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**ARIZONA FUNERAL, CEMETERY & CREMATION
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Posted Calendars and Committee Hearings

- H2084: VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS
Calendar:3/9 Senate Consent
- H2325: ENVIRONMENT; WATER QUALITY AMENDMENTS
Hearing:Senate Water & Energy (Monday 03/14/16 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 3)
- H2337: REGULATION; DEFICIENCIES; OPPORTUNITY TO CORRECT
Hearing:Senate Government (Wednesday 03/09/16 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 3)
- H2391: MUNICIPALITIES; WATER RATES; REQUIREMENTS
Hearing:Senate Water & Energy (Monday 03/14/16 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 3)
- H2475: FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS
Hearing:Senate Commerce & Workforce Development (Monday 03/14/16 at 1:45 PM, Senate Rm. 1)
- H2478: LICENSING; WAIVER OF RIGHTS; PROHIBITION
Hearing:Senate Government (Wednesday 03/09/16 at 2:00 PM, Senate Rm. 3)
- H2613: REGULATORY BOARDS; LICENSING; REVISIONS
Hearing:Senate Commerce & Workforce Development (Monday 03/14/16 at 1:45 PM, Senate Rm. 1)
- HCR2031:PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION
Hearing:Senate Finance (Wednesday 03/09/16 at 9:00 AM, Senate Rm. 3)
- S1104: MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING
Calendar:3/9 House Consent
- S1163: UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE
Calendar:3/9 House Consent
- S1268: ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS; MUNICIPALITIES
Hearing:House Agriculture, Water & Lands (Thursday 03/10/16 at 10:00 AM, House Rm. 3)
- S1270: PEST MANAGEMENT DIVISION
Hearing:House Agriculture, Water & Lands (Thursday 03/10/16 at 10:00 AM, House Rm. 3)
- S1375: TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS
Hearing:House Commerce (Wednesday 03/09/16 at 9:30 AM, House Rm. 1)

Bill Summaries

H2084: VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS

The Department of Health Services is required to annually provide the Secretary of State with access to the statewide system of all records of all deaths and the Secretary of State may compare the records of deaths with the statewide voter registration database.

First sponsor: Rep. Stevens

H2084 Daily History	Date	Action
VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS	3/8	from Senate rules okay. Stricken from Senate consent calendar by Kavanagh.
VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS	3/7	to Senate consent calendar.
VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS	2/25	from Senate gov do pass.
VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS	2/16	referred to Senate gov.
VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS	2/4	passed House 56-0; ready for Senate.
VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS	2/2	from House rules okay.
VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS	2/1	to House consent calendar.
VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS	1/28	from House elect do pass.
VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS; DEATH RECORDS	1/13	referred to House elect.

H2114: INDEPENDENT BUSINESS STATUS; DECLARATION

Any employing unit contracting with an independent contractor may prove the existence of an independent contractor relationship for the purposes of Title 23 (Labor) by the independent contractor executing a declaration of independent business status. Establishes a form for the declaration of independent business status, and requires the declaration to be signed by the independent contractor and dated. A declaration in compliance with these requirements creates a rebuttable presumption of an independent contractor relationship. AS PASSED HOUSE.

First sponsor: Rep. Petersen

H2114 Daily History	Date	Action
INDEPENDENT BUSINESS STATUS; DECLARATION	3/8	from Senate com-work dev with amend #4819.
INDEPENDENT BUSINESS STATUS; DECLARATION	2/16	referred to Senate com-work dev.
INDEPENDENT BUSINESS STATUS; DECLARATION	2/4	passed House 34-22; ready for Senate.
INDEPENDENT BUSINESS STATUS; DECLARATION	2/3	House COW approved with amend #4007.
INDEPENDENT BUSINESS STATUS; DECLARATION	1/28	retained on House COW calendar.
INDEPENDENT BUSINESS STATUS; DECLARATION	1/26	from House rules okay.
INDEPENDENT BUSINESS STATUS; DECLARATION	1/20	from House com with amend #4007.
INDEPENDENT BUSINESS STATUS; DECLARATION	1/13	referred to House com.

H2217: PARENTING TIME; LEGAL DECISION MAKING; INVESTIGATOR (TECH CORRECTION; WATER PROTECTION)

Minor change in Title 45 (Waters) related to water protection. Apparent striker bus.

