

## **Daily Legislative Update**

Wednesday, April 17, 2019

Another busy day awaits legislators this morning, as numerous conference committees and a morning session are on the agenda. With another 13 bills set for conference committees, today will also provide legislators an opportunity to send more amended bills back to their origin house so that they may be voted on and sent to Governor Holcomb for signature. Now that 3rd reading deadlines have passed for the House and Senate, all negotiations will be done either in conference committee or caucus meetings. The conference committee report that will come out of from these meetings is the bill in it's final form that will eventually be sent through for Executive approval. With that said, be on the lookout for each committee to post these documents online through the Conference Committee Schedule link below.

The State Budget Agency will also be presenting the revenue forecast today. This forecast is an "educated guess" done by top of the line economic consulting firms and representatives from legislative fiscal offices. What the forecast does in a nutshell is provides budget writers a road map to crafting a balanced budget through various inputs of domestic and international economic projections. There are rumors that the forecast will be somewhat negative in comparison to the study released in December, but we will know more today following its release.

### **Below are articles you may find of interest:**

[Senate Approves \\$34.6 Billion Budget](#)

[Should Kids With Reading Disabilities Get More Help On State Tests?](#)

[School Safety Bill Hung Up Over What Role Schools Should Play In Students' Lives](#)

[Teachers Push Lawmakers For More Money For Schools](#)

[Birch Bayh Memorial Service Set For May](#)

### **Conference Committee Schedule:**

<http://iga.in.gov/legislative/2019/committees/conference>

**Senate and House Committee Schedule:**

Senate: <http://iga.in.gov/documents/85381d73>

House: <http://iga.in.gov/documents/d818d017>

**Senate and House Floor and Committee Webcast:**

Senate: <http://iga.in.gov/legislative/2019/senate>

House: <http://iga.in.gov/legislative/2019/house>

**Senate and House Floor Calendars:**

Senate: <http://iga.in.gov/documents/4c7538be>

House: <http://iga.in.gov/documents/6de33d95>

**Senate and House Session Calendars:**

Senate: [http://iga.in.gov/legislative/2019/senate/session\\_calendar/](http://iga.in.gov/legislative/2019/senate/session_calendar/)

House: [http://iga.in.gov/legislative/2019/house/session\\_calendar/](http://iga.in.gov/legislative/2019/house/session_calendar/)

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