

ACTIVE BILLS WITH POTENTIAL LE IMPACT IN 2008 SESSION

KANSAS PEACE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

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NOTE: This is a list of all active bills identified by KPOA as having a potential for LE impact. KPOA does not intend to be active regarding all of these bills. Some simply do not need or deserve our attention. Others are matters we do not have a strong position on whether they become law or not. Many of these bills will die a graceful and quiet death, as they should.

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X	SB 46	Firearms	Changes the altering of a firearm identification mark to a level 10 nonperson felony		Recommended by Senate Judiciary to pass.
	SB 48	Crim Proc	Would provide a municipal court may refer a defendant to the District Court for determination of competency to stand trial for a municipal violation.		Passed by Senate 40-0. Assigned to House Judiciary.
X	SB 236	CCW	Adds hospitals and medical office buildings to list of places CCW is prohibited.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary Committee. Hearing on 1/17/08. No final action yet.
X	SB 294	Traffic - DL	A graduated driver licensing proposal includes a one year instruction period followed by a restricted license for persons under 18. Also restricts holders of such license from using a cell phone. Includes some farm permit language.	This looks like an excellent bill for the graduated license. It seems to be very thorough with all the controlling conditions well defined. If we want to support a graduated license process, and I think we do, this is probably the one. This is the one KDOT is supporting.	After some amendments passed by Senate. Assigned to House Transportation Committee who has held informational meeting 1/22 & 23/08 and has now assigned a subcommittee. Another subcommittee meeting will be needed but is not scheduled.
X	SB 301	Crim Proc	This bill reduces the time to ask for expungement from three to two years.	I don't like reducing this time, but I think we probably just need to watch this one. Let me know if you think we should take an active stand on it.	Assigned to Senate Judiciary Committee. Recommended to pass. The Senate killed this bill on a 20-20 vote.

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X	SB 366	Traffic	Allows district and municipal courts to charge a \$5 court cost for mailing a letter to the defendant that failure to comply will result in the suspension of their driver's license. Also makes some changes in the district court summons regarding notice to a violator about the potential suspension for failing to comply.	This will have minimal if any impact on municipal law enforcement but will impact the citation process for district courts. The addition of the fee for mailing and the opportunity to provide the notice in person when a defendant is in court should help both the municipal and the district courts.	Passed by Senate 39-0. Amended and passed by House 107-15 and currently in conference committee.
X	SB 409	Criminal	Mandates prison for any person convicted of any felony with two or more prior convictions of any felony. Allows for the court to make a "durational departure." Sentencing is still by the sentencing guidelines with no durational amendments.	Includes language for sentences for felony DUI to be served in state DOC provided the Secretary of Corrections determines space is available.	Assigned to Senate Judiciary Committee. Hearing held 1-23-08. Assigned to subcommittee. Several companion bills are also being filed. Next subcommittee meeting on Monday, February 18.
	SB 411	Parole Procedure	Adds for consideration at parole hearings 1) DOC risk assessments and 2) DOC recommendations, and 3) "proportionality" of the time served as compared to the current sentencing guidelines for the same conduct.	I don't see the need for us to be active in this, but we need to monitor it in case crazy changes get amended into it.	Passed by Senate 40-0. Assigned to House Judiciary.
	SB 413	Crim Proc	Would require finding of probable cause before taking DNA sample from arrested persons. Original bills were SB237 and HB2381.	This is unnecessary and not practical. The interim Judiciary Committee voted to introduce this for consideration during the regular session.	Assigned to Senate Judiciary Committee. Hearing held 1-22-08. The committee voted to table this bill, effectively leaving it in critical condition but not quite dead.
X	SB 416	Emergency Management	Creates Kansas "emergency response force"		Assigned to Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee. No hearing date set.

