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2018 SIGNED BILLS						
HB 61	Sales and use tax; certain retailers to either collect and remit or notify purchaser and state; require	Powell, Jay 171st	Ways & Means	Finance	Jan/01/2019 - Effective Date --- May/03/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HB 329	Income tax; rate of tax imposed on the taxable net income of individuals; modify	Powell, Jay 171st	W&M	Finance	Jul/01/2019 - Effective Date --- May/03/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HB 696	leased to certain entities for use in high-technology data centers; create	Kelley, Trey 16th	Ways & Means	Finance	Jan/01/2019 - Effective Date --- May/07/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HB 717	Motor vehicles; applicability of certain consumer protection laws to autonomous vehicles; provide	Kelley, Trey 16th	Transportation	Transportation	Jul/01/2018 - Effective Date --- May/03/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HB 751	Georgia Emergency Communications Authority Act; enact	Powell, Alan 32nd	Public Safety and Homeland Security	Public Safety	Jul/01/2018 - Effective Date --- May/07/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HB 818	Insurance; health care provider shall choose the method of reimbursement by insurer; provide	Hawkins, Lee 27th	Insurance	Insurance and Labor	Jan/01/2019 - Effective Date --- May/08/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HR 1036	State of Georgia; fund public awareness campaign in support of computer science education; urge	Kendrick, Dar'shun 93rd	Education		Mar/29/2018 - House Passed/Adopted	Passed
HR 1089	"Marketplace Fairness Act" in support of equity and sales tax fairness; and for other purposes.	Powell, Jay 171st	Ways & Means		Mar/07/2018 - House Passed/Adopted	Passed
HR 1107	Economic Development, Department of; construct the emerging commercial space industry in Georgia; urge	Spencer, Jason 180th	Economic Development & Tourism		Mar/29/2018 - House Passed/Adopted	Passed
SB 3	Creating Opportunities Needed Now to Expand Credentialed Training (CONNECT) Act; enact	Tippins, Lindsey 37th	Education	Education and Youth	May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 82	HOPE; need based HOPE scholarship and grant; create	Jackson, Lester 2nd	Higher Education	Higher Education	May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 301	2017-2018 Regular Session - SB 301 "Revised Uniform Fiduciary Access to Digital Assets Act"; enact	Kennedy, John 18th	Judiciary	Judiciary	May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 315	Computer Crimes; create a new crime of unauthorized computer access; penalties; provide	14th, Albers of the 56th, Cowsert of the 46th, Miller	Judiciary Non-Civil	Public Safety	May/08/2018 - Veto V18 --- May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Vetoed
SB 328	2017-2018 Regular Session - SB 328 Income Tax; expiration of certain income tax credits; provide	Albers, John 56th	Ways & Means	Finance	Mar/27/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 357	Health Coordination and Innovation Council of the State of Georgia; create	Burke, Dean 11th	Health & Human Services	Health and Human Services	May/08/2018 - Veto V21 --- May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Vetoed
SB 376	Identity Theft; consumer credit reporting agencies charging a fee for placing/removing a security freeze; prohibit	Shafer, David 48th	Banks & Banking	Banking and Financial Institutions	May/03/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 402	Achieving Connectivity Everywhere (ACE) Act	Gooch, Steve 51st	Ways & Means	Regulated Industries and Utilities	May/07/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SR 130	Joint Transparency and Open Access in Government Study Committee; create	Hufstetler, Chuck 52nd	Special Rules	Science and Technology	Mar/30/2017 - Senate Agreed House Amend or Sub	Passed
SR 459	Georgia STEM Day at the state capitol; recognize May 5, 2017	Albers, John 56th			Mar/20/2017 - Senate Read and Adopted	Passed
