

Run Time: Wednesday, May-22-2013, 11:17 AM

**HB1055 *Emergency rulemaking statute.* ([McMillin](#), [M. Young](#), [Zakas](#))****Digest**

Removes from the statute providing the procedure by which Indiana administrative agencies may adopt emergency rules (emergency rules statute) a list enumerating the statutes that convey emergency rulemaking authority, and codifies in substantive administrative law emergency rulemaking authority that is currently codified only in this list. Relocates exceptions and conditions applicable only to certain emergency rules from the emergency rules statute to the statute establishing the authority for adoption of the emergency rule to which the exception or condition applies. Provides that the publisher of the Indiana administrative code shall annually publish a list of agencies authorized to adopt rules under the emergency rules statute. Makes other technical corrections. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the code revision commission.)

<b>Date</b>	<b>Action</b>
01/07/2013	<b>H: Author</b> Added <a href="#">Jud McMillin</a>
01/07/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b> Added <a href="#">John Bartlett</a>
01/07/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b> Added <a href="#">Clyde Kersey</a>
01/07/2013	<b>H: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Government and Regulatory Reform</a>
01/15/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b> 10:30 AM Room 156-A <a href="#">Government and Regulatory Reform</a>
01/15/2013	<b>H: Committee Report</b> do pass, adopted
01/15/2013	<b>H: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass(13-0)</a> <a href="#">Government and Regulatory Reform</a>
01/17/2013	<b>H: 2nd Reading</b> Order Engrossed
01/22/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b> Added <a href="#">Tim Wesco</a>
01/22/2013	<b>H: 3rd Reading</b> <a href="#">Pass (96-0)</a>
01/22/2013	<b>H: Referred</b> Referred to the Senate
01/22/2013	<b>H: Sponsor</b> Added <a href="#">R. Michael Young</a>
01/22/2013	<b>H: Sponsor</b> Added <a href="#">Joseph C. Zakas</a>
02/25/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Commerce, Economic Development and Technology</a>
03/11/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b> 10:00 AM Room 130 <a href="#">Commerce, Economic Development and Technology</a>
03/11/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass Amend(7-0)</a> <a href="#">Commerce, Economic Development and Technology</a>
03/25/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b> 11:00 AM Room 130 <a href="#">Commerce, Economic Development and Technology</a>
03/26/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b> amend do pass, adopted
03/28/2013	<b>S: 2nd Reading</b> Order Engrossed
04/01/2013	<b>S: 3rd Reading</b> <a href="#">Pass (48-1)</a>
04/01/2013	<b>S: Ret 1st House</b> Amendments
04/17/2013	<b>H: Ret 1st House</b> <a href="#">Concur(85-0)</a>
04/18/2013	<b>H: Signed</b> By the Speaker
04/22/2013	<b>S: Signed</b> By the President Pro Tem
04/25/2013	<b>S: Signed</b> By the President of the Senate
05/02/2013	<b>Governor</b> Signed
05/13/2013	<b>Public Law</b> P.L. 140

**HB1079 *Mortgages and vendor's liens on real property.* ([Burton](#), [Holdman](#))****Digest**

Provides that if the record of a mortgage or vendor's lien that was created before July 1, 2012, does not show the due date of the last installment, the mortgage or vendor's lien expires 20 years (instead of 10 years under current law) after the date of execution of the mortgage or vendor's lien. Provides that if: (1) the record of a mortgage or vendor's lien does not show the due date of the last installment; (2) the execution date is omitted from the mortgage or vendor's lien; and (3) the mortgage or vendor's lien was created before July 1, 2012; the mortgage or vendor's lien expires 20 years (instead of 10 years under current law) after the mortgage or vendor's lien is recorded. Makes exceptions to the expiration period if a

foreclosure action is brought not later than the expiration period. Makes corresponding changes in the provision that allows the mortgagee or lienholder to file an affidavit stating when the debt becomes due. Removes language that prohibits a person from maintaining an action to foreclose a mortgage or enforce a vendor's lien if the last installment of the debt secured by the mortgage or vendor's lien has been due more than 10 years.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Action</u>	
01/07/2013	H: Author	Added <a href="#">Woody Burton</a>
01/07/2013	H: Co Author	Added <a href="#">Justin Moed</a>
01/07/2013	H: 1st Reading	Assigned <a href="#">Financial Institutions</a>
01/16/2013	H: <b>Committee Sched</b>	1:30 PM Room 156-A <a href="#">Financial Institutions</a>
01/16/2013	H: <b>Committee Action</b>	<a href="#">Pass Amend(13-0)</a> <a href="#">Financial Institutions</a>
01/17/2013	H: <b>Committee Report</b>	amend do pass, adopted
01/17/2013	H: Co Author	Added <a href="#">Tom Washburne</a>
01/17/2013	H: Co Author	Added <a href="#">Gail C Riecken</a>
01/22/2013	H: 2nd Reading	Order Engrossed
01/23/2013	H: 3rd Reading	<a href="#">Pass (94-0)</a>
01/23/2013	H: Referred	Referred to the Senate
01/23/2013	H: Sponsor	Added <a href="#">Travis Holdman</a>
02/25/2013	S: 1st Reading	Assigned <a href="#">Financial Institutions</a>
03/14/2013	S: <b>Committee Sched</b>	9:00 AM Room 130 <a href="#">Financial Institutions</a>
03/14/2013	S: <b>Committee Report</b>	do pass, adopted
03/14/2013	S: <b>Committee Action</b>	<a href="#">Pass(7-0)</a> <a href="#">Financial Institutions</a>
03/18/2013	S: 2nd Reading	Order Engrossed
03/18/2013	S: 2nd Sponsor	Added <a href="#">Greg Walker</a>
03/19/2013	S: 3rd Reading	<a href="#">Pass (47-1)</a>
03/19/2013	S: Ret 1st House	No Amendments
03/19/2013	S: Co Sponsor	Added <a href="#">Frank Mrvan, Jr.</a>
03/21/2013	H: Signed	By the Speaker
03/21/2013	S: Signed	By the President Pro Tem
03/22/2013	S: Signed	By the President of the Senate
04/01/2013	Governor	Signed
05/13/2013	Public Law	P.L. 18

**HB1116 Property taxes.** ([Leonard](#), [Head](#))

## Digest

Eliminates provisions establishing department of local government finance (DLGF) control of a county's reassessment fund. Provides that the DLGF is required to conduct a public hearing on a political subdivision's budget, tax rate, and tax levy if requested in writing by a taxpayer. Allows the DLGF to consider budgets, tax rates, and tax levies of multiple political subdivisions at the same hearing. Reconciles past legislation amending the statute for calculating tax rates for rate controlled funds. Authorizes townships to petition the DLGF for permission to increase the township levy by the amount borrowed in 2012 or 2013, but not both. Requires the DLGF to grant permission for the levy increase. Allows the loan subject to the levy increase to be repaid from additional borrowing over three years. Provides that if a township receives such a maximum levy increase in 2014 based on a fire emergency loan, the levy limits imposed on the township may be exceeded in calendar years 2014, 2015, and 2016 by the amount of ad valorem property taxes imposed by the township to repay the money borrowed for the three year repayment schedule. Provides that the taxes imposed in excess of the levy limits are not included in the township's levy for purposes of determining its maximum levy. Removes an obsolete provision under which the DLGF had discretion to approve similar levy increases. Specifies that any school building for academic instruction is: (1) subject to the petition and remonstrance process if the cost of the project is less than or equal to \$10,000,000; or (2) subject to the referendum process if the cost of the project is more than \$10,000,000. (Under current law the threshold is \$10,000,000 for elementary and middle school buildings and \$20,000,000 for high school buildings.) Provides that in determining whether a local government capital project is a controlled project and whether the petition and

remonstrance process or the referendum process apply to the capital project, the cost of the capital project does not include expenditures for the capital project that will be paid from donations or other gifts. Eliminates a requirement that a county auditor notify each political subdivision of the property tax reductions resulting from the circuit breaker credit. Permits an owner to pay property taxes attributable to changes in assessment of the owner's property over the same number of years that corresponds to any delay in assessment of the owner's property if the owner complied with the applicable statutes concerning filing an assessment registration notice or obtaining permits for the changes to the real property. Requires redevelopment commissions to submit reports to the appropriate fiscal body regarding tax increment financing areas. Requires the fiscal body to provide the same information to the DLGF. Specifies that an adjustment to the base assessed value of an allocation area: (1) may not include the effect of the phase in of assessed value due to property tax abatements; and (2) may decrease base assessed value only to the extent that assessed values in the allocation area have been decreased due to annual adjustments or the reassessment under a reassessment plan. Specifies that assessed value increases attributable to the application of an abatement schedule may not be included in the base assessed value of an allocation area. Requires the commission on state tax and financing policy to study the circumstances in which an elected fiscal body should review the budget and property tax levy of an appointed public library board and library district border changes. Urges the legislative council to create a study committee to study tax increment financing.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Action</b>	
01/08/2013	<b>H: Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Daniel Leonard</a>
01/08/2013	<b>H: 1st Reading</b>	Assigned <a href="#">Ways and Means</a>
01/10/2013	<b>H: Reassign</b>	Assigned <a href="#">Government and Regulatory Reform</a>
02/12/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b>	10:30 AM Room 156-A <a href="#">Government and Regulatory Reform</a>
02/14/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Tim Wesco</a>
02/19/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b>	10:30 AM Room 156-A <a href="#">Government and Regulatory Reform</a>
02/19/2013	<b>H: Committee Report</b>	amend do pass, adopted
02/19/2013	<b>H: Committee Action</b>	<a href="#">Pass Amend(13-0) Government and Regulatory Reform</a>
02/21/2013	<b>H: 2nd Reading</b>	Amended Order Engrossed
02/21/2013	<b>H: Amendment</b>	#2 (M. Smith), prevailed; Division of the House: yeas 55, nays 39
02/21/2013	<b>H: Amendment</b>	#1 (Thompson), prevailed; voice vote
02/25/2013	<b>H: 3rd Reading</b>	<a href="#">Pass (87-8)</a>
02/25/2013	<b>H: Referred</b>	Referred to the Senate
02/25/2013	<b>H: Sponsor</b>	Added <a href="#">Randy Head</a>
02/27/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b>	Assigned <a href="#">Appropriations</a>
03/12/2013	<b>S: Co Sponsor</b>	Added <a href="#">Greg Walker</a>
03/19/2013	<b>S: Reassign</b>	Assigned <a href="#">Tax and Fiscal Policy</a>
03/26/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b>	9:00 AM Room 431 <a href="#">Tax and Fiscal Policy</a>
03/26/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b>	<a href="#">Pass Amend(7-3) Tax and Fiscal Policy</a>
03/28/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b>	amend do pass, adopted
04/02/2013	<b>S: 2nd Reading</b>	Amended Order Engrossed
04/02/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b>	#4 (Walker), prevailed; voice vote
04/08/2013	<b>S: 3rd Reading</b>	<a href="#">Pass (41-8)</a>
04/08/2013	<b>S: Ret 1st House</b>	Amendments
04/11/2013	<b>H: Ret 1st House</b>	Dissent
04/11/2013	<b>H: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">Daniel Leonard</a>
04/11/2013	<b>H: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">Greg Porter</a>
04/11/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Shelli VanDenburgh</a>
04/11/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Mara Candelaria Reardon</a>
04/11/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Tim Wesco</a>
04/15/2013	<b>S: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">Earline S. Rogers</a>
04/15/2013	<b>S: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">Randy Head</a>
04/15/2013	<b>S: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Brandt Hershman</a>
04/15/2013	<b>S: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Greg Walker</a>
04/15/2013	<b>S: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Greg Taylor</a>

04/22/2013 : **Conf Comm Sched** 5:30 PM Room 156-C  
 04/22/2013 : **Conf Comm Sched** 9:30 AM Room 156-C  
 04/25/2013 **H: Committee Sched** 9:30 AM Room 404 [Rules and Legislative Procedures](#)  
 04/25/2013 **S: Committee Sched** 9:30 AM Room 431 [Rules and Legislative Procedure](#)  
 04/25/2013 **S: Conf Report** [Adopted\(43-7\) S](#)  
 04/25/2013 **H: Conf Report** [Adopted\(79-19\) H](#)  
 04/29/2013 **H: Signed** By the Speaker  
 04/30/2013 **S: Signed** By the President Pro Tem  
 05/01/2013 **S: Signed** By the President of the Senate  
 05/09/2013 **Governor** Signed  
 05/13/2013 **Public Law** P.L. 218

**HB1320 Worker's compensation.** ([Lehman](#), [Boots](#))

### Digest

Specifies, after June 30, 2014, the pecuniary liability for worker's compensation and occupational diseases compensation payments to a medical service facility. Specifies the reimbursement amounts for repackaged drugs. Provides that payment to a medical service provider for an implant furnished to an employee under worker's compensation or occupational diseases compensation may not exceed the invoice amount plus 25%. Allows a medical service provider to request an explanation from a billing review service if the medical service provider's bill has been reduced as a result of the application of a Medicare coding change. Defines "medical service facility", "services and/or product", and "medical service provider" for purposes of the worker's compensation and occupational diseases compensation law. Increases the maximum average weekly wage by 20% and provides for graduated percentage increases for degrees of permanent partial impairment/disablement over a threeyear period, beginning on July 1, 2014. Provides for worker's compensation insurance policy periods as permitted in certain rules. Provides for an annual filing fee of \$2 from an employer to be deposited in the worker's compensation supplemental administrative fund. Specifies that all data collected by the worker's compensation rating bureau is considered to be confidential. Urges the legislative council to assign to the interim study committee on insurance the study of worker's compensation and occupational diseases compensation topics, including: (1) minimum payment amounts for services or products provided by medical service facilities; (2) payment for services or products provided by hospital employed physicians; (3) the electronic submission and payment of claims filed by medical service providers, including the applicability of the "clean claim" procedures described in IC?2785.7; (4) payment amounts for implants; and (5) the establishment and membership of an advisory committee to advise the worker's compensation board in the administration of the worker's compensation and occupational diseases compensation program. Makes conforming amendments and technical corrections.

Date	Action
01/17/2013	<b>H: Author</b> Added <a href="#">Matthew Lehman</a>
01/17/2013	<b>H: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Employment, Labor and Pensions</a>
02/05/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b> 8:30 AM Room 156-A <a href="#">Employment, Labor and Pensions</a>
02/12/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b> 8:30 AM Room 156-a <a href="#">Employment, Labor and Pensions</a>
02/18/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b> Added <a href="#">Edmond Soliday</a>
02/19/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b> 8:30 AM Room 156-A <a href="#">Employment, Labor and Pensions</a>
02/19/2013	<b>H: Committee Report</b> amend do pass, adopted
02/19/2013	<b>H: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass Amend(11-1) Employment, Labor and Pensions</a>
02/21/2013	<b>H: 2nd Reading</b> Amended Order Engrossed
02/21/2013	<b>H: Amendment</b> #1 (Lehman), prevailed; voice vote
02/25/2013	<b>H: 3rd Reading</b> <a href="#">Pass (91-3)</a>
02/25/2013	<b>H: Referred</b> Referred to the Senate
02/25/2013	<b>H: Sponsor</b> Added <a href="#">Phil Boots</a>
02/27/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Pensions and Labor</a>
04/03/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b> 9:00 AM Room 233 <a href="#">Pensions and Labor</a>
04/03/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass Amend(8-1) Pensions and Labor</a>

04/04/2013 **S: Committee Report** amend do pass, adopted  
 04/08/2013 **S: Co Sponsor** Added [Karen Tallian](#)  
 04/09/2013 **S: 2nd Reading** Amended Order Engrossed  
 04/09/2013 **S: Amendment** #1 (Boots), prevailed; voice vote  
 04/09/2013 **S: Amendment** #2 (Boots), prevailed; voice vote  
 04/09/2013 **S: Amendment** #7 (Tallian), prevailed; voice vote  
 04/09/2013 **S: Amendment** #3 (Pat Miller), prevailed; Division of the Senate: yeas 25, nays 24  
 04/09/2013 **S: Amendment** #5 (Pat Miller), rejected; voice vote  
 04/10/2013 **S: 3rd Reading** [Pass \(43-7\)](#)  
 04/10/2013 **S: Ret 1st House** Amendments  
 04/10/2013 **S: Co Sponsor** Added [Lonnie Randolph](#)  
 04/15/2013 **H: Ret 1st House** Dissent  
 04/17/2013 **H: Conferee** Added [Ed DeLaney](#)  
 04/17/2013 **H: Conferee** Added [Matthew Lehman](#)  
 04/17/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [David L. Niezgodski](#)  
 04/17/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Daniel Leonard](#)  
 04/17/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Charles Moseley](#)  
 04/18/2013 **S: Conferee** Added [Karen Tallian](#)  
 04/18/2013 **S: Conferee** Added [Phil Boots](#)  
 04/18/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [John Broden](#)  
 04/18/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [Greg Walker](#)  
 04/18/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [James Buck](#)  
 04/22/2013 : **Conf Comm Sched** 9:00 AM Room 156-A  
 04/25/2013 **H: Committee Sched** 7:50 PM Room 404 [Rules and Legislative Procedures](#)  
 04/25/2013 **H: Conf Report** [Adopted\(94-3\) H](#)  
 04/26/2013 **S: Committee Sched** 9:00 AM Room 431 [Rules and Legislative Procedure](#)  
 04/26/2013 **S: Conf Report** [Adopted\(48-2\) S](#)  
 04/26/2013 **H: Signed** By the Speaker  
 04/30/2013 **S: Signed** By the President Pro Tem  
 05/01/2013 **S: Signed** By the President of the Senate  
 05/11/2013 **Governor** Signed  
 05/13/2013 **Public Law** P.L. 275

**[HB1457](#) *Unemployment insurance.* ([Leonard](#), [Boots](#))**

## Digest

Provides that the experience account of an employer may not be relieved of charges for an unemployment benefit (benefit) overpayment if the department of workforce development (department) determines that: (1) the erroneous payment was made because the employer or a person acting on behalf of the employer was at fault in failing to respond in a timely or adequate manner to the department's written request for information relating to the claim for unemployment benefits; and (2) the employer or a person acting on behalf of the employer has established a pattern of failure to respond in a timely or adequate manner to department requests. Provides that an individual receiving benefits is required to participate in reemployment and eligibility assessment activities (activities) when directed to do so by the department and permits the department to require an individual to provide proof of identity to participate in the activities. For employers in the construction industry, establishes a new employer contribution rate equal to the lesser of 4% or the average of the contribution rates paid by all employers in the construction industry subject to the unemployment law during the 12 months preceding the computation date. Provides that the commissioner of the department, after having computed the rate of contributions due from an employer from an estimate on the basis of the best evidence reasonably available, may increase or decrease the rate of contributions due from the employer on the basis of subsequently ascertained and verified information. Provides that 15% of the interest and civil penalties collected from a claimant who knowingly failed to disclose or falsified any fact that if accurately reported would disqualify the individual from receiving a benefit or that would reduce the benefit are deposited in the unemployment insurance trust fund. (Currently, all of the interest and civil penalties for

fraudulent overpayments are deposited in the special employment and training services fund.) Requires an employer to report to the directory of new hires (directory) the same information reported for a new hire for an employee who resumes employment after at least a 60 day break in service. Establishes a civil penalty of \$25 for an employer that fails to report information about new hires to the directory. Urges the legislative council to assign to the unemployment insurance oversight committee the task of studying: (1) the use of debit cards to pay benefits; and (2) the direct deposit of benefits to a claimant's own checking or savings account.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Action</u>	
01/22/2013	<b>H: Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Daniel Leonard</a>
01/22/2013	<b>H: 1st Reading</b>	Assigned <a href="#">Employment, Labor and Pensions</a>
01/28/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Richard Hamm</a>
01/29/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b>	8:30 AM Room 156-A <a href="#">Employment, Labor and Pensions</a>
01/29/2013	<b>H: Committee Report</b>	amend do pass, adopted
01/31/2013	<b>H: 2nd Reading</b>	Order Engrossed
02/04/2013	<b>H: 3rd Reading</b>	<a href="#">Pass (62-32)</a>
02/04/2013	<b>H: Referred</b>	Referred to the Senate
02/04/2013	<b>H: Sponsor</b>	Added <a href="#">Phil Boots</a>
02/04/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Douglas Gutwein</a>
02/04/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Steve Braun</a>
02/25/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b>	Assigned <a href="#">Pensions and Labor</a>
03/13/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b>	9:00 AM Room 233 <a href="#">Pensions and Labor</a>
03/13/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b>	<a href="#">Pass Amend(5-3)</a> <a href="#">Pensions and Labor</a>
03/14/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b>	amend do pass, adopted
03/18/2013	<b>S: 2nd Reading</b>	Order Engrossed
03/18/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b>	#4 (Tallian), rejected; Division of the Senate: yeas 13, nays 28
03/18/2013	<b>S: Co Sponsor</b>	Added <a href="#">Karen Tallian</a>
03/19/2013	<b>S: 3rd Reading</b>	<a href="#">Pass (34-15)</a>
03/19/2013	<b>S: Ret 1st House</b>	Amendments
04/17/2013	<b>H: Ret 1st House</b>	<a href="#">Concur(58-19)</a>
04/18/2013	<b>H: Signed</b>	By the Speaker
04/22/2013	<b>S: Signed</b>	By the President Pro Tem
04/25/2013	<b>S: Signed</b>	By the President of the Senate
05/02/2013	<b>Governor</b>	Signed
05/13/2013	<b>Public Law</b>	P.L. 154

