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HB 4007	Caswell (R-Hillsdale)	1/22/2007	1/22/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Amends property tax act to provide for up to three year deferred payment for new businesses.	
HB 4028	Rocca (R-Sterling Heights)	1/22/2007	1/22/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides sales tax exemption for energy conservation products.	
HB 4029	Rocca (R-Sterling Heights)	1/22/2007	1/22/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides use tax exemption for energy conservation products.	
HB 4061	Nofs (R-Battle Creek)	1/22/2007	1/22/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Earmarks portion of oil and gas severance tax for home heating credit fund.	Support
HB 4062	Nofs (R-Battle Creek)	1/22/2007	1/22/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Revises household income requirement.	Support
HB 4063	Nofs (R-Battle Creek)	1/22/2007	1/22/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides income tax check-off for home heating credit fund.	Support
HB 4064	Nofs (R-Battle Creek)	1/22/2007	1/24/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Establishes home heating credit fund.	Support
HB 4135	Bieda (D-Warren)	1/25/2007	1/25/2007	House Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life	Creates the MI-retirement plan to increase access to retirement plans for small business employees.	
HB 4152	Jones, Rick (R-Grand Ledge)	1/30/2007	1/30/2007	House Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs and Homeland Security	Provides for job security for returning military personnel.	
HB 4163	Clack (D-Flint)	1/30/2007	5/8/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Passed Senate	Requires a smoke-free workplace.	
HB 4170	Leland (D-Detroit)	1/30/2007	1/30/2007	House Committee on Commerce	Requires compliance with the Corporate Responsibility Act in order to receive brownfield redevelopment credits.	
HB 4187	Proos (R-St. Joseph)	2/1/2007	2/1/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Clarifies oversight of proposed public utility mergers, sales or acquisitions.	
HB 4203	Sheen (R-Plainwell)	2/7/2007	2/7/2007	House Committee on Agriculture	Provides for an SBT credit for producers of corn-burning stoves and boilers.	
HB 4245	Accavitti (D-Eastpointe)	2/8/2007	2/8/2007	House Committee on Insurance	Requires health care corporations coverage for infertility treatments if pregnancy-related benefits are provided.	

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HB 4255	Angerer (D- Dundee)	2/13/2007	2/13/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Increases the home heating credit income threshold.	
HB 4258	Moolenaar (R-Midland)	2/13/2007	2/13/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for a tax credit for residential use of green energy.	
HB 4279	Accavitti (D-Eastpointe)	2/15/2007	2/15/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Establishes a home heating credit fund.	
HB 4280	Accavitti (D-Eastpointe)	2/15/2007	1/24/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Provides for an income tax check off option for a home heating credit fund.	
HB 4295	Bieda (D-Warren)	2/20/2007	2/20/2007	House Committee on Health Policy	Prescription coverage; expands to include certain contraceptives.	
HB 4301	Condino (D-Southfield)	2/20/2007	3/15/2007	Passed House; Senate Committee on Judiciary	Serious impairment of body function.	
HB 4316	Meadows (D-East Lansing)	2/27/2007	7/19/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Creates the Worker Freedom Act.	
HB 4320	Walker (R-Traverse City)	2/27/2007	2/27/2007	House Committee on Labor	Provides an exemption to the unemployment charge rate increase for certain employers that eliminate positions due to temporary road closure.	
HB 4328	Condino (D-Southfield)	2/27/2007	4/17/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Increases penalties for engaging in unfair or deceptive acts or practices.	
HB 4331	Clemente (D-Lincoln Park)	2/27/2007	2/27/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Requires public service commission to develop a state energy policy.	
HB 4337	Horn (R-Frankenmuth)	2/28/2007	10/9/2007	Re-Referred to House Committee on Tax Policy	Revises property tax exemption for new personal property in certain jurisdictions.	
HB 4367	Farrar (D-Southgate)	3/1/2007	5/8/2007	Passed House; Senate Committee on Finance	Creates the Michigan Business Tax to replace the Single Business Tax.	
HB 4368	Cushingberry (D-Detroit)	3/1/2007	3/13/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Provides for a tax on services and admission transmission transactions.	
HB 4369	Brown, T. (R-Pigeon)	3/1/2007	7/12/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 37, I.E. of 2007	Provides for exemption for certain personal property from certain school operating mills.	

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HB 4370	Griffin (D-Jackson)	3/1/2007	7/12/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 38, I.E. of 2007	Exempts certain industrial and commercial personal property from the state education tax.	
HB 4371	Corriveau (D-Northville)	3/1/2007	7/12/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 39, I.E. of 2007	Revises calculation of tax levied on plant rehabilitation.	
HB 4372	Ebli (D-Monroe)	3/1/2007	7/12/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 40, I.E. of 2007	Exempts commercial and industrial personal property from the property tax.	
HB 4373	Corriveau (D-Northville)	3/1/2007	4/5/2007	Reported out of House Committee on Tax Policy with sub H-1	Provides for the sales tax on difference between trade-in and purchase price for privately sold vehicles.	
HB 4374	Sheltrown (D-West Branch)	3/1/2007	4/19/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Eliminates sales tax exemption on sale of tangible personal property to inmates in penal or correctional institutions and copyrighted motion picture films.	
HB 4375	Condino (D-Southfield)	3/1/2007	4/19/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Creates a specific tax on commercial rental property.	
HB 4376	Condino (D-Southfield)	3/1/2007	6/29/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 31, I.E. of 2007	Revises definition of additions and losses and eliminates certain exemptions for property tax of commercial rental property.	
HB 4377	Condino (D-Southfield)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Decouples the state estate tax from the federal tax.	
HB 4378	Hopgood (D-Taylor)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Eliminates sales tax exemption for sale of rolling stock purchased by an interstate fleet motor carrier.	
HB 4379	Farrah (D-Southgate)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Eliminates exemption for use taxes on rolling stock used by an interstate fleet motor carrier.	
HB 4380	Accavitti (D-Eastpointe)	3/1/2007	2/28/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Includes interstate trucks and trailers to the streamlined sales tax agreement.	
HB 4381	Smith, Alma (D-Ypsilanti)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Eliminates sales tax exemption for sale of food from vending machine.	
HB 4382	Smith, Alma (D-Ypsilanti)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Eliminates exemption on use tax for sale of food from vending machines.	

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HB 4383	Melton (D-Auburn Hills)	3/1/2007	5/7/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance; Returned to House	Eliminates certain exemptions from the use tax.	
HB 4384	Meadows (D-East Lansing)	3/1/2007	4/19/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Removes the property tax exemption for water conditioning systems and bottled water coolers.	
HB 4385	Bennett (D-Muskegon)	3/1/2007	4/19/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Modifies taxation penalties.	
HB 4386	Condino (D-Southfield)	3/1/2007	4/19/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Modifies taxation nexus standard.	
HB 4387	Miller (D-Mount Clemens)	3/1/2007	4/19/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Adds expenses incurred in the production of income to the tax base.	
HB 4388	Miller (D-Mount Clemens)	3/1/2007	4/19/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Adds expenses incurred in the production of income to taxable income.	
HB 4389	Young (D-Detroit)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Increases the tobacco products tax.	
HB 4390	Meadows (D-East Lansing)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	House Committee on Insurance	Provides that coverage for inpatient mental health and substance abuse treatment cannot be more restrictive than coverage for inpatient medical treatment.	
HB 4391	Hammon (D-Burton)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	House Committee on Insurance	Provides that coverage for outpatient mental health and substance abuse treatment cannot be more restrictive than coverage for outpatient medical treatment.	
HB 4392	Amos (R- Waterford)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	House Committee on Insurance	Provides that coverage for inpatient mental health and substance abuse treatment cannot be more restrictive than coverage for inpatient medical treatment.	
HB 4393	Johnson (D-Detroit)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	House Committee on Insurance	Provides that coverage for outpatient mental health and substance abuse treatment cannot be more restrictive than coverage for outpatient medical treatment.	
HB 4500	Cushingberry (D-Detroit)	3/21/2007	3/21/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Increases the income tax rate and personal exemption.	