SR 604	Health Information Technology Day; recognize January 25, 2018	Thompson, Bruce 14th			Jan/23/2018 - Senate Read and Adopted	Passed
SR 821	Cyber Security And Information Technology Innovation Corridor; recognize Augusta; Logistics Technology Innovation Corridor; recognize Savannah	Martin IV, P. K. 9th	Economic Development & Tourism	Rules	May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed

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HB 6	Georgia Rail Passenger and High Speed Rail Facilities Authority Law; enact	Waites, Keisha 60th	Transportation		Feb/07/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 9	Crimes and offenses; use of device to film under or through person's clothing under certain circumstances; prohibit	Blackmon, Shaw 146th	Judiciary Non-Civil	Judiciary	Jan/08/2018 - Senate Recommitted	Monitor
HB 12	Banking and finance; money transmission transactions by financial institutions; provide certain fees Sponsored By	Jones, Jeff 167th			Nov/28/2016 - House Prefiled	Monitor
HB 54	Health; indigent care in rural hospitals; provide an additional reporting requirement; change certain amounts eligible for tax credit	Duncan, Geoff 26th	Ways & Means		Mar/30/2017 - House Withdrawn, Recommitted	Monitor
HB 61	Sales and use tax; certain retailers to either collect and remit or notify purchaser and state; require	Powell, Jay 171st	Ways & Means	Finance	Jan/01/2019 - Effective Date --- May/03/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HB 66	Banking and finance; money transmission transactions by financial institutions; provide certain fees	Jones, Jeff 167th	Ways & Means		Jan/24/2017 - House Second Readers	Oppose
HB 69	Income tax; reporting of statistics related to the classification of counties into tiers for economic development purposes; provide	Rakestraw, Paulette 19th	Ways & Means		Jan/25/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 82	Personal information; notice required when data is released to unauthorized persons; provide	Gilligan, Sheri 24th	Judiciary		Jan/25/2017 - House Second Readers	Oppose
HB 84	Firefighters' Pension Fund; invest up to 10 percent in alternative investments; provide	Maxwell, Howard 17th	Retirement	Retirement	Feb/14/2017 - Senate Read and Referred	Monitor
HB 89	Income tax; type of investor eligible for certain tax credits; add	Kendrick, Dar'shun 93rd	Ways & Means		Jan/26/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 114	Move on When Ready Act; prohibit school systems from excluding students in dual credit courses from valedictorian or salutatorian	Dickey, Robert 140th	Education	Education and Youth	Jan/08/2018 - Senate Recommitted	Monitor
HB 147	Income tax credit; film, video, or digital productions that employ veterans; provide additional credit	Dickerson, Pam 113th	Ways & Means		Jan/31/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 158	State government; create Georgia Gaming Commission; authorize licensing of up to two destination resorts	Stephens, Ron 164th	Regulated Industries		Jan/31/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 160	Mass transportation; create Georgia Commission on Transit Governance and Funding, provisions	Tanner, Kevin 9th	Transportation	Transportation	Jan/08/2018 - Senate Recommitted	Monitor
HB 170	Student Online Personal Information Protection Act; enact	Jones, Sheila 53rd	Education		Feb/01/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 179	HOPE; home study students and students graduating from ineligible high schools; revise eligibility requirements for Zell Miller Scholarships	Raffensperger, Brad 50th	Higher Education		Feb/01/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 181	municipalities having a population of 350,000 or more; change certain provisions	Lott, Jodi 122nd	Ways & Means	Finance	Jan/25/2018 - Senate Committee Favorably Reported	Monitor
HB 216	Georgia Jobs Matter Act; enact	Buckner, Debbie 137th	Governmental Affairs		Feb/07/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor

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HB 225	Ride share networks; licensing and sales tax exemption; repeal inoperable provisions	Powell, Jay 171st	Ways & Means	Finance	Jan/08/2018 - Senate Recommitted	Oppose
HB 248	Motor vehicles; operation of vehicles with automated driving systems on certain public roads; provisions	Kelley, Trey 16th	Transportation		Feb/08/2017 - House Second Readers	Oppose
HB 314	Georgia Agribusiness and Rural Jobs Act; enact	Shaw, Jason 176th	W&M	Finance	Mar/23/2018 - Senate Passed/Adopted By Substitute	Monitor
HB 329	Income tax; rate of tax imposed on the taxable net income of individuals; modify	Powell, Jay 171st	W&M	Finance	Jul/01/2019 - Effective Date --- May/03/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HB 336	Broadband Strategy for All of Georgia Act; enact	Parsons, Don 44th	EU&T		Feb/22/2018 - House Committee Favorably Reported By Substitute	Support
HB 372	Sales and use tax; certain equipment used in deployment of broadband technology; create exemption	Parsons, Don 44th	Ways & Means		Feb/16/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 392	Move on When Ready Act; students taking dual credit courses at certain eligible postsecondary institutions; allow funding	Fleming, Barry 121st	HEd	Higher Education	Mar/21/2018 - Senate Read Second Time	Monitor
HB 431	Solar Power Free-Market Financing Act of 2015; change certain provisions	Brockway, Buzz 102nd	EU&T		Feb/22/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 446	Local Government 9-1-1 Authority Act; enact	Powell, Alan 32nd	EU&T		Mar/30/2017 - House Withdrawn, Recommitted	Support
HB 495	Economic Development, Department of; employers that move call centers from state; provide civil penalties and benefit recapture	Gilligan, Sheri 24th	Judiciary		Feb/28/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 499	Georgia Personal Data Security Act; enact	Gilligan, Sheri 24th	Judiciary		Feb/28/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 509	Human Trafficking Prevention Act; enact	Rakestraw, Paulette 19th	Judiciary		Mar/01/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 518	Eminent domain; telephone companies; actual recurring local service revenues; specify accounts or portions thereof considered to be included	Hawkins, Lee 27th	Energy, Utilities & Telecommunications		Feb/20/2018 - House Committee Favorably Reported By Substitute	Monitor
HB 524	Digital Learning Tax Credit Act of 2017; enact	Teasley, Sam 37th	Ways & Means		Mar/03/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 533	5G Broadband Infrastructure Leads to Development (BILD) Act; enact	Harrell, Brett 106th	Energy, Utilities & Telecommunications		Mar/06/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HB 696	leased to certain entities for use in high-technology data centers; create	Kelley, Trey 16th	Ways & Means	Finance	Jan/01/2019 - Effective Date --- May/07/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HB 702	for students in fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics who work in certain positions; provide	Clark, Heath 147th	Higher Education		Feb/21/2018 - House Committee Favorably Reported By Substitute	Support
HB 717	Motor vehicles; applicability of certain consumer protection laws to autonomous vehicles; provide	Kelley, Trey 16th	Transportation	Transportation	Jul/01/2018 - Effective Date --- May/03/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HB 751	Georgia Emergency Communications Authority Act; enact	Powell, Alan 32nd	Public Safety and Homeland Security	Public Safety	Jul/01/2018 - Effective Date --- May/07/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed

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HB 818	Insurance; health care provider shall choose the method of reimbursement by insurer; provide	Hawkins, Lee 27th	Insurance	Insurance and Labor	Jan/01/2019 - Effective Date --- May/08/2018 - House Date Signed by Governor	Passed
HB 887	Georgia Communications Services Tax Act; enact	Powell, Jay 171st	Ways & Means	Regulated Industries and Utilities	Mar/27/2018 - Senate Passed/Adopted By Substitute	Monitor