**HB1536 Solid waste management districts.** ([Wolkins](#), [Charbonneau](#))

## Digest

Provides that a solid waste management district (district) may not register, issue a permit for, or license a vehicle as a condition of allowing a solid waste hauler to render services within the district. Provides that a district that issued a permit for, licensed a vehicle, or levied a charge or fee as a condition of allowing a solid waste hauler to render services within the district on January 1, 2013 may continue to do so until January 1, 2015. Provides that a district may not register, issue a permit, license or levy a charge or fee after December 31, 2014.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Action</u>	
01/22/2013	<b>H: Author</b>	Added <a href="#">David Alan Wolkins</a>
01/22/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Justin Moed</a>
01/22/2013	<b>H: 1st Reading</b>	Assigned <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
02/13/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b>	10:30 AM Room 156-C <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
02/14/2013	<b>H: Committee Report</b>	do pass, adopted
02/15/2013	<b>H: Committee Action</b>	<a href="#">Pass(10-2)</a> <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
02/18/2013	<b>H: 2nd Reading</b>	Amended Order Engrossed
02/18/2013	<b>H: Amendment</b>	#1 (Wolkins), prevailed; voice vote

02/18/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b>	Added <a href="#">B. Patrick Bauer</a>
02/19/2013	<b>H: 3rd Reading</b>	<a href="#">Pass (88-2)</a>
02/19/2013	<b>H: Referred</b>	Referred to the Senate
02/19/2013	<b>H: Sponsor</b>	Added <a href="#">Ed Charbonneau</a>
02/25/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b>	Assigned <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
03/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b>	10:00 AM Room 233 <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
03/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b>	amend do pass, adopted
03/04/2013	<b>S: Co Sponsor</b>	Added <a href="#">Lonnie Randolph</a>
03/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b>	<a href="#">Pass Amend(6-1)</a> <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
03/11/2013	<b>S: 2nd Reading</b>	Order Engrossed
03/11/2013	<b>S: 2nd Sponsor</b>	Added <a href="#">Jean Leising</a>
03/12/2013	<b>S: 3rd Reading</b>	<a href="#">Pass (48-0)</a>
03/12/2013	<b>S: Ret 1st House</b>	Amendments
04/16/2013	<b>H: Ret 1st House</b>	<a href="#">Concur(90-0)</a>
04/17/2013	<b>H: Signed</b>	By the Speaker
04/18/2013	<b>S: Signed</b>	By the President Pro Tem
04/22/2013	<b>S: Signed</b>	By the President of the Senate
04/29/2013	<b>Governor</b>	Signed
05/13/2013	<b>Public Law</b>	P.L. 116

[HB1544](#) **Motorsports.** ([Turner](#), [Hershman](#))

## Digest

Establishes the Indiana motorsports commission (commission). Authorizes the commission to adopt a resolution establishing a motorsports investment district (district). Specifies that the budget committee shall review and make a recommendation to the budget agency regarding the resolution. Requires budget agency approval for the establishment of the district. Specifies that a resolution establishing a district must provide for the allocation to the motorsports investment district fund (district fund) of amounts appropriated to the commission. Specifies that the Indiana finance authority (authority) may issue bonds to pay the cost of improving, constructing, reconstructing, renovating, acquiring, or equipping improvements within a qualified motorsports facility. Provides that the bonds must mature within 20 years. Provides that the authority may not issue such bonds unless the owner or owners of the qualified motorsports facility, the authority, and the commission have entered into a written agreement concerning the terms of the financing of the improvements, including the obligation of the owner or owners of the qualified motorsports facility to make payments in an amount equal to at least \$2,000,000 in each state fiscal year to the commission for deposit in the motorsports investment fund during the term of the agreement, and the ultimate parent company of the qualified motorsports facility makes certain guarantees. Authorizes the commission to lease all or any part of the structures and capital improvements from the authority and to pledge amounts appropriated to the commission for payments under the lease. Provides that the amount of any rent under such a lease may include the amount necessary to pay the bonds issued by the authority. Specifies that if the commission enters into such a lease with the authority, it may sublease the structures and capital improvements to the owner or owners of the qualified motorsports facility. Provides that if the commission purchases the leased property or it is otherwise conveyed to the commission, the commission may convey the property to the owner or owners of the qualified motorsports facility if: (1) the aggregate amount of credits provided to the owner or owners of the qualified motorsports facility equals or exceeds the aggregate amount of the funds appropriated to the commission and used by the commission to pay rent to the authority under the lease and any expenses incurred by the authority or the commission; and (2) all bonds issued by the authority are no longer outstanding. Requires the commission to secure the obligations of the owner or owners of the qualified motorsports facility to the commission under a lease or sublease with liens or security interests. Specifies that if a controlling ownership interest in a qualified motorsports facility is sold after the authority issues bonds, the commission shall determine whether the purchaser shall be allowed to assume the motorsports facility's obligations. Specifies that if the commission determines that there is good cause not to allow such an assumption by the purchaser, the owner or owners of the qualified motorsports facility shall pay to the commission an amount sufficient to pay the cost of defeasing all outstanding bonds issued by the authority for purposes of the qualified motorsports facility and paying all expenses of the commission and the authority incurred in connection with such defeasance. Provides that when the aggregate amount of credits provided to the

owner or owners of the qualified motorsports facility equals or exceeds the aggregate amount of the funds appropriated to the commission and used to pay rent by the commission to the authority under the lease entered into between the authority and the commission, and if all bonds issued by the authority are no longer outstanding, the commission shall take the legal steps required to terminate each of its security interests in and mortgage liens on the improvements. Provides that the credits provided to the owner or owners of the qualified motorsports facility are equal to the incremental state sales and income taxes from the motorsports improvement district and the amount of the admissions fees on admission to the qualified motorsports facility. Provides that the goals for participation for the improvements financed under these provisions are 15% for minority business enterprises, 8% for women's business enterprises, and 3% for veteran or disabled business enterprises, consistent with the goals of delivering projects on time and within budget. Requires the office of management and budget (OMB) to conduct a review in 2023 of certain aspects of the motorsports investment district and to report to the budget committee and the legislative council. Provides that the amount of a race team member's race related income that is Indiana income is based on the fraction of the individual's Indiana duty days for the taxable year divided by the individual's total duty days for the taxable year. Specifies the manner in which certain receipts derived from motorsports racing are apportioned to Indiana. Provides for the reporting of prize money, purses, or other amounts that are distributed at a professional motorsports racing event at a qualified motorsports facility. Establishes the motorsports improvement program and fund, to be administered by the Indiana economic development corporation (IEDC). Provides that a person owning a motorsports enterprise may apply to the IEDC for a low-interest loan from the fund to be used for improving the motorsports enterprise. Provides that the program expires June 30, 2017. Provides that an admissions fee is imposed on each person charged for admission to a qualified motorsports facility on a race day. Provides that the admissions fees shall be deposited in the state general fund. Specifies the conditions under which the admissions fee expires.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Action</b>
01/22/2013	<b>H: Author</b> Added <a href="#">P. Eric Turner</a>
01/22/2013	<b>H: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Ways and Means</a>
02/13/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b> 11:00 AM Room 404 <a href="#">Ways and Means</a>
02/14/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b> Upon Adjournment Room 404 <a href="#">Ways and Means</a>
02/14/2013	<b>H: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass Amend(18-4) Ways and Means</a>
02/18/2013	<b>H: Committee Report</b> amend do pass, adopted
02/20/2013	<b>H: 2nd Reading</b> Order Engrossed
02/25/2013	<b>H: 3rd Reading</b> <a href="#">failed for lack of constitutional majority (48-47)</a>
02/25/2013	<b>H: 3rd Reading</b> <a href="#">Recommitted to Committee of One, amendment adopted; Pass (65-30)</a>
02/25/2013	<b>H: Amendment</b> #2 ( Turner), and prevailed; voice vote
02/25/2013	<b>H: Referred</b> Referred to the Senate
02/25/2013	<b>H: Sponsor</b> Added <a href="#">Brandt Hershman</a>
02/25/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b> Added <a href="#">Steve Braun</a>
02/27/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Tax and Fiscal Policy</a>
04/02/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b> 8:00 AM Room 431 <a href="#">Tax and Fiscal Policy</a>
04/02/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass Amend(8-4) Tax and Fiscal Policy</a>
04/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b> amend do pass, adopted
04/09/2013	<b>S: 2nd Reading</b> Amended Order Engrossed
04/09/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b> #1 (Hershman), prevailed; voice vote
04/09/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b> #6 (Walker), prevailed; voice vote
04/09/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b> #4 (Head), prevailed; voice vote
04/09/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b> #2 (Lanane), rejected; voice vote
04/09/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b> #3 (Lanane), prevailed; voice vote
04/10/2013	<b>S: 3rd Reading</b> <a href="#">Pass (41-9)</a>
04/10/2013	<b>S: Ret 1st House</b> Amendments
04/11/2013	<b>H: Ret 1st House</b> Dissent
04/15/2013	<b>H: Conferee</b> Added <a href="#">P. Eric Turner</a>
04/15/2013	<b>H: Conferee</b> Added <a href="#">Cherrish Pryor</a>
04/15/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b> Added <a href="#">Robin Shackelford</a>
04/15/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b> Added <a href="#">Tim Brown</a>

04/15/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Clyde Kersey</a>
04/15/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Suzanne Crouch</a>
04/15/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Steve Braun</a>
04/16/2013	<b>S: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">Brandt Hershman</a>
04/16/2013	<b>S: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">John Broden</a>
04/16/2013	<b>S: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Pete Miller</a>
04/16/2013	<b>S: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Timothy D. Skinner</a>
04/16/2013	<b>S: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Greg Walker</a>
04/17/2013	<b>: Conf Comm Sched</b>	1:00 PM Room 404
04/22/2013	<b>S: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Randy Head</a>
04/23/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Bill Davis</a>
04/25/2013	<b>H: Co Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Karlee Macer</a>
04/26/2013	<b>: Conf Comm Sched</b>	10:00 PM Room 404
04/26/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b>	Upon Recess (as posted at 9:15pm) Room 431 <a href="#">Rules and Legislative Procedure</a>
04/26/2013	<b>H: Conferee</b>	Removed <a href="#">Cherrish Pryor</a>
04/26/2013	<b>H: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">Bill Davis</a>
04/26/2013	<b>H: Conf Report</b>	<a href="#">Adopted(60-37) H</a>
04/26/2013	<b>S: Conf Report</b>	<a href="#">Adopted(38-12) S</a>
04/30/2013	<b>S: Signed</b>	By the President Pro Tem
05/01/2013	<b>S: Signed</b>	By the President of the Senate
05/03/2013	<b>H: Signed</b>	By the Speaker
05/10/2013	<b>Governor</b>	Signed
05/13/2013	<b>Public Law</b>	P.L. 233

**SB0349 Utilities; economic development. ([Head](#), [Friend](#))**

## Digest

With respect to a municipality that: (1) has a municipally owned utility that has donated funds to a local economic development organization before July 1, 2012; and (2) is a city having a certain population size; adds to the chapter in the Indiana Code concerning donations by local units of government a provision authorizing the municipal legislative body, with the approval of the board of the municipality's municipally owned utility, to donate funds from the municipally owned utility's surplus earnings to a local economic development organization as long as certain obligations of the municipally owned utility are met before the donation is made.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Action</u>	
01/08/2013	<b>S: Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Randy Head</a>
01/08/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b>	Assigned <a href="#">Utilities</a>
01/17/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b>	Canceled Room 233 <a href="#">Utilities</a>
01/24/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b>	10:00 AM Room 233 <a href="#">Utilities</a>
01/24/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b>	amend do pass, adopted
01/24/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b>	<a href="#">Pass Amend(10-0) Utilities</a>
01/28/2013	<b>S: 2nd Reading</b>	Order Engrossed
01/28/2013	<b>S: Co Author</b>	Added <a href="#">Lonnie Randolph</a>
01/28/2013	<b>S: Co Author</b>	Added <a href="#">John Broden</a>
01/28/2013	<b>S: 2nd Author</b>	Added <a href="#">James W. Merritt, Jr.</a>
01/29/2013	<b>S: 3rd Reading</b>	<a href="#">Pass (47-0)</a>
01/29/2013	<b>S: Referred</b>	Referred to the House
01/29/2013	<b>S: Sponsor</b>	Added <a href="#">William C. Friend</a>
02/26/2013	<b>H: 1st Reading</b>	Assigned <a href="#">Local Government</a>
03/14/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b>	8:30 AM Room 156-B <a href="#">Local Government</a>
03/21/2013	<b>H: Committee Action</b>	<a href="#">Pass Amend(6-3) Local Government</a>
03/25/2013	<b>H: Committee Report</b>	amend do pass, adopted
04/08/2013	<b>H: 2nd Reading</b>	Amended Order Engrossed

04/08/2013 **H: Amendment** #3 (Riecken), prevailed; voice vote  
 04/08/2013 **H: Amendment** #1 (Pryor), withdrawn  
 04/08/2013 **H: Amendment** [#2 \(Pryor\), failed: \(35-57\)](#)  
 04/15/2013 **H: 3rd Reading** [Pass \(56-35\)](#)  
 04/15/2013 **H: Ret 1st House** Amendments  
 04/18/2013 **S: Ret 1st House** Dissent  
 04/18/2013 **S: Conferee** Added [Lonnie Randolph](#)  
 04/18/2013 **S: Conferee** Added [Randy Head](#)  
 04/18/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [Ed Charbonneau](#)  
 04/18/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [James W. Merritt, Jr.](#)  
 04/18/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [John Broden](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Conferee** Added [William C. Friend](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Conferee** Added [Cherrish Pryor](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Gail C Riecken](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Tim Neese](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Eric Koch](#)  
 04/24/2013 : **Conf Comm Sched** 10:30 AM Room 130  
 04/25/2013 **H: Committee Sched** Upon adjournment Room 404 [Rules and Legislative Procedures](#)  
 04/26/2013 **H: Committee Sched** 1:30 PM Room 404 [Rules and Legislative Procedures](#)  
 04/26/2013 **S: Committee Sched** 9:00 AM Room 431 [Rules and Legislative Procedure](#)  
 04/26/2013 **S: Conf Report** [Adopted\(48-2\) S](#)  
 04/26/2013 **H: Conf Report** [Adopted\(89-6\) H](#)  
 04/30/2013 **S: Signed** By the President of the Senate  
 04/30/2013 **S: Signed** By the President Pro Tem  
 05/03/2013 **H: Signed** By the Speaker  
 05/10/2013 **Governor** Signed  
 05/13/2013 **Public Law** P.L. 226

**SB0494 Substitute natural gas. (Hershman, T. Brown)**

### Digest

Defines "2011 order", "business day", and "savings". Makes additional findings concerning substitute natural gas (SNG). Requires the Indiana finance authority to submit certain contracts and agreements to the utility regulatory commission (IURC) for approval. Specifies that if a certified appellate opinion does not affirm the 2011 order in its entirety, the IURC shall, after notice and hearing, approve, reject, or require the modification of a purchase contract if in the public interest. Specifies certain factors the IURC must consider before taking action. Requires the IURC to issue a final order within 180 business days. Provides that a party that seeks to appeal a final order shall do so through an expedited direct appeal to the Indiana supreme court under rules to be adopted by the Indiana supreme court. Authorizes the IURC to adopt rules, including rules establishing filing deadlines. Requires the IURC to study the sales price of natural gas and report the study results in an electronic format to the general assembly by November 30, 2013.

Date	Action
01/14/2013	<b>S: Author</b> Added <a href="#">Brandt Hershman</a>
01/14/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Tax and Fiscal Policy</a>
01/24/2013	<b>S: 2nd Author</b> Added <a href="#">Ryan D. Mishler</a>
02/19/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b> 9:00 AM Room 431 <a href="#">Tax and Fiscal Policy</a>
02/19/2013	<b>S: Co Author</b> Added <a href="#">Lindel O. Hume</a>
02/19/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass Amend(10-0) Tax and Fiscal Policy</a>
02/21/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b> amend do pass, adopted
02/21/2013	<b>S: Co Author</b> Added <a href="#">Patricia L. Miller</a>
02/25/2013	<b>S: 2nd Reading</b> Order Engrossed
02/26/2013	<b>S: 3rd Reading</b> <a href="#">Pass (50-0)</a>
02/26/2013	<b>S: Referred</b> Referred to the House

02/26/2013 **S: Sponsor** Added [Tim Brown](#)  
 02/26/2013 **S: Co Author** Added [Scott Schneider](#)  
 02/26/2013 **S: Co Author** Added [Earline S. Rogers](#)  
 03/05/2013 **H: 1st Reading** Assigned [Ways and Means](#)  
 03/19/2013 **H: Committee Sched** 9:30 AM Room 404 [Ways and Means](#)  
 03/21/2013 **H: Co Sponsor** Added [P. Eric Turner](#)  
 03/27/2013 **H: Committee Sched** 9:00 AM Room 404 [Ways and Means](#)  
 03/28/2013 **H: Committee Sched** Upon Adjournment Room 404 [Ways and Means](#)  
 03/28/2013 **H: Committee Action** [Pass Amend\(18-3\) Ways and Means](#)  
 04/01/2013 **H: Committee Report** amend do pass, adopted  
 04/04/2013 **H: 2nd Reading** Amended Order Engrossed  
 04/04/2013 **H: Amendment** #6 (Saunders), prevailed; voice vote  
 04/04/2013 **H: Amendment** [#3 \(Moseley\), failed: \(30-58\)](#)  
 04/04/2013 **H: Amendment** #7 (Harman), prevailed; voice vote  
 04/04/2013 **H: Amendment** #5 (Clere), prevailed; voice vote  
 04/04/2013 **H: Co Sponsor** Added [Kathy Heuer](#)  
 04/08/2013 **H: Co Sponsor** Added [David L. Niezgodski](#)  
 04/10/2013 **H: 3rd Reading** [Pass \(90-4\)](#)  
 04/10/2013 **H: Ret 1st House** Amendments  
 04/17/2013 **S: Ret 1st House** Dissent  
 04/17/2013 **S: Conferee** Added [Brandt Hershman](#)  
 04/17/2013 **S: Conferee** Added [Lindel O. Hume](#)  
 04/17/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [Scott Schneider](#)  
 04/17/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [Timothy D. Skinner](#)  
 04/17/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [Ryan D. Mishler](#)  
 04/18/2013 **H: Conferee** Added [Tim Brown](#)  
 04/18/2013 **H: Conferee** Added [Greg Porter](#)  
 04/18/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [David L. Niezgodski](#)  
 04/18/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Thomas E. Saunders](#)  
 04/18/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Sheila Klinker](#)  
 04/18/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Terry A. Goodin](#)  
 04/18/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Kathy Heuer](#)  
 04/22/2013 **S: Conferee** Removed [Brandt Hershman](#)  
 04/22/2013 **S: Conferee** Added [Doug Eckerty](#)  
 04/22/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [Brandt Hershman](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Conferee** Removed [Tim Brown](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Conferee** Removed [Greg Porter](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Conferee** Added [Kreg Battles](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Conferee** Added [Suzanne Crouch](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Removed [David L. Niezgodski](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Removed [Thomas E. Saunders](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Removed [Sheila Klinker](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Removed [Terry A. Goodin](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Removed [Kathy Heuer](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Shelli VanDenburgh](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Matt Ubelhor](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Matt Pierce](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Eric Koch](#)  
 04/22/2013 **H: Advisor** Added [Christina Hale](#)  
 04/23/2013 **S: Conferee** Removed [Lindel O. Hume](#)  
 04/23/2013 **S: Advisor** Removed [Timothy D. Skinner](#)  
 04/23/2013 **S: Conferee** Added [Jean Breaux](#)

