Tucson Metro Chamber 2nd Session/52nd Legislature Report Card

+ "Correct" vote, supported Chamber position - "Wrong" vote, contrary to Chamber position ? No recorded vote

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1. H2002

INSURANCE PREMIUM TAX REDUCTION

Insurance premium tax rate for insurance other than fire, disability, and health care service and disability insurance is annually reduced by .05 percent, beginning from the 2015 rate of 2 percent down to 1.75 percent in calendar year 2020 and beyond. **Chamber Position: SUPPORT**

ELECTRONIC DOCUMENTS; STATE AGENCIES

Agencies are required to provide a method of electronic submission of non-sensitive data on the agency's website, and are permitted to provide a method of electronic submission of sensitive data. **Chamber Position: SUPPORT**

3. H2025

UTILITIES TPT: SALES OF PROPANE

List of deductions from the tax base for the utilities classification of transaction privilege and use taxes is expanded to include gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from sales of liquefied petroleum gas to a business that is principally engaged in manufacturing or smelting.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

4. H2031 LIQUOR PURCHASES; OTHER STATE **IDENTIFICATION**

List of acceptable types of identification for the purpose of purchasing liquor is modified so that a form of identification license issued by another state or territory is no longer required to be reissued within 30 days after the person turns 21 years of

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

5. H2047 TRADE NAMES; TRADEMARKS; ONLINE REGISTRATION

An application for registration of a trademark or trade name, including a renewal registration, may be submitted on a form furnished by, or on, the Secretary of State's website.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

6. H2088 SCHOOLS; ASSESSMENTS; SURVEYS; INFORMED CONSENT

School districts and charter schools are required to obtain written informed consent from the parent of a student before administering to any student any

Chamber Position: OPPOSE

MUNICIPALITIES; COUNTIES; ENERGY USE; REPORTING

Counties and municipalities are prohibited from regulating the sale, use or disposition of auxiliary containers by an owner, operator or tenant of a business, commercial building or multifamily

housing property. Chamber Position: SUPPORT

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MUNICIPALITIES; COUNTIES; AUXILIARY **CONTAINERS; PROHIBITIONS**

Counties and municipalities are no longer prohibited from imposing a tax, fee, assessment, charge or return deposit on a consumer or an owner, operator or tenant of a business, commercial building or multifamily housing property for "auxiliary containers" (defined as reusable bags, boxes, and other recyclable containers).

9. H2146 MUNICIPALITIES; PROPERTY SALE THRESHOLD; ELECTION

The value of real property being sold by a municipality that triggers a special election for voter approval of the sale is increased to \$1.5 million, from \$500,000

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

10. H2182 LIQUOR; SAMPLING; ELIGIBILITY; SQUARE FOOTAGE

Beer and wine store premises are no longer required to contain at least 5,000 square feet in order to be eligible for sampling privileges. **Chamber Position: SUPPORT**

11. H2191 EMPLOYEE SCHEDULING; STATE PREEMPTION

Counties and municipalities are prohibited from adopting an ordinance, resolution or other regulation that requires an employer to alter or adjust any employee scheduling unless the alteration or adjustment is required by state or federal law. **Chamber Position: SUPPORT**

12. H2201 SOVEREIGN AUTHORITY; COMMANDEERING; PROHIBITION; **EXCEPTION**

The state and all political subdivisions are prohibited from using any personnel or financial resources to enforce, administer or cooperate with any "action" (defined) of the U.S. government that constitutes "commandeering. **Chamber Position: OPPOSE**

13. H2326 AGRICULTURAL FEED; SALES; TAX **EXEMPTION**

The exemption from the retail classification of transaction privilege tax and use tax for certain livestock and poultry feed is expanded to include sales of livestock and poultry feed to persons for use or consumption by their own livestock or poultry or for use or consumption in noncommercial boarding of livestock.