HB 935	Sales and use tax; add that certain payments to cloud based software services may be funded	Lumsden, Eddie 12th	Ways & Means		Feb/20/2018 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HR 14	Joint Study Committee on the Creation of High-Tech Health Incubators for Job Growth for Georgia; create	Raffensperger, Brad 50th	SRules		Jan/12/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HR 39	House Study Committee on Enhancing Economic Development Through the County Tier System; create	Rakestraw, Paulette 19th	SRules		Jan/25/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HR 101	House Study Committee on College Course Credit; create	Chandler, Joyce 105th	SRules		Jan/30/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HR 353	House Study Committee on Internet Filter Protection Technology; create	Rakestraw, Paulette 19th	SRules		Feb/23/2017 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HR 866	Joint Study Committee on the Establishment of a State Space Commission; create	Spencer, Jason 180th	SRules		Jan/11/2018 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HR 940	Georgia; host the world's largest startup pitch competition; encourage	Kendrick, Dar'shun 93rd	Economic Development & Tourism		Feb/12/2018 - House Committee Favorably Reported	Monitor
HR 941	Georgia investment programs; increase in minority participation; encourage	Kendrick, Dar'shun 93rd	Small Business Development		Jan/30/2018 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HR 942	Corporations; fund inclusive startups, technology, and seed funding; encourage	Kendrick, Dar'shun 93rd	Small Business Development		Jan/30/2018 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HR 1036	State of Georgia; fund public awareness campaign in support of computer science education; urge	Kendrick, Dar'shun 93rd	Education		Mar/29/2018 - House Passed/Adopted	Passed
HR 1089	"Marketplace Fairness Act" in support of equity and sales tax fairness; and for other purposes.	Powell, Jay 171st	Ways & Means		Mar/07/2018 - House Passed/Adopted	Monitor
HR 1107	Economic Development, Department of; construct the emerging commercial space industry in Georgia; urge	Spencer, Jason 180th	Economic Development & Tourism		Mar/29/2018 - House Passed/Adopted	Monitor
HR 1161	Georgia state agencies; establish policies requiring state contract recipients to adhere to Internet neutrality principles; encourage	Wallace, Jonathan 119th	Energy, Utilities & Telecommunications		Feb/20/2018 - House Second Readers	Monitor
HR 1539	House Study Committee on Advanced Communications Technologies and Use of State and Local Government Right of Way Policy Modernization; create	Harrell, Brett 106th	Transportation		Mar/15/2018 - House First Readers	Monitor
SB 1	The Protect Act- Protecting Georgians Against Terrorism; revise the definition of domestic terrorism	Cowsert, Bill 46th	Judiciary Non-Civil	PUB SAF	Mar/28/2017 - House Lost Reconsidered Bill/Res	Monitor
SB 2	The FAST Act - Fairness, Accountability, Simplification, and Transparency - Empowering Our Small Businesses to Succeed	Dugan, Mike 30th	Small Business Development	Economic Development and Tourism	Mar/21/2018 - House Insisted	Monitor
SB 3	Creating Opportunities Needed Now to Expand Credentialed Training (CONNECT) Act; enact	Tippins, Lindsey 37th	Education	Education and Youth	May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 5	for credit to the Lottery for Education Account; establish the percentage	Cowsert, Bill 46th	Appropriations	Higher Education	Mar/30/2017 - House Withdrawn, Recommitted	Monitor

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SB 45	Invasions of Privacy; to film under or through a person's clothing; prohibit the use of a device	Walker III, Larry 20th	Judiciary	Judiciary	Mar/24/2017 - House Withdrawn, Recommitted	Monitor
SB 54	Motor Vehicles and Traffic; autonomous vehicles; create a new class of motor vehicles	McKoon, Joshua 29th		Transportation	Jan/25/2017 - Senate Read and Referred	Monitor
SB 60	Georgia Equal Pay Act	Tate, Horacena 38th		Insurance and Labor	Jan/25/2017 - Senate Read and Referred	Monitor
