

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

BANKING AND INSURANCE

Senator Richter, Chair

Senator Smith, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, January 9, 2012

TIME: 3:15 —5:15 p.m.

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Richter, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice Chair; Senators Alexander, Bennett, Fasano, Gaetz, Hays, Margolis, Negron, Oelrich, and Sobel

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 438 Bennett (Similar CS/H 275)	Consumer Finance Charges; Increasing the proportionate loan amounts that are subject to descending maximum rates of interest; increasing the maximum delinquency charge that may be imposed for each loan payment in default for not less than a specified time; revising the maximum amount that a lender may impose as a service charge on a borrower who gives the lender a bad check in full or partial payment of a loan, etc. BI 01/09/2012 Favorable CM BC	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
2	SB 676 Smith (Identical H 307)	Workers' Compensation Certificate-of-exemption Process; Revising requirements relating to election of exemption from coverage to include applicability to members of limited liability companies; revising requirements for submitting a notice of election of exemption; revising duties of the Department of Financial Services relating to the expiration of certificates of exemption; expanding applicability of requirements relating to certificates of exemption, etc. BI 01/09/2012 Favorable CM BC	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
3	SB 938 Richter (Identical H 725, Compare H 643, H 4147, S 1404, S 1694)	Insurance Agents and Adjusters; Deleting a requirement that an insurer pay an agent tax for each county in which an agent represents the insurer and has a place of business; revising the definitions of "adjuster" and "home state"; revising provisions relating to who may bind insurance coverage; revising provisions relating to continuing education requirements; providing that persons on active military duty may seek a waiver; revising provisions relating to the purpose of the general lines and personal lines license and certain requirements related to general lines and personal lines agents; requiring persons transacting mortgage guaranty insurance to be licensed and appointed as a credit insurance agent, etc. BI 01/09/2012 Fav/CS BC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

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