



2014 KOGA BILL TRACKING

February 3, 2014

[HB 31](#) (BR 168) - [J. Tilley](#), [T. Mills](#)

AN ACT relating to eminent domain.

Amend KRS 278.502 to condition the exercise of condemnation authority upon approval of the Public Service Commission, which may be given only after review of delineated statutory criteria.

(Prefiled by the sponsor(s).)

Oct 2-To: Interim Joint Committee on Energy Special Subcommittee
Jan 7-introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

[HB 60](#) (BR 257) - [D. Floyd](#), [K. King](#), [M. Harmon](#), [T. Mills](#)

AN ACT relating to eminent domain and declaring an emergency.

Amend KRS 278.502 to limit the scope of the eminent domain authority created by that section; declare amendments retroactive to October 1, 2013; EMERGENCY.

(Prefiled by the sponsor(s).)

Jan 7-introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

[HB 63](#) (BR 275) - [J. Gooch Jr.](#)

AN ACT relating to utilities.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 278 to require retail electric suppliers to maintain a 30-day supply of fuel for electricity generation.

(Prefiled by the sponsor(s).)

Jan 7-introduced in House; to Tourism Development & Energy (H)

[SB 14](#) (BR 129) - [J. Higdon](#), [J. Carroll](#), [P. Clark](#), [D. Harper Angel](#), [D. Parrett](#)

AN ACT relating to eminent domain.

Amend KRS 278.502 to allow eminent domain to be used only in cases where the condemnor is a utility regulated by the Public Service Commission.

(Prefiled by the sponsor(s).)

Nov 6-To: Energy Special Subcommittee

Jan 7-introduced in Senate

Jan 13-to Judiciary (S)

[SB 21](#) (BR 258) - [J. Higdon](#), [D. Harper Angel](#), [D. Parrett](#), [R. Webb](#)

AN ACT relating to eminent domain and declaring an emergency.

Amend KRS 278.502 to limit the scope of the eminent domain authority created by that section; declare amendments retroactive to October 1, 2013; EMERGENCY.

(Prefiled by the sponsor(s).)

Jan 7-introduced in Senate

Jan 13-to Judiciary (S)

[SB 35/LM](#) (BR 250) - [R. Jones II](#)

AN ACT relating to the Public Service Commission.

Amend KRS 278.050 to increase membership of the Public Service Commission (PSC) from three to seven commissioners; require an election of the commissioners in accordance with KRS Chapter 118; provide that initial election of PSC commissioners shall be at the regular election in November 2016; provide that each member of the commission shall be eligible for membership in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System as set forth in KRS 61.515 to 61.705; amend KRS 278.060 to change qualifications of the commissioners; amend KRS 278.120, 278.702, 11A.010, 11A.040, and 11A.050 to conform; repeal KRS 278.070.

(Prefiled by the sponsor(s).)

Nov 6-To: Special Subcommittee on Energy
Jan 7-introduced in Senate
Jan 13-to Natural Resources & Energy (S)

[HB 15/LM](#) (BR 64) - [F. Steele](#), [L. Combs](#)

AN ACT relating to coal severance revenues and declaring an emergency.

Amend various sections in KRS Chapter 42 to distribute 100% of coal severance revenues among the coal producing counties on the basis of the tax collected on coal severed or processed in each respective county; amend KRS 143.090 and 164.7891 to make conforming changes; repeal KRS 42.490; EMERGENCY.

(Prefiled by the sponsor(s).)

Sep 4-To: Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue
Jan 7-introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

[HB 136](#) (BR 829) - [B. Yonts](#), [J. Adams](#), [R. Crimm](#), [R. Damron](#), [D. Floyd](#), [R. Heath](#), [S. Santoro](#), [T. Thompson](#), [K. Upchurch](#), [S. Westrom](#)

AN ACT relating to the limited liability entity tax and declaring an emergency.

Amend KRS 141.0401 to expand the definition of cost of goods sold to include any costs allowed by the Internal Revenue Code; effective for tax years beginning on and after January 1, 2007; EMERGENCY.

Jan 7-introduced in House
Jan 8-to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

[HB 170](#) (BR 942) - [K. Flood](#)

AN ACT relating to the utility gross receipts license tax for schools.

Amend KRS 160.613 to clarify that if a manufacturer, processor, miner, or refiner chooses to claim that a portion of the energy or energy producing fuels purchased by that entity is exempt from the utility gross receipts license tax, the entity claiming the exemption becomes responsible to report and pay the portion of the tax due directly to the Department of Revenue; amend KRS 160.6156 to specify who may request a refund or credit of any overpayment of the tax and require that an appeal of the denial of a requested refund to the Circuit Court shall be made within 30 days from the mailing date of the denial.

Jan 8-introduced in House

Jan 9-to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

Jan 31-posted in committee

[HB 195/LM](#) (BR 877) - [M. Marzian](#), [J. Jenkins](#)

AN ACT relating to energy.

Create new sections of KRS Chapters 278 and 96 to require retail electric suppliers to use increasing amounts of renewable energy; require retail electric suppliers to take energy-efficiency measures and implement energy-efficiency programs that increase energy savings over a period of time; provide for alternative compliance plans for public utilities who fail to meet renewable energy or efficiency requirements; define renewable energy; specify reporting requirements to the Public Service Commission regarding progress in diversifying energy sources and energy savings; require the Public Service Commission to develop tariff guidelines for purchase of renewable power.

Jan 13-introduced in House

Jan 14-to Tourism Development & Energy (H)