SB 67	Bring Small Businesses Back Georgia Regulatory Reform Act	Albers, John 56th		Economic Development and Tourism	Jan/26/2017 - Senate Read and Referred	Monitor
SB 82	HOPE; need based HOPE scholarship and grant; create	Jackson, Lester 2nd	Higher Education	Higher Education	May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 218	require such vehicles to comply with federal and state equipment laws; provide	Gooch, Steve 51st		TRANS	Feb/22/2017 - Senate Read and Referred	Monitor
SB 232	Facilitating Internet Broadband Rural Expansion (FIBRE) Act'; enact	Gooch, Steve 51st	Ways & Means	RI&Util	Mar/05/2018 - House Second Readers	Monitor
SB 301	2017-2018 Regular Session - SB 301 "Revised Uniform Fiduciary Access to Digital Assets Act"; enact	Kennedy, John 18th	Judiciary	Judiciary	May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 310	access service; shall publicly disclose accurate information regarding the network management practices; provide for a legislative purpose	Jones II, Harold 22nd		Regulated Industries and Utilities	Jan/24/2018 - Senate Read and Referred	Monitor
SB 315	Computer Crimes; create a new crime of unauthorized computer access; penalties; provide	14th, Albers of the 56th, Cowser of the 46th, Miller	Judiciary Non-Civil	Public Safety	May/08/2018 - Veto V18 --- May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Vetoed
SB 328	2017-2018 Regular Session - SB 328 Income Tax; expiration of certain income tax credits; provide	Albers, John 56th	Ways & Means	Finance	Mar/27/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 345	Identity Theft; consumer credit reporting agencies charging a fee for placing or removing a security freeze; prohibit	Jordan, Jennifer 6th		Banking and Financial Institutions	Jan/24/2018 - Senate Read and Referred	Monitor
SB 357	Health Coordination and Innovation Council of the State of Georgia; create	Burke, Dean 11th	Health & Human Services	Health and Human Services	May/08/2018 - Veto V21 --- May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Vetoed
SB 376	Identity Theft; consumer credit reporting agencies charging a fee for placing/removing a security freeze; prohibit	Shafer, David 48th	Banks & Banking	Banking and Financial Institutions	May/03/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 378	Georgia Measuring Success Act	Albers, John 56th	Ways & Means	Finance	Feb/15/2018 - House Second Readers	Monitor
SB 402	Achieving Connectivity Everywhere (ACE) Act	Gooch, Steve 51st	Ways & Means	Regulated Industries and Utilities	May/07/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SB 426	"Broadband Infrastructure Leads to Development (BILD) Act"	Gooch, Steve 51st	Energy, Utilities & Telecommunications	Regulated Industries and Utilities	Mar/29/2018 - House Passed/Adopted By Substitute Mar/29/2018 - House Insisted	Monitor
SB 432	'Georgia Tax Credit Business Case Act'	Albers, John 56th	Ways & Means	Finance		Monitor
SB 438	"Assuring Quality in Government Act"	Harbin, Marty 16th		Government Oversight	Feb/15/2018 - Senate Read and Referred	Monitor
SR 130	Joint Transparency and Open Access in Government Study Committee; create	Hufstetler, Chuck 52nd	Special Rules	Science and Technology	Mar/30/2017 - Senate Agreed House Amend or Sub	Passed
SR 318	Senate Cyber Challenge Study Committee; create	Jones II, Harold 22nd		Science and Technology	Jan/08/2018 - Senate Recommitted	Monitor
SR 459	Georgia STEM Day at the state capitol; recognize May 5, 2017	Albers, John 56th			Mar/20/2017 - Senate Read and Adopted	Passed
SR 604	Health Information Technology Day; recognize January 25, 2018	Thompson, Bruce 14th			Jan/23/2018 - Senate Read and Adopted	Passed
SR 821	recognize Augusta; Logistics Technology Innovation Corridor; recognize Savannah	Martin IV, P. K. 9th	Economic Development & Tourism	Rules	May/08/2018 - Senate Date Signed by Governor	Passed
SR 929	Joint Study Committee on Cyber Security Legislation; create Sponsored By	Thompson, Bruce 14th		Rules	Feb/28/2018 - Senate Read and Referred	Monitor