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HB 4521	Byrnes (D-Chelsea)	3/22/2007	3/22/2007	House Committee on Intergovernmental, Urban and Regional Affairs	Prohibits certain inclusion of personal information in judgment unless required by law.	
HB 4522	Byrum (D-Onondaga)	3/22/2007	3/22/2007	House Committee on Intergovernmental, Urban and Regional Affairs	Prohibits inclusion of personal information in order of filiation unless required by law.	
HB 4523	Byrum (D-Onondaga)	3/22/2007	3/22/2007	House Committee on Intergovernmental, Urban and Regional Affairs	Prohibits inclusion of personal information in an order under the family support act unless required by law.	
HB 4532	Gonzales (D-Flint)	3/27/2007	5/20/2008	Passed House; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Prohibits termination of employee on basis of legal conduct occurring during nonworking hours.	
HB 4541	Bieda (D-Warren)	3/29/2007	3/29/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Creates a pilot program requiring sales tax payers to file electronically daily.	
HB 4562	Accavitti (D-Eastpointe)	3/29/2007	3/29/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Requires electric utilities to comply with portfolio standard for renewable energy.	
HB 4575	DeRoche (R-Novi)	4/5/2007	4/5/2007	House Committee on Transportation	Provides increase in gasoline tax over three years.	
HB 4576	Hopgood (D-Taylor)	4/5/2007	4/5/2007	House Committee on Transportation	Provides increase in diesel fuel tax over three years.	
HB 4583	Accavitti (D-Eastpointe)	4/5/2007	4/5/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Creates Energy Efficient Michigan Act.	
HB 4584	Accavitti (D-Eastpointe)	4/5/2007	4/5/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides business tax credit for purchases and installation of solar energy system.	
HB 4585	Condino (D-Southfield)	4/5/2007	4/5/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides income tax credit for purchases and installation of solar energy system.	
HB 4619	Meisner (D-Ferndale)	4/19/2007	2/19/2008	Reported out of House Committee on Commerce with sub H-1	Provides for an income tax credit for new businesses for premiums paid for an eligible health benefit plan.	
HB 4625	Bauer (D-Lansing)	4/19/2007	4/23/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Requires equal compensation for comparable work.	

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HB 4626	Byrnes (D-Chelsea)	4/19/2007	4/23/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Modifies provision regarding wage discrimination based on sex.	
HB 4627	Law, K. (D. Gibraltar)	4/19/2007	2/14/2008	Passed House; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Establishes a commission on pay equity.	
HB 4630	Moolenaar (R-Midland)	4/24/2007	4/24/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Creates a procedure for access to future capacity and energy needs for electric utilities.	
HB 4682	Gaffney (R-Grosse Pointe Farms)	5/1/2007	5/1/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Creates a taxation amnesty program and provides for a waiver of penalties	
HB 4757	Acciavatti (R-New Baltimore)	5/15/2007	5/15/2007	House Committee on Labor	Creates local right to work zones.	
HB 4811	Palmer (R-Romeo)	5/22/2007	5/22/2007	House Committee on Labor	Permits local government right to work zones.	
HB 4812	LeBlanc (D-Westland)	5/22/2007	5/22/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Revises the statewide uniform energy code.	
HB 4842	Meadows (D-East Lansing)	5/24/2007	9/30/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 77, I.E. of 2007	Increases licensing fees for occupations.	
HB 4882	Bieda (D-Warren)	6/7/2007	10/1/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 103, I.E. of 2007	Modifies the definition of taxable use for use tax exemption.	
HB 4926	Hopgood (D-Taylor)	6/14/2007	5/20/2008	Passed House; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Prohibits employment discrimination based on physical attributes or fitness	
HB 4927	Law, K. (D. Gibraltar)	6/14/2007	5/20/2008	Passed House; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Provides for prohibition against employment decisions based on the health or illness of an employee's family member.	
HB 4948	Warren (D-Ann Arbor)	6/19/2007	11/26/2007	House Third Reading	Prohibits disclosure of business audit for real or personal property.	
HB 4950	Dean (D-Grand Rapids)	6/19/2007	5/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Reported out of Senate Committee on Agriculture with sub S-2	Expands the alternative energy renaissance zones to include solar and wind power.	

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HB 5028	Opsommer (R-Dewitt)	7/18/2007	7/18/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Modifies definition of renewable energy facility for inclusion in renaissance zones.	
HB 5030	Hune (R-Hamburg)	7/18/2007	7/18/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Clarifies installation requirements of international transmission company utility lines.	
HB 5046	Meisner (D-Ferndale)	7/25/2007	10/9/2007	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Establishes restroom access rights for individuals with certain medical conditions.	
HB 5096	Bieda (D-Warren)	8/8/2007	10/1/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 104, I.E. of 2007	Restricts deduction for certain uncollectible use tax liability availability to taxpayers that directly remit payment for sales, rental or service claimed.	
HB 5097	Bieda (D-Warren)	8/8/2007	10/1/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 105, I.E. of 2007	Restricts deduction for certain uncollectible sales tax liability availability to taxpayers that directly remit payment for specific sale claimed.	
HB 5101	Farrah (D-Southgate)	8/8/2007	2/7/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No 4, I.E. of 2008	Expands eligibility in neighborhood enterprise zones to include new facilities.	
HB 5104	Bieda (D-Warren)	8/22/2007	10/1/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 90, I.E. of 2007	Revises Michigan Business Tax to account for deferred liabilities.	
HB 5119	Huizenga (R-Zeeland)	8/21/2007	8/21/2007	House Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life	Creates Office of Brownfield Redevelopment Administration.	
HB 5121	Opsommer (R-Dewitt)	8/21/2007	8/21/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for electric net metering.	
HB 5122	Hune (R-Hamburg)	8/22/2007	8/22/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Requires utility companies to own new transmission facilities that they use in their service area.	
HB 5136	Miller (D-Mount Clemens)	8/22/2007	8/22/2007	House Committee on Labor	Increases penalties for third and subsequent violations for wage discrimination based on sex.	
HB 5144	Huizenga (R-Zeeland)	8/29/2007	8/29/2007	House Committee on Commerce	Allows for expansion of existing renaissance zones.	
HB 5155	Lemmons (D-Detroit)	9/5/2007	9/5/2007	House Committee on Transportation	Provides a use tax exemption for alternative energy marine propulsion system.	

