

**LPC010716****III. Items for Consideration**

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**LPC010716****Posted Calendars and Committee Hearings**

No hearings, calendars, or amendments posted.

**(No Category Assigned)****Bill Summaries****H2001: UNLAWFUL DISTRIBUTION OF PRIVATE IMAGES**

It is a class 5 (second lowest) felony to intentionally "disclose" (defined) an "image" (defined as a photograph, videotape, film or digital recording) of another person who is identifiable from the image itself or from information displayed in connection with the image if the person in the image is depicted in a state of nudity or is engaged in specific sexual activities, the depicted person has a reasonable expectation of privacy, and the image is disclosed with intent to harm, harass, intimidate, threaten or coerce the depicted person. If the image is "disclosed by electronic means" (defined), the classification is increased to a class 4 (mid-level) felony. Does not apply to any disclosure that is made with the consent of the person who is depicted in the image. A person who threatens to disclose but who does not disclose an image that if disclosed would be a violation of these provisions is guilty of a class 1 (highest) misdemeanor. It is no longer a class 5 (second lowest) felony to disclose an image of another person in a state of nudity or engaged in specific sexual activities without that person's consent if the person is not recognizable. A prosecution commenced before the effective date that charges a violation of this statute may only proceed if the alleged conduct constitutes prohibited conduct under these changes. Emergency clause.

First sponsor: Rep. Mesnard

**H2001 Daily History Date Action**

No actions posted for this bill.

**H2004: COURT DISPOSITIONS; SEARCHABLE PUBLIC RECORDS**

If a court maintains case information for a publicly accessible and searchable case record database, the court is required to prominently post a clear and concise disposition for each listed case within 30 days after the final disposition of the case.

First sponsor: Rep. Finchem

Others: Sen. Burges, Rep. Cobb, Rep. Lawrence

**H2004 Daily History Date Action**

No actions posted for this bill.

**H2006: MARIJUANA; REGULATION; TAXATION**

A person who is at least 21 years of age may possess, consume, use, display, purchase or transport one ounce or less of marijuana, may grow up to five marijuana plants and may possess, process or transport the marijuana produced by the plants on the premises where the plants were grown. Some restrictions. It is unlawful to smoke marijuana in a public place. Establishes regulations for marijuana accessories and retail marijuana stores. Establishes an

excise tax on the sale or transfer of marijuana at the rate of \$50 per ounce. Revenues generated by the tax must be used to enforce these regulations, and any remaining monies are distributed as follows: 30 percent to the Department of Education, 20 percent to the Department of Health Services for specified drug programs, and 50 percent to the general fund. The Department of Health Services is required to adopt rules necessary for implementation. Due to a potential increase in state revenue, this bill requires the affirmative vote of at least 2/3 of each house of the Legislature for passage.

First sponsor: Rep. Cardenas

**H2006 Daily History Date Action**

No actions posted for this bill.

**H2007: MARIJUANA; SENTENCE; CIVIL PENALTY; FINES**

Reduces the criminal classification for possession or use of marijuana with a specified weight as follows: less than one ounce is subject to a civil penalty of up to \$100, from a class 6 (lowest) felony; at least one ounce but less than two pounds is reduced to a petty offense, from a class 6 felony; two pounds or more to a class 3 (mid-level) misdemeanor, from either a class 4 or 5 felony. Reduces the criminal classification for importing, transporting for sale or selling marijuana with a specified weight as follows: less than two pounds to a class 3 misdemeanor, from a class 5 (second-lowest) felony; at least two pounds but less than four pounds to a class 6 felony, from a class 4 felony; more than four pounds to a class 5 felony, from a class 3 felony. The court must order a juvenile who is adjudicated delinquent for a first violation of these marijuana related violations to complete at least 10 hours of community restitution in lieu of other penalties. If the community restitution is not complete within one year, the juvenile is subject to all other penalties prescribed by law.

First sponsor: Rep. Cardenas

**H2007 Daily History Date Action**

No actions posted for this bill.

**H2011: PUBLIC SAFETY; VIOLENCE PREVENTION; COMMITTEE**

Establishes a 14-member Public Safety and Violence Prevention Study Committee to research and report on how to promote public safety and curtail violence. The Committee is required to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by December 31, 2016. Self-repeals October 1, 2017.

First sponsor: Rep. Friese

Others: Rep. Finchem, Sen. Sherwood, Rep. Thorpe

**H2011 Daily History Date Action**

No actions posted for this bill.

**S1011: ANIMAL ABUSER REGISTRATION; REGISTRY**

An adult who has been convicted of cruelty to animals or other related offenses must register with the county sheriff within 10 days after the conviction or after entering and remaining in that county. The Department of Public Safety is required to maintain a central animal abuser registry with the names and registration information of every person required to register.

First sponsor: Sen. Sherwood

Others: Sen. Farley

**S1011 Daily History Date Action**

No actions posted for this bill.

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**S1021: PUBLIC SAFETY; VIOLENCE PREVENTION; COMMITTEE**

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Establishes a 14-member Public Safety and Violence Prevention Study Committee to research and report on how to promote public safety and curtail violence. The Committee is required to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by December 31, 2016. Self-repeals October 1, 2017.

First sponsor: Sen. Sherwood

Others: Rep. Finchem, Rep. Friese, Rep. Thorpe

<b>S1021</b>	<b>Daily History</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Action</b>
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No actions posted for this bill.

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**S1022: RACKETEERING; ANIMAL FIGHTING; COCKFIGHTING**

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For the purpose of the criminal code, the definition of "racketeering" is expanded to include animal fighting or cockfighting.

First sponsor: Sen. Farley

Others: Sen. Sherwood

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