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Related Model Bill	State	Bill	No.	Author	Title	Prefiled	Introduced	Disposition	Location	Summary	Status
Economic Impact Statement Act	AL	H	150	Weaver (R)	Administrative Procedure Act	2/3/12	2/7/12	Pending	HOUSE	Relates to the Administrative Procedure Act, adds Sections 41-22-5.1 and 41-22-5.2 to the Code of Alabama 1975, defines small business, requires any agency which proposes a rule which may have an adverse impact on small businesses to prepare and file a small business economic impact statement, requires an agency which proposes a rule which affects a small business to prepare and file a small business regulatory flexibility analysis, provides for judicial review of compliance with these provisions.	02/16/2012 - From HOUSE Committee on COMMERCE AND SMALL BUSINESS: Reported favorably with amendment.
Disposal and Taxation of Public Lands Act	AZ	H	2562	Barton (R)	Public Lands and Conveyance		1/12/12	Pending	House Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Relates to public lands, conveyance and taxation, provides that the United States shall extinguish title to all public lands subject to ad valorem taxation and transfer title to this state, provides that the state shall retain a portion of any net sale proceeds for deposit in the permanent state school fund.	01/18/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.;01/18/2012 - Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.
Disposal and Taxation of Public Lands Act	AZ	HCM	2002	Barton (R)	Federal Lands and Devolution To Arizona		1/12/12	Pending	House Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Relates to federal lands, relates to devolution to Arizona.	01/18/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.;01/18/2012 - Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.
Disposal and Taxation of Public Lands Act	AZ	S	1332	Melvin (R)	Federal Lands Conveyance		1/26/12	Pending	House Judiciary Committee - 03/15/2012 8:00 am	Relates to federal lands, relates to conveyance and taxation.	03/12/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on JUDICIARY.;03/12/2012 - Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.
cap-and-trade repeal	FL	S	648	Hays (R)	Climate Protection Act	10/24/11	1/10/12	Failed	Tabled	Relates to Florida Climate Protection Act, repeals provisions relating to a cap-and-trade regulatory program to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from electric utilities.	03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Read second time.;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Substituted on SENATE floor by H4001;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Laid on table, refer to H4001
cap-and-trade repeal	FL	H	4001	Plakon (R)	Climate Protection Act	6/15/11	1/10/12	To Governor	To Enrollment	Repeals provisions for a cap and trade regulatory program to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from electric utilities.	03/08/2012 - Withdrawn from SENATE Committee on COMMUNICATIONS, ENERGY, AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.;03/08/2012 - Withdrawn from SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL PRESERVATION AND CONSERVATION.;03/08/2012 - Withdrawn from SENATE BUDGET SUBCOMMITTEE on GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS.;03/08/2012 - Withdrawn from SENATE Committee on BUDGET.;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Placed on Calendar.;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Substituted on SENATE floor for S648;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Read second time.;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Read third time.;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Passed SENATE.;03/08/2012 - To enrollment.
Resolution in Opposition to EPA Regulation of GHGs	GA	HR	1367	Geisinger (R)	Legislative Resolution		2/9/12	Pending	House Natural Resources and Environment Committee - 03/14/2012 2:00 pm	Urges Congress to prohibit the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) from further regulating greenhouse gas emissions without a comprehensive economic and environmental study.	02/15/2012 - In HOUSE: Read 2nd time.
Resolution in Opposition to EPA Regulation of GHGs	GA	SR	848	Tolleson (R)	Greenhouse Gas Emissions Regulation		2/9/12	Pending	HOUSE	Urges Congress to prohibit the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) from further regulating greenhouse gas emissions without a comprehensive economic and environmental study.	03/07/2012 - In SENATE. Read third time. Passed SENATE. *****To HOUSE.
Resolution in Support of the Keystone XL Pipeline	IA	SR	103	Behn (R)	Keystone XL Pipeline Project		2/1/12	Pending	Senate Rules and Administration Committee	Provides that in support of the completion of the Keystone XL pipeline project.	02/01/2012 - To SENATE Committee on RULES AND ADMINISTRATION.

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Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act	IL	H	3897	Jakobsson (D)	Oil and Gas Act		12/5/11	Pending	House Rules Committee	Amends the Oil and Gas Act, provides that the Director of Natural Resources shall adopt rules that require, prior to such hydraulic fracturing, the owner or operator to perform a suitable mechanical integrity test of the casing or of the casing-tubing annulus or other mechanical integrity test methods using procedures that are established by administrative rule, provides that each owner or operator that begins extracting natural gas from shale shall report to the Department specified information.	03/09/2012 - Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.
Resolution in Opposition to the EPA Regulatory Train Wreck	IL	SR	434	McCann (R)	Legislative Resolution		11/9/11	Pending	Senate Committee on Assignments Committee	Urges Congress to adopt legislation prohibiting the EPA, by any means necessary, from regulating greenhouse gas emissions, including if necessary defunding the EPA greenhouse gas regulatory activities, to impose a moratorium on the promulgation of any new air quality regulations by the EPA, except to directly address an imminent health or environmental emergency, for a period of at least two years.	11/09/2011 - INTRODUCED.;11/09/2011 - To SENATE Committee on ASSIGNMENTS.
Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act	IN	H	1085	Moses (D)	Environmental Review of Hydraulic Fracturing		1/4/12	Pending	House Natural Resources Committee	Relates to environmental review of hydraulic fracturing, defines hydraulic fracturing, requires the natural resources commission to regulate hydraulic fracturing, requires an operator that performs or intends to perform hydraulic fracturing to submit an environmental compliance plan to the department of natural resources for review and approval, requires an operator to disclose chemical constituents used in hydraulic fracturing, requires the department to publish the information received on its web site.	01/04/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/04/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
State Withdrawal from Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative	MI	HR	134	Nesbitt (R)	Midwestern Greenhouse Gas Reduction Accord		9/27/11	Pending - Carryover	House Energy and Technology Committee	Urges the Governor to expedite the state's withdrawal from the Midwestern Greenhouse Gas Reduction Accord.	09/27/2011 - INTRODUCED.;09/27/2011 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY.
Economic Impact Statement Act	MS	S	2398	McDaniel (R)	Small Business Regulatory Flexibility Act		2/13/12	Pending	HOUSE	Creates the Small Business Regulatory Flexibility Act, establishes a Small Business Regulatory Review Committee, improves state rulemaking by creating procedures to analyze the economic impact on and availability of more flexible approaches for small business.	03/13/2012 - Committee substitute adopted on SENATE floor.;03/13/2012 - Passed SENATE. *****To HOUSE.
Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act	NE	L	877	Wallman (NP)	Hydraulic Fracturing Treatment Information		1/6/12	Failed	Indefinitely Postponed	Requires disclosure of hydraulic fracturing treatment information.	01/31/2012 - From LEGISLATIVE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Indefinitely postponed.
State Withdrawal from Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative	NH	H	1490	Bergevin (R)	Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative	12/16/11	1/4/12	Pending	House Science, Technology and Energy Committee	Repeals New Hampshire's regional greenhouse gas initiative cap and trade program for controlling carbon dioxide emissions.	01/04/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/04/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND ENERGY.
State Withdrawal from Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative	NJ	A	1500	Carroll (R)	Global Warming Response Act		1/10/12	Pending	Assembly Environment and Solid Waste Committee	Repeals Global Warming Response Act and related sections of Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative implementing law.	01/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/10/2012 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND SOLID WASTE.
State Withdrawal from Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative	NJ	S	276	Doherty (R)	Global Warming Response Act		1/10/12	Pending	Senate Environment and Energy Committee	Repeals Global Warming Response Act and related sections of Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative implementing law.	01/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/10/2012 - To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY.
Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act	NM	H	187	Egolf (D)	Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition		1/25/12	Failed - Adjourned	House Consumer and Public Affairs Committee	Relates to oil and gas, provides for public safety, enacts a new section of the Oil and Gas Act to provide for the disclosure of the composition of hydraulic fracturing fluids used in hydraulic fracturing treatments.	02/06/2012 - From HOUSE Committee on RULES AND ORDER OF BUSINESS: Do pass germane.;02/06/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on CONSUMER AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS.;02/06/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.
Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act	NY	A	8805	Abinanti (D)	Regulation of Conducting of Hydraulic Fracturing	12/8/11	1/4/12	Pending	Assembly Environmental Conservation Committee	Provides for the regulation of the conducting of hydraulic fracturing, requires producers to disclose the composition of hydraulic fracturing fluids to the Department of Environmental Protection, provides that producers using hydraulic fracturing are strictly liable for any and all damages arising from such practice, requires all such producers to concede liability, provides for damages.	02/01/2012 - Amended in ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION.

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Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act	NY	S	5879	Ball (R)	Hydraulic Fracturing		9/12/11	Pending	Senate Rules Committee	Provides for the regulation of the conducting of hydraulic fracturing, requires producers to disclose the composition of hydraulic fracturing fluids to the department of environmental conservation, provides that producers using hydraulic fracturing are strictly liable for any and all damages arising from such practice, requires all such producers to concede liability, provides for damages.	12/23/2011 - Amended in SENATE Committee on RULES.
Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act	OH	S	212	Skindell (D)	Oil and Gas Well Drilling Requirements		9/6/11	Pending	Senate Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources Committee	Establishes requirements governing well stimulation, brine disposal, and water used in the drilling and operation of oil and gas wells on state land, requires permittees to pay an overriding royalty for each well that is stimulated, requires a list of all chemicals used to stimulate the well, requires documentation of disposal of brine and other waste substances, requires baseline testing of surface and ground water before well drilling, requires recycling of water, creates the clean water restoration fund.	09/20/2011 - From SENATE Committee on RULES AND REFERENCE: Recommended referral.;09/20/2011 - To SENATE Committee on AGRICULTURE, ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES.
Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act	PA	H	1950	Ellis (R)	Oil and Gas Wells	11/1/11	11/1/11	Enacted	Chapter	Consolidates the oil and gas act, relates to definitions, well permits, well location restrictions, protection of water supplies, well reporting requirements, bonding, enforcement orders, penalties, civil penalties and local ordinances, containment, transportation regulations, emergency response, notification to public drinking water systems, corrosion control requirements, provides for local ordinances, impact fees, liquid fuel taxes, tax reductions, severance taxes and homestead exclusions.	02/14/2012 - Signed by GOVERNOR.;02/14/2012 - Act No. 2012-13
Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act	PA	S	1226	Stack (D)	Composition of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluids Disclosure	8/30/11	8/30/11	Pending	Senate Environmental Resources and Energy Committee	Amends the act of December 19, 1984 (P.L.1140, No.223), known as the Oil and Gas Act, provides for disclosure of composition of hydraulic fracturing fluids and posting of the information on the hydraulic fracturing chemical registry Internet website.	09/15/2011 - Corrective reprint issued. 1
Disposal and Taxation of Public Lands Act	UT	HJR	3	Barrus (R)	Short Title - Joint Resolution		2/4/12	Adopted	Adopted	Demands that the federal government extinguish title to Utah's public lands and transfer title to those lands to the state of Utah.	03/07/2012 - Passed SENATE.
Resolution to Retain State Sovereignty Over Hydraulic Fracturing	UT	SCR	12	Van Tassell (R)	Regulation of Hydraulic Fracturing		2/27/12	To Governor	Eligible for Governor	Urges Congress to delegate the regulation of hydraulic fracturing to the States, urges the Congress of the United States to clearly delegate responsibility for the regulation of hydraulic fracturing to the states.	03/08/2012 - Passed HOUSE.;03/08/2012 - Eligible for GOVERNOR'S desk.
Resolution to Retain State Sovereignty Over Intrastate Water Resources	VA	H	67	Marshall R (R)	Isolated State Waters	12/19/11	1/11/12	Failed	Died	Relates to isolated state waters, asserts that isolated bodies of water that are not fed by or replenished perennial streams are to be considered nonnavigable waterways and, as such, are not subject to regulation by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers or the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency under the federal Clean Water Act.	02/14/2012 - Left in committee.
Private Property Protection Act	VT	S	160	Doyle (R)	Hazardous Material Liability	12/14/11	1/3/12	Pending	Senate Natural Resources and Energy Committee	Proposes to clarify when a landowner is not liable after acquisition of a property on which a hazardous material has been released, proposes to provide that when certain governmental regulatory programs reduce the value of real property to less than 50 percent of its value on acquisition or as of January 1, 2012, whichever is later, governmental action shall be considered a taking, and the owner of that property shall be entitled to just compensation.	01/03/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/03/2012 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY.
Resolution in Support of the Keystone XL Pipeline	WA	SJM	8018	Roach P (R)	Action to Approve the Keystone XL Pipeline		2/1/12	Pending	Senate Energy, Natural Resources & Marine Waters Committee	Requests the President and United States Congress to take action to approve the Keystone XL pipeline.	02/02/2012 - To SENATE Committee on ENERGY, NATURAL RESOURCES & MARINE WATERS.
Verifiable Science Act	WV	H	2219	Walters (R)	Verifiable Science Act		1/11/12	Pending	House Government Organization Committee	Relates to the verifiable Science Act.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION.
Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act	WY	S	60	Esquibel F (D)	Hydraulic Fracturing Fluids Disclosure	2/9/12	2/13/12	Failed	Withdrawn from further consideration	Relates to oil and gas, requires the disclosure of hydraulic fracturing fluids used in the hydraulic fracturing process, provides for the classification of a hydraulic fracturing treatment as a trade secret as specified, grants rulemaking authority, specifies applicability.	02/14/2012 - Withdrawn from further consideration.

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Renewables	AZ	HCR	2002	Patterson (D)	Statewide Feed-in Tariff Policy	11/21/11	1/9/12	Pending	House Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Relates to a proposed constitutional amendment, relates to statewide feed-in tariff policy.	02/02/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.;02/02/2012 - Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on COMMERCE.;02/02/2012 - Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.
Renewables	CA	S	23	Simitian (D)	Energy: Renewable Energy Resources		12/6/10	Pending - Carryover	Senate Unfinished Business	Relates to the Renewables Portfolio Standard Program (RSP) and the Renewable Energy Resources Program. Relates to a study of out of country hydroelectric generating facilities. Requires the Energy Commission to adopt regulations for RSP enforcement. Relates to the determination of the effective electric grid load carrying capacity of wind and solar energy resources. Extends the sources compliance date. Relates to small hydroelectric units. Prohibits related rules by the State Air Resources Board.	09/09/2011 - In Senate. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.;09/09/2011 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on UTILITIES AND COMMERCE: Do pass as amended.;09/09/2011 - In ASSEMBLY. Assembly Rule 63 suspended.;09/09/2011 - In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. To third reading.;09/09/2011 - In ASSEMBLY. Assembly Rule 69(d) suspended.;09/10/2011 - In ASSEMBLY. Read third time. Passed ASSEMBLY. *****To SENATE for concurrence.
