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*This compilation of state statutory citations focuses predominantly on biofuels laws in effect January 1, 1970 through December 31, 2013. It is intended to serve as a researcher-friendly inventory of state laws by providing the formal title of relevant legislation, the standard legal citation for each statute, the applicability of the statute (ethanol, biodiesel, or both), and a brief description of the law. Some statutes and regulations listed do not specifically relate to biofuels, but are included because of their complementary relationship to the evolution of biofuels law in the state. These statutes are placed in reverse chronological order using the date of the most recent amendment to the statute. Many biofuels laws were enacted as amendments to previously passed laws.*

<b>Title</b>	<b>Citation</b>	<b>Applicability</b>	<b>Description</b>
Strategy for use of alternative fuel vehicles (2013)	<a href="#">KY. REV. STAT. § 45A.625</a>	Both	Requires the state to develop a strategy to replace 50% of the state fleet with vehicles that run on alternative fuels and increase the use of ethanol and biodiesel.
Alternative Fuel and Renewable Energy Fund Program (2013)	<a href="#">KY. REV. STAT. §§ 154.20-400 TO 154.20-420</a>	Both	Creates a fund to help Kentucky-based companies to undertake research and commercialization of alternative fuels, and directs the Finance and Administration Cabinet to oversee those funds.
Alternative Fuel Technologies (2013)	<a href="#">KY. REV. STAT. §§ 152.710 TO 152.720</a>	Both	Creates the Center for Renewable Energy Research and Environmental Stewardship to assist in the establishment and promotion of renewable energy sources. Also requires the Department of Energy Development and Independence to develop a strategy for producing alternative fuels from fossil fuels and biomass resources.
Alternative Fuel Producers Tax Credits (2012)	<a href="#">KY. REV. STAT. §§ 141.422 TO 141.425</a>	Both	Creates a \$1/gallon income tax credit for biodiesel and ethanol producers, subject to state funding caps.

Incentives for Energy Independence Act (2011)	<a href="#">KY. REV. STAT. §§ 154.27-010 TO 154.27-100</a>	Both	Provides a variety of tax incentives for building or retrofitting alternative fuel production facilities that use biomass, along with other feedstocks.
Gasohol Production (2010)	<a href="#">KY. REV. STAT. §§ 247.900 TO 247.920</a>	Ethanol	Declaration of the state to promote and encourage farmers working with production plants to produce ethanol. Allows ethanol production facilities to apply for a state tax exempt status for a period of 8 years.
Use of biodiesel fuel blends (2010)	<a href="#">KY. REV. STAT. § 363.9055</a>	Biodiesel	Encourages retailers in the state to sell only diesel that contains at least 2% biodiesel.
Tax credit for railroad expansion or upgrade (2009)	<a href="#">KY. REV. STAT. § 141.386</a>	Both	Provides a tax credit for 25% of the expenses incurred to expand or upgrade the railway infrastructure to accommodate the transport of biomass used for the production of fuels.
Sale tax incentive for alternative fuel (2007)	<a href="#">KY. REV. STAT. § 139.517</a>	Both	Provides a sales tax incentive for building or retrofitting alternative fuel production facilities.