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KY Legislative Scorecard 2024

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2. **HB461 "Stop Arm Camera" Citations** (passed 79 to 14 on 3/11/2024). Allows the use of "stop arm cameras" on school buses and enforces civil penalties against motor vehicle owners for violations, including fines of up to \$1,000, license suspension, and imprisonment. **YES** ✗

3. **HB357 Second Amendment Financial Privacy** (passed 78 to 18 on 2/27/2024). Forbids the use of a merchant category code that distinguishes a firearms retailer from other retailers and provides that no person or governmental entity may keep a list of privately owned firearms or firearms owners. **NO** ✗

4. **HB255 Freeing Young Adults from "Child Labor" Laws** (passed 60 to 36 on 2/22/2024). Repeals a section of state law that prevents the Department of Workplace Standards from making "child labor" regulations less restrictive than those imposed by the United States Secretary of Labor. **NO** ✗

5. **HB367 Cutting "Work Waivers" for Food Stamps** (passed 61 to 33 on 2/22/2024). Prohibits SNAP recipients who are "able-bodied adults without dependents" from receiving any waiver of work requirements, unless specifically authorized by the General Assembly. **NO** ✗

6. **HB96 "Moment of Silence" to Pray in School** (passed 79 to 17 on 1/31/2024). Requires each local school district to have a "moment of silence or reflection" at the start of every school day, ensuring that all students may "pray" without distraction. **YES** ★

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