



Legislative Update

Week of July 12, 2021

Roy Cooper, Governor

Erik A. Hooks, Secretary

This week was rather quiet at the General Assembly. However, a handful of House committee meetings were scheduled, despite the House continuing to hammer out a state budget proposal. Meanwhile, the Senate had few committee meetings and held brief voting sessions Tuesday and Wednesday.

On Wednesday of this week, the House Judiciary 2 committee heard Senate Bill 300, *Criminal Justice Reform*. This bill aims to increase law enforcement standardization and oversight, and to make various changes to the Criminal Code.

The House also took up House Bill 951, *Modernize Energy Generation*, holding a midnight voting session early Thursday morning to ensure its passage prior to legislators departing Raleigh for the week. House members held no further public meetings for the remainder of the week following the uncharacteristic late-night session.

Although next week's legislative calendar has not been announced yet, it is anticipated the upcoming week will be busier since legislators are expected to be away during the last week of July.

DPS Bills with Action this Week

(Note: Click on the bill title to view the most current version of the bill)

Division(s) Impacted	Sponsor(s)	Bill #	Short Title	Action
EM/ABC	Yarborough	H 366	Regulatory Reform Act of 2021.	7/14/2021 Senate Re-ref Com On Rules and Operations of the Senate
Law Enforcement	Britt, Daniel, and Lee	S 300	Criminal Justice Reform.	7/14/2021 House Re-ref Com On Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

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