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X	SB 458	Illegal Immigration Relief Act	Creates some law enforcement duties reference illegal immigration. See section 6 starting on page 5 of the bill.	I suggest we just monitor this one closely and try to stay out of the political fight on it.	Assigned to Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee. No hearing date set.
	SB 462	Motor Carriers	Appears to be primarily a cleanup bill taking care of several federal law references that have changed.	I don't see an issue here but I will leave that to Leo with experience in this area. Let me know if there is something we need to do on this one.	Passed Senate on 2/14 with 40-0 vote. Sent to House but not assigned to a committee yet.
	SB 463	Traffic - Insurance	Provisions for self insurers of motor vehicle liability requiring coverage for underinsured and uninsured motorists.	I suggest we just monitor this one.	Assigned to Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance Committee. Hearing on 2/14/08 but no final action yet.
X	SB 476	Criminal Procedure	Allows a court services officer, community corrections officer, or parole officer to issue a verbal directive to arrest a violator of parole/probation conditions. A requirement for a written directive to the jail facility remains.		Passed Senate 40-0.
	SB 477	Criminal Procedure	Adding those convicted of electronic solicitation to the offender registration.	Supported by KBI.	Passed Senate 39-0.
X	SB 479	Criminal Procedure	Lifetime parole for those released from life sentences		Passed Senate 40-0.
X	SB 480	Criminal	Amending Alexa's law by allowing it to cover unlawful acts committed by the mother	We stayed out of this one last year.	Assigned to Senate Judiciary.
X	SB 481	Drugs	To include salvia divinorum and datura stramonium (jimson weed) in schedule I	We supported another bill on salvia divinorum.	Senate Judiciary recommends bill to pass.

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X	SB 482	Drugs	Providing certain drug offenders will receive a mandatory sentence a DOC drug treatment facility for the third conviction of certain drug crimes, and receive mandatory imprisonment on 4th and subsequent convictions	Part of SB409 (3-strikes) package. Will probably go to subcommittee after hearing.	Hearing 2/6 in Senate Judiciary.
X	SB 483	Criminal Procedure	Providing a judge may sentence a person convicted of certain drug crimes to a DOC treatment facility prior to beginning a non-prison sanction	Part of SB409 (3-strikes) package. Will probably go to subcommittee after hearing.	Hearing 2/7 in Senate Judiciary.
X	SB 484	Traffic - DUI	Providing those convicted 3 or more times of DUI may be sentenced to a DOC substance abuse treatment facility, or if space is not available in such facility, to another facility designated by DOC	Part of SB409 (3-strikes) package. Will probably go to subcommittee after hearing.	Hearing 2/7 in Senate Judiciary.
X	SB 491	Drugs	Enacting the prescription monitoring program act		Senate Public Health and Welfare recommends substitute bill be passed.
X	SB 495	Criminal Procedure	Providing an offender held in a county jail awaiting transfer to DOC with 10 or less days remaining on their DOC sentence will serve that time at the county jail	Placed into subcommittee with SB409. Some committee members want to make it 30 days instead of 10.	Assigned to Senate Judiciary. Hearing on 2/11/08.
X	SB 503	Drugs	Requiring pharmacies to electronically record and report sale of methamphetamine precursors		Assigned to Senate Public Health and Welfare.
X	SB 512	EMS	Change to certification requirements	Fingerprinting provision removed by committee. Currently no impact on law enforcement.	Amended by Senate Fed and State Committee and recommended to pass.
X	SB 513	EMS	Requiring fingerprinting of attendant applicants.	This bill was not passed by committee since fingerprinting provision of SB512 was removed.	Tabled by Senate Fed and State as not necessary with amendments made to SB512.