04/23/2013 **S: Advisor** Added [Lindel O. Hume](#)  
 04/24/2013 : **Conf Comm Sched** Cancelled Room Senate Chambers  
 04/25/2013 : **Conf Comm Sched** 10:00 AM Room 233  
 04/26/2013 **S: Committee Sched** Upon Recess (as posted at 9:15pm) Room 431 [Rules and Legislative Procedure](#)  
 04/26/2013 : **Conf Comm Sched** 10:00 PM Room 404  
 04/26/2013 **S: Conferee** Removed [Jean Breaux](#)  
 04/26/2013 **S: Advisor** Removed [Brandt Hershman](#)  
 04/26/2013 **S: Conferee** Added [Brandt Hershman](#)  
 04/26/2013 **H: Conferee** Removed [Kreg Battles](#)  
 04/26/2013 **H: Advisor** Removed [Eric Koch](#)  
 04/26/2013 **H: Conferee** Added [Eric Koch](#)  
 04/26/2013 **S: Conf Report** [Adopted\(43-7\) S](#)  
 04/27/2013 **H: Conf Report** [Adopted\(70-28\) H](#)  
 04/30/2013 **S: Signed** By the President of the Senate  
 04/30/2013 **S: Signed** By the President Pro Tem  
 05/03/2013 **H: Signed** By the Speaker  
 05/10/2013 **Governor** Signed  
 05/13/2013 **Public Law** P.L. 228

**SB0529 Office of energy development.** ([Charbonneau](#), [Messmer](#))

## Digest

Establishes the Indiana office of energy development (office) within the office of the governor. Provides that the director of the office is the chief energy officer of the state. Provides that the office administers: (1) the alternative fuel fueling station grant program; (2) the alternative fuel vehicle grant program for local units; (3) the energy development fund; (4) a low interest revolving loan program in consultation with the Indiana recycling market development board; (5) the Indiana coal research grant fund; (6) the green industries fund, in consultation with the Indiana economic development corporation; (7) the office of alternative energy incentives and the alternative energy incentive fund; (8) the E85 fueling station grant program, in consultation with the Indiana department of agriculture; and (9) the center for coal technology research and the coal technology research fund. Retains the administration of the home assistance and weatherization programs with the office of the lieutenant governor. Transfers the powers, duties, assets, liabilities, and rules relating to energy and energy development from the following entities to the office: (1) The lieutenant governor. (2) The center for coal technology research. Provides that the office may adopt rules to carry out its responsibilities. Abolishes duties of the lieutenant governor relating to energy policy. Establishes the Indiana office of defense development. Transfers to the Indiana office of defense development the powers, duties, assets, liabilities, and rules relating to defense from the office of energy and defense development. Provides that the Indiana office of defense development may adopt rules to carry out its responsibilities. Makes conforming amendments.

Date	Action
01/14/2013	<b>S: Author</b> Added <a href="#">Ed Charbonneau</a>
01/14/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
02/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b> 10:00 AM Room 233 <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
02/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b> amend do pass, reassigned <a href="#">Appropriations</a>
02/04/2013	<b>S: Co Author</b> Added <a href="#">Lonnie Randolph</a>
02/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass Amend(9-0)</a> <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
02/14/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b> 9:00 AM Room 431 <a href="#">Appropriations</a>
02/14/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass(10-0)</a> <a href="#">Appropriations</a>
02/18/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b> do pass, adopted
02/21/2013	<b>S: 2nd Reading</b> Order Engrossed
02/21/2013	<b>S: 2nd Author</b> Added <a href="#">Jean Leising</a>
02/25/2013	<b>S: 3rd Reading</b> <a href="#">Pass (47-3)</a>
02/25/2013	<b>S: Referred</b> Referred to the House
02/25/2013	<b>S: Sponsor</b> Added <a href="#">Mark Messmer</a>

02/25/2013 **S: Co Sponsor** Added [Rick Niemeyer](#)  
 03/05/2013 **H: 1st Reading** Assigned [Government and Regulatory Reform](#)  
 03/12/2013 **H: Committee Sched** 10:30 AM Room 156-A [Government and Regulatory Reform](#)  
 03/12/2013 **H: Committee Report** do pass, adopted  
 03/12/2013 **H: Committee Action** [Pass\(10-0\) Government and Regulatory Reform](#)  
 03/14/2013 **H: 2nd Reading** Order Engrossed  
 03/14/2013 **H: Amendment** #1 (Moseley), ruled out of order  
 03/14/2013 **H: Co Sponsor** Added [John Bartlett](#)  
 03/14/2013 **H: Co Sponsor** Added [Christina Hale](#)  
 03/19/2013 **H: 3rd Reading** [Pass \(97-0\)](#)  
 03/19/2013 **H: Ret 1st House** No Amendments  
 03/25/2013 **S: Signed** By the President Pro Tem  
 03/26/2013 **H: Signed** By the Speaker  
 04/01/2013 **S: Signed** By the President of the Senate  
 04/08/2013 **Governor** Signed  
 05/13/2013 **Public Law** P.L. 34

**SB0560 Utility transmission.** ([Hershman](#), [Koch](#))

## Digest

Provides for the establishment by counties of infrastructure development zones in which natural gas, broadband and advanced services, and water infrastructure is exempt from property taxation. Allows a customer of an electricity supplier that is: (1) a public utility; and (2) under the jurisdiction of the utility regulatory commission (commission) for the approval of rates and charges; to petition the commission for a temporary discount to the demand component of the customer's rates and charges established in the electricity supplier's applicable standard tariff for service to a single Indiana facility of the customer. Requires: (1) preapproval by the economic development corporation (IEDC) of the customer's requested temporary discount amount; and (2) that an electricity supplier defer the cost of a discount for subsequent recovery in its next general retail electric rate case. Requires the utility consumer counselor (counselor) to investigate a utility's petition for a transmission, distribution, and storage system improvement charge (TDSIC) and report its activities to the commission. Authorizes the counselor to request additional funding from the budget agency. Allows a utility to designate a test period for the commission to use in determining an increase in the utility's rates and charges. Provides that a utility may impose a temporary increase in rates and charges while its rate case is pending before the commission. Requires a utility to provide a refund, with interest, to customers if the temporary rates and charges exceed the rates and charges approved by the commission. Authorizes a utility that provides electric or gas service to petition the commission to recover TDSIC costs. Requires the utility to petition the commission for approval of a seven year plan for eligible transmission, distribution, and storage improvements. Requires the Indiana department of transportation to develop a program to coordinate the use of public rights-of-way with utilities when the department undertakes an infrastructure improvement project.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Action</u>
01/14/2013	<b>S: Author</b> Added <a href="#">Brandt Hershman</a>
01/14/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Utilities</a>
01/31/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b> 9:00 AM Room 233 <a href="#">Utilities</a>
01/31/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass Amend(8-2) Utilities</a>
02/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b> amend do pass, adopted
02/07/2013	<b>S: 2nd Author</b> Added <a href="#">James W. Merritt, Jr.</a>
02/11/2013	<b>S: 2nd Reading</b> Amended Order Engrossed
02/11/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b> #8 (Hershman), prevailed; voice vote
02/11/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b> #9 (Hershman), prevailed; voice vote
02/11/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b> #1 (Breaux), rejected; voice vote
02/11/2013	<b>S: Amendment</b> #6 (Breaux), rejected; voice vote
02/12/2013	<b>S: 3rd Reading</b> <a href="#">Pass (37-12)</a>
02/12/2013	<b>S: Referred</b> Referred to the House