First sponsor: Rep. Kern

H2217 Daily History	Date	Action
PARENTING TIME; LEGAL DECISION MAKING; INVESTIGATOR	3/2	FAILED to pass House 23-35.
PARENTING TIME; LEGAL DECISION MAKING; INVESTIGATOR	3/1	House COW approved with amend #4380. NOTE SHORT TITLE CHANGE.
TECH CORRECTION; WATER PROTECTION	2/23	from House rules okay.
TECH CORRECTION; WATER PROTECTION	2/18	from House gov-higher ed with amend #4380.
TECH CORRECTION; WATER PROTECTION	2/18	House gov-higher ed amended; report awaited.
TECH CORRECTION; WATER PROTECTION	2/15	referred to House gov-higher ed.

H2281: PROHIBITED PESTICIDES

It is unlawful for a person to sell or use the pesticides clothianidin, imidacloprid or thiamethoxam in Arizona.

First sponsor: Rep. Mendez

H2281 Daily History	Date	Action
No actions posted for this bill to date.		

H2291: GROUNDWATER; WATERLOGGED AREA EXEMPTION; DATE

The exemption from any irrigation water duties or intermediate water duties for a person with an irrigation grandfathered right on irrigation acres in the management plans for the first through fourth management periods for the Phoenix Active Management Area (AMA) is extended to the fifth management period and terminates on December 31, 2024. The exemption from conservation requirements for the distribution of groundwater for specified companies and districts is also extended to the fifth management period for the Phoenix AMA and terminates on December 31, 2024. The exemption from groundwater withdrawal fees and water quality assurance fees for these areas is extended five years through 2024, from 2019.

First sponsor: Rep. Mitchell

H2291 Daily History	Date	Action
GROUNDWATER; WATERLOGGED AREA EXEMPTION; DATE 3/8 from Senate water-energy do pass.		
GROUNDWATER; WATERLOGGED AREA EXEMPTION; DATE 3/1 referred to Senate water-energy.		
GROUNDWATER; WATERLOGGED AREA EXEMPTION; DATE 2/25 passed House 60-0; ready for Senate.		
GROUNDWATER; WATERLOGGED AREA EXEMPTION; DATE 2/18 House COW approved.		
GROUNDWATER; WATERLOGGED AREA EXEMPTION; DATE 2/16 from House rules okay.		
GROUNDWATER; WATERLOGGED AREA EXEMPTION; DATE 2/15 stricken from House consent calendar by Mitchell, Kern.		
GROUNDWATER; WATERLOGGED AREA EXEMPTION; DATE 2/15 to House consent calendar.		
GROUNDWATER; WATERLOGGED AREA EXEMPTION; DATE 2/4 from House agri-water-land do pass.		
GROUNDWATER; WATERLOGGED AREA EXEMPTION; DATE 1/21 referred to House agri-water-land.		

H2307: ANATOMICAL GIFTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS; LICENSURE

A person acting as an anatomical gift procurement organization in Arizona is required to be licensed by the Department of Health Services and pay all applicable license fees as prescribed by the Dept. Some exceptions. Requirements for licensure and record keeping are established. The Dept is authorized to take various enforcement actions against a licensee in violation of statutory requirements and related rules adopted by the Dept. AS PASSED HOUSE.

First sponsor: Rep. Cobb

H2307 Daily History	Date	Action
ANATOMICAL GIFTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS; LICENSURE 3/3 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.		
ANATOMICAL GIFTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS; LICENSURE 3/1 passed House 54-5; ready for Senate.		
ANATOMICAL GIFTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS; LICENSURE 2/29 House COW approved with floor amend #4650, a substitute for amend 4313.		
ANATOMICAL GIFTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS; LICENSURE 2/23 retained on House COW calendar.		
ANATOMICAL GIFTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS; LICENSURE 2/22 from House rules okay.		
ANATOMICAL GIFTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS; LICENSURE 2/17 from House hel with amend #4313.		
ANATOMICAL GIFTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS; LICENSURE 1/21 referred to House hel.		

H2325: ENVIRONMENT; WATER QUALITY AMENDMENTS

Various changes to statutes relating to water quality. The maximum lead content for pipes, pipe fittings, and plumbing fittings and fixtures is set at a weighted average of 0.25 percent when used with respect to wetted surfaces, and must be calculated using a specified formula. The list of exemptions from the maximum lead content standards is expanded to include specified uses where water is not anticipated to be used for human consumption. Monies from fees for certification of operators of potable water systems and sewage treatment plants are deposited in the Water Quality Fee Fund, instead of the general fund.

First sponsor: Rep. Pratt

H2325 Daily History	Date	Action
ENVIRONMENT; WATER QUALITY AMENDMENTS 3/3 referred to Senate water-energy.		
ENVIRONMENT; WATER QUALITY AMENDMENTS 3/1 passed House 59-0; ready for Senate.		