Chamber Position: OPPOSE

14. H2373 **REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY;** MEMBERSHIP; ELECTION

The members of a regional transportation authority (RTA) that are members of the regional council of governments (COG) must be from the county that established the RTA.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

15. H2386

PATENT TROLL PREVENTION ACT

A person is prohibited from making an assertion of patent infringement in bad faith. Violations are an unlawful practice and subject to enforcement through private action and prosecution by the Attorney General.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

16. H2391 **MUNICIPALITIES; WATER RATES; REQUIREMENTS**

Municipalities are prohibited from assessing or collecting a fee on new water or wastewater service connections at the time of the establishment of service to those connections for the purpose of recovering the municipality's costs of acquiring the utility plan, facilities, system or other property of a public service corporation or another municipality engaged in the business of providing water or wastewater service.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

TAX LIEN DEEDS; AGGREGATE FEES

Maximum aggregate fee the county treasurer may require to execute and deliver a deed for any judgment foreclosing the right to redeem ten or more individual parcels is \$500.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

18. H2440 MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; FORMATION ELECTION

If a municipal council or governing body determines that a municipal improvement district should be formed, the municipal council is required to submit within 120 days to the municipal clerk a petition to form the district that is signed by the owners of more than 1/2 of the taxable property units within the area of the proposed district and that is signed by persons owning collectively more than 1/2 of the assessed valuation of the property within the area of the proposed district.

Chamber Position: OPPOSE

19. H2447 **BUSINESS ENTITIES; DATABASE; POSTING;**

The Corporation Commission is required to establish and maintain a database for documents filed for various business entity filings. The database must include only documents filed for an entity with a known place of business located in a county with a population of more than 800,000 persons (Pima and Maricopa Counties).

Chamber Position: OPPOSE

20. H2450

EXPEDITED RULEMAKING; OUTDATED RULES

The list of circumstances under which an agency is permitted to conduct expedited rulemaking is expanded to include if the rulemaking amends or repeals rules that are outdated, redundant or otherwise no longer necessary for the operation of

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

21. H2479 **ABOR; TERMS**

The term of each appointive member of the Arizona Board of Regents (ABOR) is reduced to four years,

Chamber Position: OPPOSE

22. H2486 TELECOMMUNICATIONS UTILITIES: RELOCATION; REIMBURSEMENT

To the fullest extent allowed by law, if any construction in any municipality that i s undertaken individually or jointly by an intergovernmental contract and that is funded in whole or in part by voter-approved municipal bond proceeds requires a "telecommunications utility" to adjust or relocate the utility's facilities, the county or municipality must reimburse the utility or cause the utility to be reimbursed for the utility's relocation costs.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

23. H2497 LOCAL GOVERNMENTS; PERMITS;

A political subdivision is required to allow a list of specified persons to install, operate and maintain microcell equipment" in the public highways within the political subdivision and, upon application, is required to issue permits for the installation, operation and maintenance of microcell equipment on a competitively neutral and nondiscriminatory basis to those persons.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

MEDICAL LICENSURE COMPACT

Enacts the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact to establish a comprehensive and streamlined process allowing physicians to become licensed in multiple states. Adopts the prevailing standard for licensure and requires the physician to be under the jurisdiction of the state medical board where the patient is located

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

25, H2507 **OUTDOOR ADVERTISING**

Modifies the specified latitude and longitude borders within which electronic outdoor advertising is authorized.

Chamber Position: OPPOSE

26. H2512 PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS; EXPENDITURE LIMIT EXEMPTION

Any payment to the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System made by a county or municipality against the county's or municipality's unfunded accrued liability is excluded from the county's or municipality's expenditure limitation established by

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

BUSINESS PROFESSIONALS; REGULATION RESTRICTIONS

State agencies, counties and municipalities are required to limit all "entry regulations" and "public service restrictions" applicable to businesses and professions to those that are demonstrably necessary and carefully tailored to fulfill legitimate public health, safety or welfare objectives. Chamber Position: SUPPORT

28. H2524 UNIFORM FIREARMS TRANSFER COMPACT

The state of Arizona adopts and agrees to be bound by a uniform firearms transfer compact, which would have prohibited member states from enacting or enforcing any law, regulation or policy that would "impose any fee, tax, penalty, mandate or regulation governing, punishing, restricting, conditioning or otherwise burdening in any respect or at any time the transfer of firearms by any person" in addition to then-existing federal law, with some exceptions.

Chamber Position: OPPOSE

29. H2536 **FINE ART; TPT EXEMPTION**

The list of exemptions from the retail classification of transaction privilege tax is expanded to include sales of "work of fine art" at an art auction or gallery in Arizona to nonresidents if the vendor ships or delivers the work of fine art to a destination out of state.

Chamber Position: OPPOSE

30. H2568 COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICTS: **FORMATION; GOVERNANCE**

Beginning with community facilities districts formed after the effective date of this legislation, if the land proposed to be included in the district was more than 600 acres, on presentation of a petition signed by the owners of all the land area proposed to be included in the district, the governing body would have been required to adopt a resolution declaring its intention to form a district to include contiguous or noncontiguous property that was wholly within the corporate boundaries of the municipality or county, and to adopt the resolution within 90 days after the submittal of the petition

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

31. H2579 **NONWAGE COMPENSATION; MINIMUM**

Statute stating that regulation of employee benefits is not subject to further regulation by political subdivisions is expanded to include "nonwage compensation," defined as fringe benefits, welfare benefits, child or adult care plans, sick pay, vacation pay, severance pay, commissions, bonuses, retirement plan or pension contributions. other employment benefits and other amounts promised to the employee that are more than the minimum compensation due an employee by reason of employment

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

32, H2584

DATA CENTER TAX RELIEF; QUALIFICATION

For the purpose of computer data center tax relief, the effective date of the certification as a computer data center by the Arizona Commerce Authority is the date on which the application was submitted to the Authority. The list of costs constituting the minimum investments a computer data center must make is expanded to include improvements to land, and the costs may be spent on items owned or leased or paid for under a right to use agreement. **Chamber Position: SUPPORT**

33. H2666 **GOVERNOR'S ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY OFFICE; CONSOLIDATION**

Establishes the Office of Economic Opportunity (OEO), the OEO Operations Fund and the Economic Development Fund. Various statutory fees are deposited in the OEO Operations Fund instead of the Arizona Competes Fund. OEO Director is required to monitor the state's tax competitiveness, implementing a data collection and analysis process to benchmark regulatory costs and the state's competitive position, and serving as the state's workforce planning coordinator.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

34. HCM2001

HEALTH INSURANCE TAX; REPEAL

The Legislature urges the U.S. Congress to enact legislation to repeal the health insurance tax to make health care more affordable for working families, individuals and businesses

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

35. HCR2014 MINIMUM WAGE; STATE PREEMPTION

The 2016 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend state statute to establish a minimum wage of \$8.41 an hour for calendar year 2017, \$8.77 an hour for 2018, \$9.13 an hour for 2019, \$9.50 an hour for 2020, and beginning January 1, 2021 and each January 1 after, by the increase in the cost of living. The statutory formula for determining the increase in cost of living is modified. For any employee who customarily and regularly receives tips or gratuities, the employer may pay a wage up to 35 percent less than the minimum wage, instead of \$3.00 per

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

36, S1118 OFFICE OF TOURISM; CONTINUATION

The statutory life of the Office of Tourism is extended six years to July 1, 2022.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

37. \$1208 TEACHER CERTIFICATION; RECIPROCITY

Board rules providing for teacher certification reciprocity must require that the applicant with certification from another state be in good standing with that other state. An applicant with a valid teacher certification from another state who is in good standing with that other state must be issued a standard teaching certificate.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

38. \$1216 **CHARITABLE DONATIONS; TAX CREDIT**

The maximum amounts of income tax credits for contributions during the tax year to a qualifying charitable organization other than a qualifying foster care charitable organization are increased to \$400 for a single individual or head of household, and to \$800 for a married couple filing jointly. **Chamber Position: SUPPORT**

39. \$1257 MISCONDUCT INVOLVING WEAPONS; **PUBLIC PLACES**

A person who possesses a valid concealed weapons permit is exempt from the prohibition on carrying a concealed weapon in a public establishment or at a public event.