02/12/2013 **S: Sponsor** Added [Eric Koch](#)  
 02/12/2013 **S: Co Sponsor** Added [Heath VanNatter](#)  
 02/12/2013 **S: Co Author** Added [Thomas J. Wyss](#)  
 02/26/2013 **H: 1st Reading** Assigned [Utilities and Energy](#)  
 03/05/2013 **H: Co Sponsor** Added [Kreg Battles](#)  
 03/13/2013 **H: Committee Sched** 12:30 PM Room House Chamber [Utilities and Energy](#)  
 03/13/2013 **H: Committee Action** [Pass Amend\(12-1\) Utilities and Energy](#)  
 03/14/2013 **H: Committee Report** amend do pass, adopted  
 03/14/2013 **H: Co Sponsor** Added [Shelli VanDenburgh](#)  
 03/18/2013 **H: 2nd Reading** Amended Order Engrossed  
 03/18/2013 **H: Amendment** #11 (Koch), prevailed; voice vote  
 03/18/2013 **H: Amendment** #4 (Riecken), failed; (29-63)  
 03/18/2013 **H: Amendment** #12 (Riecken), ruled out of order  
 03/18/2013 **H: Amendment** #5 (Pierce), failed; voice vote  
 03/18/2013 **H: Amendment** #7 (Pierce), failed; (22-71)  
 03/18/2013 **H: Amendment** #1 (Dvorak), failed; (30-63)  
 03/18/2013 **H: Amendment** #2 (Dvorak), failed; (26-67)  
 03/19/2013 **H: 3rd Reading** [Pass \(75-21\)](#)  
 03/19/2013 **H: Ret 1st House** Amendments  
 04/11/2013 **S: Ret 1st House** [Concur\(42-7\)](#)  
 04/16/2013 **S: Signed** By the President Pro Tem  
 04/17/2013 **H: Signed** By the Speaker  
 04/22/2013 **S: Signed** By the President of the Senate  
 04/30/2013 **Governor** Signed  
 05/13/2013 **Public Law** P.L. 133

**SB0586 IDEM notice procedures.** ([Charbonneau](#), [Wolkins](#))

### Digest

Allows a person to request that the department of environmental management (department) provide notice of an order or a determination issued by the commissioner of the department in an alternate manner that is reasonably available to the department. Makes conforming amendments.

Date	Action
01/15/2013	<b>S: Author</b> Added <a href="#">Ed Charbonneau</a>
01/15/2013	<b>S: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
01/28/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b> 10:00 AM Room 233 <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
02/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b> 10:00 AM Room 233 <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
02/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Report</b> amend do pass, adopted
02/04/2013	<b>S: Co Author</b> Added <a href="#">Lonnie Randolph</a>
02/04/2013	<b>S: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass Amend(6-1) Environmental Affairs</a>
02/07/2013	<b>S: 2nd Reading</b> Order Engrossed
02/07/2013	<b>S: 2nd Author</b> Added <a href="#">Jean Leising</a>
02/12/2013	<b>S: 3rd Reading</b> <a href="#">Pass (49-0)</a>
02/12/2013	<b>S: Referred</b> Referred to the House
02/12/2013	<b>S: Sponsor</b> Added <a href="#">David Alan Wolkins</a>
02/12/2013	<b>S: Co Sponsor</b> Added <a href="#">Don Lehe</a>
02/26/2013	<b>H: 1st Reading</b> Assigned <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
03/13/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b> 10:30 AM Room 156-C <a href="#">Environmental Affairs</a>
03/13/2013	<b>H: Committee Action</b> <a href="#">Pass(12-0) Environmental Affairs</a>
03/18/2013	<b>H: Committee Report</b> do pass, adopted
03/21/2013	<b>H: 2nd Reading</b> Amended Order Engrossed
03/21/2013	<b>H: Amendment</b> #1 (Moed), prevailed; Division of the House: yeas 45, nays 31

03/26/2013	<b>H: 3rd Reading</b>	<a href="#">Pass (77-16)</a>
03/26/2013	<b>H: Ret 1st House</b>	Amendments
03/26/2013	<b>H: Co Sponsor</b>	Added <a href="#">Justin Moed</a>
04/01/2013	<b>S: Ret 1st House</b>	Dissent
04/01/2013	<b>S: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">Ed Charbonneau</a>
04/01/2013	<b>S: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">Mark Stoops</a>
04/01/2013	<b>S: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Lonnie Randolph</a>
04/01/2013	<b>S: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Jean Leising</a>
04/09/2013	<b>H: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">David Alan Wolkins</a>
04/09/2013	<b>H: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">Justin Moed</a>
04/09/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Sue Errington</a>
04/09/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Ryan Dvorak</a>
04/09/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Jim Lucas</a>
04/09/2013	<b>H: Advisor</b>	Added <a href="#">Don Lehe</a>
04/16/2013	<b>: Conf Comm Sched</b>	3:00 PM Room 431
04/25/2013	<b>H: Committee Sched</b>	Upon adjournment Room 404 <a href="#">Rules and Legislative Procedures</a>
04/25/2013	<b>H: Conferee</b>	Removed <a href="#">Justin Moed</a>
04/25/2013	<b>H: Conferee</b>	Added <a href="#">Dennis Zent</a>
04/26/2013	<b>S: Committee Sched</b>	9:00 AM Room 431 <a href="#">Rules and Legislative Procedure</a>
04/26/2013	<b>S: Conf Report</b>	<a href="#">Adopted(49-1) S</a>
04/26/2013	<b>H: Conf Report</b>	<a href="#">Adopted(67-25) H</a>
04/26/2013	<b>S: Signed</b>	By the President Pro Tem
04/29/2013	<b>H: Signed</b>	By the Speaker
05/01/2013	<b>S: Signed</b>	By the President of the Senate
05/11/2013	<b>Governor</b>	Signed
05/13/2013	<b>Public Law</b>	P.L. 263