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	Actively Support	Seek Changes/ Voice Concerns	Actively Oppose None					
X				SB 514	EMS	Allowing deviation from regulations.	No impact on law enforcement.	Amended by Senate Fed and State Committee and recommended to pass. Assigned to Senate Commerce. Hearing on 2/12/08.
X				SB 526	E-911	Concerning distribution of service fees from enhanced wireless 911 service		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. Hearing on 2/14/08.
X				SB 536	Criminal Procedure	An act concerning the Kansas offender registration act; prohibition from adopting and enforcing residency restrictions; amending K.S.A. 22-4913.		Assigned to Senate Transportation.
			X	SB 543	Traffic	An act clarifying residency for the purpose of vehicle registration; amending K.S.A. 8-1,138 and K.S.A 2007 Supp. 8-129.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. Hearing on 2/14/08.
X				SB 551	Traffic	An act reducing the mandatory time of imprisonment for driving while suspended to 30 days where it is now 90 days; amending K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 8-262.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. Hearing on 2/20.
X				SB 552	Firearms	An act prohibiting the confiscation or seizure of firearms during an emergency and removing the sale of firearms as a provision the governor may impose in time of emergency; amending K.S.A. 48-925. Sister bill to HB2811.	Being touted as a bill to prevent some bad thing that supposedly happened in Greensburg regarding the return of firearms to their owners. Of course they also mentions the events of Katrina in New Orleans.	Assigned to Senate Judiciary.
		X		SB 556	Drugs	An act establishing the medical marijuana defense act.		Assigned to Senate Health Care Strategies. Hearing on 2/11/08.
X				SB 581	Juvenile Justice	An act adding a violation of KSA 41-727, minor consuming alcohol from the Kansas juvenile justice code; amending K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 38-2302. If I understand this correctly, this violation, when committed by a 14-17 year old, would be prosecuted through adult courts if this becomes law.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. Hearing on 2/21.

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X	SB 582	Traffic-DUI	A technical amendment to the law on interlock devices after DUI convictions. Also adds provision to allow a city to enact an ordinance to prosecute a DUI case that otherwise would be a felony but when prosecution is declined by the state.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. Hearing on 2/20.
X	SB 583	Criminal	An act which will add to sexual exploitation of a child having a temporary internet file depicting child pornography on a computer even if the person operating the computer at the time doesn't know it was placed there.; amending K.S.A. 21-3516.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary.
X	SB 587	Criminal	Provides for the crime of battery against persons licensed in behavioral sciences a level 7 felony.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. No hearing date set.
	SB 588	Criminal	Adds facilities operated by the SRS to the laws relating to traffic in contraband in a correctional institution; amending K.S.A. 21-3826, by Committee on Judiciary.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. No hearing date set.
X	SB 590	Criminal Procedure	Establishing the substance abuse policy board under the Kansas criminal justice coordinating council		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. No hearing date set.
X	SB 591	Traffic - DL	Provides for restricted DL for persons whose license was suspended for failure to appear if attempting to comply with court orders resulting in DL suspension.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. No hearing date set.

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	SB 604	Traffic - Farm Vehicles	Exempts vehicles used for the transporting of livestock or agricultural products from a farm located in the state to the initial market located in the state from regulations authorized under KSA 66-1,129. Sunsets on July 1, 2011.		Assigned to Senate Agriculture Committee. No hearing date set.
	SB 610	Criminal Procedure	Concerning racial profiling	Sen. Bett's bill expanding racial profiling to include traffic and pedestrian stops and removing "sole basis" form the statute.	Assigned to Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee. No hearing date set.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SB 611	Traffic - DUI	Changes the suspension times for DUI or test failure. Decreases it to 60 days for 1st offense, increases it to 18 months on 3rd offense and to 24 months on 3rd and subsequent offense. If person is under 21 a 30 day suspension if BAC below .15 and 60 day suspension if above .15 or higher. All followed by a one year ignition interlock restriction.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. No hearing date set.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SB 615	Traffic - Liability Insurance	Adds impoundment of vehicle for 30 days to punishment for no liability insurance.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary. No hearing date set.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SB 622	Alcohol	Creates significant changes to most of the statutes on alcoholic beverages. Some of the changes appear rather mundane while others appear significant.	I really haven't had time to review each piece of this yet.	Assigned to Senate Fed and State Affairs. Hearing on 2/20.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HB 2562	Veterans Preference	HB 2755; An act to allow holders of a class C license to drive class A and B vehicles if they are registered as a farm vehicle.; amending K.S.A. 8-234b.	The revisions in this bill appear very good and I recommend supporting it. Chief Doehring and I worked with legislators and others to get some of these amendments made.	Passed in House. Currently in Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee. Hearing held 1-30-08.