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HB 5178	Jones, Rick (R-Grand Ledge)	9/6/2007	9/6/2007	House Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life	Requires board of benefiting entity of new designated millage for downtown development authority to opt in for capture.	
HB 5179	Sheltrown (D-West Branch)	9/6/2007	9/6/2007	House Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life	Requires an opt in for capture regarding corridor improvement authorities.	
HB 5180	Amos (R- Waterford)	9/6/2007	9/6/2007	House Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life	Requires opt in for capture regarding local development financing.	
HB 5181	Amos (R- Waterford)	9/6/2007	9/6/2007	House Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life	Requires an opt in for capture regarding historical neighborhood tax increment finance authority act.	
HB 5182	Amos (R- Waterford)	9/6/2007	9/6/2007	House Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life	Requires opt in for capture regarding tax increment financing authority.	
HB 5191	Tobocman (D-Detroit)	9/7/2007	9/7/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Requires electronic sales tax filing program.	
HB 5205	Lemmons (D-Detroit)	9/12/2007	12/4/2007	Re-Referred to House Committee on Great Lakes and Environment	Eliminates provision for automatic approval when the department fails to respond to an environmental clean up plan that has been submitted.	
HB 5245	Johnson (D-Detroit)	9/19/2007	9/19/2007	House Committee on Labor	Creates exception for domestic violence victims from disqualification from receiving employment benefits.	
HB 5258	Hammel (D-Flushing)	9/20/2007	10/1/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 86, I.E. of 2007	Revised limited liability company fees.	
HB 5265	Wenke (R-Richland)	9/25/2007	9/25/2007	House Committee on Commerce	Allows downtown development authorities taxing jurisdiction to opt out of capture.	
HB 5266	Wenke (R-Richland)	9/25/2007	9/25/2007	House Committee on Commerce	Allows local development financing taxing jurisdiction to opt out of capture.	
HB 5267	Wenke (R-Richland)	9/25/2007	9/25/2007	House Committee on Commerce	Provides tax increment financing taxing jurisdictions to opt out of content.	
HB 5280	Acciavatti (R-New Baltimore)	10/10/2007	10/10/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Repeals use tax on certain services.	

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HB 5311	Proos (R-St. Joseph)	10/16/2007	10/16/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Provides income tax credit for investments in neighborhood organizations and programs.	
HB 5312	Proos (R-St. Joseph)	10/16/2007	10/16/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Provides business tax credit for neighborhood assistance and neighborhood programs.	
HB 5313	Proos (R-St. Joseph)	10/16/2007	10/16/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Provides for approval and issuance by Michigan State Housing Development Authority for neighborhood programs.	
HB 5361	Moss (R-Birmingham)	10/24/2007	5/27/2008	Re-Referred to House Committee on Oversight and Investigations	Increases penalties for tampering with, defacing and stealing utility equipment.	
HB 5362	Moss (R-Birmingham)	10/24/2007	5/27/2008	Re-Referred to House Committee on Oversight and Investigations	Provides sentencing guidelines for increased penalties of tampering with, defacing or stealing utility equipment.	
HB 5365	Jones, Rick (R-Grand Ledge)	10/25/2007	10/25/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Provides a reimbursement of tax tribunal fees to individuals who win property tax appeal.	
HB 5369	Moolenaar (R-Midland)	10/25/2007	10/25/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provide for production tax credit for wind energy from wind turbines.	
HB 5373	Hildenbrand (R-Lowell)	10/25/2007	10/25/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Repeals application of tax to certain services.	
HB 5410	Opsommer (R-Dewitt)	11/6/2007	11/6/2007	House Committee on Agriculture	Provides for recommendation of commission of agriculture for certain renaissance zones.	
HB 5434	Gaffney (R-Grosse Pointe Farms)	11/8/2007	11/8/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Exempts business to business transactions from service tax.	
HB 5435	Opsommer (R-Dewitt)	11/8/2007	11/8/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides a business tax credit for buildings with LEED certification and participation in a net metering program.	
HB 5436	Nofs (R-Battle Creek)	11/8/2007	11/8/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for tax credits for homesteads with energy efficient property and participation in a net metering program.	
HB 5459	Mayes (D-Bay City)	11/20/2007	4/29/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 118, I.E. of 2008	Expands eligibility for commercial redevelopment to include certain vacant or blighted properties.	
HB 5462	Melton (D-Auburn Hills)	11/26/2007	11/26/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Revises assets included under the definition of "purchases from other firms".	

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HB 5463	Melton (D-Auburn Hills)	11/26/2007	4/29/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 114, I.E. of 2007	Modifies definition of eligible taxpayer for certain credit.	
HB 5478	Cushingberry (D-Detroit)	11/28/2007	11/28/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Eliminates use tax on application on interstate package carriers.	
HB 5511	Clemente (D-Lincoln Park)	12/5/2007	4/8/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 89, I.E. of 2008	Revises provisions in brownfield credit law.	
HB 5520	Miller (D-Mount Clemens)	12/4/2007	12/4/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for approval of proposed sale of generating plants.	
HB 5521	Gaffney (R-Grosse Pointe Farms)	12/4/2007	12/4/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for generation plant and power purchase agreement certification.	
HB 5522	LaJoy (R-Canton)	12/4/2007	12/4/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for rates to reflect cost of utility service for each customer class.	
HB 5523	Clemente (D-Lincoln Park)	12/4/2007	12/4/2007	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for rate implementation of proposed utility rates if not approved by commission within 90 days.	
HB 5524	Accavitti (D-Eastpointe)	12/4/2007	4/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Modifies consumer choice program for electric utilities.	
HB 5525	Angerer (D-Dundee)	12/4/2007	4/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Provides for energy efficiency.	
HB 5530	Mayes (D-Bay City)	12/4/2007	12/4/2007	House Committee on Health Policy	Establishes electric use forecasting group.	
HB 5539	Bieda (D-Warren)	12/6/2007	5/28/2008	Ordered Enrolled	Provides for reimbursement of certain tax capture reductions for brownfield redevelopment authorities.	
HB 5540	Wenke (R-Richland)	12/6/2007	5/28/2008	Ordered Enrolled	Provides for reimbursement of certain tax capture reductions for local development finance authorities.	
HB 5541	Dean (D-Grand Rapids)	12/6/2007	5/28/2008	Ordered Enrolled	Provides for reimbursement of certain tax capture reductions for tax increment finance authorities.	

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HB 5542	Jones, Robert (D-Kalamazoo)	12/6/2007	5/28/2008	Ordered Enrolled	Provides for reimbursement of certain tax capture reductions for downtown development authorities.	
HB 5548	Mayes (D-Bay City)	12/6/2007	4/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Clarifies definition of renewable energy resources.	
HB 5549	Palsrok (R-Manistee)	12/6/2007	4/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Provides alternatives for complying with renewable energy portfolio standards.	
HB 5552	Meltzer (R-Clinton Twp.)	12/11/2007	12/11/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Provides an income tax credit for costs incurred by businesses to comply with implementation of the use tax on certain services.	
HB 5554	Bieda (D-Warren)	12/12/2007	2/28/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Provides a definition for a service provider.	
HB 5555	Condino (D-Southfield)	12/12/2007	2/28/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Revises the definition of sales price.	
HB 5556	Bieda (D-Warren)	12/12/2007	2/28/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Revises the definition of purchase price and provides other technical amendments.	
HB 5569	Bieda (D-Warren)	12/13/2007	12/13/2007	House Committee on Tax Policy	Excludes Medicaid and Medicare reimbursement in definition of gross receipts.	
HB 5593	LeBlanc (D-Westland)	1/9/2008	1/9/2008	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Establishes a written utility shut-off notification period.	
HB 5597	Sak (D-Grand Rapids)	1/9/2008	1/9/2008	House Committee on Tax Policy	Modifies appeal process regarding homestead exemption for succeeding years.	
HB 5600	Sak (D-Grand Rapids)	1/9/2008	4/29/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 116, I.E. of 2008	Provides modifications to the eligibility criteria of renaissance zones.	
HB 5601	Sak (D-Grand Rapids)	1/9/2008	1/9/2008	House Committee on Commerce	Allows expansion of existing renaissance zones.	

