HB 194  (Hutchison-106th)  Bill Link
"Undocumented Persons Family Violence Protection Act" - provides that any undocumented person who in good faith seeks law enforcement assistance and who is a victim of family violence, or who seeks assistance on behalf of a victim of family violence, shall not be arrested, charged, or prosecuted for being an undocumented person.
Status: House Public Safety and Homeland Security Committee

HB 195  (Marin-96th)  Bill Link
Requires a firearms safety training course for certain persons making application for a weapons carry license or renewal license.
Status: House Public Safety and Homeland Security Committee

HB 216  (Lim-98th)  Bill Link
Authorizes respite care for foster parents for longer periods of time pursuant to circumstances delineated in rules and regulations established by the Department of Human Services.
Status: House Judiciary Non-Civil Committee

HB 327  (Cameron-1st)  Bill Link
Includes grandparent and grandchild of the whole blood or of the half blood or step-grandchild in the list of relatives who are able to be charged with incest.
Status: PASSED HOUSE.

HB 329  (Mainor-56th)  Bill Link
Requires landlords of an apartment building that is being leased for residential purposes and that consists of 50 or more rental units must provide certain notices to existing and prospective tenants with regard to certain crimes occurring on the premises being leased.
Status: House Judiciary Committee

HB 344  (Lim-98th)  Bill Link
Requires that a landlord has a nonwaivable duty to maintain the premises in a habitable condition, including, but not limited to, making necessary repairs and access to essential services.
Status: House Judiciary Committee

HB 348  (Collins-71st)  Bill Link
Requires warning signs for traffic safety enforcement devices and school zone speed limit reduction to display flashing yellow lights while the speed reduction is in effect. The speed limit may be enforced 30 minutes prior to and 30 minutes after the school starts; 30 minutes prior to and 30 minutes after the school dismisses unless the school campus is bisected by a highway; and when the driver is 10 miles per hour over the speed limit. When a citation is issued, the driver will receive an assigned hearing date that must be within 60 days of issuance of the citation. If a penalty is unpaid 30 days after a final notice has been mailed, the vehicle's registration cannot be renewed until the penalty and late fees have been collected. The bill requires an assigned hearing date to be issued with a citation for improperly overtaking a school bus. Registration of the vehicle cannot be renewed until the penalty and late fees are collected.
Status: PASSED HOUSE.

HB 365  (Holcomb-81st)  Bill Link
Authorizes the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council to create and operate a state-wide sexual assault kit tracking system.
Status: House Judiciary Non-Civil Committee

HB 366  (Scott-76th)  Bill Link
Provides for the offenses of failure to store a firearm in a secure manner.
Status: House Public Safety and Homeland Security Committee