
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Tuesday, February 4, 2025

TIME: Rise of the House

PLACE: Room 135 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [5067](#)

BY McNamara, Donovan, Solomon, Ackerman, Noret, Serpa, Read, Morales, Shanley
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- DIETITIAN
LICENSURE COMPACT {LC297/1} (Allows for the enactment of the dietitian licensure compact
permitting a licensed dietitian from another state to become licensed within the state, and also
permitting a dietitian licensed by the state to become licensed in another compact state.)

01/16/2025 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5109](#)

BY Kennedy, Solomon, Edwards, Kazarian, Diaz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE --
TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS FOR UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE AMENDMENTS
(2022) {LC514/1} (Implements technical corrections to the transition rules for transactions
governed by 2024 Public Laws Chapters 65 and 66 regarding security interests in emerging
technologies.)

01/22/2025 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5110](#)

**BY McGaw, Ajello, Shallcross Smith, Kislak, McNamara, Tanzi, Speakman, Boylan, Stewart,
Cotter**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- FUNERAL
DIRECTOR/EMBALMER AND FUNERAL SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS {LC420/1}
(Provides for the operation and duties of natural organic reduction for the contained, accelerated
conversion of human remains to soil. Disposition facilities would be used for either cremation or
natural organic reduction.)

01/22/2025 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5155](#)

BY Cotter, Bennett, Casimiro, Potter, Solomon, McNamara, Speakman, Fogarty, Slater, Giraldo ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- ARCHITECTS {LC538/1} (Provides that architects and other authorized disaster response workers be considered, in the course of performing their duties, state workers and be entitled to all rights in like manner as state employees.)

01/24/2025 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5158](#)

BY Shallcross Smith, Casimiro, Ajello, Nardone, Fogarty, Fellela, Hull, Alzate, Diaz, Handy ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- LICENSE PROCEDURE FOR SOCIAL WORKERS {LC781/1} (Repeals the examination requirement in order to qualify for a clinical social workers license.)

01/24/2025 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5214](#)

(by request)

BY Cotter, Kazarian, McNamara, Kislak, Potter, Stewart, Casimiro, Serpa ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- PSITTACINE BIRDS {LC932/1} (Bans the sale of parrots at pet stores from a breeder or broker. The pet store may sell parrots obtained from animal care facilities or animal rescue organizations. The sale would also be prohibited at any outdoor markets or retail parking lots.)

01/29/2025 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5215](#)

BY Phillips, Bennett, Corvese, Newberry, Chippendale, J. Brien, Solomon, Read, Serpa, Fellela ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES {LC748/1} (Providers of a club, facility, or services to a consumer must stop automatic deductions from the consumer's account or credit card within 30 calendar days of receiving a notice to stop from the consumer.)

01/29/2025 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5250](#)

BY Biah, DeSimone, Hull, Abney, Sanchez, Cruz, Morales, Giraldo, Kislak ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- HOLIDAY BUSINESS {LC886/1} (Adds Juneteenth National Freedom Day to the definition of "holidays" to the chapter governing retail business.)

01/31/2025 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

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