



KANSAS STATE COUNCIL
SOCIETY FOR HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT



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Below please find the list of bills introduced during the 2019 Legislative Session. These bills have been identified as issues which may impact the interest to the Society for Human Resource Management. Within the bill tracker you will find the bill number and its subject matter as well as the current status of the bill and whether there is pending committee action on the bill. You may access the full text of the bill by holding down your computer control key and clicking on the bill number in the report. If you should have any questions or concerns regarding the bills below, please do not hesitate to contact our lobbyist, Natalie Bright, at natalie@brightcarpenter.com or 316.640.1422.

Bill Number	Bill Sponsor	Bill Subject	Position	Current Status	Last Action	Group(s)
HB 2009	Dennis "Boog" Highberger, D-46th	Changing the designation of columbus day to indigenous peoples day		In House Federal and State Affairs	01/15/2019 - House Referred to Federal and State Affairs	date designation
HB 2003	Ponka-We Victors, D-103rd	Creating the limited driver's license and identification card for certain individuals		In House Transportation	01/15/2019 - House Referred to Transportation	driver's license
SB 27	Senate Commerce Committee	Removing a restriction, for purposes of employment security law, on leasing of certain employees by client lessees of lessor employing units		In Senate Commerce	01/18/2019 - Senate Referred to Commerce	employment
HB 2076	House Commerce, Labor and Economic Development Committee	Removing a restriction for purposes of employment security law on the leasing of certain employees by businesses from lessor employing units		In House Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	01/25/2019 - House Referred to Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	employment

SB 29		Providing for fully-insured association health plans		In Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance	01/23/2019 - Senate Scheduled Hearing in Financial Institutions and Insurance: Wednesday, 1/30, 9:30 AM, Rm 546-S	health care
SB 30		Updating definitions relating to small employer health plans and association health plans		In Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance	01/24/2019 - Senate Scheduled Hearing in Financial Institutions and Insurance: Thursday, 1/31, 9:30 AM, Rm 546-S	health care
SB 31		Exempting certain association health plans from requirements pertaining to small employer health plans		In Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance	01/23/2019 - Senate Referred to Financial Institutions and Insurance	health care
SB 32		Exempting certain non-insurance healthcare benefits from the commissioner's jurisdiction		In Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance	01/23/2019 - Senate Scheduled Hearing in Financial Institutions and Insurance: Tuesday, 1/29, 9:30 AM, Rm 546-S	health care
SB 34		Exempting health plans issued to associations of small employers from certain statutory provisions governing small employer health plans		In Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance	01/23/2019 - Senate Referred to Financial Institutions and Insurance	health care
SB 35		Providing for short-term, limited-duration health plans		In Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance	01/23/2019 - Senate Referred to Financial Institutions and Insurance	health care

SB 36		Making certain self-funded association health plans subject to the jurisdiction of the commissioner		In Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance	01/23/2019 - Senate Scheduled Hearing in Financial Institutions and Insurance: Wednesday, 1/30, 9:30 AM, Rm 546-S	health care
HB 2053	House Health and Human Services Committee	Providing for short-term, limited-duration health plans		In House Insurance	01/23/2019 - House Referred to Insurance	health care
HB 2054	House Insurance Committee	Providing for fully-insured association health plans		In House Insurance	01/23/2019 - House Scheduled Hearing in Insurance: Monday, 1/28, 3:30 PM, Rm 212-N	health care
HB 2055	House Insurance Committee	Making certain self-funded association health plans subject to the jurisdiction of the commissioner		In House Insurance	01/23/2019 - House Scheduled Hearing in Insurance: Monday, 1/28, 3:30 PM, Rm 212-N	health care
HB 2056	House Insurance Committee	Exempting health plans issued to associations of small employers from certain statutory provisions governing small employer health plans		In House Insurance	01/23/2019 - House Scheduled Hearing in Insurance: Wednesday, 1/30, 3:30 PM, Rm 212-N	health care
HB 2058	House Insurance Committee	Updating definitions relating to small employer health plans and association health plans		In House Insurance	01/23/2019 - House Scheduled Hearing in Insurance: Wednesday, 1/30, 3:30 PM, Rm 212-N	health care
HB 2059	House Insurance Committee	Exempting certain association health plans from requirements pertaining to small employer health plans		In House Insurance	01/23/2019 - House Referred to Insurance	health care

SB 33		Specifying the conditions under which a small employer carrier may establish certain classes of business		In Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance	01/23/2019 - Senate Scheduled Hearing in Financial Institutions and Insurance: Thursday, 1/31, 9:30 AM, Rm 546-S	insurance
HB 2057	House Insurance Committee	Specifying the conditions under which a small employer carrier may establish certain classes of business		In House Insurance	01/23/2019 - House Scheduled Hearing in Insurance: Wednesday, 1/30, 3:30 PM, Rm 212-N	insurance
HB 2074	Jason Probst, D-102nd	Requiring coverage of preexisting conditions by individual accident and sickness insurance policies		In House Insurance	01/25/2019 - House Referred to Insurance	insurance
SB 9	Molly Baumgardner, R-37th	Authorizing the transfer of \$115,000,000 from the state general fund to the Kansas public employees retirement fund during fiscal year 2019		In Senate Ways and Means	01/16/2019 - Senate Scheduled Hearing in Ways and Means: Tuesday, 1/22, 10:30 AM, Rm 548-S	KPERS
HB 2022	Jim Ward, D-86th	Enacting the Kansas working families pay raise act		In House Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	01/15/2019 - House Referred to Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	pay raise act
SB 13	Caryn Tyson, R-12th	Increasing and allowing Kansas itemized deductions, allowing individual expensing deduction, providing for certain income tax credits, allowing rural opportunity zone for certain counties, extending certain counties countywide retailers' sales tax, providing for sales tax definitions and exemptions for certain sales		In Senate Federal Tax Code Implementation	01/18/2019 - Senate Withdrawn from Assessment and Taxation; referred to Federal Tax Code Implementation	taxes

SB 38		Unemployment benefits for privately contracted school bus drivers		In Senate Commerce	01/23/2019 - Senate Referred to Commerce	unemployment
HB 2061	Brett Parker, D-29th	Repealing prohibition on municipal regulation of minimum wages		In House Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	01/23/2019 - House Referred to Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	wages
HB 2012	John Carmichael, D-92nd	Replacing the workers compensation prevailing factor standard with a substantial factor standard		In House Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	01/15/2019 - House Referred to Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	workers compensation
HB 2013	John Carmichael, D-92nd	Amending the edition of the AMA medical guide used to determine impairment for awarding workers compensation benefits		In House Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	01/15/2019 - House Referred to Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	workers compensation
HB 2014	John Carmichael, D-92nd	Amending the disallowance of workers compensation benefits for fighting or horseplay when not work related		In House Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	01/15/2019 - House Referred to Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	workers compensation
HB 2016	John Carmichael, D-92nd	Allowing injured workers who are receiving their social security benefits to keep the full amount of their workers compensation		In House Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	01/15/2019 - House Referred to Commerce, Labor and Economic Development	workers compensation