RPS	DE	H	247	Lavelle (R)	Renewable Energy Portfolio Standards		1/19/12	Pending	House Energy Committee - 03/28/2012 4:00 pm	Freezes the minimum percentage of renewable energy (Renewable Portfolio Standard) a retail-electricity supplier or municipal electric company must provide to customers, provides policy-makers a chance to reassess the state's energy strategy in light of the failure of the off-shore wind farm project, the decrease in natural gas prices, and cleaner power plants, requires utilities to notify their customers as to how they can increase their purchase of renewable electricity on a voluntary basis.	01/19/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/19/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY.
GHG_Cap	FL	S	648	Hays (R)	Climate Protection Act	10/24/11	1/10/12	Failed	Tabled	Relates to Florida Climate Protection Act, repeals provisions relating to a cap-and-trade regulatory program to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from electric utilities.	03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Read second time.;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Substituted on SENATE floor by H4001;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Laid on table, refer to H4001
Renewables	FL	H	4013	Gaetz M (R)	Florida Renewable Fuel Standard Act	8/5/11	1/10/12	Pending	HOUSE	Relates to Florida Renewable Fuel Standard Act, repeals Florida Renewable Fuel Standard Act.	01/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/10/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND UTILITIES SUBCOMMITTEE.;01/10/2012 - Referred to HOUSE Committee on STATE AFFAIRS.;01/10/2012 - From HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND UTILITIES SUBCOMMITTEE: Reported favorably.;01/10/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on STATE AFFAIRS.
Renewables	FL	S	238	Evers (R)	Renewable Fuel Standard Act	9/14/11	1/10/12	Pending	SENATE	Repeals the Renewable Fuel Standard Act, removes the requirement that all gasoline offered for sale in this state include a percentage of ethanol, subject to specified exemptions, waivers, suspensions, extensions, enforcement, and reporting, conforms a cross-reference, provides for payment of taxes levied to the department and a report of gallons sold and delivered, relates to terminal suppliers, importers, blenders and wholesalers.	01/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/10/2012 - To SENATE Committee on COMMUNICATIONS, ENERGY, AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.;01/10/2012 - Referred to SENATE Committee on COMMERCE AND TOURISM.;01/10/2012 - From SENATE Committee on COMMUNICATIONS, ENERGY, AND PUBLIC UTILTIES: Reported favorably.;01/10/2012 - To SENATE Committee on COMMERCE AND TOURISM.
GHG_Cap	FL	H	4001	Plakon (R)	Climate Protection Act	6/15/11	1/10/12	To Governor	To Enrollment	Repeals provisions for a cap and trade regulatory program to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from electric utilities.	03/08/2012 - Withdrawn from SENATE Committee on COMMUNICATIONS, ENERGY, AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.;03/08/2012 - Withdrawn from SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL PRESERVATION AND CONSERVATION.;03/08/2012 - Withdrawn from SENATE BUDGET SUBCOMMITTEE on GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS.;03/08/2012 - Withdrawn from SENATE Committee on BUDGET.;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Placed on Calendar.;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Substituted on SENATE floor for S648;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Read second time.;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Read third time.;03/08/2012 - In SENATE. Passed SENATE.;03/08/2012 - To enrollment.
RPS	IA	S	2029	Hogg (D)	General Renewable Energy Goal		1/19/12	Pending	Senate Commerce Committee	Establishes a general renewable energy goal of maximizing the development, generation, and use of renewable energy in Iowa, Specifies the goals of producing at least 10,000 megawatts of electricity from renewable energy by 2020, increasing to at least 20,000 megawatts by 2030.	01/19/2012 - To SENATE Committee on COMMERCE.
RPS;Stationary_Emissions	KY	H	167	Marzian (D)	Energy Efficiency		1/3/12	Pending	House Tourism Development and Energy Committee	Relates to energy, encourages greater energy efficiency, conservation, and the use of renewable resources in order to promote energy independence and security by diversifying the portfolio of energy sources used for generating electricity for retail electric customers, including biomass conversion, stabilizes long-term energy prices and encourage economic growth, creates high-quality jobs, training, business, and investment opportunities in the energy sector, creates energy efficiency programs.	01/04/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AND ENERGY.
RPS	MD	H	1187	Jameson (D)	Renewable Energy		2/10/12	Pending	House Economic Matters Committee	Alters the percentage of Tier 1 renewable energy that must be derived from solar energy in the State's renewable energy portfolio standard in specified years, authorizes the Public Service Commission, in consultation with the Maryland Energy Administration, to approve an equivalent certification for measurement for energy generated by specified solar water heating systems.	02/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;02/10/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ECONOMIC MATTERS.
RPS	MI	H	5447	Franz (R)	Renewable Energy		2/29/12	Pending	House Energy and Technology Committee	Repeals renewable energy and energy optimization standards.	02/29/2012 - INTRODUCED.;02/29/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY.

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GHG_Cap	MI	HR	134	Nesbitt (R)	Midwestern Greenhouse Gas Reduction Accord		9/27/11	Pending - Carryover	House Energy and Technology Committee	Urges the Governor to expedite the state's withdrawal from the Midwestern Greenhouse Gas Reduction Accord.	09/27/2011 - INTRODUCED.;09/27/2011 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY.
RPS	MO	S	759	Lager (R)	Renewable Energy Standard		2/7/12	Pending	Senate Commerce, Consumer Protection, Energy and the Environment Committee	Modifies provisions relating to the Renewable Energy Standard.	02/14/2012 - Hearing conducted.
Stationary_Emissions	MO	H	1850	Wyatt (R)	Missouri Energy Efficiency Performance Standard		2/29/12	Pending	HOUSE	Creates the Missouri Energy Efficiency Performance Standard.	02/29/2012 - INTRODUCED.
GHG_Cap	NH	H	1490	Bergevin (R)	Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative	12/16/11	1/4/12	Pending	House Science, Technology and Energy Committee	Repeals New Hampshire's regional greenhouse gas initiative cap and trade program for controlling carbon dioxide emissions.	01/04/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/04/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND ENERGY.
RPS	NH	H	1428	Kurk (R)	Renewable Portfolio Standards	12/16/11	1/4/12	Pending	House Science, Technology and Energy Committee	Requires suspension of an order of the public utilities commission concerning renewable portfolio standards to allow for legislative review and the final disposition of certain retained bills, revises the laws relative to sustainable and renewable generation.	01/04/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/04/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND ENERGY.
Mobile_Emissions	NH	H	1487	Holden F (R)	Low Carbon Fuel Standards Program	12/16/11	1/4/12	Pending	SENATE	Requires prior legislative approval for the expenditure of funds involving New Hampshire in any low carbon fuel standards program.	03/07/2012 - Committee amendment adopted on HOUSE floor.;03/07/2012 - Passed HOUSE. *****To SENATE.
GHG_Cap	NJ	A	1500	Carroll (R)	Global Warming Response Act		1/10/12	Pending	Assembly Environment and Solid Waste Committee	Repeals Global Warming Response Act and related sections of Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative implementing law.	01/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/10/2012 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND SOLID WASTE.
RPS	NJ	A	1384	Chivukula (D)	Alternative Energy Portfolio Standard		1/10/12	Pending	Assembly Telecommunications and Utilities Committee	Establishes alternative energy portfolio standard and certificate program.	01/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/10/2012 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND UTILITIES.
GHG_Cap	NJ	A	1998	McKeon (D)	Greenhouse Gas Initiative		1/10/12	Pending	ASSEMBLY	Clarifies intent of Public Law 2007, c.340 regarding the State's required participation in Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative.	02/02/2012 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND SOLID WASTE.