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X	HB 2602	Criminal	Creates the crime of endangering a child using a controlled substance. Aimed at the use of controlled substances by women who are pregnant. Also includes permitting or causing a child to induce a controlled substance into their body.		Assigned to House Federal and State Affairs Committee. Hearing on 2/13/08.
X	HB 2617	Traffic - DUI	Changes KSA 8-1001 section (b) so that when a person is a driver of a vehicle involved in an accident resulting in serious injury or death, testing for alcohol/drugs must be requested.	This is the result of the interim joint judiciary committee hearing on this issue. I testified at that hearing. I think this is a good change but needs a little tweaking. I have more information but it is too lengthy to include here.	Passed by House 117-5. Now in Senate and assigned to Judiciary.
	HB 2622	Traffic - Vehicle Registration	Would change the law that currently prohibits old license plates on the front of vehicles so it only applies if the vehicle is registered in Kansas.	Interestingly, this bill was introduced by the Joint Committee on Kansas Security. How this enhances security is beyond me. I will see if I can find out what prompted this.	Passed by House 118-0. Assigned to Senate Transportation with hearing on 2/19.
X	HB 2650	Drugs	Adds salvia divinorum to schedule 1 drugs.	We probably should testify about this one but it is out of my area of expertise. I suggest finding someone among us who is knowledgeable about the problem who can either come to Topeka to testify or write testimony and we will offer it written only.	Assigned to Health and Human Services Committee. Hearing 2/12/08.
	HB 2667	Vehicles	Contains salvage vehicle processes.	I don't see any critical LE issue in this bill. I suggest we just monitor it.	Assigned to House Transportation Committee
X	HB 2674	Criminal	Creates the crime of negligent homicide.	I suggest we monitor this on for now. But I anxiously await comments from our members who see a need for this new law.	Assigned to House Judiciary Committee. Hearing set for 2/6/08.

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	HB 2684	Criminal	Changing criminal desecration involving human remains to a level 7 nonperson felony and other forms of desecration to a level 9 nonperson felony when damages are under \$25,000; also requires a minimum 5 day jail sentence in county jail; adds language to for DUI sentencing in county jails or DOC treatment facility when space is available		Hearing in House Judiciary on 2/6.
X	HB 2692	Criminal	Adds stainless steel to the list of metals covered by the scrap metal law passed last year	This is primarily to address the problem of beer kegs being stolen and sold as scrap metal.	Assigned to House Energy and Utilities. Hearing on 2/13/08. Recommended to pass.
X	HB 2701	Criminal Procedure	Include the Heart of America Regional Computer Forensics Laboratory in the list of labs covered by the \$400 laboratory analysis fees		Recommended by House Judiciary to pass.
X	HB 2705	Traffic	Prohibiting the sending, reading or writing of text messages while operating a motor vehicle	Let me know what you want to do on this one.	Assigned to House Transportation.
X	HB 2706	Traffic	Concerning distracted driving	Let me know what you want to do on this one.	Assigned to House Transportation.
X	HB 2707	Criminal	Relating to theft of property; intent to deprive; covers vehicles rented from a business that are not returned making them a prima facie intent to permanently deprive and requiring LE to handle them as a stolen vehicle	I think this issue will be covered better in a new bill that should be introduced this week. Let me know if you want me to support it.	Assigned to House Judiciary. Hearing on 2/11/08.
X	HB 2709	Traffic	Regulating micro utility trucks	This is a hold over issue from last year, but a new bill to address it.	Assigned to House Transportation. Hearing on 2/13/08.
X	HB 2726	Criminal Procedure	Prohibiting asking certain sex crime victims to submit to polygraph examinations	This is federal grant driven and if it does not pass the state could lose significant victim assistance grant funds.	Assigned to House Judiciary. Hearing on 2/13/08. Recommended to pass as amended.

