The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

COMMERCE AND TOURISM Senator Gruters, Chair Senator Torres, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE:	Tuesday, January 21, 2020
TIME:	10:00—11:30 a.m.
PLACE:	Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Gruters, Chair; Senator Torres, Vice Chair; Senators Hutson, Stewart, and Wright

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 666 Mayfield	Florida Development Finance Corporation; Requiring the executive director of the Department of Economic Opportunity to serve as the chair of the board of directors of the Florida Development Finance Corporation; requiring the department to develop performance standards for the corporation and include certain information relating to the standards in the department's annual report; specifying that all officers, employees, and administrative and support staff for the corporation shall be employees of the department, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 3 Nays 0
		CM 01/21/2020 Fav/CS GO RC	
2	SB 1112 Taddeo (Identical H 861)	Bottled Water Excise Tax; Imposing an excise tax upon bottled water operators; specifying the rate of the tax and the trust fund where tax proceeds are to be deposited; specifying requirements for bottled water operators in filing monthly returns and declarations of estimated tax with, and remitting estimated taxes to, the Department of Revenue; specifying the department's authority to inspect, examine, and audit bottled water operator books and records, issue subpoenas, require testimony under oath or affirmation of certain persons, and apply for certain judicial orders, etc. CM 01/21/2020 Amendment Adopted - Temporarily Postponed FT AP	Amendment Adopted - Temporarily Postponed

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3	SB 1244 Albritton (Compare H 1271)	State Workforce Development Boards; Defining the terms "for cause" and "state board"; replacing CareerSource Florida, Inc., with the state board or the Department of Economic Opportunity in provisions relating to the implementation of the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act; revising provisions relating to the operation of CareerSource Florida, Inc.; authorizing a chief elected official for a local workforce development board to remove certain persons from the board for cause; revising authority relating to the Workforce Training Institute, etc.	Favorable Yeas 4 Nays 0
4	SB 1310 Mayfield (Compare H 777)	Hunting and Fishing Sales Tax Holiday; Providing an exemption from the sales and use tax for the retail sale of firearms, firearm ammunition, camping tents, and fishing supplies during a specified timeframe; defining the terms "firearms" and "fishing supplies"; specifying locations where the exemptions do not apply, etc. CM 01/21/2020 Not Considered FT AP	Not Considered
5	SB 922 Gruters (Similar H 779)	Economic Development; Authorizing a qualified target industry business located in a county affected by Hurricane Michael to submit a request to the Department of Economic Opportunity for an economic recovery extension in lieu of a tax refund claim scheduled to be submitted during a specified timeframe; authorizing the department to waive certain requirements during a specified timeframe; providing that certain businesses are eligible for a specified tax refund payment, etc. CM 01/21/2020 Fav/CS ATD AP	Fav/CS Yeas 3 Nays 0

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