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HB 5609	Simpson (D-Jackson)	1/16/2008	4/23/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 105, I.E. of 2008	Provides for additional certified technology parks.	
HB 5610	Sak (D-Grand Rapids)	1/16/2008	1/16/2008	House Committee on Commerce	Exempts new motor vehicle manufactured in Michigan from the sales tax.	
HB 5613	Sak (D-Grand Rapids)	1/16/2008	1/16/2008	House Committee on Transportation	Creates the regional infrastructure authority.	
HB 5616	Sak (D-Grand Rapids)	1/16/2008	1/16/2008	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for a business tax credit for wind turbine generation.	
HB 5623	Schuitmaker (R-Lawton)	1/16/2008	1/16/2008	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Eliminates the collection of the sales tax on home heating oil.	
HB 5624	Caul (R-Mt. Pleasant)	1/17/2008	1/17/2008	House Committee on Agriculture	Provides an income tax credit for the amount expended to purchase biomass fuel.	
HB 5627	Acciavatti (R-New Baltimore)	1/17/2008	1/17/2008	House Committee on Tax Policy	Repeals the Michigan Business Tax surcharge and revises the credits.	
HB 5632	Calley (R-Portland)	1/17/2008	2/14/2008	Passed House; Senate Committee on Senior Citizens and Veterans Affairs	Allows unpaid leave for immediate family members of military personnel being deployed.	
HB 5634	Emmons (R-Sheridan)	1/17/2008	3/19/2008	Re-Referred to House Committee on Intergovernmental, Urban and Regional Affairs	Revises the issuance of qualified refunding obligations for downtown development authorities.	
HB 5638	Coulouris (D-Saginaw)	1/17/2008	1/29/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Revises the length of term for members of the Michigan strategic fund.	
HB 5653	Marleau (R-Lake Orion)	1/22/2008	1/22/2008	House Committee on Tax Policy	Exempts home heating fuels from the sales tax.	
HB 5661	Mayes (D-Bay City)	1/22/2008	1/22/2008	House Committee on Agriculture	Creates exception for fiscal year 2008 for the ethanol rate differential program.	
HB 5662	Nitz (R-Baroda)	1/22/2008	1/22/2008	House Committee on Agriculture	Creates exception for fiscal year 2008 for the biodiesel rate differential program.	

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HB 5672	Knollenberg (R-Troy)	1/30/2008	1/30/2008	House Committee on Labor	Modifies minimum wage eligibility for certain domestic service employment.	
HB 5676	Sheltrown (D-West Branch)	1/31/2008	1/31/2008	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Eliminates sunset date for abatement for a power plant under the industrial facilities tax.	
HB 5684	Espinoza (D-Croswell)	2/6/2008	2/6/2008	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Revises eligibility date to opt into METRO funds.	
HB 5698	Sheltrown (D-West Branch)	2/12/2008	2/12/2008	House Committee on Tourism, Outdoor Recreation and Natural Resources	Provides an income tax credit for donation or sale of land to the state or private conservation organizations.	
HB 5737	Bieda (D-Warren)	2/14/2008	2/14/2008	House Committee on Tax Policy	Excludes foreign dividends and royalties from the gross receipts tax base.	
HB 5745	Hansen (R-Hart)	2/14/2008	2/14/2008	House Committee on Agriculture	Creates publication regarding procedures and requirements for establishment of renewable fuel plants.	
HB 5746	Accavitti (D-Eastpointe)	2/14/2008	5/8/2008	Reported out of House Committee on Agriculture with sub H-3	Provides a designation of certain renewable energy zones for facilities that use cellulosic materials.	
HB 5747	Lahti (D-Hancock)	2/14/2008	2/14/2008	House Committee on Agriculture	Expands highway sign usage to include alternative fuels.	
HB 5748	Walker (R-Traverse City)	2/14/2008	5/27/2008	Re-Referred to House Committee on Oversight and Investigations	Provides a deadline for promulgation of standards for B20 biodiesel.	
HB 5749	Leland (D-Detroit)	2/14/2008	2/14/2008	House Committee on Agriculture	Allows relinquishment of open space easements if land is to be used for crops for energy production.	
HB 5750	Law, K. (D. Gibraltar)	2/14/2008	5/15/2008	Reported out of House Committee on Agriculture with sub H-1	Creates an alternative fuels fund.	
HB 5751	Miller (D-Mount Clemens)	2/14/2008	2/14/2008	House Committee on Agriculture	Creates a specialty plate for alternative fuel and earmarks into alternative fuels fund.	
HB 5752	Clemente (D-Lincoln Park)	2/14/2008	5/8/2008	Reported out of House Committee on Agriculture	Identifies and markets location of renewable fuel plants.	
HB 5753	Byrnes (D-Chelsea)	2/14/2008	2/14/2008	House Committee on Agriculture	Allows those service stations that do not offer alternative fuels to franchised retail gasoline distributors to buy those fuels from other distributors and refiners.	

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HB 5768	Young (D-Detroit)	2/19/2008	2/19/2008	House Committee on Intergovernmental, Urban and Regional Affairs	Allows municipalities and financial institutions working together to grant loans to private property owners to rehabilitate blighted property.	
HB 5883	Accavitti (D-Eastpointe)	3/12/2008	3/12/2008	House Committee on Transportation	Enacts sentencing guidelines for crime of failing to exercise due care and caution while approaching and passing solid waste collection vehicle, utility service vehicle or road maintenance vehicle.	
HB 5895	Clemente (D-Lincoln Park)	3/13/2008	4/15/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Expands property tax abatements under plant rehabilitation act to include distribution centers, research and development centers, and headquarter facilities.	
HB 5896	Clemente (D-Lincoln Park)	3/13/2008	4/15/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Exempts new personal property of certain taxpayers from property tax.	
HB 5898	Moolenaar (R-Midland)	3/18/2008	4/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Provides a business tax credit for research, development and manufacturing of photovoltaic energy.	
HB 5899	Mayes (D-Bay City)	3/18/2008	3/18/2008	House Committee on Tax Policy	Exempts photovoltaic energy technology business from personal property tax.	
HB 5937	Mayes (D-Bay City)	4/8/2008	4/8/2008	House Committee on Tax Policy	Excludes sales tax from Michigan Business Tax gross receipts definition.	
HB 5938	Sheltrown (D-West Branch)	4/8/2008	5/7/2008	Reported out of House Committee on Tax Policy	Clarifies the definition of tax rate under next energy credit in the Michigan Business Tax.	
HB 5939	Jones, Robert (D-Kalamazoo)	4/8/2008	5/15/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Allows use of historic credit carryforwards to offset recaptured credits under the Michigan Business Tax.	
HB 5940	Angerer (D-Dundee)	4/8/2008	5/15/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Clarifies the calculation of tax for first tax year under the Michigan Business Tax.	
HB 5941	Young (D-Detroit)	4/8/2008	5/15/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Finance	Clarifies definition of tax year under Michigan Business Tax.	
HB 5953	Gonzales (D-Flint)	4/8/2008	4/8/2008	House Committee on Judiciary	Expands definition of racketeering to include identity theft and computer crimes.	

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HB 5954	Spade (D-Tipton)	4/8/2008	4/8/2008	House Committee on Judiciary	Provides for forfeiture of assets in crimes involving identity theft.	
HB 5955	Calley (R-Portland)	4/8/2008	4/8/2008	House Committee on Tax Policy	Exempts certain improvements associated with renewable energy generation from property tax.	
HB 5972	Coulouris (D-Saginaw)	4/10/2008	4/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Provides a business tax credit for certain companies based on consumption of energy.	
HB 5973	Mayes (D-Bay City)	4/10/2008	4/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Provides a business tax credit for 2012 through 2015 tax years for certain companies based on consumption of electricity.	
HB 5974	Brown, T. (R-Pigeon)	4/10/2008	4/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Provides a business tax credit from 2016 through 2021 tax years for certain companies based on consumption of electricity.	
HB 5975	Ball (R-Bennington Twp.)	4/10/2008	4/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Provides a business tax credit for the 2022 tax year for certain companies based on consumption of electricity.	
HB 5976	Horn (R-Frankenmuth)	4/10/2008	4/22/2008	Passed House, I.E.; Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Provides a business tax credit for the 2023 tax year for certain companies based on consumption of electricity.	
HB 5979	Simpson (D-Jackson)	4/10/2008	4/10/2008	House Committee on Tax Policy	Increases capital investment credit and pedestrian safety credit and modifies the effective date.	
HB 6006	Calley (R-Portland)	4/23/2008	4/23/2008	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Creates an income tax credit for the purchase and installation of certain residential renewable energy systems.	
HB 6009	Opsommer (R-Dewitt)	4/23/2008	4/23/2008	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Requires state buildings to be LEED certified, a certain percentage of energy requirements to be filled through net metering and a certain percentage of the state car fleet to be alternative energy vehicles.	
HB 6010	Sak (D-Grand Rapids)	4/23/2008	4/23/2008	House Committee on Tax Policy	Excludes amounts received and remitted to the state under the tobacco products tax act from the definition of gross receipts under the Michigan Business Tax.	
HB 6031	Bieda (D-Warren)	5/1/2008	5/14/2008	Reported out of House Committee on Tax Policy with sub H-2	Clarifies materials and supplies under purchases from other firms under the Michigan Business Tax.	

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HR 251	Mayes (D-Bay City)	1/22/2008	1/22/2008	Passed House	Recognizes the importance of pollinators to ecosystem health and agriculture in the state and the value of partnership efforts to increase awareness about pollinators and support for protecting and sustaining pollinators by designating June 22-28, 2008 as Michigan Pollinator Week.	
HR 259	McDowell (D-Rudyard)	1/30/2008	1/30/2008	House Committee on Energy and Technology	Urges the United States Congress to renew for an extended period the federal Production Tax Credit to promote wind and renewable energy.	
SB 7	Brater (D-Ann Arbor)	1/10/2007	1/10/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy	Establishes an appliance and equipment energy efficiency standards.	
SB 24	Thomas (D-Detroit)	1/24/2007	1/24/2007	Senate Committee on Appropriations	Creates MI-Retirement Plan for small business employees.	
SB 64	Hunter (D-Detroit)	1/24/2007	1/24/2007	Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Provides state economic development fiscal accountability act requiring reports to Legislature of benefits of tax abatements, credits or exemptions authorized by Michigan Economic Development Corporation.	
SB 86	Basham (D-Taylor)	1/25/2007	1/25/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Extends time to receive unemployment compensation.	
SB 87	Basham (D-Taylor)	1/25/2007	1/25/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Provides for imposition and collection of a fee from employers based on amount paid for health care relative to total paid for wages; deposits revenue in Fair Share Health Care Fund to pay for Medicaid costs.	
SB 94	Cassis (R-Novi)	1/25/2007	7/12/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 36, I.E. of 2007	Creates state gross receipts tax on businesses.	
SB 95	Cassis (R-Novi)	1/25/2007	5/3/2007	Passed Senate; House Committee on Tax Policy	Creates an income tax on businesses.	
SB 96	Cassis (R-Novi)	1/25/2007	5/3/2007	Passed Senate; House Committee on Tax Policy	Eliminates personal property tax for industrial personal property.	
SB 136	Brown, C. (R-Sturgis)	1/31/2007	1/31/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy	Creates Hydrogen Highway.	
SB 148	Brown, C. (R-Sturgis)	1/31/2007	1/31/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Provides income tax credit for purchase of alternative energy vehicles.	
SB 151	Gilbert (R-Algonac)	2/1/2007	2/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Enacts new business tax for the state.	
SB 154	Gleason (D-Flushing)	2/1/2007	2/1/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Increase dependent supplement under unemployment benefits.	

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SB 164	Clark-Coleman (D-Detroit)	2/6/2007	2/6/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy	Revises discount rate by utilities for senior citizens so it does not penalize users when using more than discount threshold.	
SB 192	Barcia (D-Bay City)	2/13/2007	4/24/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 106, I.E. of 2008	Provides job security for returning military personnel and provides remedies for non-compliance.	
SB 198	Basham (D-Taylor)	2/14/2007	2/14/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Revises minimum salary for exclusion from overtime requirement as an executive, administrator or professional	
SB 207	Allen (R-Traverse City)	2/20/2007	9/18/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 62, I.E. of 2007	Clarifies and revises the retained jobs threshold under definition of high technology activity un the Michigan Economic Growth Authority.	
SB 208	Allen (R-Traverse City)	2/20/2007	2/20/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Revises population threshold for brownfield development authority.	
SB 213	Birkholz (R-Saugatuck)	2/20/2007	2/20/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy	Requires electric utilities to comply with portfolio standards for renewable energy.	
SB 216	Patterson (R-Canton)	2/20/2007	2/20/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy	Provides for annual approval of a low income energy efficiency factor.	
SB 218	Basham (D-Taylor)	2/20/2007	3/19/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Commerce	Allows for exception to eligibility requirements to obtain industrial facilities exemption certificate.	
SB 219	Kahn (R-Saginaw)	2/20/2007	2/20/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy	Requires electric utilities to produce a certain portion of electricity through renewable sources.	
SB 268	Barcia (D-Bay City)	2/22/2007	2/22/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Establishes neighborhood improvement districts; authorizes collection of revenues.	
SB 306	Prusi (D-Ishpeming)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Creates a new Michigan Business Tax.	
SB 307	Brater (D-Ann Arbor)	3/1/2007	3/20/2007	Senate Third Reading	Sales tax on services and admission transactions.	
SB 308	Prusi (D-Ishpeming)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Provides for exemption of certain personal property from school operating mills.	
SB 309	Cherry (D-Burton)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Exempts certain industrial and commercial personal property from state education tax.	
SB 310	Anderson (D-Westland)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Revises calculation of plant rehabilitation tax levies.	

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SB 311	Brater (D-Ann Arbor)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Exempts certain commercial and industrial personal property from some taxes.	
SB 312	Jacobs (D-Huntington Woods)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Creates a tax on commercial rental property.	
SB 313	Jacobs (D-Huntington Woods)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Revises definition of commercial rental property additions and losses and eliminates certain exemptions.	
SB 314	Cherry (D-Burton)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Modifies tie between federal and state estate taxes.	
SB 315	Gleason (D-Flushing)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Eliminates exemption for sale of rolling stock purchased by an interstate fleet motor carrier.	
SB 316	Schauer (D-Battle Creek)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Eliminates exemption for sale of personal property to inmates in penal or correctional institutions.	
SB 317	Jacobs (D-Huntington Woods)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Eliminates sales tax exemption from sales of food in vending machines.	
SB 318	Anderson (D-Westland)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Provides for a sales tax on the difference between trade-in vehicle and new vehicle.	
SB 319	Gleason (D-Flushing)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Eliminates exemption on taxes on rolling stock used by an interstate fleet motor carrier.	
SB 320	Jacobs (D-Huntington Woods)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Eliminates use tax exemption on sales of vending machine food.	
SB 321	Thomas (D-Detroit)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Eliminates certain use tax exemptions.	
SB 322	Gleason (D-Flushing)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Includes interstate trucks and trailers in streamlined sales tax agreement.	
SB 323	Schauer (D-Battle Creek)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Removes exemption for water conditioning systems and bottled water coolers from personal property tax.	
SB 324	Prusi (D-Ishpeming)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Modifies tax penalties.	
SB 325	Switalski (D-Roseville)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Modifies nexus standards for taxation.	

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SB 326	Clark-Coleman (D-Detroit)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Adding expenses incurred in the production of income to the tax base.	
SB 327	Clark-Coleman (D-Detroit)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Adds expenses incurred in the production of income to taxable income.	
SB 328	Basham (D-Taylor)	3/1/2007	10/3/2007	Re-Referred to Senate Committee on Finance	Increases tobacco tax.	
SB 329	Patterson (R-Canton)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	Senate Committee on Health Policy	Provides that coverage for mental health cannot be more restrictive than for medical treatment.	
SB 330	Patterson (R-Canton)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	Senate Committee on Health Policy	Provides that coverage for mental health treatment cannot be more restrictive than coverage for medical treatment.	
SB 331	Switalski (D-Roseville)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Allows names of major delinquent taxpayers to be published.	
SB 332	Jacobs (D-Huntington Woods)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	Senate Committee on Health Policy	Provides that coverage for mental health treatment and substance abuse treatment cannot be more restrictive than coverage for medical treatment.	
SB 333	Whitmer (D-East Lansing)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	Senate Committee on Health Policy	Provides that coverage for mental health treatment and substance abuse treatment cannot be more restrictive than coverage for medical treatment.	
SB 334	Whitmer (D-East Lansing)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	Senate Committee on Health Policy	Provides that coverage for mental health treatment cannot be more restrictive than coverage for medical treatment.	
SB 335	Clarke (D-Detroit)	3/1/2007	3/1/2007	Senate Committee on Health Policy	Provides that coverage for mental health treatment cannot be more restrictive than coverage for medical treatment.	
SB 340	Brown, C. (R-Sturgis)	3/6/2007	5/23/2007	Passed Senate; House Committee on Banking and Financial Services	Provides security freeze on credit reports.	
SB 345	Cropsey (R-Dewitt)	3/14/2007	12/11/2007	Passed Senate; Re- Referred to House Committee on Commerce	Modifies plant rehabilitation eligibility requirements.	
SB 385	Barcia (D-Bay City)	3/29/2007	3/29/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Requires electric utilities to comply with a portfolio standard for renewable energy.	
SB 400	Allen (R-Traverse City)	4/18/2007	6/4/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 12, I.E. of 2007	Economic development; plant rehabilitation; definition of industrial property; modify.	

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SB 417	Brater (D-Ann Arbor)	4/19/2007	4/19/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Amends Civil Rights Act to require equal compensation for comparable work;	
SB 457	Jacobs (D-Huntington Woods)	4/26/2007	4/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Prohibits termination of employee based on conduct occurring during nonworking hours.	
SB 458	Whitmer (D-East Lansing)	4/26/2007	4/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Bans employee discrimination based on physical attributes or fitness.	
SB 459	Anderson (D-Westland)	4/26/2007	4/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Prohibits employment decisions based on the health or illness of an employee's family member.	
SB 460	Basham (D-Taylor)	4/26/2007	4/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Prohibits employment decisions based on the employee's membership in an organization or advocacy group.	
SB 461	Scott, M. (D-Highland Park)	4/26/2007	4/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Prohibits employers from reviewing, requesting, or using employee credit history.	
SB 462	Cherry (D-Burton)	4/26/2007	4/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Prohibits employment discrimination based on family status of worker.	
SB 463	Prusi (D-Ishpeming)	4/26/2007	4/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Prohibits employment discrimination based on employee's drinking, smoking or dietary practices.	
SB 464	Clarke (D-Detroit)	4/26/2007	4/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Prohibits employment discrimination based on employee political activity occurring during nonworking hours.	
SB 465	Barcia (D-Bay City)	4/26/2007	4/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Prohibits employment discrimination based on employee ownership of guns or firearm license unrelated to work	
SB 478	Jansen (R-Gaines Township)	5/3/2007	5/3/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Creates Michigan Business Activities Tax to replace Single Business Tax.	
SB 479	Kahn (R-Saginaw)	5/8/2007	6/7/2007	Passed Senate; House Committee on Transportation	Requires due diligence and caution when passing a trash vehicle, a road maintenance vehicle or utility service vehicle.	
SB 480	Kahn (R-Saginaw)	5/8/2007	6/7/2007	Passed Senate; House Committee on Transportation	Provides sentencing guidelines for violating requirements to use due care and caution when passing a trash vehicle, a road maintenance vehicle or utility service vehicle.	
SB 492	Sanborn (R-Richmond)	5/9/2007	6/6/2007	Passed Senate; House Committee on Transportation	Provides for limitation on posted bond of certain weight violations.	

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SB 528	Garcia (R-Howell)	5/23/2007	5/23/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Revises to five years the depreciation schedule on personal property.	
SB 533	Allen (R-Traverse City)	5/24/2007	5/24/2007	Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Revises membership on brownfield redevelopment boards.	
SB 534	Richardville (R-Frenchtown Township)	5/24/2007	12/27/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 204, I.E. of 2007	Modifies requirements for projects under brownfield redevelopment authority.	
SB 535	Jacobs (D-Huntington Woods)	5/24/2007	5/24/2007	Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Modifies requirements for projects under brownfield redevelopment authority.	
SB 536	Thomas (D-Detroit)	5/24/2007	5/24/2007	Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Modifies requirements for projects under brownfield redevelopment authority.	
SB 537	Hunter (D-Detroit)	5/24/2007	5/24/2007	Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Provides amendments to brownfield redevelopment authority	
SB 538	Gilbert (R-Algonac)	5/24/2007	5/24/2007	Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Provides amendments to brownfield redevelopment authority.	
SB 539	Sanborn (R-Richmond)	5/24/2007	12/27/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 203, I.E. of 2007	amendments to brownfield redevelopment authority.	
SB 579	Barcia (D-Bay City)	6/12/2007	6/12/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Provides for employee leave time if immediate family member is killed in activity military duty	
SB 585	Patterson (R-Canton)	6/12/2007	6/12/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Clarifies oversight of proposed mergers, sales or acquisitions of public utilities.	
SB 594	Stamas (R-Midland)	6/19/2007	6/19/2007	Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Revises maximum number of hours a minor may work.	
SB 597	Basham (D-Taylor)	6/20/2007	6/20/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Revises state uniform energy code.	

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SB 607	Cassis (R-Nov)	6/26/2007	6/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Creates Michigan as Right to Work State.	
SB 608	Cassis (R-Nov)	6/26/2007	6/26/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Disallows collection of service fee from non-represented public workers.	
SB 634	Cassis (R-Nov)	7/17/2007	7/17/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Modifies prevailing wage law.	
SB 644	Switalski (D-Roseville)	7/25/2007	7/25/2007	Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Expands definition of core community in Obsolete Property Rehabilitation Act to include Sterling Heights.	
SB 693	Kuipers (R-Holland)	8/30/2007	8/30/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Allows expansion of existing renaissance zones.	
SB 698	Garcia (R-Howell)	8/30/2007	8/30/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Clarifies installation requirements of international transmission company utility lines.	
SB 707	Basham (D-Taylor)	9/4/2007	9/4/2007	Senate Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs	Provides for carbon dioxide capture and sequestration.	
SB 708	Basham (D-Taylor)	9/4/2007	9/4/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Exempts carbon dioxide capture equipment from property tax.	
SB 779	Kahn (R-Saginaw)	9/17/2007	9/18/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Provides financial incentives for integrated gasification combined cycle plants.	
SB 787	Patterson (R-Canton)	9/19/2007	9/19/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Makes general amendments to the Public Service Commission on electric service.	
SB 797	Hunter (D-Detroit)	9/20/2007	9/20/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Permits utility construction of a power plant.	
SB 801	Basham (D-Taylor)	9/23/2007	9/23/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Provides tax incentives for carbon dioxide sequestration.	
SB 816	McManus (R-Lake Leelanau)	9/26/2007	4/15/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Commerce	Repeals provision referencing an annual audit of local economic development authority whose district includes eligible property.	

