



April 21, 2017

After last week's deadline, both the Assembly and Senate canceled a number of committees over the past five days in an effort to move bills out of their chambers before April 25. By Tuesday, all bills that are not exempt must pass from their house of origin to the other side.

When the Assembly adjourned on Friday, they announced a later than normal start time for Monday's floor session. Since they won't begin until 2:00 pm and have hundreds of bills yet to pass, we expect several floor sessions to be called and last late into the night early next week, leading up to 11:59 p.m. deadline on Tuesday.

The next few weeks will come with increasingly long days as the time between deadlines shortens and sine die looms. With hundreds of bills remaining in both money committees, time will be tight for those exempt bills that remain in the house of origin to get to the other side.

For a complete list of the bills we are tracking, please [click here](#).

Highlights from Week Eleven

Monday, April 17

The Senate Committee on Finance heard SB132, a bill that requires all school districts to create individual graduation plans for every student in order to determine any additional coursework that may be required to graduate high school. The bill also allows students to stay an additional year should it be needed in order to complete their graduation plan.

Tuesday, April 18

No education bills were heard on Tuesday.

Wednesday, April 19

The Senate Committee on Commerce, Labor, and Energy heard AB387. This bill requires licensed social workers to receive suicide prevention and awareness training in order to renew a license. CCSD provided testimony in support of this bill.

Later in the day, the Assembly Committee on Education heard SB112, sponsored by Senators Ratti and Kieckhefer. This bill requires high schools to provide students with information on the benefits of organ and tissue donation.

The Committee also heard SB119 which provides immunity from civil liability to a volunteer member of a school organizational team established by the principal of a public school as part of the reorganization of a school district for any damages caused by certain acts or omissions of the volunteer member of the school organizational team, another volunteer member, or the school organizational team itself. Similar immunity language for school organizational teams is also included in AB469.

Thursday, April 20

Thursday began with budget closings. Assembly Committee on Ways and Means and Senate Committee on Finance Subcommittees on K-12/Higher Education/CIP closed the following budgets within the Department of Education: Educational Trust Account, Educator Effectiveness, Literacy Programs, Individuals with Disabilities, Office of the Superintendent, District Support Services, Department Support Services, Gear Up, Parental Involvement and Family Engagement, Office of Early Learning and Development, and the Account for Alternative Schools. Members also voted on the budgets for the State Public Charter School Authority and the Charter Loan Program.

The Senate Committee on Education heard two bills on Thursday, AB1 and AB85. AB1 allows for the dependents of a local or state government worker to receive a free college education should their parent die in the line of service. CCSD testified in support of the bill.

AB 85, sponsored by the Assembly Committee on Health and Human Services, requires middle and high schools to provide instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation and in the use of an automated external defibrillator. CCSD supports this bill as the District is already fulfilling the bill's requirements.

The Senate Committee on Education also held a brief work session and passed AB469, CCSD reorganization bill, unanimously.

Friday, April 21

On Friday, both the Assembly and Senate held long floor sessions. AB469 was reported out of committee on the floor and sent to general file. The Senate will likely take a floor vote on the bill on Monday.

Want to Learn More?

Now that the dust has settled after Friday's Committee Passage deadline, you may wonder what bills are still alive and what bills didn't make it through. The Legislative Council Bureau has

made it really easy to track bills. If you want to see the list of bills that didn't make it past the deadline and are considered "dead" please visit

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/79th2017/Reports/MissedApril14th.cfm>.

If you want to see the list of bills that were exempted and therefore no longer have to abide by any deadline, please visit <https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/79th2017/Reports/exempt.cfm>.

Coming Up:

As the First House Passage deadline nears, few committee hearings have been scheduled to allow the Assembly and Senate to conduct floor sessions in order to pass bills in their respective houses. We anticipate that more bills will be scheduled for hearings next week.

Bill #	Description	Sponsors	Next Meeting	Date
SB12	Repeals certain provisions relating to governmental administrative tasks. (BDR 22-241)	Revenue and Economic Development	Assembly Committee on Government Affairs	4/24/17 11:00 AM
SB507	Revises the interim committee structure of the Legislature. (BDR 17-1126)	Legislative Operations and Elections	Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections	4/24/17 3:30 PM
SJR11	Proposes to amend the Nevada Constitution to revise provisions relating to the State Legislature. (BDR C-1082)	Woodhouse, Segerblom, Ford, Farley and Parks	Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections	4/24/17 3:30 PM
SB127	Revises provisions relating to the election of members of certain local governing bodies. (BDR 20-786)	Goicoechea	Assembly Committee on Government Affairs	4/25/17 8:30 AM
AB176	Establishes certain requirements for the operation of seasonal or temporary recreation programs. (BDR 38-702)	Frierson	Senate Committee on Health and Human Services	4/26/17 3:30 PM
AB305	Requires each public school and private school to post a toll-free telephone number for a child abuse or neglect hotline. (BDR 34-362)	Health and Human Services	Senate Committee on Health and Human Services	4/26/17 3:30 PM

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