GHG_Cap	NY	A	5346	Sweeney (D)	Global Warming Pollution Control		2/16/11	Pending	Assembly Third Reading - File No. 182	Relates to global warming pollution control, establishes greenhouse gas limits and reporting system, defines greenhouse gas to include carbon dioxide, methane, nitrous oxide, hydrofluorocarbons, perfluorocarbons, sulfur hexafluroide, and any other gas determined by the DEC to be a significant contributor to global warming, authorizes the DEC to promulgate rules and regulations, requires annual greenhouse gas emission reporting from greenhouse gas emission sources and progress made in achieving reduction.	02/29/2012 - Amended on ASSEMBLY floor.
GHG_Cap	NY	S	2742	Avella (D)	Global Warming Pollution Control		1/31/11	Pending	Senate Environmental Conservation Committee	Relates to global warming pollution control, establishes greenhouse gas limits and a greenhouse gas reporting system.	12/21/2011 - Amended in SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION.
RPS	OH	S	216	Jordan (R)	Renewable Electricity Resources Repeal		9/7/11	Pending	Senate Energy and Public Utilities Committee	Repeals the requirement that electric distribution utilities and electric services companies provide 25% of their retail power supplies from advanced and renewable energy resources by 2025.	09/20/2011 - From SENATE Committee on RULES AND REFERENCE: Recommended referral.;09/20/2011 - To SENATE Committee on ENERGY AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.
RPS	OR	H	4073	Hanna (R)	Hydroelectric Power	1/26/12	2/1/12	Pending	House Energy, Environment and Water Committee	Removes all restrictions on use of hydroelectric power to qualify for renewable portfolio standard.	02/01/2012 - INTRODUCED.;02/01/2012 - Filed as Draft 107;02/01/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT AND WATER.
Misc	UT	H	48	Barrus (R)	Energy Producer States' Agreement	1/3/12	1/23/12	To Governor	Eligible for Governor	Modifies provisions relating to an energy producer states' agreement, changes the membership of the group of legislators appointed to participate in multistate discussions involving agreements that encourage the development of domestic energy resources, changes a reporting date, modifies a repeal date.	02/13/2012 - HOUSE concurred in SENATE amendments.;02/13/2012 - Eligible for GOVERNOR'S desk.
RPS	VA	H	645	Cosgrove (R)	Renewable Energy		1/11/12	Failed	Died	Relates to renewable energy, expands the definition of renewable energy to include landfill gas, provides that the renewable portfolio standard Goals under the renewable energy portfolio standard program may be composed of renewable thermal energy equivalents.	01/19/2012 - Stricken from docket.
RPS	VA	H	69	Englin (D)	Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard	12/19/11	1/11/12	Failed	Died	Requires each investor-owned electric utility and distribution cooperative to participate in a renewable energy portfolio standard program commencing with calendar year 2013, relates that under the program, each utility is required to generate renewable energy or to purchase renewable energy certificates, or both, in amounts that start in 2013 at three percent of the total electric energy sold in the base year of 2007 and that increase to 20 percent of such amount in 2020 and thereafter.	02/14/2012 - Left in committee.

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Stationary_Emissions	VA	H	27	Marshall R (R)	Residential Energy Efficiency Standards	12/8/11	1/11/12	Failed	Died	Exempts any residential building or manufactured home in Virginia from being subject to federal legislation relating to residential energy efficiency standards if such building complies with the Statewide Uniform Building Code, provides that except to the extent required by the Statewide Building Code, the owner of such building or home cannot be required by the federal government to have an energy efficiency analysis conducted on his residence.	02/16/2012 - In SENATE Committee on AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES: Failed to report.
RPS	VA	H	1102	Miller J (R)	Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard Program		1/11/12	To Governor	To Governor	Relates to the renewable energy portfolio standard program and credits for investments, allows any investor-owned electric utility that participates in the renewable energy portfolio standard program to meet a percentage of a renewable portfolio standard goal through certificates for expenses in conducting research and development activities related to renewable or alternative energy sources, provides for mitigation of environmental impacts and promotion of economic development, provides for cost recovery.	02/27/2012 - *****To GOVERNOR.
RPS	VA	S	413	Norment (R)	Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard Program		1/11/12	To Governor	To Governor	Relates to Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard Program, relates to credits for investments, allows any investor-owned electric utility that participates in the Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard Program to meet up to 20 percent of an Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard Goal through certificates evidencing the utility's expenses in conducting research and development activities related to renewable or alternative energy sources, provides for inclusion of facilities fueled by animal waste.	03/09/2012 - *****To GOVERNOR.
RPS	VT	S	170	Lyons (D)	Renewable Portfolio Standards	12/14/11	1/3/12	Pending	Senate Natural Resources and Energy Committee	Proposes to revise the statutes pertaining to a Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS) and the Sustainably Priced Energy Enterprise Development (SPEED) program, proposes to establish an RPS in Vermont and continue the SPEED program with significant revisions, proposes to reorganize existing legal provisions concerning the standard offer component of the SPEED program into a separate statute and increase the existing 50-MW capacity of that program to 100 MW.	01/03/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/03/2012 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY.
GHG_Cap;Stationary_Emissions	WA	S	6102	Regala (D)	Air Quality		1/10/12	Pending	Indefinitely Postponed	Protects air quality that is impacted by high emitting solid fuel burning devices.	02/22/2012 - In SENATE Committee on RULES: Indefinitely postponed.
GHG_Cap;Stationary_Emissions	WA	H	2326	Jinkins (D)	Air Quality Impacted by Solid Fuel Burning Devices		1/10/12	To Governor	To Governor	Authorizes the Department of Ecology or a local air pollution control authority to call a first stage of impaired air quality, as well as a second stage of impaired air quality, at a level below the federal standard, allows a city, county, or local health department to assist with enforcement of a prohibition on the use of solid fuel burning devices in a nonattainment area.	03/08/2012 - *****To GOVERNOR.
GHG_Cap;Stationary_Emissions	WI	A	467	Klenke (R)	Greenhouse Gas Emissions		1/9/12	To Governor	Eligible for Governor	Relates to consideration of certain greenhouse gas emissions in determining requirements applicable to a stationary source of air pollution.	03/01/2012 - Ordered Enrolled.
Misc	WV	H	2554	Howell (R)	Intrastate Coal and Use Act		1/11/12	Pending	House Energy, Industry and Labor, Economic Development and Small Business Committee	Creates the Intrastate Coal and Use Act, establishes that the environmental regulation of coal and certain coal products mined and used within the state are exclusively regulated by the State Department of Environmental Protection.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY, INDUSTRY AND LABOR, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND SMALL BUSINESS.
Mobile_Emissions	WV	H	2404	Fleischauer (D)	Air Pollution Control		1/11/12	Pending	House Energy, Industry and Labor, Economic Development and Small Business Committee	Relates to air pollution control, gives the Director of the Department of Environmental Protection the authority to promulgate new vehicle emission standards, creates the Low Emission Vehicle Act.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY, INDUSTRY AND LABOR, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND SMALL BUSINESS.
RPS	WV	H	2401	Fleischauer (D)	Renewable Portfolio Standards Sustainable Energy Act		1/11/12	Pending	House Energy, Industry and Labor, Economic Development and Small Business Committee	Concerns the Renewable Portfolio Standards Sustainable Energy Act, phases in requirements for electric providers to add renewable energy systems to help protect and sustain the environment.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY, INDUSTRY AND LABOR, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND SMALL BUSINESS.
RPS	WV	H	2915	Andes (R)	Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act		1/11/12	Pending	House Energy, Industry and Labor, Economic Development and Small Business Committee	Repeals certain sections of the Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY, INDUSTRY AND LABOR, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND SMALL BUSINESS.