ENVIRONMENT; WATER QUALITY AMENDMENTS 2/25 House COW approved.
ENVIRONMENT; WATER QUALITY AMENDMENTS 2/23 from House rules okay.
ENVIRONMENT; WATER QUALITY AMENDMENTS 1/26 from House energy-env do pass.
ENVIRONMENT; WATER QUALITY AMENDMENTS 1/25 House energy-env do pass; report awaited.
ENVIRONMENT; WATER QUALITY AMENDMENTS 1/21 referred to House energy-env.

H2331: SMALL WATER SYSTEMS FUND; APPROPRIATION

Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund in FY2016-17 to the Small Water Systems Fund for emergency grants to interim operators of small water systems.
First sponsor: Rep. Barton

H2331 Daily History	Date Action
SMALL WATER SYSTEMS FUND; APPROPRIATION 3/8	from Senate water-energy do pass.
SMALL WATER SYSTEMS FUND; APPROPRIATION 3/3	referred to Senate water-energy, appro.
SMALL WATER SYSTEMS FUND; APPROPRIATION 3/1	passed House 53-6; ready for Senate.
SMALL WATER SYSTEMS FUND; APPROPRIATION 2/25	House COW approved.
SMALL WATER SYSTEMS FUND; APPROPRIATION 2/23	from House rules okay.
SMALL WATER SYSTEMS FUND; APPROPRIATION 2/18	from House appro do pass.
SMALL WATER SYSTEMS FUND; APPROPRIATION 1/28	from House agri-water-land do pass.
SMALL WATER SYSTEMS FUND; APPROPRIATION 1/28	House agri-water-land do pass; report awaited.
SMALL WATER SYSTEMS FUND; APPROPRIATION 1/21	referred to House agri-water-land, appro.

H2337: REGULATION; DEFICIENCIES; OPPORTUNITY TO CORRECT

When deficiencies are identified during an inspection and the agency is unsure whether a regulated person meets the statutory list of circumstances which preclude the person from receiving an opportunity to correct the deficiencies, the agency is required to provide the regulated person with an opportunity to correct.
AS PASSED HOUSE.
First sponsor: Rep. Norgaard

H2337 Daily History	Date Action
REGULATION; DEFICIENCIES; OPPORTUNITY TO CORRECT 3/1	referred to Senate gov.
REGULATION; DEFICIENCIES; OPPORTUNITY TO CORRECT 2/17	passed House 54-6; ready for Senate.
REGULATION; DEFICIENCIES; OPPORTUNITY TO CORRECT 2/16	from House rules okay. House COW approved with amend #4098.
REGULATION; DEFICIENCIES; OPPORTUNITY TO CORRECT 2/4	from House gov-higher ed with amend #4098.
REGULATION; DEFICIENCIES; OPPORTUNITY TO CORRECT 2/4	House gov-higher ed amended; report awaited.
REGULATION; DEFICIENCIES; OPPORTUNITY TO CORRECT 1/25	referred to House gov-higher ed.

H2391: MUNICIPALITIES; WATER RATES; REQUIREMENTS

Municipalities are prohibited from assessing or collecting a fee on new water or wastewater service connections at the time of the establishment of service to those connections for the purpose of recovering the municipality's costs of acquiring the utility plan, facilities, system or other property of a public service corporation or another municipality engaged in the business of providing water or wastewater service. Does not apply to water or wastewater fees adopted before January 1, 2016 or included in a notice of intent to adopt or increase rates and fees adopted before January 1, 2016. AS PASSED HOUSE.
First sponsor: Rep. Bowers

H2391 Daily History	Date Action
MUNICIPALITIES; WATER RATES; REQUIREMENTS 3/7	referred to Senate water-energy.
MUNICIPALITIES; WATER RATES; REQUIREMENTS 3/2	passed House 37-21; ready for Senate.
MUNICIPALITIES; WATER RATES; REQUIREMENTS 3/1	House COW approved with floor amend #4695, a substitute for amend 4137.
MUNICIPALITIES; WATER RATES; REQUIREMENTS 2/16	from House rules okay. Retained on House COW calendar.
MUNICIPALITIES; WATER RATES; REQUIREMENTS 2/8	from House energy-env with amend #4137.
MUNICIPALITIES; WATER RATES; REQUIREMENTS 2/1	referred to House energy-env.

