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Web Licensure Summit

June 29, 2022

Agenda



Legislative Sessions
Update



ARPL Update



Organizational Updates



2022 Legislative Update

Occupational Review Bills

Any party allowed to bring challenges

Review commission expanding authority

Reviewing past rules

Other methods of review

Arizona De-regulation Bill

- Removes occupational license requirement
- Requires registration
- New entity/definitions not defined
- Sunset review and audit

This is the death knell for Arizona's funeral board. Why the change could put families at risk



Anne Ryman
Arizona Republic

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Days are numbered for the state regulatory board that has overseen funeral directors and embalmers for more than 100 years.

CHAPTER 279

HOUSE BILL 2123

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 32-1301, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; REPEALING SECTION 41-3022.22, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; AMENDING TITLE 41, CHAPTER 27, ARTICLE 2, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 41-3023.17; RELATING TO REGULATION OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS.

Snapshot: 2022 Reducing Barriers Legislation

Bill Type	# of Bills Tracked (2021-2022)	Passed (2022)	Failed (2021 - 2022)
Criminal History & Second Chance Acts	22	4	10
Licensure of Military, Veterans, & Spouses	39	2	19
Local Preemption	13	0	9

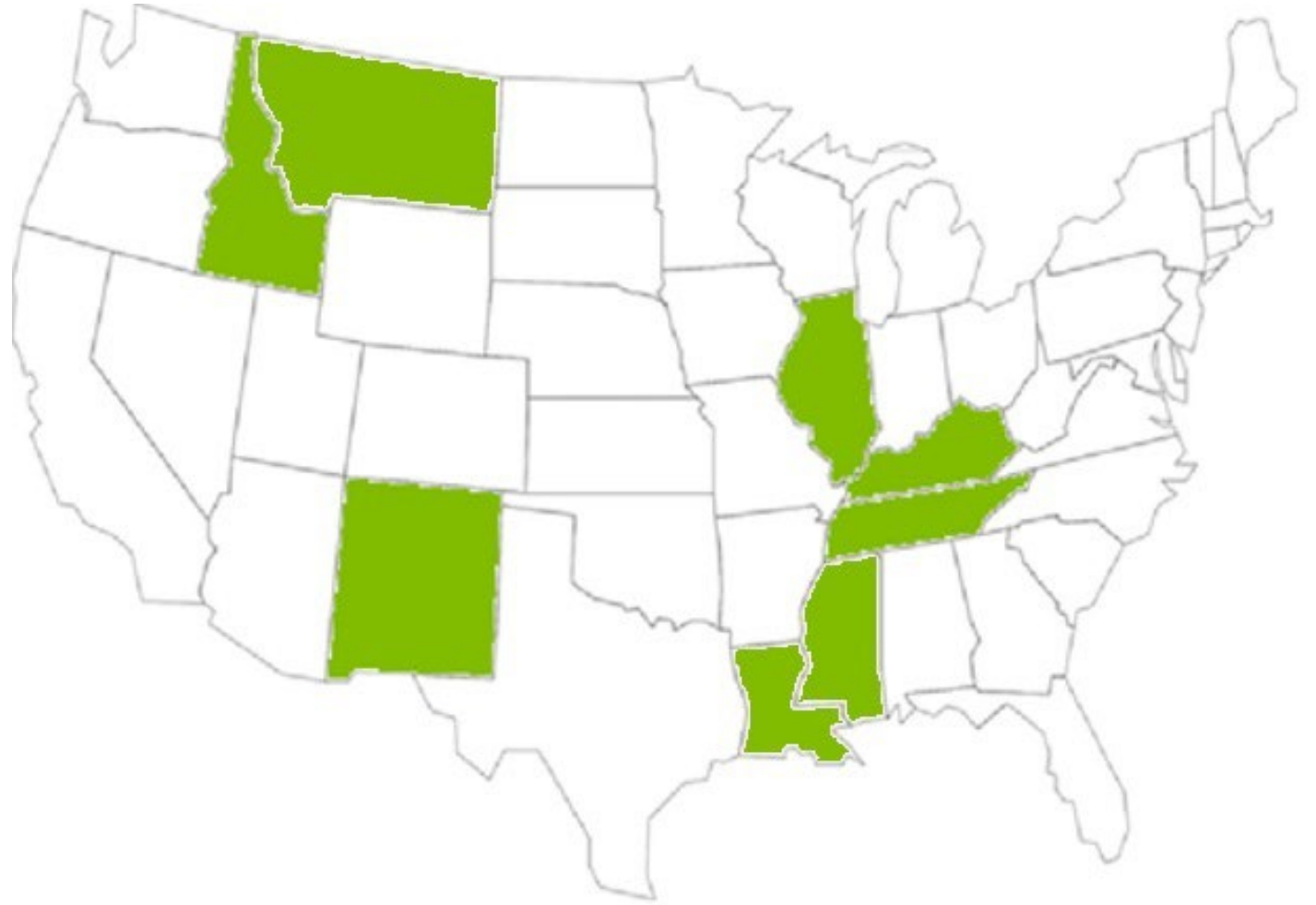


Snapshot: 2022 Occupational Licensure Threats

Bill Type	# of Bills Tracked (2021-2022)	Passed (2022)	Failed (2021-2022)
Landscape Architecture Deregulation	0		
Consumer Choice Act	0		
Right to Earn a Living	5	0	4
Universal Licensing	26	1	14
Occupational Licensing Studies/Reviews	21	5	12
Sunrise/Sunset	13	3	9



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Louisiana: SB 483



Illinois: Title Act Regulations





Mississippi



Tackle the Tape

29
by
29

To efficiently review all 118,000 regulations in Mississippi's regulatory code, we have outlined a comprehensive strategic plan called 29 by 29.

This review plan will serve as a roadmap within the Tackle the Tape initiative with an end goal of reviewing every regulation for all 29 occupational licensing boards and commissions by the year 2029. Click [here](#) to see the full plan.

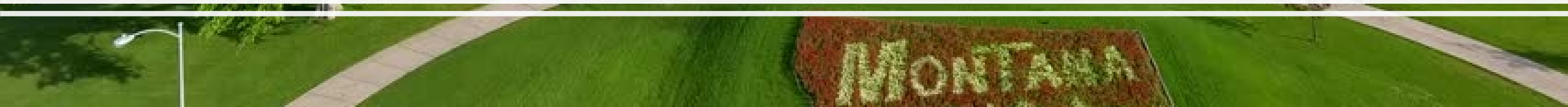
- Review all regulations and all 29 boards and commissions
- Supported by licensing reform groups
- Board of Architecture in first year
- Engaging with Secretary of State's office
- Report a regulation online

Rid the RED in Mississippi

Tackle the Tape sets out to cut regulations that are anticompetitive and do not substantially further the safety and well-being of our citizens. The Secretary of State's Office has always served as a premier resource for the business community, and Secretary Michael Watson understands the impact burdensome red tape regulations have on our state's economy. Tackle the Tape will help increase economic opportunities for all Mississippians by promoting competition and encouraging innovation and job growth.



Montana: Landscape Architecture Licensing Survey



Response Strategy

Landscape Architect Licensees 1.1

This survey is designed to explore the idea of **KEEPING PROFESSIONS LICENSED** in the state of Montana **BUT** rather than using a state board composed of public members and a few members of the profession licensing it would be performed through a state program where licensees interact with the program directly on what safety standards and qualifications the profession requires.

- ASLA iAdvocate Alert
- Engaged with ARPL
- Unified response with architects
- Licensee data
- Demonstrating quick, efficient processes



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Professional Licensing

responsiblelicensing.org

ARPL Engagement



LOUISIANA PUBLIC OPINION OF PROFESSIONAL LICENSING

**LOUISIANA VOTERS SUPPORT PROFESSIONAL
LICENSING AND REJECT EFFORTS TO WEAKEN IT**

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Professional Licensing

LOUISIANA VOTERS OVERWHELMINGLY SUPPORT PROFESSIONAL LICENSING



91% say it's important that licensing systems establish standards for professions that keep consumers and the public safe.



90% believe licensing is important because it helps consumers identify qualified professionals and access information about the professionals they hire.

LOUISIANA VOTERS ARE DEEPLY CONCERNED BY ANTI-LICENSING LEGISLATION



89% of Louisiana voters would be concerned if Louisiana eliminated minimum qualifications for engineers, architects, landscape architects, surveyors, and CPAs.



Two-thirds of voters (65 percent) oppose legislation filed in Louisiana that would eliminate professional licensing requirements.

LOUISIANA VOTERS DOUBT ANTI-LICENSING BILLS WILL BENEFIT BUSINESSES



64% believe that eliminating minimum qualifications assured through licensing would put consumers at greater risk of harm from unqualified practitioners in Louisiana.



55% believe that eliminating licensing would make it harder for Louisiana businesses to know if their employees are qualified.



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ASLA State Tracking Resource

www.asla.org/statelegislation

The map below provides an interactive overview of occupational licensure and landscape architecture bills in each state.

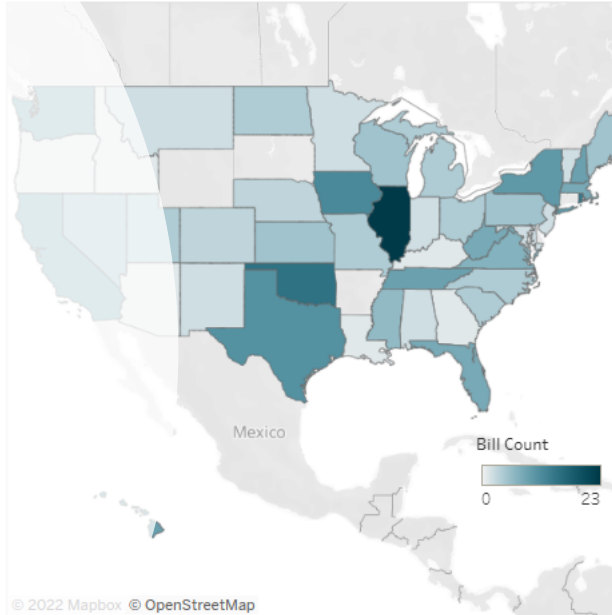
[2022 Occupational Licensure Report \(PDF\)](#)

[Final 2021 Occupational Licensure Report \(PDF\)](#)

Priority Bills | Bill Details

Priority Bills

Select a state to filter bills by legislature



Select a bar to filter by issue area



Click the arrow to view bill details

Issue Area	State	Bill Number	Title	
Landscape Architecture	AK	HB 61	"An Act relating to commercial interior designers and commercial i...	↻
	AL	HB 348	Board of Examiners of Landscape Architects, further provided the ..	↻
		SB 222	Board of Examiners of Landscape Architects, further provided the ..	↻
	CA	AB 1506	Worker status: employees and independent contractors: newspap..	↻
		AB 1561	Worker classification: employees and independent contractors.	↻

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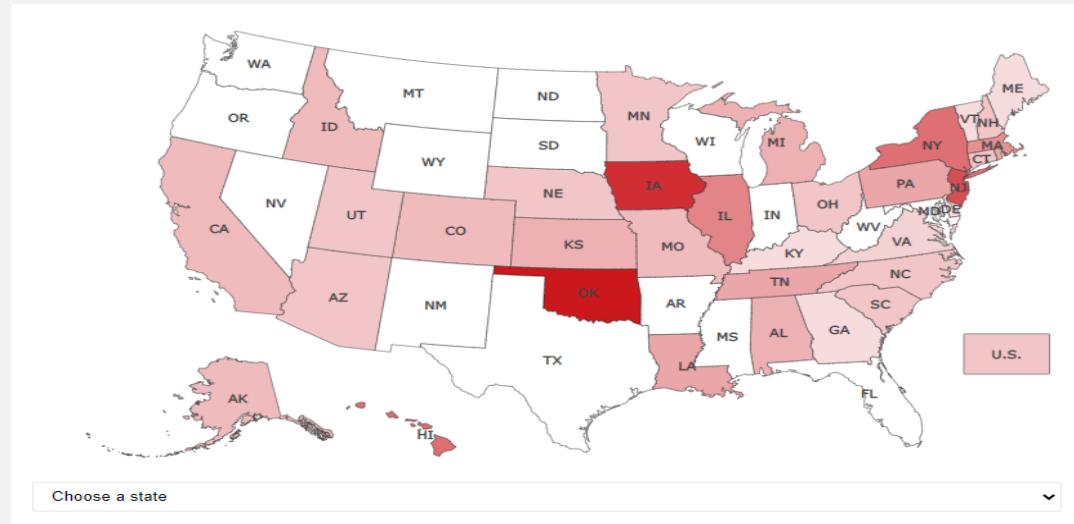
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BillTrack50 Map Widgets (US States, Congress, DC only)

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Issue-Specific Bill Maps

The majority of bills introduced are relating to **Board Operations, Occupational Review/Oversight/Reduction, and Universal Licensing**. Click on any of the issues below to see an issue-specific map of where the bills are introduced and find all the information on any bill in any state.

[Board Operations](#) ▶

[Occupational Review/Oversight/Reduction](#) ▶

[Universal Licensing](#) ▶

Upcoming Meetings



Regional Meeting



August 10th at 3:00 PM ET



Questions