Misc	WV	S	97	Sypolt (R)	Intrastate Coal and Use Act		1/11/12	Pending	Senate Energy, Industry and Mining Committee	Creates the Intrastate Coal and Use Act, establishes that the environmental regulation of coal and certain coal products mined and used within the state are exclusively regulated by the State Department of Environmental Protection, relates to the Clean Water Act.	01/11/2012 - To SENATE Committee on ENERGY, INDUSTRY AND MINING.

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Chemicals	AZ	H	2620	Hobbs (D)	Bisphenol A Products		1/12/12	Pending	House Health and Human Services Committee	Prohibits the sale of Bisphenol A products, establishes the department of weights and measures enforcement fund, relates to baby food, child containers, infant formula, the least toxic alternative for replacement and enforcement.	01/19/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.;01/19/2012 - Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on COMMERCE.;01/19/2012 - Additionally referred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.
Chemicals	CA	A	1176	Williams (D)	Pesticides: Toxic Air Containment		2/18/11	Failed	ASSEMBLY	Amends existing law requiring a report on the health effects of any pesticide determined to be a toxic air contaminant. Requires the written determination regarding control measures for each pesticide and all findings made by consulting agencies be made available to the public. Includes pesticides identified as toxic air contaminants within the list of pesticides that required the development of control measures to protect human health. Sets the time frame for the development of said control measures.	01/12/2012 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on AGRICULTURE without further action pursuant to JR 62(a).
Chemicals	CO	H	1174	Kagan (D)	Childrens Products Containing BPA Sale		1/20/12	Pending	Postponed Indefinitely	Concerns a prohibition on children's products that contain bisphenol a.	02/21/2012 - From HOUSE Committee on ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT: Postponed indefinitely.
Chemicals	CT	S	274	Joint Public Health	Chemicals of High Concern to Children		2/27/12	Pending	Joint Committee on Public Health	Concerns chemicals of high concern to children, identifies chemicals of high concern to children.	02/29/2012 - Public Hearing Scheduled 03/07.
Chemicals	HI	H	1934	Saiki (D)	Childrens Products Containing Toxic Substances	1/17/12	1/18/12	Pending	House Health Committee	Prohibits the manufacture, sale, and distribution of products for young children that contain bisphenol-A or phthalates, requires manufacturers to use the least toxic alternatives to bisphenol-A and phthalates.	01/19/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on HEALTH.;01/19/2012 - Subsequent referral set for: HOUSE Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION AND COMMERCE.;01/19/2012 - Subsequent referral set for: HOUSE Committee on JUDICIARY.
Chemicals	IA	H	2303	Kajtazovic (D)	Organic Compounds		2/15/12	Pending	House Commerce Committee	Prohibits the manufacture and sale of a consumer product containing the organic compound bisphenol A, an industrial chemical used primarily to make polycarbonate plastic and epoxy resins and identified in as a toxic compound, specifically, the prohibition applies to manufacturers in this state who manufacture food containers and food wraps or bags, includes a provision to be used to determine whether a consumer product is designated or intended for a particular purpose, including statements or.	02/15/2012 - INTRODUCED.;02/15/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on COMMERCE.
Chemicals	IL	H	4113	Nekritz (D)	Toxic Chemical Safety Act		1/25/12	Pending	House Rules Committee	Creates the Toxic Chemical Safety Act, requires the Director of the Environmental Protection Agency to publish a list of chemicals of high concern, authorizes the Director to designate chemicals of high concern and other chemicals as priority chemicals, requires the Director to report certain information about the designation process to the General Assembly, requires each manufacturer and distributor of children's products that contain designated chemicals to provide certain information to the Director.	01/25/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/25/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on RULES.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	IL	H	3897	Jakobsson (D)	Oil and Gas Act		12/5/11	Pending	House Rules Committee	Amends the Oil and Gas Act, provides that the Director of Natural Resources shall adopt rules that require, prior to such hydraulic fracturing, the owner or operator to perform a suitable mechanical integrity test of the casing or of the casing-tubing annulus or other mechanical integrity test methods using procedures that are established by administrative rule, provides that each owner or operator that begins extracting natural gas from shale shall report to the Department specified information.	03/09/2012 - Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	IL	H	3939	Jakobsson (D)	Oil and Gas Act		12/22/11	Pending	House Rules Committee	Amends the Oil and Gas Act, provides that the Department of Natural Resources shall adopt rules that prohibit hydraulic fracturing in designated State areas, provides that the provision applies only to the extraction of natural gas from shale.	03/09/2012 - Rereferred to HOUSE Committee on RULES.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	IN	H	1085	Moses (D)	Environmental Review of Hydraulic Fracturing		1/4/12	Pending	House Natural Resources Committee	Relates to environmental review of hydraulic fracturing, defines hydraulic fracturing, requires the natural resources commission to regulate hydraulic fracturing, requires an operator that performs or intends to perform hydraulic fracturing to submit an environmental compliance plan to the department of natural resources for review and approval, requires an operator to disclose chemical constituents used in hydraulic fracturing, requires the department to publish the information received on its web site.	01/04/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/04/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	IN	H	1107	Koch (R)	Hydraulic Fracturing Treatments		1/6/12	Enacted	Chaptered	Relates to hydraulic fracturing treatments, defines hydraulic fracturing and base fluid for purposes of the law concerning oil and gas wells, requires the Natural Resources Commission, in regulating oil and gas wells, to adopt rules for the reporting and disclosure of hydraulic fracturing treatments.	03/01/2012 - Public Law No. 16
Chemicals	MA	S	2079	Joint Environment, Nat	Toxic Chemical Safer Alternatives		11/21/11	Pending	Senate Ways and Means Committee	Relates to safer alternatives to toxic chemicals by substitution of safer alternatives in products, relates to approval of a funding mechanism for organizations of consumers or workers focused on substitutions of safer alternatives in specific products, establishes a technical assistance grant program to assist organizations of consumers or workers, requires a published list of chemicals classified as carcinogens, mutagens, reproductive toxins or endocrine disruptors, includes medical devices.	11/21/2011 - INTRODUCED.;11/21/2011 - New Draft for S 397 and H 1136.;11/21/2011 - To SENATE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.
Chemicals	MI	S	894	Warren (D)	Toxic Substances		1/17/12	Pending	Senate Government Operations Committee	Relates to toxic substances or products, requires Department of Community Health to provide a list of hazardous chemicals.	01/17/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/17/2012 - To SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS.

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Hydraulic_Fracturing	MI	H	5150	Dillon B (D)	Hydraulic Fracturing		11/3/11	Pending - Carryover	House Energy and Technology Committee	Prohibits hydraulic fracturing under certain circumstances, until the advisory committee makes its recommendations related to the extraction of natural gas from shale formations in this state.	11/03/2011 - INTRODUCED.;11/03/2011 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY.
