

**HOUSE
List of Bills**

[H.B. No. 5495](#) (RAISED) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE MATERIALS INNOVATION AND RECYCLING AUTHORITY'S SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL CONTRACTS', to provide certain requirements for the approval of municipal solid waste management contracts by the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

[H.B. No. 5496](#) (RAISED) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE SMALL MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEMS GENERAL PERMIT', to require the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection to provide certain assistance to municipalities in relation to compliance with the small municipal separate storm sewer systems general permit.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

[H.B. No. 5497](#) (RAISED) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING MINOR REVISIONS TO ENVIRONMENT-RELATED STATUTES', to make various minor revisions to environmental programs including wastewater treatment facility operator certification programs, pesticide control programs and noise ordinance programs.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

[H.B. No. 5498](#) (RAISED) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A PILOT PROGRAM FOR LARGE-SCALE BENEFICIAL REUSE OF CERTAIN SOIL PROJECTS', to provide a pilot program for the beneficial reuse of certain soils and materials.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

[H.B. No. 5499](#) (RAISED) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING GREEN BURIALS', to require recommendations concerning the award of open space grants for properties used for green burial purposes.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

[H.B. No. 5500](#) (RAISED) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF GLYPHOSATE', to prohibit the use of glyphosate in the state.

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[H.B. No. 5501](#) (RAISED) PUBLIC HEALTH. 'AN ACT CONCERNING OPIOIDS', to combat the opioid epidemic in the state.

REF. PUBLIC HEALTH

H.B. No. 5502 (RAISED) JUDICIARY. 'AN ACT CONCERNING HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND SEXUAL MISCONDUCT AGAINST MINORS', to (1) increase the membership in the Trafficking in Persons Council, (2) allow certain testimony in the case of a delinquency proceeding to be compelled, (3) establish an affirmative defense for trafficking in persons in the case of a victim of trafficking, (4) redefine "sex trafficking", (5) change the required frequency of a refresher course in human trafficking awareness for certain professions, (6) extend vacatur relief to a person who committed certain crimes if a conviction is based on participation in the crime by the convicted person due to such person being a victim of trafficking, (7) to prohibit hourly rates at lodgings and require lodgings to establish a customer's identification before offering accommodation to such person, and (8) authorize extended periods of probation following convictions for certain crimes against minors.

REF. JUDICIARY

H.B. No. 5503 (RAISED) JUDICIARY. 'AN ACT CONCERNING IMMUNITY FROM CRIMINAL PROSECUTION FOR A MINOR WHO POSSESSES ALCOHOL WHEN THE MINOR SEEKS EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE TO PREVENT THE DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY OF ANOTHER PERSON', to provide immunity from criminal prosecution for a minor who possesses alcohol when the minor seeks emergency assistance to prevent the death or serious injury of another person.

REF. JUDICIARY

H.B. No. 5504 (RAISED) JUDICIARY. 'AN ACT CONCERNING STATE REGISTRATION OF ENTITIES THAT PROVIDE COURT REPORTING SERVICES AND THE LICENSURE OF COURT REPORTERS', to require entities that provide court reporting services to register with the Department of Consumer Protection and to require court reporters to be licensed by the Department of Consumer Protection.

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