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SB 824	Brown, C. (R-Sturgis)	10/10/2007	10/10/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Repeals the services tax.	
SB 838	Cassis (R-Nov)	10/18/2007	11/7/2007	Passed Senate; House Committee on Tax Policy	Repeals new tax on services.	
SB 843	Sanborn (R-Richmond)	10/24/2007	2/20/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Labor	Prohibits the state promulgating rules regarding workplace ergonomics.	
SB 845	Brown, C. (R-Sturgis)	10/25/2007	12/11/2007	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 148, I.E. of 2007	Sets declining rate on tax assessed on services.	
SB 867	Brown, C. (R-Sturgis)	11/1/2007	5/21/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life	Extends sunset on applications for plant rehabilitation on industrial property.	
SB 870	Whitmer (D-East Lansing)	11/1/2007	11/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Revises business tax credit for small business.	
SB 871	Prusi (D-Ishpeming)	11/1/2007	11/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Revise refunds based on business tax revenue.	
SB 872	Prusi (D-Ishpeming)	11/1/2007	11/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Revises application of tax to certain services.	
SB 873	Scott, M. (D-Highland Park)	11/1/2007	11/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Revises tax rate levied on insurance companies.	
SB 874	Brater (D-Ann Arbor)	11/1/2007	11/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Revises and modifies repeal date of business income tax base and rate.	
SB 875	Brater (D-Ann Arbor)	11/1/2007	11/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Revises modified gross receipts tax base.	
SB 876	Gleason (D-Flushing)	11/1/2007	11/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Revises and repeals certain use tax exemptions.	
SB 877	Jacobs (D-Huntington Woods)	11/1/2007	11/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Revises tax rate levied on financial institutions.	
SB 878	Jacobs (D-Huntington Woods)	11/1/2007	11/1/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Revises tax exemption for certain industrial personal property.	

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SB 947	Patterson (R-Canton)	12/5/2007	12/5/2007	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Provides for 21st Century Energy Plan.	
SB 948	Hunter (D-Detroit)	12/5/2007	4/2/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 57, I.E. of 2008	Allows housing development authority to offer refinancing.	
SB 949	Anderson (D-Westland)	12/5/2007	12/5/2007	Senate Committee on Banking and Financial Institutions	Allows housing development authority to offer refinancing.	
SB 950	Clarke (D-Detroit)	12/5/2007	4/2/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 55, I.E. of 2008	Establishes a housing development authority recapture fund.	
SB 951	Thomas (D-Detroit)	12/5/2007	4/2/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 54, I.E. of 2008	Allows refinancing of single family houses by housing development authority.	
SB 952	Olshove (D-Warren)	12/5/2007	12/5/2007	Senate Committee on Banking and Financial Institutions	Extends issuance date on limitation of aggregate principal amounts on housing development authority notes and bonds.	
SB 967	Cassis (R-Novoi)	12/6/2007	1/17/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Tax Policy	Provides business tax credit for costs to comply with implementation of repealed service tax.	
SB 970	Allen (R-Traverse City)	12/6/2007	3/19/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Commerce	Allows downtown development authorities to establish and fund retail business incubators.	
SB 971	Clarke (D-Detroit)	12/6/2007	12/6/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Creates retail redevelopment renaissance zones.	
SB 972	Hunter (D-Detroit)	12/6/2007	3/19/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Commerce	Allows downtown development authorities to provide low-interest loans; clarifies eligibility for loans.	
SB 973	Brown, C. (R-Sturgis)	12/6/2007	12/6/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Provides business tax credit for historic preservation.	
SB 974	Richardville (R-Frenchtown Township)	12/6/2007	12/6/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Reauthorizes commercial redevelopment act for local governmental units.	
SB 975	Kahn (R-Saginaw)	12/6/2007	5/21/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Commerce	Modifies number of parcels allowed in a neighborhood enterprise zone.	

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SB 976	Gilbert (R-Algonac)	12/6/2007	5/21/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Commerce	Expands definition of a facility in a neighborhood enterprise zone to include rental property.	
SB 980	Pappageorge (R-Troy)	12/6/2007	12/6/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Revises tax exemption for new personal property.	
SB 984	Anderson (D-Westland)	12/11/2007	12/11/2007	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Requires store to print return policies on receipts.	
SB 1000	Birkholz (R-Saugatuck)	12/12/2007	4/8/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Energy and Technology	Requires that state purchase 25 percent of its energy from renewable resources by 2025.	
SB 1005	Jansen (R-Gaines Township)	12/13/2007	12/13/2007	Senate Committee on Finance	Excludes treasury transactions in definition of gross receipts under Michigan Business Tax and revises certain credits.	
SB 1009	Cassis (R-Novı)	1/9/2008	2/6/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Tax Policy	Provides for exemption of foreign persons from the business tax under certain circumstances.	
SB 1011	Gilbert (R-Algonac)	1/9/2008	1/9/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Revises definition of purchases from other firms to include other services.	
SB 1012	Gilbert (R-Algonac)	1/9/2008	1/9/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Excludes sales tax from the definition of gross receipts.	
SB 1014	Cassis (R-Novı)	1/16/2008	1/16/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Excludes certain individuals from the definition of a unitary business group under the Michigan Business Tax.	
SB 1015	Cassis (R-Novı)	1/16/2008	1/16/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Permits release of some tax information to the legislative chairs of the taxation committees.	
SB 1018	Schauer (D-Battle Creek)	1/16/2008	1/16/2008	Senate Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform	Provides for additional certified technology parks in the state.	
SB 1019	Stamas (R-Midland)	1/17/2008	1/17/2008	Senate Committee on Commerce and Tourism	Modifies definition of facilities to include certain existing facilities.	
SB 1020	Hunter (D-Detroit)	1/22/2008	1/22/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Allows for credits to individual or family development accounts.	
SB 1038	Cassis (R-Novı)	1/22/2008	2/14/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Tax Policy	Makes technical amendments to definition of gross receipts in Michigan Business Tax.	
SB 1053	Richardville (R-Frenchtown Township)	1/23/2008	2/14/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Tax Policy	Allows for a certain person to be included in the combined filing for a unity business group.	