Chemicals	MS	H	302	Evans B (D)	Children's Products Pthalates Ban		2/13/12	Failed	Died	Bans phthalates and certain other ingredients from children's products.	03/06/2012 - Died in committee.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	ND	HCR	3053	Kasper (R)	United States Environmental Protection Agency		11/7/11	Adopted	Adopted	Urges Congress to clearly limit United States Environmental Protection Agency regulation of hydraulic fracturing under the Safe Drinking Water Act to well stimulation treatments that use diesel fuel as the primary constituent--more than 50 percent diesel fuel by volume--of hydraulic fracturing fluid.	11/09/2011 - Passed SENATE.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	NE	L	877	Wallman (NP)	Hydraulic Fracturing Treatment Information		1/6/12	Failed	Indefinitely Postponed	Requires disclosure of hydraulic fracturing treatment information.	01/31/2012 - From LEGISLATIVE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES: Indefinitely postponed.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	NJ	A	567	Wagner (D)	Hydraulic Fracturing		1/10/12	Pending	Assembly Environment and Solid Waste Committee	Prohibits drilling technique of hydraulic fracturing.	01/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/10/2012 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND SOLID WASTE.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	NJ	A	1982	McKeon (D)	Natural Gas Drilling		1/10/12	Pending	Assembly Environment and Solid Waste Committee	Prohibits issuance of Department of Environmental Protection permits and approvals for development related to drilling for oil and natural gas off NJ coast.	01/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/10/2012 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND SOLID WASTE.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	NJ	S	247	Gordon (D)	Hydraulic Fracturing		1/10/12	Pending	Senate Environment and Energy Committee	Establishes moratorium on hydraulic fracturing for purpose of natural gas exploration or production until certain conditions are met.	01/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/10/2012 - To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY.
Chemicals	NJ	S	982	Greenstein (D)	Bisphenol A Used In Packaging Food and Containers	1/10/12	1/17/12	Pending	Senate Commerce Committee	Prohibits sale of food and beverage packaging and containers made with bisphenol A.	01/17/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/17/2012 - To SENATE Committee on COMMERCE.
Chemicals	NJ	S	1015	Greenstein (D)	Jewelry Containing Phthalates Prohibited	1/10/12	1/17/12	Pending	Senate Commerce Committee	Prohibits the sale of jewelry containing phthalates.	01/17/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/17/2012 - To SENATE Committee on COMMERCE.
Chemicals	NJ	S	990	Greenstein (D)	Mercury Batteries Sale Prohibition	1/10/12	1/17/12	Pending	Senate Environment and Energy Committee	Prohibits sale of mercury batteries and consumer products that use mercury batteries, prohibits disposal of used mercury batteries as solid waste.	01/17/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/17/2012 - To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	NJ	S	246	Gordon (D)	Hydraulic Fracturing		1/10/12	Pending	SENATE	Prohibits drilling technique of hydraulic fracturing.	02/09/2012 - From SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	NM	H	187	Egolf (D)	Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition		1/25/12	Failed - Adjourned	House Consumer and Public Affairs Committee	Relates to oil and gas, provides for public safety, enacts a new section of the Oil and Gas Act to provide for the disclosure of the composition of hydraulic fracturing fluids used in hydraulic fracturing treatments.	02/06/2012 - From HOUSE Committee on RULES AND ORDER OF BUSINESS: Do pass germane.;02/06/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on CONSUMER AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS.;02/06/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.
Chemicals	NY	A	9174	Johns (R)	Banning Bisphenol A From Canned Foods		2/1/12	Pending	Assembly Environmental Conservation Committee	Relates to banning bisphenol A from canned foods.	02/01/2012 - INTRODUCED.;02/01/2012 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION.
Chemicals	NY	A	9379	Englebright (D)	Food Containers Containing Bisphenol A		2/24/12	Pending	Assembly Environmental Conservation Committee	Prohibits the sale or offering for sale of liquids, foods and beverages in containers containing bisphenol A, requires manufacturers of products containing bisphenol A to use the least toxic alternative chemical compound to replace bisphenol A.	02/24/2012 - INTRODUCED.;02/24/2012 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	NY	S	4220	Avella (D)	Use of Hydraulic Fracturing		3/23/11	Pending	Senate Environmental Conservation Committee	Prohibits the use of hydraulic fracturing in the extraction of oil and gas.	12/12/2011 - Amended in SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	NY	S	5879	Ball (R)	Hydraulic Fracturing		9/12/11	Pending	Senate Rules Committee	Provides for the regulation of the conducting of hydraulic fracturing, requires producers to disclose the composition of hydraulic fracturing fluids to the department of environmental conservation, provides that producers using hydraulic fracturing are strictly liable for any and all damages arising from such practice, requires all such producers to concede liability, provides for damages.	12/23/2011 - Amended in SENATE Committee on RULES.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	NY	A	6541	Englebright (D)	Look Before You Leap Act of 2011	3/21/11	3/13/12	Pending	Assembly Environmental Conservation Committee	Enacts the Look Before You Leap Act of 2011 to establish a 5 year moratorium on high volume hydraulic fracturing and the conducting of an investigation thereon.	03/13/2012 - Amended in ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	OH	S	212	Skindell (D)	Oil and Gas Well Drilling Requirements		9/6/11	Pending	Senate Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources Committee	Establishes requirements governing well stimulation, brine disposal, and water used in the drilling and operation of oil and gas wells on state land, requires permittees to pay an overriding royalty for each well that is stimulated, requires a list of all chemicals used to stimulate the well, requires documentation of disposal of brine and other waste substances, requires baseline testing of surface and ground water before well drilling, requires recycling of water, creates the clean water restoration fund.	09/20/2011 - From SENATE Committee on RULES AND REFERENCE: Recommended referral.;09/20/2011 - To SENATE Committee on AGRICULTURE, ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	OH	S	213	Skindell (D)	Horizontal Stimulation of Oil and Gas Wells Moratorium		9/6/11	Pending	Senate Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources Committee	Establishes a moratorium on horizontal stimulation of oil and gas wells until the United States Environmental Protection Agency publishes a report containing the results of a study of the relationship of hydraulic fracturing to drinking water resources and the Chief of the Division of Oil and Gas Resources Management issues a report analyzing how Ohio's rules address issues raised in the USEPA report.	09/20/2011 - From SENATE Committee on RULES AND REFERENCE: Recommended referral.;09/20/2011 - To SENATE Committee on AGRICULTURE, ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	OH	H	345	Driehaus D (D)	Horizontal Oil and Gas Well Stimulation Moratorium		10/12/11	Pending	House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee	Establishes a moratorium on horizontal stimulation of oil and gas wells until the United States Environmental Protection Agency publishes a report containing the results of a study of the relationship of hydraulic fracturing to drinking water resources and the Chief of the Division of Oil and Gas Resources Management issues a report analyzing how Ohio's rules address issues raised in the USEPA report.	11/09/2011 - From HOUSE Committee on RULES AND REFERENCE: Recommended referral.;11/09/2011 - To HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

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Hydraulic_Fracturing	OH	H	351	Antonio (D)	Oil and Gas Well Drilling and Operation Requirements		10/21/11	Pending	House Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee	Establishes requirements governing well stimulation, brine disposal, and water that is used in the drilling and operation of oil and gas wells, including a requirement that oil and gas permittees pay a seven per cent overriding royalty for each well that is stimulated.	11/09/2011 - From HOUSE Committee on RULES AND REFERENCE: Recommended referral.;11/09/2011 - To HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES.
