LexisNexis®

Take the legwork out of tracking crucial legislative activities

In January 2021, state legislatures across the country considered 2,123 bills per day. How can you possibly determine which ones are relevant to your organization and keep track of their progress? Let LexisNexis® State Net® do it for you.

Never Get Lost in the Forest

You don't need to weed through the hundreds of legislative measures considered each day. Your time is better spent influencing proposed matters, reducing compliance risk and delivering meaningful information and feedback to your stakeholders.

With Issue Screening, State Net® services proactively search and identify bills and regulations that could impact your organization so you don't have to worry about missing something critical or being overloaded with irrelevant or stale search results.

Save Time, Effort and Unnecessary Hassle

Our proprietary search tools proactively search and identify bills and regulations important to you. Then our team of experts reviews and identifies key measures for you, giving you more time to act on the information we deliver to you.

How It Works

We know what to look for because you tell us. Our staff are experts in legislative and regulatory issues and processes, and they work with similar clients in your industry. They collaborate with you to gain expertise on how those issues may impact your organization. Here's how it works:

Assess Needs: First, we work with you to assess and define your issues, reporting needs and notification requirements.

Build Roadmap: Next, for each of your issues we build a roadmap with descriptions/definitions, highlighting what to include and exclude in your results.

Develop Search Strategy: Lastly, a sophisticated search strategy is built based on our enhanced content. Select from close to 3,000 existing tags in our Issue Library or we can create new tags/searches to meet your criteria.

Refine Results: We employ multiple layers of searches to deliver more granular results. For example: A separate search can be run against the results of your roadmap to identify and eliminate matters pertaining to the public sector only.

Apply Automation: Companion (identical) bills and related bills are automatically identified, linked and added to your tracking file. For example: A bill focused on "Health Exchanges" will be linked to "Affordable Health Care."

Categorize Results: Your roadmap allows us to customize your alerts and reports based on your issue scope.

Regular Reviews: Regular issue reviews are scheduled throughout the year to fine-tune your issue coverage. Roadmaps are shared so search strategies and screening guidelines can be adjusted to ensure reliable and credible reporting.

Leading-edge technology and meticulous human review ensure timely and precise reporting on your most critical issues
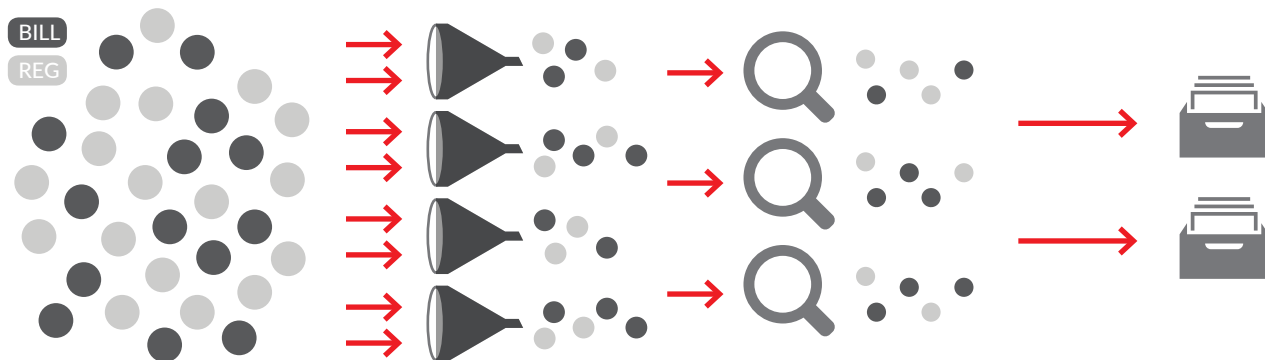
Our issue screening process quickly and efficiently identifies and delivers exactly what you need when you need it. Starting from the tens of thousands of bills and regulations, we employ a variety of searches (topic, summary and text) based on your specific criteria to ensure no critical measures are missed.

Each new level of search reduces the number of irrelevant matters:

TOPIC

TEXT

SUMMARY

- Topic search: Broad, sweeping search
- Text search: Identifies specific language and finds outliers
- Summary search: Eliminates irrelevant matters and indicates a high probability of a match

Research analysts review each bill to determine if it is relevant to your organization. Our screening form suggests potential tags and displays your roadmap to ensure reliable results. Automated routing to your private tracking files reduces the risk of human error.

BILL
REG

| 200,000+ measures collected, normalized and classified | More than 10,500 searches are employed across 5 different measure types | Each matter is manually reviewed from the screening tool | Based on tags applied, matters are routed to customer tracking files |

With a few simple steps, you gain an edge in today's ever-changing legislative climate while helping save you and your organization time and money.

For more information, visit the State Net page, or talk to your LexisNexis® account representative.

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