H2475: FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS

It is a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor for a funeral establishment or Board of

Funeral Directors and Embalmers licensee to hold a direct pecuniary or proprietary interest in an organ "procurement organization" (defined elsewhere in statute). Some exceptions. AS PASSED HOUSE.

First sponsor: Rep. Norgaard

H2475 Daily History	Date	Action
FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS	3/3	referred to Senate com-work dev.
FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS	2/18	passed House 57-0; ready for Senate.
FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS	2/17	House COW approved with floor amend #4333.
FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS	2/16	from House rules okay. Stricken from House consent calendar by NorGaard.
FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS	2/15	stricken from House consent calendar by Meyer.
FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS	2/15	to House consent calendar.
FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS	2/10	from House com do pass.
FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENTS; PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS	2/1	referred to House com.

H2478: LICENSING; WAIVER OF RIGHTS; PROHIBITION

State agencies, counties, municipalities and special taxing districts are prohibited from requiring a waiver of a right granted by the state Constitution or state law as a condition of approving a license.

First sponsor: Rep. Petersen

H2478 Daily History	Date	Action
LICENSING; WAIVER OF RIGHTS; PROHIBITION	2/23	referred to Senate gov.
LICENSING; WAIVER OF RIGHTS; PROHIBITION	2/18	passed House 33-24; ready for Senate.
LICENSING; WAIVER OF RIGHTS; PROHIBITION	2/16	House COW approved.
LICENSING; WAIVER OF RIGHTS; PROHIBITION	2/10	stricken from House consent calendar by Mach.
LICENSING; WAIVER OF RIGHTS; PROHIBITION	2/8	from House rules okay. To House consent calendar.
LICENSING; WAIVER OF RIGHTS; PROHIBITION	2/3	from House com do pass.
LICENSING; WAIVER OF RIGHTS; PROHIBITION	1/25	referred to House com.
LICENSING; WAIVER OF RIGHTS; PROHIBITION	1/25	referred to House com.

H2505: TECH CORRECTION; POWER AUTHORITY; WATER

Minor change in Title 30 (Power) related to the Arizona Power Authority. Apparent striker bus.

First sponsor: Rep. Carter

H2505 Daily History	Date	Action
No actions posted for this bill to date.		

H2613: REGULATORY BOARDS; LICENSING; REVISIONS

Eliminates state licensing for assayers, professional driver training school instructors and citrus fruit packers. Requires the Board of Technical Registration to grant assayer emeritus status to an assayer who is registered by the Board on the effective date of this legislation if the assayer has not received any complaints during active registration and the assayer analyzes metals, ores, minerals or alloys to ascertain the quantity of any substance in those items. Permits a geologist to engage in a geological practice without being registered by the Board. A responsible cremationist is required to be licensed by the Board. Any other cremationist is permitted, instead of required, to be licensed, and, if not licensed, is authorized to engage only in cremation activity that is allowed without a license. The list of exemptions from licensure as a private vocational program is expanded to include a yoga teacher training course or program or a yoga instructional course or program. The Department of Administration is required to conduct a study relating to the transfer of all non-health regulatory boards in Title 32 (Professions and Occupations) to a new licensing and regulatory division in the Dept, and to report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by October 1, 2016. AS PASSED HOUSE.

First sponsor: Rep. Petersen

H2613 Daily History	Date Action
REGULATORY BOARDS; LICENSING; REVISIONS 3/7	referred to Senate com-work dev.
REGULATORY BOARDS; LICENSING; REVISIONS 3/3	House COW approved with floor amend #4786, a substitute for amend 4390. Passed House 31-20; ready for Senate.
REGULATORY BOARDS; LICENSING; REVISIONS 3/2	retained on House COW calendar.
REGULATORY BOARDS; LICENSING; REVISIONS 3/1	from House rules okay.
REGULATORY BOARDS; LICENSING; REVISIONS 2/18	from House com with amend #4390.
REGULATORY BOARDS; LICENSING; REVISIONS 2/17	House com amended; report awaited.
REGULATORY BOARDS; LICENSING; REVISIONS 2/8	referred to House com.

H2622: WATER; IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; TAX LIMIT

The list of special taxing districts where a majority of the real property owners in the district may petition the district board to apportion the tax among the lots in the district according to the area in square feet of each lot is expanded to include domestic wastewater improvement districts. In a domestic water improvement district or domestic wastewater improvement district that assesses and levies its taxes based on the square footage of the property, the governing body of the district in its discretion is authorized to establish by resolution a limit on the amount of tax that may be assessed and collected by the district from any single parcel of real property in the district.

First sponsor: Rep. Barton

H2622 Daily History	Date Action
WATER; IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; TAX LIMIT 3/7	referred to Senate fin.
WATER; IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; TAX LIMIT 3/2	passed House 49-9; ready for Senate.
WATER; IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; TAX LIMIT 2/25	House COW approved.
WATER; IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; TAX LIMIT 2/23	from House rules okay.
WATER; IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; TAX LIMIT 2/18	from House agri-water-land do pass.
WATER; IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; TAX LIMIT 2/8	referred to House agri-water-land.

H2651: FLOODPLAIN REGULATION; AGGREGATE EXTRACTION

County flood control districts are prohibited from adopting or enforcing a regulation that restricts or limits the extraction of aggregate for the sole reason that the extraction may cause erosion to or aggravate existing flood-related erosion on property that is adjacent to or near the property on which the extraction is occurring.

First sponsor: Rep. Ugenti-Rita

H2651 Daily History	Date Action
FLOODPLAIN REGULATION; AGGREGATE EXTRACTION 2/24	House appro held.
FLOODPLAIN REGULATION; AGGREGATE EXTRACTION 2/18	withdrawn form House energy-env and additionally referred to appro.
FLOODPLAIN REGULATION; AGGREGATE EXTRACTION 2/10	referred to House energy-env.

HCR2031: PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION

The 2016 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to prohibit the Legislature from levying a tax on the first \$2.4 million of full cash value of personal property that is initially acquired during or after tax year 2016 and that is used for agricultural purposes or in trade or business. The Legislature is permitted to provide by law for increasing \$2.4 million exempt amount.

First sponsor: Rep. Mesnard

HCR2031 Daily History	Date Action
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION 3/9	Senate fin do pass; report awaited.
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION 3/3	referred to Senate fin.
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION 2/29	passed House 35-24; ready for Senate.
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION 2/24	House COW approved.
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION 2/22	from House rules okay.
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION 2/11	from House appro do pass.
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION 2/10	House appro do pass; report awaited.

PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION 1/28 from House gov-higher ed do pass.
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION 1/28 House gov-higher ed do pass; report awaited.
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX; EXEMPTION 1/21 referred to House gov-higher ed, appro.

S1086: TECH CORRECTION; ASSISTANT FUNERAL DIRECTOR

Minor change in Title 32 (Professions and Occupations) related to assistant funeral directors. Apparent striker bus.

First sponsor: Sen. Shooter

S1086 Daily History	Date Action
TECH CORRECTION; ASSISTANT FUNERAL DIRECTOR 1/12 referred to Senate rules only.	

S1099: TECH CORRECTION; INDIGENT CARE; RECORDS

Minor change in Title 11 (Counties) related to records of indigent care. Apparent striker bus.

First sponsor: Sen. Barto

S1099 Daily History	Date Action
TECH CORRECTION; INDIGENT CARE; RECORDS 1/13 referred to Senate rules only.	

S1104: MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING

The list of deaths of a human being that require prompt notification of a peace officer and that require a death investigation by the county medical examiner or alternate medical examiner is modified to include unexpected or unexplained death of an infant or child and to remove death from disease or accident believed to be related to the deceased's occupation or employment. Also, death of a "person in a custodial agency" (defined elsewhere in statute) replaces death occurring in a prison and death of a prisoner. AS PASSED SENATE.

First sponsor: Sen. Barto

S1104 Daily History	Date Action
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 3/8 from House rules okay.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 3/7 to House consent calendar.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 2/22 from House county-muni do pass.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 2/22 House county-muni do pass; report awaited.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 2/17 referred to House county-muni.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 2/11 passed Senate 29-0; ready for House.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 2/10 Senate COW approved with amend #4025 and floor amend #4177.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 2/2 from Senate rules okay.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 1/28 from Senate gov with amend #4025.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 1/27 Senate gov amended; report awaited.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 1/21 from Senate hel-hu ser do pass.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 1/20 Senate hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.	
MEDICAL EXAMINER; JURISDICTION; DEATH REPORTING 1/13 referred to Senate hel-hu ser, gov.	

S1145: TECH CORRECTION; WATER RESOURCES

Minor change in Title 45 (Waters) related to the Department of Water Resources. Apparent striker bus.

First sponsor: Sen. Pierce

S1145 Daily History	Date Action
TECH CORRECTION; WATER RESOURCES 1/19 referred to Senate rules only.	

S1146: TECH CORRECTION; ACTIVE MANAGEMENT AREAS

Minor change in Title 45 (Waters) related to Active Management Areas. Apparent striker bus.

