
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Tuesday, February 25, 2025
TIME: Rise of the House
PLACE: House Lounge - State House

SCHEDULED FOR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [5185](#)

BY Donovan, Potter, Carson, Fogarty, Spears, McGaw, Speakman, Shallcross Smith, Ajello, Handy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- PROHIBITION OF UNFAIR SERVICE AGREEMENTS {LC749/1} (Prohibits the use of service agreements that are unfair to an owner of residential real estate who enters into such an agreement or to persons who may become owners of that real estate in the future.)

01/24/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

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

02/04/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

02/21/2025 Scheduled for consideration

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [5220](#)

BY Ajello, Morales, Cruz, Stewart, Felix, Batista, Biah, Knight, Alzate, Diaz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY-- POLICE RELATIONSHIP ACT OF 2015 {LC442/1} (Amends the comprehensive community-police relationship act of 2015 to require an annual study by an outside agency chosen by the department.)

01/29/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5348](#)

BY Ajello, Cruz, Felix, Tanzi, Craven, Shallcross Smith, Speakman, Boylan, McGaw, Furtado

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- PREVENTION AND SUPPRESSION OF CONTAGIOUS DISEASES -- HIV/AIDS {LC439/1} (Repeals the required HIV testing for an individual convicted under chapter 34.1 of title 11 ("commercial sexual activity"). It would also allow the option for HIV testing for any person convicted under this chapter.)

02/07/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5357](#)

BY Ajello, Morales, Cruz, Felix, Tanzi, Craven, Shallcross Smith, Speakman, Boylan, McGaw ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --

CORRECTIONS DEPARTMENT {LC441/1} (Repeals provisions that assess costs for women in the community corrections program for women offenders.)

02/07/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5358](#)

BY Ajello, Cruz, Felix, Tanzi, Craven, Shallcross Smith, Speakman, Boylan, McGaw, Furtado ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- COMMERCIAL SEXUAL

ACTIVITY {LC440/1} (Under certain circumstances, provides immunity from arrest and prosecution for prostitution, procurement of sexual conduct for a fee, loitering for prostitution and soliciting from motor vehicles for indecent purposes.)

02/07/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5359](#)

BY Place, Fascia, Quattrocchi, J. Lombardi, Cruz, Felix, Hull

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- SEARCH WARRANTS -- INDICTMENTS, INFORMATION AND COMPLAINTS -- BILL OF RIGHTS ENHANCEMENT {LC833/1} (Requires law enforcement to obtain consent before placing audio or video recorders on the private property of another.)

02/07/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5360](#)

BY Place, Quattrocchi, Felix

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- ELECTRONIC INFORMATION AND DATA PRIVACY ACT {LC831/1} (Requires search warrant for electronic information, prohibits stingray cell-site simulators.)

02/07/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5363](#)

BY Place, Felix, J. Lombardi, Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT-- POWERS OF ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL -- CIVIL FORFEITURE PROCEDURE {LC838/1} (Prohibits civil asset forfeiture regarding violations of the controlled substances laws until a criminal conviction is obtained.)

02/07/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5438](#)

(Dept. of Public Safety)

BY Hull, Fascia, Azzinaro, Abney, Roberts, Biah, Lima, Place, Slater, Diaz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- SEARCH WARRANTS {LC1345/1} (Dictates the length a search warrant involving a tracking device would be valid and provide a process to extend the time frame of the tracking device for good cause.)

02/12/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5440](#)

BY Craven, Corvese, Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- ARREST {LC1393/1}

(Permits non-sworn public safety officers/security guards at private colleges/universities to detain individuals for no longer than 30 minutes within the campus's jurisdiction if the officer or guard believes the person committed a criminal offense.)

02/12/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5442](#)

BY Fogarty, Carson, Cotter, Noret, Hull, Tanzi, Bennett, Dawson, Cortvriend, Shallcross Smith

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- PUBLIC UTILITIES

{LC1560/1} (Expands meaning of bomb threats and false reports to include any warning or threat of the existence of an explosive device and allows judge to impose conditions of bail to include extreme risk protection orders, no trespass orders and counseling.)

02/12/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5445](#)

BY Place, Newberry, Santucci, Perez

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTES AND STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION --

EFFECT OF GENERAL LAWS {LC1285/1} (Directs the office of law revision to identify, on a yearly basis, any decisions or holdings of the United States Supreme Court that would require amendments to any state statutes.)

02/12/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

02/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

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