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X	HB 2727	Criminal Procedure	Concerning sexual assault; allowing victims to request a sexual assault exam at county expense with or without the victim cooperating with LE	This is partner bill to HB2726. We are supoporting this one but did ask them to consider a method to send the evidence to law enforcement, without the patient identification, for storage and possibly even for testing.	Assigned to House Judiciary. Hearing on 2/13/08.
X	HB 2731	Criminal Procedure	Requiring the court to have a more thorough presentence report when considering a sentencing departure	This is one of several bills aimed at judges who downward depart in cases where it later appears to not have been wise. It sounds like a good plan to me as it arms the judge with better information prior to making the decision.	Assigned to House Judiciary. Hearing on 2/12/08.
X	HB 2732	Criminal Procedure	Limiting the courts ability to downward depart for level 1-4 person felonies or when the person has a criminal history A or B	This is one of several bills aimed at judges who downward depart in cases where it later appears to not have been wise. It sounds like a good plan to me as it addresses the worst of the criminals by either level of crime committed or by their criminal history.	Assigned to House Judiciary. Hearing on 2/12/08.
X	HB 2733	Criminal Procedure	Changing the sentencing of a person incarcerated, on probation or on parole when they commit a new offense to be incarcerated for the new offense even if it is not a presumptive imprisonment crime	Currently the court <u>may</u> do this, if this bill passes the court <u>must</u> do this. Seems like a good plan to me.	Assigned to House Judiciary.
X	HB 2742	Criminal	Exempting licensed firearms dealers from state laws prohibiting them from dealing in silencers, shotguns with barrel length less than 18" and certain ammunition	This corrects a problem where Kansas laws restrict a federally licensed gun dealer in Kansas from selling these types of firearms to law enforcement. The possession of non-law enforcement and persons not a licensed gun dealer would still be illegal.	Assigned to Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee. No hearing date set.
X	HB 2755	Traffic - DL	An act to allow holders of a class C license to drive class A and B vehicles if they are registered as a farm vehicle.; amending K.S.A. 8-234b.		Assigned to Senate Transportation Committee. No hearing date set.

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X	HB 2756	Traffic	An act changing fines in road construction zones to double plus \$250; amending K.S.A. 8-2004 and K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 8-2118.		Assigned to Senate Transportation Committee. Hearing on 2/20.
	HB 2770	Traffic - DL	An act creating a \$20 photo fee for driver's licenses; amending K.S.A. 2007 Supp. 8-243, 8-299 and 8-1324.		Assigned to Senate Transportation Committee. Hearing on 2/19
	HB 2793	LE Policy	An act mandating all law enforcement agencies establish written policies, including a specified list of topics, on dealing with the mentally ill.		Assigned to Senate Judiciary Committee. No hearing date set.
X	HB 2811	Firearms	Prohibits the seizure of firearms during state of disaster, sets process of return of firearms to owners during a state of disaster, and removes the governor's authorization to suspend firearms sales during a state of disaster. Sister bill to SB552.	Being touted as a bill to prevent some bad thing that supposedly happened in Greensburg regarding the return of firearms to their owners. Of course they also mentions the events of Katrina in New Orleans.	Assigned to House Elections and Governmental Affairs Committee.
X	HB 2812	Traffic - DL	Imposing school attendance requirements on persons under age 18 to obtain a driver's license.		Assigned to House Transportation Committee
X	HB 2815	Alcohol	Changes the law concerning identification to obtain alcoholic beverages by persons under 21 years of age from an identification "containing" a photo of the person to identification "that reasonably appears to contain" a photo of the person	I am not sure what the proponents are trying to accomplish with this one. It sounds like the guy at the door can look at an identification card and just say, "Hey, that kind of looks like you. Go ahead in and drink."	Assigned to House Judiciary Committee
X	HB 2818	Firearms	Allows the AG's office to access expunged records for concealed carry licensing purposes. A technical fix		Assigned to House Judiciary Committee
X	HB 2819	Firearms	Another bill to allow federally licensed firearms dealers to handle silencers and short barreled shotguns. Intent is to allow them to sell these items to LE.		Assigned to House Judiciary Committee

