The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

INNOVATION, INDUSTRY AND TECHNOLOGY Senator Simpson, Chair Senator Benacquisto, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE:	Tuesday, April 2, 2019
TIME:	10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon
PLACE:	Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Simpson, Chair; Senator Benacquisto, Vice Chair; Senators Bracy, Bradley, Brandes, Braynon, Farmer, Gibson, Hutson, and Passidomo

TAB	OFFICE and APPOINTMENT (HO	ME CITY) FOR TERM ENDIN	G COMMITTEE ACTION			
	Senate Confirmation Hearing: A public hearing will be held for consideration of the below- named executive appointment to the office indicated.					
	Florida Public Service Commission					
1	Brown, Julie I. (Tampa)	01/01/2023	Recommend Confirm Yeas 10 Nays 0			
	Florida Public Service Commissi	on				
2	Clark, Gary F. (Chipley)	01/01/2023	Recommend Confirm Yeas 8 Nays 0			
TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION			
3	SB 1024 Gruters (Similar CS/H 735)	 Blockchain Technology; Establishing the Florida Blockchain Working Group in the Agency for State Technology; providing for membership and duties of the working group; requiring the working group to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature and make presentations, etc. BI 03/18/2019 Favorable IT 04/02/2019 Fav/CS RC 				
4	CS/SB 610 Criminal Justice / Pizzo (Compare H 1259)	Condominium Associations; Revising criminal penalties relating to the acceptance of things or services of value or kickbacks; authorizing an association to direct certain persons to the association's website to fulfill certain obligations relating to the inspection of records; requiring certa associations to post copies of certain documents or the association's website by a specified date; providing criminal penalties for fraudulent voting activities related to association elections, etc. CJ 03/25/2019 Fav/CS IT 04/02/2019 Fav/CS ACJ AP				

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5	SB 1618 Simmons (Similar H 1041, Compare H 1013, CS/H 1125, S 734, S 1046, S 1574)	Tobacco Products; Citing this act as the "Tobacco 21 Act"; revising shipping documentation requirements for specified sales of tobacco products; deleting provisions requiring driver license penalties for certain persons who commit tobacco-related offenses; revising the age under which it is unlawful to smoke in, on, or near school property; revising the age limitation that applies to the sale, delivery, bartering, furnishing, or giving of tobacco products, etc. HP 03/25/2019 Favorable IT 04/02/2019 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 2
6	CS/SB 1704 Banking and Insurance / Wright (Similar CS/CS/H 1393, Compare H 723, CS/S 908)	 Department of Financial Services; Requiring the Division of Treasury to maintain, rather than turn over to the Division of Accounting and Auditing, warrants drawn by the Chief Financial Officer; deleting a requirement that trust companies, where certain care and maintenance trust funds may be established, must operate pursuant to ch. 660, F.S.; revising requirements for the supervision of licensed funeral establishments by funeral directors in charge; deleting an examination requirement for an applicant for an industrial fire insurance or burglary insurance license, etc. BI 03/25/2019 Fav/CS IT 04/02/2019 Not Considered RC 	Not Considered
7	SB 1640 Albritton (Similar CS/H 27, Compare CS/H 827, CS/S 616)	Deregulation of Professions and Occupations; Renaming the Board of Architecture and Interior Design as the Board of Architecture within the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; repealing provisions relating to hearings for persons or labor organizations denied licensure as a business agent; requiring the Department of Business and Professional Regulation or a board to seek reciprocal licensing agreements with other states under certain circumstances; repealing provisions relating to fees and local licensing requirements, etc. IT 04/02/2019 Fav/CS CM AP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 4

8 Consideration of proposed bill:

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9	SPB 7100	Public Records/Department of the Lottery; Exempting from public records requirements certain security information held by the Department of the Lottery, information about lottery games, personal identifying information of retailers and vendors for purposes of background checks, and certain financial information held by the department; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.	Not Considered
	Consideration of proposed bill:		
10	SPB 7102	Hemp; Providing requirements for the distribution and retail sale of hemp extract; revising the term "cannabis" to exclude hemp for purposes of ch. 893, F.S., etc.	Not Considered
	Other Related Meeting Documents		