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SB 1054	Pappageorge (R-Troy)	1/23/2008	2/14/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Tax Policy	Clarifies definition of business activity and business income for partnerships and excludes income not related to a trade or business.	
SB 1055	McManus (R-Lake Leelanau)	1/23/2008	1/23/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Excludes receipts from investment and trading activities from sales apportionment factor.	
SB 1058	Kahn (R-Saginaw)	1/24/2008	2/14/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Tax Policy	Provides for relief during transition period for penalties associated with the payment of estimated taxes.	
SB 1065	Cassis (R-Novı)	1/29/2008	4/8/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Commerce	Increases homestead property tax credits.	
SB 1073	Whitmer (D-East Lansing)	1/31/2008	1/31/2008	Senate Committee on Transportation	Creates exception for biodiesel and ethanol fuels from fuel taxes.	
SB 1074	Whitmer (D-East Lansing)	1/31/2008	1/31/2008	Senate Committee on Transportation	Creates exception for fiscal 2008 on fuel tax for biodiesel rate differential program.	
SB 1076	Cropsey (R-Dewitt)	1/31/2008	3/13/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 35, I.E. of 2008	Revise issuance of qualified refunding obligations for downtown development authorities.	
SB 1115	Allen (R- Traverse City)	2/14/2008	4/15/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 92, I.E. of 2008	Provides Michigan Business Tax credit as determined by Michigan Economic Growth Authority for anchor companies.	
SB 1119	Cropsey (R-Dewitt)	2/19/2008	5/20/2008	Reported out of Senate Committee on Agriculture	Provides for property tax incentive for use of certain agricultural equipment capable of harvesting grain and biomass.	
SB 1120	Gilbert (R-Algonac)	2/19/2008	5/20/2008	Reported out of Senate Committee on Agriculture	Provides use tax incentive for use of certain agricultural equipment capable of harvesting grain and biomass.	
SB 1121	Birkholz (R-Saugatuck)	2/19/2008	5/20/2008	Reported out of Senate Committee on Agriculture	Provides sales tax incentive for use of certain agricultural equipment capable of harvesting grain and biomass.	
SB 1122	Patterson (R-Canton)	2/19/2008	5/6/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Agriculture	Creates alternative energy renaissance zones.	
SB 1123	VanWoerkom (R-Norton Shores)	2/19/2008	5/22/2008	Reported out of Senate Committee on Agriculture with sub S-1	Provides deadline for promulgation of standards for B20 biodiesel.	
SB 1124	Switalski (D-Roseville)	2/19/2008	2/19/2008	Senate Committee on Agriculture	Expands highway signs to include reference to sources of alternative fuels.	

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SB 1125	Patterson (R-Canton)	2/19/2008	2/19/2008	Senate Committee on Agriculture	Provides income tax incentive for purchase of an alternative fuel vehicle.	
SB 1126	Kahn (R-Saginaw)	2/19/2008	4/17/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Agriculture	Enhances inventory of Michigan Economic Development Corporation inventory of renewable fuel plants.	
SB 1127	Gleason (D-Flushing)	2/19/2008	5/22/2008	Reported out of Senate Committee on Agriculture	Allows relinquishment of open space easements under Farmland and Open Space Act if land is to be used for crops for energy production.	
SB 1128	Richardville (R-Frenchtown Township)	2/19/2008	4/17/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Agriculture	Creates publication regarding procedures and requirements for establishment of renewable fuel plants.	
SB 1129	Birkholz (R-Saugatuck)	2/19/2008	4/17/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Agriculture	Provides specialty license plate for alternative fuels with revenue deposited to alternative fuels fund.	
SB 1130	Brown, C. (R-Sturgis)	2/19/2008	4/17/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Agriculture	Creates alternative fuels fund.	
SB 1131	Olshove (D-Warren)	2/19/2008	2/19/2008	Senate Committee on Agriculture	Allows service stations to buy alternative fuels from other distributors and refiners when supplier does not offer them to franchised stations.	
SB 1132	Jelinek (R-Three Oaks)	2/19/2008	4/17/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Agriculture	Extends renewable fuels commission and expands powers.	
SB 1164	Kahn (R-Saginaw)	3/4/2008	3/4/2008	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities.	Creates a clean energy authority.	
SB 1165	Barcia (D-Bay City)	3/4/2008	3/4/2008	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Allows certain recovery on integrated gasification combined cycle plant.	
SB 1166	Kuipers (R-Holland)	3/4/2008	3/4/2008	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Provides business tax credit for reduction in carbon dioxide emissions.	
SB 1184	McManus (R-Lake Leelanau)	3/5/2008	3/5/2008	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Requires Department of Natural Resources to provide information regarding oil and gas contracts to Green Energy Authority.	
SB 1187	Stamas (R-Midland)	3/5/2008	4/24/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 108, I.E. of 2008	Revises eligibility criteria for Michigan Economic Growth Authority.	

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SB 1188	Gilbert (R-Algonac)	3/5/2008	4/24/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 109, I.E. of 2008	Provides Michigan Business Tax credit for bidding on federal procurement contracts.	
SB 1189	Clark-Coleman (D-Detroit)	3/5/2008	4/24/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 110, I.E. of 2008	Revises eligibility criteria for Michigan Economic Growth Authority.	
SB 1190	Hunter (D-Detroit)	3/5/2008	4/24/2008	Approved by Governor, Public Act No. 111, I.E. of 2008	Provides for revisions to Michigan Economic Growth Authority credit under Michigan Business Tax.	
SB 1191	Prusi (D-Ishpeming)	3/6/2008	3/19/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Judiciary	Modifies sentencing guidelines for crime of obtaining personal information by false pretenses.	
SB 1207	Cassis (R-Novı)	3/12/2008	3/12/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Excludes from Michigan Business Tax definitions purchases of services from other firms.	
SB 1213	Kahn (R-Saginaw)	3/18/2008	3/18/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Provides Michigan Business Tax credit for research, development and manufacturing of photovoltaic energy.	
SB 1214	Barcia (D-Bay City)	3/18/2008	3/18/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Provides personal property tax exemption for photovoltaic energy technology business.	
SB 1217	Cassis (R-Novı)	3/18/2008	4/22/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Tax Policy	Includes certain direct material costs in business tax provisions for purchases from other firms.	
SB 1228	Patterson (R-Canton)	3/20/2008	5/21/2008	Reported out of Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Creates energy efficiency program for the state.	
SB 1230	Gilbert (R-Algonac)	3/20/2008	3/20/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Allows reduction of business tax rate.	
SB 1242	Jansen (R-Gaines Township)	3/27/2008	3/27/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Provides for three-year phase-out of Michigan Business Tax surcharge.	
SB 1246	Patterson (R-Canton)	3/27/2008	3/27/2008	Senate Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities	Allows net metering for electric service and increases limit to 550 kilowatts.	
SB 1264	Richardville (R-Frenchtown Township)	4/17/2008	4/17/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Increases credit for capital expenditures.	

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SB 1265	Switalski (D-Roseville)	4/17/2008	4/24/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for tax credit for certain companies based on consumption of energy.	
SB 1266	Gleason (D-Flushing)	4/17/2008	4/24/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for business tax credit for 2012-2015 for consumption of electricity.	
SB 1267	Stamas (R-Midland)	4/17/2008	4/24/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides tax credit for 2016-2021 for certain companies based on electricity consumption.	
SB 1268	Barcia (D-Bay City)	4/17/2008	4/24/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides tax credit in 2022 for certain companies for electricity consumption.	
SB 1269	Allen (R-Traverse City)	4/17/2008	4/24/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Energy and Technology	Provides for tax credit in 2023 for certain companies based on consumption of electricity.	
SB 1270	Kahn (R-Saginaw)	4/17/2008	4/24/2008	Passed Senate; House Committee on Energy and Technology	Clarifies eligibility for certain tax credits under the Michigan Economic Growth Authority.	
SB 1315	Gilbert (R-Algonac)	5/15/2008	5/15/2008	Senate Committee on Finance	Excludes deposits required by law from definition of gross receipts in Michigan Business Tax.	
SCR 4	Patterson (R-Canton)	2/15/2007	3/6/2007	Passed Senate; House Committee on Energy and Technology	Urges Congress to increase funding, instead of cutting, for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program.	
SJR E	Pappageorge (R-Troy)	6/27/2007	8/1/2007	Senate Committee on Appropriations	Limits executive budget proposals and appropriations approved by the Legislature to no more than 96 percent of amount determined in January revenue estimating conference.	
SR 10	Patterson (R-Canton)	2/15/2007	3/6/2007	Passed Senate	Urges Congress to increase funding, instead of cutting, for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program.	