First sponsor: Sen. Pierce

S1146 Daily History	Date Action
TECH CORRECTION; ACTIVE MANAGEMENT AREAS 1/19 referred to Senate rules only.	

S1163: UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE

In the event of any damage that results in a release from an underground facility that transports natural gas, liquefied petroleum gas, liquefied natural gas, petroleum products or any other hazardous gases or liquids in connection with any excavation, the person responsible for the excavation operations is required to immediately notify the underground facilities operator and 911 or the local emergency response agency. AS PASSED SENATE.

First sponsor: Sen. Kavanagh

S1163 Daily History	Date Action
UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE 3/8	from House rules okay.
UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE 3/7	to House consent calendar.
UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE 3/1	from House energy-env do pass.
UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE 2/24	referred to House energy-env.
UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE 2/15	passed Senate 28-0; ready for House.
UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE 2/11	Senate COW approved with amend #4044.
UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE 2/9	from Senate rules okay.
UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE 2/1	from Senate nat res with amend #4044.
UNDERGROUND FACILITY; DAMAGE; NOTICE 1/20	referred to Senate nat res.

S1191: WATER PROTECTION FUND; CONSERVATION; SUPPLY

The list of projects that the Arizona Water Protection Fund Commission is required to give priority in funding to is expanded to include projects that increase the supply of water. Removes the cap of five percent of the monies spent in any fiscal year being spent in water conservation programs outside of active management areas.

First sponsor: Sen. Griffin

S1191 Daily History	Date Action
WATER PROTECTION FUND; CONSERVATION; SUPPLY 3/8	from House rules okay.
WATER PROTECTION FUND; CONSERVATION; SUPPLY 3/3	from House agri-water-land do pass.
WATER PROTECTION FUND; CONSERVATION; SUPPLY 2/23	referred to House agri-water-land.
WATER PROTECTION FUND; CONSERVATION; SUPPLY 2/8	passed Senate 21-9; ready for House.
WATER PROTECTION FUND; CONSERVATION; SUPPLY 2/2	from Senate rules okay.
WATER PROTECTION FUND; CONSERVATION; SUPPLY 2/1	to Senate consent calendar.
WATER PROTECTION FUND; CONSERVATION; SUPPLY 1/26	from Senate water-energy do pass.
WATER PROTECTION FUND; CONSERVATION; SUPPLY 1/25	Senate water-energy do pass; report awaited.
WATER PROTECTION FUND; CONSERVATION; SUPPLY 1/20	referred to Senate water-energy.

S1192: ARIZONA WATER PROTECTION FUND; APPROPRIATION

Appropriates \$1 million from the general fund in FY2016-17 to the Arizona Water Protection Fund.

First sponsor: Sen. Griffin

S1192 Daily History	Date Action
ARIZONA WATER PROTECTION FUND; APPROPRIATION 3/3	from House agri-water-land do pass.
ARIZONA WATER PROTECTION FUND; APPROPRIATION 2/23	referred to House agri-water-land, appro.
ARIZONA WATER PROTECTION FUND; APPROPRIATION 2/18	passed Senate 26-3; ready for House.
ARIZONA WATER PROTECTION FUND; APPROPRIATION 2/16	from Senate rules okay.
ARIZONA WATER PROTECTION FUND; APPROPRIATION 2/15	to Senate consent calendar.
ARIZONA WATER PROTECTION FUND; APPROPRIATION 2/3	from Senate appro do pass.
ARIZONA WATER PROTECTION FUND; APPROPRIATION 1/26	from Senate water-energy do pass.
ARIZONA WATER PROTECTION FUND; APPROPRIATION 1/25	Senate water-energy do pass; report awaited.
ARIZONA WATER PROTECTION FUND; APPROPRIATION 1/20	referred to Senate water-energy, appro.

S1248: BODY OF WATER; AGGREGATE MINING

The list of bodies of water exempt from the prohibition on using any water to fill or refill all or a portion of a body of water is expanded to include a body of water within the boundaries of the exempted area delineated on the map of the Phoenix Active Management Area filed with the Secretary of State's office and the body of

water meets all of a list of specified requirements, including that the body of water is established as the result of aggregate mining.

First sponsor: Sen. Shooter

S1248 Daily History	Date Action
BODY OF WATER; AGGREGATE MINING 3/2	Senate COW approved. Passed Senate <u>19-8</u> ; ready for House.
BODY OF WATER; AGGREGATE MINING 3/1	from Senate rules okay.
BODY OF WATER; AGGREGATE MINING 2/24	from Senate appro do pass.
BODY OF WATER; AGGREGATE MINING 2/11	further referred to Senate appro.
BODY OF WATER; AGGREGATE MINING 1/26	referred to Senate rules only.