Chemicals	OR	H	4123	Keny-Guyer (D)	Oregon Health Authority	1/26/12	2/1/12	Pending	HOUSE	Requires Oregon Health Authority to maintain list of designated high priority chemicals of concern for children's health used in children's products, requires authority to post list, and information regarding health impacts associated with exposure to each chemical, on authority's website.	02/01/2012 - INTRODUCED.;02/01/2012 - Filed as Draft 244;02/01/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on HEALTH CARE.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	PA	S	1226	Stack (D)	Composition of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluids Disclosure	8/30/11	8/30/11	Pending	Senate Environmental Resources and Energy Committee	Amends the act of December 19, 1984 (P.L.1140, No.223), known as the Oil and Gas Act, provides for disclosure of composition of hydraulic fracturing fluids and posting of the information on the hydraulic fracturing chemical registry Internet website.	09/15/2011 - Corrective reprint issued. 1
Hydraulic_Fracturing	PA	H	1865	Schroder (R)	Unconventional Well Impact Fee	9/22/11	9/26/11	Pending	House Environmental Resources and Energy Committee	Provides for an unconventional well impact fee, establishes the Marcellus Shale Impact Fund and the Marcellus Shale Roadway Repair Account, imposes penalties.	09/26/2011 - INTRODUCED.;09/26/2011 - To HOUSE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	PA	H	1870	Boback (R)	Natural Gas Well Operational Fee	9/23/11	9/26/11	Pending	House Finance Committee	Imposes a natural gas well operational fee, provides for the powers and duties of the Department of Revenue and the Department of Community and Economic Development, establishes the Marcellus Revenue Sharing Account and the Local Government Services Account.	09/26/2011 - INTRODUCED.;09/26/2011 - To HOUSE Committee on FINANCE.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	PA	H	1887	Baker M (R)	Oil and Gas Well Regulations	10/3/11	10/4/11	Pending	House Environmental Resources and Energy Committee	Provides for well permits, well location restrictions, and well site restoration, provides for protection of fresh groundwater and casing requirements, provides for protection of water supplies, provides for well reporting requirements and for bonding, provides for penalties, civil penalties and production of materials, witnesses, depositions and rights of entry and for third party liability, provides for well control specialists.	10/04/2011 - INTRODUCED.;10/04/2011 - To HOUSE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	PA	H	24	Everett (R)	Oil and Gas Well Reporting Requirements	10/5/11	10/6/11	Pending	House Environmental Resources and Energy Committee	Amends the Oil and Gas Act, in preliminary provisions, provides for definitions, provides for well reporting requirements relating to unconventional wells and the performance of hydraulic fracturing treatment.	10/06/2011 - INTRODUCED.;10/06/2011 - To HOUSE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	PA	S	1286	Brewster (D)	Extraction Tax and Municipal Improvement Tax Credit	10/12/11	10/12/11	Pending	Senate Finance Committee	Amends the Tax Reform Code of 1971, provides for the levy of a natural gas severance tax on every producer, provides the procedures for tax rate determination and exemptions, provides penalties for fraudulent returns or failing to timely file and/or remit such tax, provides for related tax liens, authorizes refunds, provides a percentage of the tax revenue for school districts and municipalities, creates a municipal improvement tax credit to encourage private investment to assist with infrastructure.	10/12/2011 - FILED.;10/12/2011 - INTRODUCED.;10/12/2011 - To SENATE Committee on FINANCE.
Chemicals	RI	S	2396	Ruggerio (D)	Health and Safety		2/15/12	Pending	Senate Environment and Agriculture Committee	Would ban the use of cadmium, mercury or lead in children's products. This act would take effect upon passage.	02/15/2012 - INTRODUCED.;02/15/2012 - To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	SD	H	1231	Jensen (R)	Hydraulic Fracturing		1/25/12	Pending	House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee	Provides that hydraulic fracturing is an acceptable recovery process in South Dakota.	02/09/2012 - In HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES: Deferred to the 41st Legislative Day.
Chemicals	SD	H	1246	Feinstein (D)	Bisphenol A Use		1/26/12	Pending	Senate Health and Human Services Committee	Prohibits the use of Bisphenol A in certain products.	02/24/2012 - In SENATE Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: Deferred to the 41st Legislative Day.
Water_Quality	VA	H	67	Marshall R (R)	Isolated State Waters	12/19/11	1/11/12	Failed	Died	Relates to isolated state waters, asserts that isolated bodies of water that are not fed by or replenished perennial streams are to be considered nonnavigable waterways and, as such, are not subject to regulation by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers or the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency under the federal Clean Water Act.	02/14/2012 - Left in committee.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	VT	H	464	Klein (D)	Hydraulic Fracturing Wells	12/13/11	1/3/12	Pending	Senate Natural Resources and Energy Committee	Relates to hydraulic fracturing wells for natural gas and oil production, declares the findings of the General Assembly, prohibits the issuance of permits for a discharge into an injection well for conventional or enhanced recovery of natural gas or oil.	02/07/2012 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY.
EPR	WA	H	2540	Goodman (D)	Paint Stewardship Program		1/16/12	Pending	House Environment Committee	Develops a paint stewardship program.	01/17/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENVIRONMENT.
EPR	WA	S	6148	Nelson (D)	Small Rechargeable Battery Stewardship Act		1/11/12	Pending	Senate Environment Committee	Adopts the Washington small rechargeable battery stewardship act.	01/24/2012 - Public hearing scheduled.
EPR	WA	S	6145	Chase (D)	Paint Stewardship Program		1/11/12	Pending	Senate Ways and Means Committee	Develops a paint stewardship program.	02/06/2012 - Public hearing scheduled.
Chemicals	WV	H	3261	Manypenny M (D)	Bisphenol-A Free Kids Act		1/11/12	Pending	House Health and Human Resources Committee	Relates to the bisphenol-A Free Kids Act.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES.
Hydraulic_Fracturing	WV	H	3042	Walters (R)	Regulation of Oil and Gas Wells		1/11/12	Pending	House Judiciary Committee	Relates to the regulation of oil and gas Wells, provides for the modernization of the oil and gas regulatory program and to provide a means to regulate horizontal drilling and drilling processes that utilize large volumes of water, adds timber to the list of things a surface owner may be compensated for, relates to the Shallow Gas Well Review Board and the Conservation Commission membership.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on JUDICIARY.

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Misc	CA	A	1176	Williams (D)	Pesticides: Toxic Air Containment		2/18/11	Failed	ASSEMBLY	Amends existing law requiring a report on the health effects of any pesticide determined to be a toxic air contaminant. Requires the written determination regarding control measures for each pesticide and all findings made by consulting agencies be made available to the public. Includes pesticides identified as toxic air contaminants within the list of pesticides that required the development of control measures to protect human health. Sets the time frame for the development of said control measures.	01/12/2012 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on AGRICULTURE without further action pursuant to JR 62(a).	
Misc	MO	H	1324	Loehner (R)	Right of Missouri Citizens to Raise Livestock		1/17/12	Pending	HOUSE	Affirms the right of Missouri citizens to raise livestock in a humane manner without the state imposing an undue burden on their owners.	02/23/2012 - Hearing conducted.;02/23/2012 - In HOUSE Committee on RULES: Voted do pass.;02/23/2012 - From HOUSE Committee on RULES: Reported do pass.	right to farm
Misc	MO	HJR	61	Loehner (R)	Right to Raise Livestock Constitutional Amendment		1/17/12	Pending	HOUSE	Proposes a constitutional amendment affirming the right of persons to raise livestock in a humane manner without the state imposing an undue economic burden on their owners.	02/23/2012 - In HOUSE Committee on FISCAL REVIEW: Voted do pass.;02/23/2012 - From HOUSE Committee on FISCAL REVIEW: Reported do pass.	right to farm
Misc	WV	H	2180	Manypenny M (D)	Engineered Crop and Animal Farmer Protection Act		1/11/12	Pending	House Agriculture Committee	Creates the Genetically Engineered Crop and Animal Farmer Protection Act, relates to the sale of genetically engineer seeds, plants and animals, identifies contractual provisions to be against public policy and prevents noncompetitive practices involving technology fees, specifies measure to be taken to avoid cross pollination of genetically engineered plants and seeds, requires labeling of genetically engineered seeds, prohibits loan discrimination, provides for civil and citizen suits.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on AGRICULTURE.	