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X	HB 2820	Domestic	Deals with child custody orders and clarifying which orders supersede other court orders regarding child custody		Assigned to House Judiciary Committee
	HB 2829	Hunting	Allows for antlerless deer hunting in a county where the Sheriff reports more than 25% of the motor vehicle collisions in the county are deer related		House Agriculture and Natural Resources.
X	HB 2830	Criminal	Amends the sentence for theft so that a person in criminal history categories A-E are mandatory imprisonment; Also includes DUI sentencing to state treatment facilities		Assigned to House Judiciary Committee
X	HB 2831	Criminal	Creating an independent statute for theft of a vehicle as a level 7 felony		Assigned to House Judiciary Committee
	HB 2835	Regulatory	To regulate location and activities of a sexually oriented business		Assigned to House Fed and State Affairs Committee
X	HB 2836	Illegal Aliens	Enacting the Kansas illegal alien reform act; has a law enforcement component (section 3)		Assigned to House Fed and State Affairs Committee
	HB 2841	Traffic	Provides an exception to a red traffic signal if the signal light is malfunctioning		Assigned to House Transportation Committee
	HB 2845	Criminal	Concerning aiding escape and theft of DOC uniforms		Assigned to House Judiciary Committee
X	HB 2850	Criminal	Proposes significant changes to the stalking statute, including increased penalties		Assigned to House Judiciary Committee
	HB 2861	Traffic - Vehicle Registration	Expands who is qualified for a purple heart license plate medal recipients		Assigned to House Transportation Committee

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X	HB 2867	Traffic - Liability Insurance	Provides for up to a 30 day vehicle impoundment for failure to maintain financial security		Assigned to House Insurance and Financial Institutions Committee
	HB 2875	Traffic - Vehicle Registration	Relating to registration of custom vehicles and street rods		Assigned to House Transportation Committee
X	HB 2879	Traffic - DUI	Relating to persons sentenced for 4th and subsequent conviction for DUI will go to DOC for 18 months including treatment.		Assigned to House Select Committee on Corrections Reform/Oversight Committee. Hearing on 2/19.
X	HB 2890	Other	Establishing the division of vehicles modernization fund to fund the huge software improvement for vehicle and driver's license records; the improvements will greatly enhance law enforcement access and search capabilities for these files		Assigned to House General Government Budget Committee.
X	HB 2901	Criminal Procedure	Places limits on dispositional departures.		Assigned to House Judiciary.
X	HB 2902	LE Support	An act concerning law enforcement officers; enacting the law enforcement family support act containing benefits for LE officers killed or permanently and totally disabled in the line of duty.	This is the one the KSA, KACP and KPOA worked together on.	Assigned to House Judiciary.

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Retirement Related Bills					
X	HB 2077	KPERS/KPF	Changes the penalty for a member improperly withdrawing contributions. Now includes provisions of HB2076 increasing the earnings a person with a medical disability from KP&F from \$10,000 to \$20,000 before a penalty begins.		House COW amended the provisions of HB2076 into this bill and recommended to pass. On 1/22/08 the House sent it to the Appropriations Committee for further action.
X	HB 2078	KPERS/KPF	Will allow the retirement system to create the ability to exclude the payment of health insurance for the member from taxable federal income.	I would think we would want to support this.	Assigned to House Appropriations Committee, Hearing held 3/13/07 but no further action.
X	HB 2151	KPERS/KPF	Increases KP&F maximum retirement percentage to 100% of final average salary.	I would think we would want to support this.	Assigned to House Appropriations Committee, Hearing held 3/8/07 but no further action.
	HB 2832	KPERS/KPF	Concerning employment of a KPERS retiree and the contributions from employers and stating the employee pays no contribution nor can the retiree enhance their retirement		House Select Committee on KPERS.
	HB 2833	KPERS/KPF	Creates an annual "post-retirement" benefit for all KPERS/KP&F retirees based on 30% of the expanded Lottery revenues		House Select Committee on KPERS.