Miscellaneous

**HB 719 (Neal-79th)  Bill Link**
Repeals restrictions on rent regulation by local governments and requires landlords to provide at least 60 days' notice to terminate certain tenancies.
Status: House Judiciary Committee

**HB 738 (Hilton-48th)  Bill Link**
Relating to the Department of Labor, so as to create the Task Force on Workforce and Safety Net Integration. This task force will determine how state agencies and departments that administer workforce development programs and safety net programs can best serve Georgians and help them improve their employment situation; explore the potential benefits of merging certain state agencies or departments to better serve the citizens of Georgia; explore how to best integrate the delivery of Georgia's various workforce development programs and safety net programs; and create an implementation strategy for an integrated delivery system.
Status: House Industry and Labor Committee

**SR 293 (Halpern-39th)  Bill Link**
Creates the Senate Study Committee on an Equity Impact Tool for Legislation.
Status: Senate Rules Committee

**HB 30 (Carson-46th)  Bill Link**
Provides a definition of antisemitism for purposes of state government, using the advisory definition of antisemitism adopted by the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance (IHRA) on May 26, 2016. IHRA defines antisemitism as a certain perception of Jews, which may be expressed as hatred toward Jews, and includes rhetorical and physical manifestations of antisemitism directed toward Jewish or non-Jewish individuals and/or their property, toward Jewish community institutions, and religious facilities. All state agencies will consider antisemitism as evidence of discriminatory intent for any law or policy which prohibits discrimination. Nothing in the bill will be construed to infringe upon First Amendment rights or an individual's right to engage in legally protected conduct or activity pertaining to U.S. foreign policy or international affairs.
Status: PASSED HOUSE. Assigned to Senate Judiciary Committee. The bill will be heard in committee today (MONDAY).

**HB 88 (Gaines-120th)  Bill Link**
Establishes protocols for review of cold case murder files by law enforcement agencies.
Status: PASSED HOUSE. Assigned to Senate Judiciary Committee. The bill will be heard in committee today (MONDAY).

**HB 163 (McDonald-26th)  Bill Link**
Establishes a student loan repayment program for full-time medical examiners employed with the Division of Forensic Sciences of the Georgia Bureau of Investigation. The total repayment amount must not exceed $120,000 or the total student debt amount, whichever is less, and the payments will be paid in annual installments, for a period not exceeding five years. The Georgia Student Finance Authority is authorized to establish rules and regulations to implement the program and the program is contingent upon the appropriation of funds by the General Assembly.
Status: PASSED HOUSE. Recommended Do Pass by the Senate Higher Education Committee. The bill rests in Senate Rules Committee.

**HB 167 (Momtahan-17th)  Bill Link**
The original bill (which amended the list of individuals with a suspended, revoked, or cancelled license eligible to apply for a limited driving permit by adding persons not in compliance with a child support order) was gutted and replaced by language which establishes a law enforcement unit within the Georgia Public Safety Training Center.
Status: PASSED HOUSE. Recommended Do Pass by the Senate Public Safety Committee. The bill rests in Senate Rules Committee.

**HB 237 (Hagan-156th)  Bill Link**
The original language (which designated the Southeast Georgia Soap Box Derby as the official soap box derby of the State of Georgia) was completely removed from the bill and the bill was amended to include the sports betting...