe Combined Immunodeficiency to the state's newborn screening panel

April 9, 2018	House	Finally passed by vote of 88 to 0
April 9, 2018	Senate	Received in the Senate
April 10, 2018	Senate	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

SB 24, Mills

Provides relative to social work practice

April 12, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
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SB 27, Mills

Provides relative to the Medicaid Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee

April 12, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
April 12, 2018	House	Reported favorably
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau

SB 29, Mills

Provides relative to a single uniform prescription drug prior authorization form

April 11, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
April 11, 2018	Senate	Reported with amendments
April 12, 2018	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

SB 40, Mills

Provides relative to health profession licensing board membership

April 11, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
April 11, 2018	Senate	Reported with amendments
April 12, 2018	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

SB 89, Bishop

Requires parent representation on each charter school governing or management board

April 9, 2018	Senate	Reported with amendments
April 10, 2018	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
April 11, 2018	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call

SB 90, Mills

Provides relative to a voluntary nonopioid directive form

April 12, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
April 12, 2018	House	Reported favorably
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau

SB 100, Morrell

Provides for the transfer, deposit, and use of monies among state funds

April 9, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
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SB 108, Johns

Provides relative to the Medicaid managed care annual report

April 10, 2018	Senate	Amended
April 10, 2018	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 36 to 0
April 11, 2018	House	Received in the House
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

SB 129, Gatti

Provides relative to foster care children in high school

April 9, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
April 9, 2018	Senate	Reported with amendments
April 10, 2018	Senate	Reengrossed, passed to 3rd reading
April 11, 2018	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 34 to 0
April 11, 2018	House	Received in the House
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

SB 130, Mills

Provides relative to contracts for Medicaid pharmacy benefit management services

April 11, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
April 11, 2018	Senate	Reported with amendments
April 12, 2018	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

SB 134, Mills

Provides relative to prescriptions for controlled dangerous substances

April 12, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
April 12, 2018	House	Reported favorably
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau

SB 156, Carter

Provides immunity from liability for person providing gratuitous emergency care to a minor or domestic animal

April 9, 2018	Senate	Amended
April 9, 2018	Senate	Failed to pass by vote of 19 to 16; to be reconsidered
April 10, 2018	Senate	Vote reconsidered
April 10, 2018	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call
April 10, 2018	Senate	Called from the calendar
April 10, 2018	Senate	Vote reconsidered
April 10, 2018	Senate	Amended
April 10, 2018	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 33 to 3
April 11, 2018	House	Received in the House
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to committee on Civil Law & Procedure

SB 235, Colomb

Provides for insurance coverage for hearing aids

April 12, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
April 12, 2018	House	Reported favorably
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau

SB 248, Johns

Revises definition of "children" in the Children's Code

April 10, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
April 10, 2018	Senate	Reported with amendments
April 11, 2018	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

SB 260, Milkovich

Provides relative to disciplinary hearings by professional and occupational licensing boards and commissions

April 10, 2018	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call
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SB 274, Carter

Prohibits sale of assault weapons to any person under the age of twenty-one

April 10, 2018	Senate	Failed to pass by vote of 9 to 26; to be reconsidered
April 11, 2018	Senate	Vote reconsidered
April 11, 2018	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call

SB 277, Claitor

Provides relative to investigations by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners

April 10, 2018	Senate	Amended
April 10, 2018	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 36 to 0
April 11, 2018	House	Received in the House
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

SB 285, Smith, G.

Prohibits a health insurance issuer from denying a nonopioid prescription in favor of an opioid prescription

April 11, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
April 11, 2018	Senate	Reported with amendments
April 12, 2018	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

SB 286, Milkovich

Provides relative to the Physician's Bill of Rights

April 10, 2018	Senate	Amended
April 10, 2018	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 36 to 0
April 11, 2018	House	Received in the House
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

SB 297, Claitor

Authorizes the state Dept. of Education and the Dept. of Health to survey students regarding certain risk behavior associated with chronic health conditions

April 10, 2018	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call
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SB 310, Claitor

Provides relative to the collection and reporting of certain data regarding students with exceptionalities

April 9, 2018	Senate	Reported with amendments
April 10, 2018	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading
April 11, 2018	Senate	Amended
April 11, 2018	Senate	Returned to the calendar subject to call
April 11, 2018	Senate	Called from the calendar
April 11, 2018	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 23 to 10
April 12, 2018	House	Received in the House

SB 315, Thompson

Requires instruction in personal financial management in public elementary and secondary schools

April 12, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
April 12, 2018	House	Reported favorably
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to the Legislative Bureau

SB 345, Donahue

Provides relative to school master plans for supporting student behavioral health

April 12, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
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SB 391, Mizell

To require state agencies to install internet filters to block content which is obscene or sexually harassing and which create a hostile work environment

April 11, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
April 11, 2018	Senate	Reported with amendments
April 12, 2018	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

SB 434, Mizell

Authorizes the retail sale of milk and milk products at less than cost and removes the authority of the Dairy Stabilization Board and the commissioner of agriculture to regulate the retail price of milk

April 10, 2018	Senate	Hearing Scheduled
April 10, 2018	Senate	Reported by substitute
April 11, 2018	Senate	Substitute bill adopted SB 560

SB 435, Mills

Provides relative to advanced practice registered nursing

April 10, 2018 Senate Returned to the calendar subject to call

SB 558, Barrow

Provides relative to incarcerated women

April 10, 2018	Senate	Amended
April 10, 2018	Senate	Finally passed by vote of 36 to 0
April 11, 2018	House	Received in the House
April 12, 2018	House	Referred to committee on Administration of Criminal Justice

SB 560, Mizell

Creates the Dairy Stabilization Study Committee

April 11, 2018	Senate	Introduced in the Senate
April 11, 2018	Senate	Substituted for SB 434
April 12, 2018	Senate	Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

SCR 10, Barrow

Requests the Department of Children and Family Services to study extending the age of foster care to age twenty-one.

April 12, 2018	House	Hearing Scheduled
April 12, 2018	House	Reported with amendments