



Liability Reform Coalition

Bill Tracker

2.15.18

Active bills highlighted

Bill number & sponsor	Issue	LRC position	Status
HB 1128 Rep. Shea (R)	Increases the jurisdictional limit for mandatory arbitration from \$50,000 to \$100,000	Oppose	Senate Ways and Means Committee Hearing scheduled for 2/22 Passed the House 77-19-0-2
HB 1131 Rep. Kilduff (D) Companion bill: SB 5080	Requires action for damages to real property resulting from construction, alteration, or repair be commenced within three years after discovery or completion, whichever comes first. Grants, if construction is not complete by the effective date of the bill and the property owner knows or should know of the damage, an action for damages must be commenced within three years after the effective date.	Support	House Judiciary Committee
HB 2262 Rep. Santos (D) Companion bill: SB 6015	Expanding the wrongful death statute	Oppose	House Rules Committee
HB 2475 Rep. Ryu (D) Companion bill: SB 6523	Concerning the tolling of construction projects.	Oppose	House Rules Committee
HB 2506 Rep. Sawyer (D)	Relates to liability for exemplary— or punitive— damages	Oppose	House Judiciary Committee Heard in committee 1/17
HB 2831 Rep. Senn (D)	Concerning construction defect actions.	Monitor	House Rules Committee

<p>SB 5080</p> <p>Sen. Padden (R)</p> <p>Companion bill: 1131</p>	<p>Requires action for damages to real property resulting from construction, alteration, or repair be commenced within three years after discovery or completion, whichever comes first. Grants, if construction is not complete by the effective date of the bill and the property owner knows or should know of the damage, an action for damages must be commenced within three years after the effective date.</p>	<p>Support</p>	<p>Senate Rules Committee</p>
<p>SB 5896</p> <p>Sen. Rossi (R)</p>	<p>Limits state and local government liability.</p>	<p>Support</p>	<p>Senate Rules Committee</p>
<p>SB 5990</p> <p>Sen. Van De Wege (D)</p>	<p>Eliminates liability protection for health care professionals in emergency situations.</p>	<p>Support</p>	<p>House Health Care and Wellness Committee</p> <p>Passed the Senate 44-4-0-1</p>
<p>SB 6015</p> <p>Sen. Hawegawa (D)</p> <p>Companion bill: HB 2262</p>	<p>Expanding the wrongful death statute</p>	<p>Oppose</p>	<p>House Judiciary Committee</p> <p>Hearing scheduled for 2/21</p> <p>Executive session scheduled for 2/22</p> <p>Passed the Senate 26-21-0-2</p>
<p>SB 6313</p> <p>Sen. Keiser (D)</p>	<p>Concerning an employee's right to file a complaint or cause of action for sexual harassment or sexual assault in mandatory employment contracts and agreements.</p>	<p>Oppose</p>	<p>House Labor and Workplace Standards Committee</p> <p>Passed the Senate 48-0-0-1</p>
<p>SB 6523</p> <p>Sen. Mullett (D)</p> <p>Companion bill: HB 2475</p>	<p>Concerning the tolling of construction projects.</p>	<p>Oppose</p>	<p>Senate Law and Justice Committee</p>