Chamber Position: OPPOSE

40. S1267 MILITARY SERVICE; POSTSECONDARY ACADEMIC CREDIT

The Arizona Board of Regents and community college district governing boards must develop policies to award academic credit that a current or former member of the U.S. military may use toward the pursuit of a baccalaureate or associate degree.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

TPT; UTILITIES; MANUFACTURING; SMELTING

Utilities can no longer have to remit transaction privilege taxes for gross proceeds of sales or gross income derived from sales of electricity or natural gas to a qualified manufacturing or smelting

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

42. \$1309 CORPORATION COMMISSION; ELECTRONIC FILINGS

The Corporation Commission is authorized to accept electronically any document that a public service corporation is required to submit by statute, rule or a Commission order

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

43. S1322 COMMUNITY COLLEGES; EXPENDITURE LIMITATION

Various changes relating to community college expenditure limitations. A community college district board may by a 2/3 vote refer to district voters a permanent change in the base limit used to determine the district expenditure limitation. **Chamber Position: SUPPORT**

44. \$1323 **VEXATIOUS LITIGANTS; WORKERS'** COMPENSATION

In a workers' compensation case before the Industrial Commission, the chief administrative law judge or a designee is authorized to designate a pro se litigant a vexatious litigant.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

45. \$1365 RETURN-TO-WORK PROGRAM

The Department of Economic Security is required to establish a return to work program to provide a supervised training opportunity to individuals for 20 to 32 hours per week for up to 6 weeks through employers that volunteer to participate in the

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

46. S1398 **FUEL TAXES; STREETS & HIGHWAYS**

A county receiving Highway User Revenue Fund monies is required to publish an annual financial report containing budgeted and actual expenditures of funds received from motor vehicle fuel and use fuel taxes. The report must cover the preceding fiscal year and must be distributed by December

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

47. S1417 **DISTRIBUTED ENERGY GENERATION** SYSTEMS

Various changes to statutes regulating solar energy devices. The definition of "solar energy device" is expanded to include a "distributed energy

generation system."
Chamber Position: SUPPORT

48. S1429 PUBLIC RETIREMENT SYSTEMS: SPECIAL **ELECTION**

The purpose of the special election called by Laws 2015, first special session, chapter 2 is expanded to include proposed amendments to the state Constitution that are proposed by Senate concurrent resolution 1019 that provide for changes to public retirement systems.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

49. S1457 KIDSCARE ENROLLMENT; EMPOWERMENT SCHOLARSHIPS; DISABILITIES

Total enrollment in the state Children's Health Insurance Program (KidsCare) is no longer limited based on the annual appropriations made by the egislature and an enrollment cap.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

50. S1490

TRANSPORTATION FUNDING; TASK FORCE

Establishes a 9-member Surface Transportation Funding Task Force to review transportation needs and revenue sources in Arizona and recommend specific revenue proposals for dedicated funding sources for specified transportation-related items

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

51. S1505

NATURAL GAS DELIVERY; TAX EXEMPTION

The exemption from the utilities classification of transaction privilege and use taxes for the purchase price of electricity or natural gas by a business that is principally engaged in manufacturing or smelting operations and that uses at least 51 percent of the electricity or natural gas in the manufacturing or smelting operations is modified to apply to gas transportation services.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

52. \$1516 CAMPAIGN FINANCE AMENDMENTS The article of statute governing campaign

contributions and expenses is repealed and replaced. Modifies definitions, including the definitions of "contribution" and "expenditure." Establishes a list of expenses that are not considered contributions for campaign finance purposes, including payments by a political party to support its nominee and the payment of a committee's legal

or accounting expenses.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

53. S1525 **JTED RESTORATION & REFORMS**

Eliminates the reduction in base support level funding that a school district, charter school or JTED receives for students enrolled in both a school district or charter school and a joint technical education district (JTED) satellite campus program to 92.5 percent of the base support level funding that the school district, charter school or JTED would

otherwise receive. **Chamber Position: SUPPORT**

54. SCM1006 **PORTS OF ENTRY; ADDITIONAL PERSONNEL**

The Legislature urges the U.S. Congress to act to increase the number of U.S. Customs and Border Protection personnel at the ports of entry in Arizona in order to secure the border between the U.S. and Mexico

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

55. SCM1007 OZONE CONCENTRATION STANDARD; URGING EPA

The Legislature urges the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to reinstate the previous ozone concentration standard of 75 parts per

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

56. SCM1008 REGULATORY INTEGRITY PROTECTION ACT

The Legislature urges the U.S. Congress to enact the Regulatory Integrity Protection Act.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT

57. SCM1009 CHERRYBELL; MAIL PROCESSING CENTER

The Legislature urges the U.S. Congress to protest the proposed closing of Cherrybell Postal Processing and Distribution Center in Southern Arizona.

Chamber Position: SUPPORT