S1259: GROUNDWATER; EXTINGUISHMENT CREDITS; PINAL AMA

The Department of Water Resources is prohibited from adopting or implementing any administrative rule in the Pinal Active Management Area that reduces the amount or quantity of credits for the extinguishment of irrigation grandfathered rights. Applies to any rule adopted before or after the effective date of this legislation.

First sponsor: Sen. McGuire

S1259 Daily History	Date Action
GROUNDWATER; EXTINGUISHMENT CREDITS; PINAL AMA 1/26	referred to Senate water-energy.

S1268: ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS; MUNICIPALITIES

The Department of Water Resources is no longer required to give written notice of county adequate water supply ordinances to the mayors of all municipalities in the county, and municipalities that receive the notice are no longer required to comply with specified county adequate water supply requirements. A municipality that received a notice from the Dept before the effective date of this act is required to comply with county adequate water supply requirements unless the legislative body of the municipality adopts an ordinance after the effective date of this act that provides that the municipality is not subject to the requirements. A municipality that adopts such an ordinance is authorized to adopt a municipal adequate water supply ordinance. AS PASSED SENATE.

First sponsor: Sen. Griffin

S1268 Daily History	Date Action
ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS; MUNICIPALITIES 2/23	referred to House agri-water-land.
ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS; MUNICIPALITIES 2/18	passed Senate <u>21-8</u> ; ready for House.
ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS; MUNICIPALITIES 2/17	Senate COW approved with amend #4138.
ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS; MUNICIPALITIES 2/16	from Senate rules okay.
ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS; MUNICIPALITIES 2/9	from Senate water-energy with amend #4138.
ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS; MUNICIPALITIES 1/26	referred to Senate water-energy.

S1270: PEST MANAGEMENT DIVISION

Responsibility for regulating pest management and pest management services is transferred to the newly established Pest Management Division in the Department of Agriculture, and the Office of Pest Management is repealed. Pest management statutes are transferred and renumbered. The Pest Management Fund is renamed the Pest Management Trust Fund, and the Fund is no longer required to deposit 10 percent of revenues in the general fund. The Pest Management Advisory Committee is renamed the Pest Management Division Council, and additional requirements for the Council are specified. A person who engages in the business of pest management without a license with reckless disregard for the health and safety of other persons or property is guilty of a class 6 (lowest) felony. Retroactive to July 1, 2016. AS PASSED SENATE.

First sponsor: Sen. Griffin

S1270 Daily History	Date Action
PEST MANAGEMENT DIVISION 3/2	referred to House agri-water-land.
PEST MANAGEMENT DIVISION 2/16	passed Senate <u>27-0</u> ; ready for House.
PEST MANAGEMENT DIVISION 2/15	Senate COW approved with the rules tech amendment.

PEST MANAGEMENT DIVISION 2/9 from Senate rules with a technical amendment.
PEST MANAGEMENT DIVISION 2/1 from Senate nat res do pass.
PEST MANAGEMENT DIVISION 1/26 referred to Senate nat res.

S1372: WATER RESOURCES; SALT CEDAR APPROP

Appropriates \$200,000 from the general fund in FY2016-17 to the Department of Water Resources for distribution to the City of Buckeye for payment of costs incurred by the City for research and studies associated with acquiring federal and state permits for the removal of salt cedar trees from the Gila River.

First sponsor: Sen. Pancrazi

S1372 Daily History	Date Action
WATER RESOURCES; SALT CEDAR APPROP 2/25	passed Senate 27-1; ready for House.
WATER RESOURCES; SALT CEDAR APPROP 2/23	from Senate rules okay.
WATER RESOURCES; SALT CEDAR APPROP 2/22	to Senate consent calendar.
WATER RESOURCES; SALT CEDAR APPROP 2/17	from Senate appro do pass.
WATER RESOURCES; SALT CEDAR APPROP 2/16	from Senate water-energy do pass.
WATER RESOURCES; SALT CEDAR APPROP 1/28	referred to Senate appro, water-energy.

S1375: TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS

For the purpose of statues regulating telephone solicitations, the definition of "telephone solicitation" is modified to mean any voice communication that is to or from a person located in Arizona, instead of to a telephone number in Arizona. A seller or solicitor is prohibited from initiating an outbound telephone solicitation call to any telephone number on the national do-not-call registry, instead of an intrastate call to any telephone number in Arizona.

