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ACTE April 9, 2024 Bill Tracking Report

The entire 2024 legislative session is nearing its end. As Governor Youngkin's 30-day executive action window is now closed, and with legislature reconvening for the last time 8 days from now, we pass one of the final milestones for this year. Any bills the Governor didn't act on, will become law with most effective dates being July 1, 2024. In total, action was taken on 1,046 bills; 777 bills were signed, 116 amended, and 153 vetoed. As previously discussed, Governor Youngkin has submitted a record number of vetoes this session, far more than any other Virginia governor is modern history. The theme of 'firsts' continues to play heavy!

Please note, although vetoed bills will be heard during Reconvene Day April 17, they are for all intents and purposes dead. The Democrats in both chambers will not be able to obtain the 2/3 majority needed to override the Governor's veto decisions. As for the amended bills, including the budget bill HB 30 of which 233 amendments were made, debate around these changes will occupy most of the time April 17th.

Governor's Budget Amendments:

https://budget.lis.virginia.gov/amendment/2024/1/HB30/Enrolled/GR/

Thanks to our many efforts this session, our primary budget objective to increase funding for the resource center, successfully survived the Governor's amendment process and will make its way into the final budget. Considering this good news, it may be wise to have ACTE/Resource Center leadership send thank you letters to the budget item patrons, money committee members, the Governor's office.

Below you will find a chart outlining 8 of our bills signed into law, and 1 bill amended (SB 142). The CTE friendly Youngkin amendment for 142 makes the provisional license renewable beyond the one-year cap placed in the original bill. Our other two licensure bills HB 632 & SB 352 were both signed into law.

SB 142 Governor Amendments:

https://lis.virginia.gov/cgi-bin/legp604.exe?241+amd+SB142AG

Both I and the DBA team thank you for your tremendous effort, education, and confidence during the 2024 legislative session. We look forward to continuing to work with you towards achieving legislative success in Richmond. Please expect an additional brief report following April 17.

Best,

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Bills	Committee	Last action	Date
HB 632 - Rasoul - Teachers; changes to provisions relating to licensure and certification, reciprocity.	(H) Committee on Education	(G) Approved by Governor-Chapter 642 (effective 7/1/24)	04/08/24
	(S) Committee on Education and Health		
HB 1087 - Coyner - College and Career Ready Virginia Program and Fund; established and created.	(H) Committee on Education	(G) Approved by Governor-Chapter 647 (effective 7/1/24)	04/08/24
	(S) Committee on Finance and Appropriations		
HB 1345 - Anthony - High school graduation requirements; satisfaction of elective course credits.	(H) Committee on Education	(G) Approved by Governor-Chapter 657 (effective 7/1/24)	04/08/24
	(S) Committee on Education and Health		
HB 1477 - Rasoul - Student instruction; local alternative instructional time models permitted.	(H) Committee on Education	(G) Approved by Governor-Chapter 421 (effective 7/1/24)	04/04/24
	(S) Committee on Education and Health		
SB 142 - Ruff - Public school teachers; licensure requirements, issuance of a one-year local eligibility license.	(H) Committee on Education	(S) Governor's recommendation received by Senate	04/08/24
	(S) Committee on Education and Health		
SB 199 - Diggs - High school graduation requirements; satisfaction of elective course credits.	(H) Committee on Education	(G) Approved by Governor-Chapter 666 (effective 7/1/24)	04/08/24
	(S) Committee on Education and Health		
SB 352 - Peake - Teachers; changes to provisions relating to licensure and certification, reciprocity.	(H) Committee on Education	(G) Approved by Governor-Chapter 672 (effective 7/1/24)	04/08/24
	(S) Committee on Education and Health		
SB 627 - Lucas - College and Career Ready Virginia Program and Fund; established and created.	(H) Committee on Appropriations	(G) Approved by Governor-Chapter 684 (effective 7/1/24)	04/08/24
	(S) Committee on Finance and Appropriations		
SB 707 - Subramanyam - Public middle schools and high schools; career and technical education organizations permitted.	(H) Committee on Education	(G) Approved by Governor-Chapter 776 (effective 7/1/24)	04/08/24
	(S) Committee on Education and Health		





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