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Misc	IN	S	30	Leising (R)	Limitation on Adoption of Agency Rules	12/12/11	1/4/12	Pending	Senate Tax and Fiscal Policy Committee	Relates to limitation on adoption of agency rules, provides that after May 1, 2012, a state agency may not adopt a rule that will have a total estimated economic impact of any amount on the state, an instrumentality of the state, or a political subdivision unless the rule is required to comply with a court order or with a federal law, a federal regulation, or the terms of a federal grant or loan.	01/04/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/04/2012 - To SENATE Committee on TAX and FISCAL POLICY.
Eminent_Domain	VA	H	5	Bell Ro (R)	Eminent Domain Constitutional Amendment	11/22/11	1/11/12	To Governor	To Governor	Proposes a constitutional amendment that provides for a referendum to approve or reject an amendment providing that eminent domain only be exercised where the property is for public use and, except for utilities or the elimination of a public nuisance, relates to a definition of what is included in just compensation for such taking or damaging of property, prohibits the taking or damaging of more private property than is necessary for the public use.	03/03/2012 - *****To GOVERNOR.
Eminent_Domain	VA	HJR	3	Bell Ro (R)	Private Property Constitutional Amendment	11/22/11	1/11/12	Adopted	Adopted	Proposes a constitutional amendment that revises the prohibition on the enactment by the General Assembly of Laws whereby private property may be taken or damaged, provides that an existing provision authorizing the General Assembly to define what constitutes a public use is removed, provides that private property can be taken or damaged only for a public use, only with Just compensation to the owner, and only so much taken as is necessary for the public use.	02/27/2012 - Passed SENATE.
Eminent_Domain	VA	S	240	Obenshain (R)	Private Property Damage Constitutional Amendment		1/11/12	To Governor	To Governor	Proposes a constitutional amendment, relates to taking or damaging of private property, relates to public use, provides for an election to approve or reject an amendment eliminating the General Assembly's authority to define a public use for which private property may be taken or damaged and requiring that eminent domain be exercised for public uses and not for the primary purpose of private gain.	03/09/2012 - *****To GOVERNOR.
Eminent_Domain	VA	SJR	3	Obenshain (R)	Private Property Constitutional Amendment	11/21/11	1/11/12	Adopted	Adopted	Proposes a constitutional amendment that revises the prohibition on the enactment by the General Assembly of Laws whereby private property may be taken or damaged, provides that an existing provision authorizing the General Assembly to define what constitutes a public use is removed, provides that private property can be taken or damaged only for a public use, only with Just compensation to the owner, and only so much taken as is necessary for the public use.	03/06/2012 - Passed HOUSE.
Eminent_Domain	WV	HJR	24	Overington (R)	Private Property for Private Use Amendment		1/11/12	Pending	House Constitutional Revision Committee	Proposes a constitutional amendment, Prohibits the governmental taking of private property for private use amendment.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION.

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Cap	NJ	A	1998	McKeon (D)	Greenhouse Gas Initiative		1/10/12	Pending	ASSEMBLY	Clarifies intent of Public Law 2007, c.340 regarding the State's required participation in Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative.	02/02/2012 - From ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENT AND SOLID WASTE.
Cap	NY	A	5346	Sweeney (D)	Global Warming Pollution Control		2/16/11	Pending	Assembly Third Reading - File No. 182	Relates to global warming pollution control, establishes greenhouse gas limits and reporting system, defines greenhouse gas to include carbon dioxide, methane, nitrous oxide, hydrofluorocarbons, perfluorocarbons, sulfur hexafluroide, and any other gas determined by the DEC to be a significant contributor to global warming, authorizes the DEC to promulgate rules and regulations, requires annual greenhouse gas emission reporting from greenhouse gas emission sources and progress made in achieving reduction.	02/29/2012 - Amended on ASSEMBLY floor.
Cap	NY	S	2742	Avella (D)	Global Warming Pollution Control		1/31/11	Pending	Senate Environmental Conservation Committee	Relates to global warming pollution control, establishes greenhouse gas limits and a greenhouse gas reporting system.	12/21/2011 - Amended in SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION.
Cap;Stationary_Emissions	WA	H	2326	Jinkins (D)	Air Quality Impacted by Solid Fuel Burning Devices		1/10/12	To Governor	To Governor	Authorizes the Department of Ecology or a local air pollution control authority to call a first stage of impaired air quality, as well as a second stage of impaired air quality, at a level below the federal standard, allows a city, county, or local health department to assist with enforcement of a prohibition on the use of solid fuel burning devices in a nonattainment area.	03/08/2012 - *****To GOVERNOR.
Cap;Stationary_Emissions	WA	S	6102	Regala (D)	Air Quality		1/10/12	Pending	Indefinitely Postponed	Protects air quality that is impacted by high emitting solid fuel burning devices.	02/22/2012 - In SENATE Committee on RULES: Indefinitely postponed.
Mobile_Emissions	WV	H	2404	Fleischauer (D)	Air Pollution Control		1/11/12	Pending	House Energy, Industry and Labor, Economic Development and Small Business Committee	Relates to air pollution control, gives the Director of the Department of Environmental Protection the authority to promulgate new vehicle emission standards, creates the Low Emission Vehicle Act.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY, INDUSTRY AND LABOR, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND SMALL BUSINESS.
RPS	NJ	A	1384	Chivukula (D)	Alternative Energy Portfolio Standard		1/10/12	Pending	Assembly Telecommunications and Utilities Committee	Establishes alternative energy portfolio standard and certificate program.	01/10/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/10/2012 - To ASSEMBLY Committee on TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND UTILITIES.
RPS	VA	H	69	Englin (D)	Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard	12/19/11	1/11/12	Failed	Died	Requires each investor-owned electric utility and distribution cooperative to participate in a renewable energy portfolio standard program commencing with calendar year 2013, relates that under the program, each utility is required to generate renewable energy or to purchase renewable energy certificates, or both, in amounts that start in 2013 at three percent of the total electric energy sold in the base year of 2007 and that increase to 20 percent of such amount in 2020 and thereafter.	02/14/2012 - Left in committee.
RPS	VT	S	170	Lyons (D)	Renewable Portfolio Standards	12/14/11	1/3/12	Pending	Senate Natural Resources and Energy Committee	Proposes to revise the statutes pertaining to a Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS) and the Sustainably Priced Energy Enterprise Development (SPEED) program, proposes to establish an RPS in Vermont and continue the SPEED program with significant revisions, proposes to reorganize existing legal provisions concerning the standard offer component of the SPEED program into a separate statute and increase the existing 50-MW capacity of that program to 100 MW.	01/03/2012 - INTRODUCED.;01/03/2012 - To SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY.
RPS	WV	H	2401	Fleischauer (D)	Renewable Portfolio Standards Sustainable Energy Act		1/11/12	Pending	House Energy, Industry and Labor, Economic Development and Small Business Committee	Concerns the Renewable Portfolio Standards Sustainable Energy Act, phases in requirements for electric providers to add renewable energy systems to help protect and sustain the environment.	01/11/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on ENERGY, INDUSTRY AND LABOR, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND SMALL BUSINESS.
RPS;Stationary_Emissions	KY	H	167	Marzian (D)	Energy Efficiency		1/3/12	Pending	House Tourism Development and Energy Committee	Relates to energy, encourages greater energy efficiency, conservation, and the use of renewable resources in order to promote energy independence and security by diversifying the portfolio of energy sources used for generating electricity for retail electric customers, including biomass conversion, stabilizes long-term energy prices and encourage economic growth, creates high-quality jobs, training, business, and investment opportunities in the energy sector, creates energy efficiency programs.	01/04/2012 - To HOUSE Committee on TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AND ENERGY.