First sponsor: Sen. Lesko

S1375 Daily History	Date Action
TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS 3/9	House com do pass; report awaited.
TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS 3/1	referred to House com.
TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS 2/18	passed Senate 29-0; ready for House.
TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS 2/16	from Senate rules okay.
TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS 2/15	to Senate consent calendar.
TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS 2/9	from Senate com-work dev do pass.
TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS 1/28	referred to Senate com-work dev.

S1400: ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQ; RENEWAL (WATER BANKING AUTHORITY; REPORT)

County adequate water supply provisions expire five years after the effective date of the most recent unanimous adoption of the provision by the county board of supervisors. The county board of supervisors is authorized to extend or reenact the provision every five years by unanimous vote. If the county board of supervisors does not extend or reenact the provision on or before its expiration, the county board of supervisors is required to give written notice of the expiration to the "Director of Water Resources," the "Director of Environmental Quality" and the State Real Estate Commissioner. Session law provides that for a county that enacted an adequate water supply requirement provision before the effective date of this legislation, the provision expires two years after the effective date unless extended or reenacted by unanimous vote of the county board of supervisors. AS PASSED SENATE.

First sponsor: Sen. Griffin

S1400 Daily History	Date Action
ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQ; RENEWAL	3/1 referred to House agri-water-land.
ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQ; RENEWAL	2/25 passed Senate 20-8; ready for House.
ADEQUATE WATER SUPPLY REQ; RENEWAL	2/24 Senate COW approved with amend #4265. NOTE SHORT TITLE CHANGE.
WATER BANKING AUTHORITY; REPORT	2/23 from Senate rules okay.
WATER BANKING AUTHORITY; REPORT	2/16 from Senate water-energy with amend #4265.
WATER BANKING AUTHORITY; REPORT	2/1 referred to Senate water-energy.

S1413: FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS

Adds a new chapter to Title 14 (Trusts and Estates) entitled the Revised Uniform Fiduciary Access to Digital Assets Act. Establishes a procedure for disclosing digital assets and for disclosing content of electronic communications and other digital assets of a deceased user or a principal. Also establishes requirements for disclosure of digital assets held in trust both when the trustee is the original user and when the trustee is not the original user. The legal duties imposed on a fiduciary charged with managing tangible property apply to the management of digital assets. A custodian and its officers, employees and agents are immune from liability for an act or omission done in good faith in compliance with this legislation. AS PASSED SENATE.

First sponsor: Sen. Driggs

S1413 Daily History	Date Action
FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS	3/3 referred to House bank-fin.
FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS	2/29 passed Senate 30-0; ready for House.
FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS	2/25 Senate COW approved with amend #4406 and floor amend #4592.
FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS	2/23 from Senate rules okay.
FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS	2/22 from Senate jud with amend #4406.
FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS	2/18 Senate jud amended; report awaited.
FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS	2/8 referred to Senate jud.

S1459: WATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM; GRANTS; COUNTY

County boards of supervisors are permitted to establish a program to allow persons to make gifts, grants or donations for the purpose of providing financial assistance to qualified owners of residential real property for making improvements to an existing drinking water well or providing for a water delivery system for the residence. The board is required to designate an entity to operate the program. Program requirements are specified. The entity that operates the program is required to submit an annual report on program operations to the board and the Legislature by July 1 of each year. AS PASSED SENATE.

First sponsor: Sen. Griffin

S1459 Daily History	Date Action
WATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM; GRANTS; COUNTY	3/8 from House rules okay.
WATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM; GRANTS; COUNTY	3/3 from House agri-water-land do pass.
WATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM; GRANTS; COUNTY	2/29 referred to House agri-water-land.
WATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM; GRANTS; COUNTY	2/25 passed Senate 28-0; ready for House.
WATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM; GRANTS; COUNTY	2/24 Senate COW approved with amend #4266.
WATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM; GRANTS; COUNTY	2/23 from Senate rules okay.
WATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM; GRANTS; COUNTY	2/16 from Senate water-energy with amend #4266.
WATER IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM; GRANTS; COUNTY	2/2 referred to Senate water-energy.

SCR1004: CONSTITUTIONAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS

The 2016 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend the state Constitution to consolidate and reorganize provisions relating to exemptions from property taxation. Sections of the state Constitution relating to property tax exemptions are repealed and replaced. Impossible to determine new provisions without a line by line comparison.

First sponsor: Sen. Burges

SCR1004 Daily History	Date Action
CONSTITUTIONAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS	1/20 referred to Senate fin.