



# Adoptee Rights Legislation - Cheat Sheet for the 2022-2023 Sessions

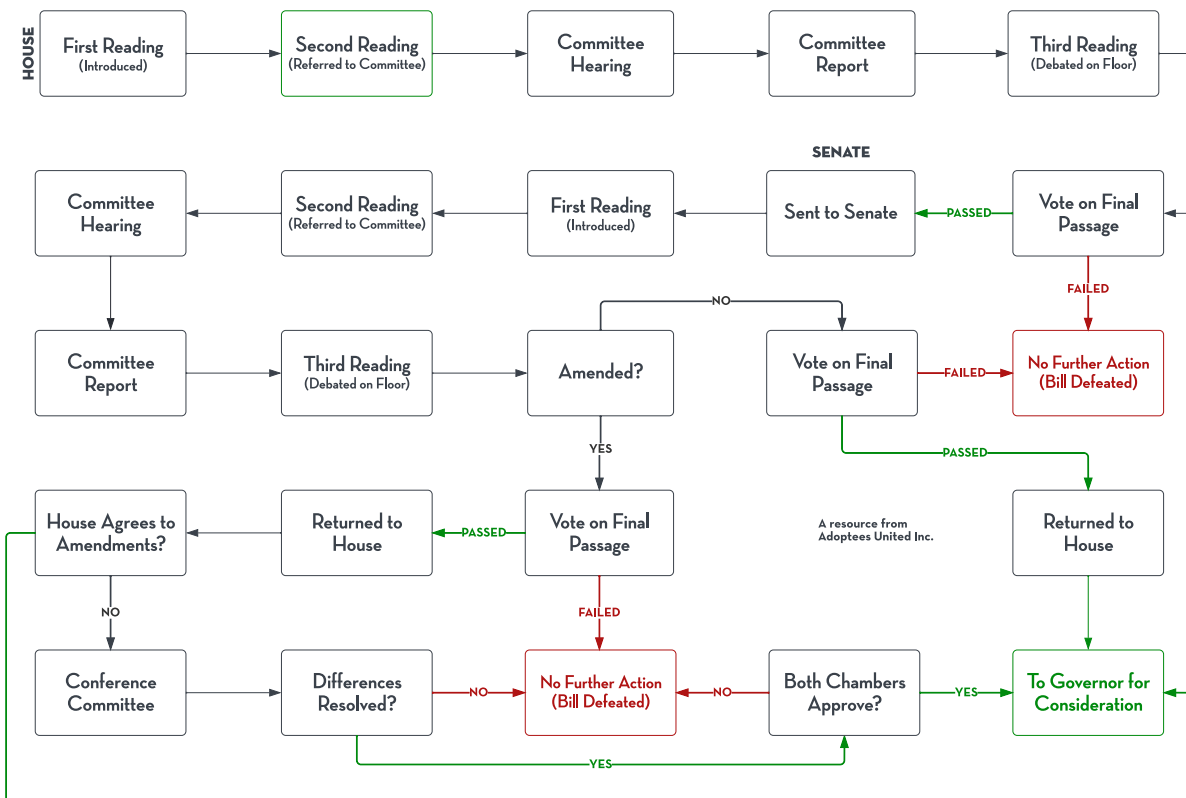
Legislature	Convenes	Adjourns	Active Bills
Alabama	3/7/2023	6/8/2023	
Alaska	1/17/2023	4/17/2023	
Arizona	1/9/2023	4/22/2023	
Arkansas	1/9/2023	3/10/2023	
California	12/5/2022	9/8/2023	
Colorado	1/9/2023	5/9/2023	
Connecticut	1/4/2023	6/7/2023	
Delaware	1/10/2023	6/30/2023	
District of Columbia	1/2/2023	*	
Florida	3/7/2023	5/5/2023	
Georgia	1/9/2023	3/30/2023	
Hawaii	1/18/2023	5/4/2023	
Idaho	1/9/2023	4/8/2023	
Illinois	1/11/2023	*	
Indiana	1/10/2023	2/8/2023	
Iowa	1/9/2023	5/17/2023	
Kansas	1/9/2023	5/12/2023	
Kentucky	1/3/2023	4/13/2023	
Louisiana	4/10/2023	6/8/2023	
Maine	12/7/2022	6/21/2023	
Maryland	1/11/2023	4/10/2023	
Massachusetts	1/4/2023	*	
Michigan	1/11/2023	*	
Minnesota	1/3/2023	5/22/2023	
Mississippi	1/3/2023	4/3/2023	
Missouri	1/4/2023	5/30/2023	
Montana	1/2/2023	5/11/2023	
Nebraska	1/4/2023	5/23/2023	
Nevada	2/6/2023	6/5/2023	
New Hampshire	1/4/2023	6/30/2023	
New Jersey	1/11/2023	*	
New Mexico	1/17/2023	3/18/2023	
New York	1/4/2023	*	
North Carolina	1/11/2023	7/28/2023	
North Dakota	1/3/2023	4/28/2023	

\*Legislature or council (DC) generally meets year-round. For more information about specific bills, go to [adopteesunited.org/legislation](https://adopteesunited.org/legislation).

Legislature	Convenes	Adjourns	Active Bills
Ohio	1/2/2023	*	
Oklahoma	2/6/2023	5/26/2023	
Oregon	1/17/2023	6/26/2023	
Pennsylvania	1/3/2023	*	
Rhode Island	1/3/2023	*	
South Carolina	1/10/2023	*	
South Dakota	1/10/2023	3/27/2023	
Tennessee	1/10/2023	5/6/2023	
Texas	1/10/2023	5/29/2023	
Utah	1/17/2023	3/3/2023	
Vermont	1/4/2023	5/9/2023	
Virginia	1/11/2023	2/25/2023	
Washington	1/9/2023	4/29/2023	
West Virginia	1/11/2023	3/11/2023	
Wisconsin	1/3/2023	12/31/2023	
Wyoming	1/10/2023	3/3/2023	
<b>US Congress</b>	01/03/2023	01/03/2025	

### GENERAL LEGISLATIVE PROCESS

General process only. State and federal rules and procedures will vary.



More detailed information about state and federal adoptee rights legislation is available at this link.



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