

## 2023 Legislative Bills to Watch: (1/21/2023)

### BILLS BEING TRACKED:

#### HOUSE:

CS/HB 37 Roach Compare SB 774 Brodeur Form 6 for city comms/mayors/city managers;	HB 199 Hunschofsky Related HB 241 Removes 313(7) exemption for special districts	HB 241 Daley Removes 313(7) exemption for special districts and requires 3142 training
HB 487 Salzman Mbrs of certain board subject to Ethics Code and disclosure; defines their agency		

#### SENATE:

SB 774 Brodeur Compare HB 37 Form 6 for city comms/mayors	HB 620 DiCeglie; Yarborough Identical HB 199 Compare HB 241 Removes 313(7) exemption for special districts	

### HOUSE BILLS:

#### HB 37: Financial Disclosures for Elected Local Officers

##### General Bill by Roach

Financial Disclosures for Elected Local Officers; Requires specified local officers to file full & public disclosure of financial interests; revises definition of term "local officer."

**Effective Date:** 1/1/2024

12/7/2022 HOUSE Filed

12/23/2022 H Referred to Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee

		Referred to Local Administration, Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee
		Referred to State Affairs Committee
		Now in Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee
1/18/2023	H	PCS added to Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee agenda
1/25/2023	H	Favorable with CS by Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee
1/26/2023	H	Reported out of Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee
		Laid on Table under Rule 7.18(a)
		CS Filed
1/30/2023	H	Referred to Local Administration, Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee
		Referred to State Affairs Committee
		Now in Local Administration, Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee

#### **Public Records/General Bill by Smith**

#### **HB 199: Conflicting Employment or Contractual Relationships for Public Officers or Employees**

##### **General Bill by Hunschofsky**

Conflicting Employment or Contractual Relationships for Public Officers or Employees; Removes exception authorizing certain public officers or employees to be employed by, or to enter into contractual relationship with, specified agencies.

**Effective Date:** 7/1/2023

1/12/2023	HOUSE	Filed
1/25/2023	H	Referred to Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee
		Referred to Local Administration, Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee
		Referred to State Affairs Committee
		Now in Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee

#### **HB 241: Ethics for Public Officers and Employees of Special Tax Districts**

##### **General Bill by Daley**

Ethics for Public Officers and Employees of Special Tax Districts; Removes exemption for public officers & employees of special tax districts relating to conflicting employment or contractual relationships in Code of Ethics for Public Officers & Employees; requires ethics training for elected local officers of independent special districts; specifies requirements for such training.

**Effective Date:** 7/1/2023

1/18/2023	HOUSE	Filed
1/25/2023	H	Referred to Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee
		Referred to Local Administration, Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee
		Referred to State Affairs Committee
		Now in Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee

**HB 487: Department of Financial Services****General Bill by Salzman**

Department of Financial Services; Removes provisions prohibiting individuals holding specified insurance licenses from holding certain other insurance licenses; provides disposition of funds received by title insurance agencies & funds required to be maintained in escrow trust accounts; exempts appointed public adjusters from certain insurance activities' prohibitions; requires navigators' registrations to expire under certain circumstances; prohibits insurers & insurance agents from engaging in specified practices relating to collateral protection property insurance; removes certain financial requirements for warranty associations & parent corporations; prohibits department from issuing temporary bail bond agent's licenses; specifies procedures for remission of forfeitures of deceased defendants; specifies procedures for remission of forfeitures of defendants for whom state is unwilling to seek extradition.

**Effective Date:** upon becoming a law

1/24/2023	HOUSE	Filed
2/1/2023		Referred to Insurance & Banking Subcommittee
		Referred to Appropriations Committee
		Referred to Commerce Committee
		Now in Insurance & Banking Subcommittee

**SENATE BILLS:****SB 774: Financial Disclosures for Local Officers****General Bill by Brodeur**

Financial Disclosures for Local Officers; Requiring specified local officers to file a full and public disclosure of financial interests; revising the definition of the term "local officer", etc.

**Effective Date:** 7/1/2023

2/14/2023	SENATE	Filed
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**SB 620: Conflicting Employment or Contractual Relationships for Public Officers or Employees****General Bill by DiCeglie ; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Yarborough**

Conflicting Employment or Contractual Relationships for Public Officers or Employees; Deleting an exception authorizing certain public officers or employees to be employed by, or to enter into a contractual relationship with, specified agencies, etc.

**Effective Date:** 7/1/2023

2/9/2023	SENATE	Filed
2/16/2023	S	Referred to Ethics and Elections; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules