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Markup Styles for House and Senate Bills

State	Mark up used for House Bills	Mark up used for Senate Bills
Alabama	Once the bill is selected (clicking on the title of the bill), if you click on the pdf version, the mark up is underline and strike-out. Once you select the bill, and you do not click on the pdf version, at the bottom of the bill text, it lists what has been changed.	Once the bill is selected (clicking on the title of the bill), if you click on the pdf version, the mark up is underline and strike-out. Once you select the bill, and you do not click on the pdf version, at the bottom of the bill text, it lists what has been changed.
Alaska	Underline (new) Bracket (deleted)	Underline (new) Bracket (deleted)
Arkansas	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Arizona	Blue all caps (new) Red strike-out (deleted)	Blue all caps (new) Red strike-out (deleted)
California	Italic (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Italic (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Colorado	Shading (House Amendment) Double Underline (Senate Amendment)	Shading (House Amendment) Double Underline (Senate Amendment)
Connecticut	Blue underline (new) Red bracket (deleted)	Blue underline (new) Red bracket (deleted)
Delaware	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted
District of Columbia	States throughout the text what is being added and what is being deleted	Only one type of bill
Florida	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Georgia	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Hawaii	Underline (new) Strike-out and bracket (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out and bracket (deleted)
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Idaho	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Illinois	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Indiana	Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type. Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in this style type. Also, the word NEW will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution. Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in this style type or this style type reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2012 Regular Session of the General Assembly.	Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type. Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in this style type. Also, the word NEW will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution. Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in this style type or this style type reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2012 Regular Session of the General Assembly.
Kansas	Italic (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Italic (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Kentucky	Underline and italic (new) Strike-out bracket (deleted)	Underline and italic (new) Strike-out bracket (deleted)
Louisiana	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Bold underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Massachusetts	States throughout the text what is being added and what is being deleted	States throughout the text what is being added and what is being deleted
Maryland	CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law. Underlining indicates amendments to bill. Strike out indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.	CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law. Underlining indicates amendments to bill. Strike out indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.
Maine	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Only one type of bill
Michigan	Caps bold (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Caps bold (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Minnesota	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Missouri	Bold (new) Bold bracket (deleted)	Bold (new) Bold bracket (deleted)
Mississippi	Underline (new) *** strike-out(deleted)	Underline (new) *** strike-out(deleted)
Montana	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
North Carolina	Underline (new)	Underline (new)
	Strike-out (deleted)	Strike-out (deleted)

	Strike-out (deleted)	Strike-out (deleted)
Nebraska	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Only one type of bill
New Hampshire	Matter added to current law appears in bold italics .	Matter added to current law appears in bold italics .
	Matter removed from current law appears [in brackets and struckthrough.]	Matter removed from current law appears [in brackets and struckthrough.]
	Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.	Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.
New Jersey	Underline (new) Bold bracket (deleted)	Underline (new) Bold bracket (deleted)
New Mexico	Underline (new) Bracket and strikeout (deleted)	Underline (new) Bracket and strikeout (deleted)
Nevada	Blue italics (new) Red bracket (deleted)	Blue italics (new) Red bracket (deleted)
New York	Italic and underline (new) Bracket (deleted)	Italic and underline (new) Bracket (deleted)
Ohio	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Oklahoma	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Oregon	Matter within { + braces and plus signs + } in an amended section is new. Matter within { - braces and minus signs - } is existing law to be omitted. New sections are within { + braces and plus signs + }	Matter within { + braces and plus signs + } in an amended section is new. Matter within { - braces and minus signs - } is existing law to be omitted. New sections are within { + braces and plus signs + }
Pennsylvania	Various, (expand)	Various, (expand)
Rhode Island	Blue underline (new) Red strike-out (delete)	Blue underline (new) Red strike-out (delete)
South Carolina	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
South Dakota	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Tennessee	Amendments provided, what has been changed is in the amendment	Amendments provided, what has been changed is in the amendment
Texas	Underline (new) Bracket and strikeout (deleted)	Underline (new) Bracket and strikeout (deleted)
Federal	States throughout the text what is being added and what is being deleted	States throughout the text what is being added and what is being deleted
Utah	Italic underline (new) Bracket and strikeout (deleted)	Italic underline (new) Bracket and strikeout (deleted)
Virginia	Italic (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Italic (new) Strike-out (deleted)

Vermont	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Washington	Underline (new) Double parens with strike-out (deleted) Will also state in all caps NEW SECTION or NEW SUBSECTION	Underline (new) Double parens with strike-out (deleted) Will also state in all caps NEW SECTION or NEW SUBSECTION
Wisconsin	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
West Virginia	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)	Underline (new) Strike-out (deleted)
Wyoming	Red underline (new) Blue strike-out (deleted)	Red underline (new) Blue strike-out (deleted)

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