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CALL TO ORDER

The Senate was called to order by President Negron at 1:00 p.m. A quorum present—37:

Mr. President	Farmer	Powell
Artiles	Flores	Rodriguez
Baxley	Gainer	Rouson
Bean	Galvano	Simmons
Benacquisto	Garcia	Simpson
Book	Gibson	Stargel
Bracy	Grimsley	Steube
Bradley	Hutson	Stewart
Brandes	Latvala	Thurston
Braynon	Mayfield	Torres
Broxson	Montford	Young
Campbell	Passidomo	
Clemens	Perry	

Excused: Senators Hukill and Rader

PRAYER

The following prayer was offered by Senior Chaplain, Dr. Nathaniel B. Knowles, Broward Sheriff's Office, Office of the Chaplain, Fort Lauderdale:

Father, we're so thankful and grateful for this day, for this hour, and for the opportunity to stand in your presence once again. We thank you because you told us, "In all things give thanks, for this is the will of God." Father, you told us to acknowledge you in everything that we do, so we acknowledge that thou art God. We acknowledge the very fact that you have called us together, in one accord, to do that which is pleasing in your sight.

We pray for the men and women that are serving throughout this entire world. For those who wear a uniform, we pray blessings upon them and that you would keep and cover them. As they protect us, God, we ask that you would watch over their families and that you would provide and meet every need.

Father, as we come now to the business at hand, here in the great State of Florida, we pray your guiding hand would rest upon us and it would be with us.

Father, as we go forth, we pray you would look down upon this entire Senate. We pray for each of them. We pray that you would cover them. Bless their families and their actions as they come to lead this great state. Keep us in your love and in your precious care. We will be so thankful and so careful to give your name the glory and all the honor.

For this we pray to him who has made all things holy, who is our Lord and Savior. Amen.

PLEDGE

Senate Pages, Andy Albritton of Ocala; John Bales of Tampa; Emily Dudley of Tallahassee; and Cynthia Wang of Tallahassee, led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

At the request of Senator Latvala—

By Senator Latvala—

SR 1776—A resolution celebrating the extraordinary service and sacrifice of Florida's first responders and recognizing September 11-17, 2017, as "9/11 First Responder Appreciation Week" in Florida.

WHEREAS, unlike people in many parts of the world, the people of this state go about their daily lives secure in the knowledge that they enjoy the protection of first responders who stand ready to come to their assistance at any time of night or day, and

WHEREAS, first responders include law enforcement officers, firefighters, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, active duty military personnel, and members of the armed forces reserves and National Guard, and

WHEREAS, first responders do not hesitate to risk their own lives in order to save the lives of others, and their commitment to continued training, skill enhancement, and inter-agency coordination makes these professionals invaluable in efforts to maintain peace and order, and

WHEREAS, while tragic events like those of 9/11, when 414 first responders lost their lives attempting to save others, bring wide recognition to these noble men and women, it is incumbent on all Floridians to remember our first responders and acknowledge their service on a daily basis, and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we set aside a special time to join Remember Honor Support in recognizing Florida's 9/11 first responders and encourage expressions of appreciation and encouragement to, and acts of kindness and prayer for, these heroes, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That the extraordinary service and sacrifice of Florida's first responders is celebrated and September 11-17, 2017, is recognized as "9/11 First Responder Appreciation Week" in Florida.

—was introduced, read, and adopted by publication.

MOTIONS RELATING TO COMMITTEE MEETINGS

On motion by Senator Benacquisto, the rules were waived and the Committee on Appropriations was granted permission to meet at 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon, in lieu of 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m., as scheduled March 16, 2017.

MOTIONS

On motion by Senator Benacquisto, the rules were waived and the deadline for filing amendments to amendments and substitute amendments to any bill on the Committee on Appropriations agenda for Thursday, March 16, 2017, is 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 15, 2017.

BILLS ON THIRD READING

CS for SB 128—A bill to be entitled An act relating to self-defense immunity; amending s. 776.032, F.S.; providing that the state has the burden of proving that a defendant is not immune from prosecution under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—as amended March 9, was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Bradley, **CS for SB 128**, as amended, was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—23

Mr. President	Gainer	Passidomo
Artiles	Galvano	Perry
Baxley	Garcia	Simmons
Bean	Grimsley	Simpson
Benacquisto	Hutson	Stargel
Bradley	Latvala	Steube
Brandes	Lee	Young
Broxson	Mayfield	

Nays—15

Book	Farmer	Rodriguez
Bracy	Flores	Rouson
Braynon	Gibson	Stewart
Campbell	Montford	Thurston
Clemens	Powell	Torres

SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR

On motion by Senator Hutson—

CS for SB 352—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legislative redistricting and congressional reapportionment; creating s. 97.029, F.S.; providing that candidate qualifying, nomination, and election for certain offices must proceed using current district boundaries if revisions to districts subject to a court challenge are not made as of a certain date; specifying public oversight procedures that a court is encouraged to follow when drafting a remedial redistricting plan; providing for construction; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for SB 352** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Young—

SB 7004—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending ss. 215.56021 and 381.92201, F.S., relating to exemptions from public records and public meetings requirements for specified portions of meetings of certain peer review panels appointed by the Department of Health, for specified records generated by such peer review panels, and for research grant applications provided to such peer review panels; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemptions; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **SB 7004** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

MOTIONS RELATING TO COMMITTEE REFERENCE

On motion by Senator Baxley, by two-thirds vote, **SB 690** was withdrawn from the committees of reference and further consideration.

On motion by Senator Powell, by two-thirds vote, **SB 734** was withdrawn from the committees of reference and further consideration.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Pursuant to Rule 4.17(1), the Rules Chair, Majority Leader, and Minority Leader submit the following bills to be placed on the Special Order Calendar for Wednesday, March 15, 2017: CS for SB 352 and SB 7004.

Respectfully submitted,
Lizbeth Benacquisto, Rules Chair
Wilton Simpson, Majority Leader
Oscar Braynon II, Minority Leader

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: SB 600

The bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: SB 936

The bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 458; SB 892

The bills were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: CS for SB 68; SB 948

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 654

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 814

The bill was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 888; SB 1050

The bills were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 874

The bill was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources under the original reference.

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 1010

The bill was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development under the original reference.

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 460

The bill was referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 634

The bill was referred to the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities recommends the following pass: SB 1048

The bill was referred to the Committee on Community Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 720

The bill was referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 1108

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 1024

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 1062

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability under the original reference.

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 894

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 672

The Special Master on Claim Bills recommends the following pass: SB 34

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Judiciary under the original reference.

The Committee on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities recommends the following pass: SB 1238

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 102

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: CS for SB 312; SR 574

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 372

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Rules under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 436

The bill was placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 854; SB 880

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 790

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 448; SB 844

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 718

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 986

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1130

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 34

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 884; SB 1018

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 364

The Committee on Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 994

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 794; SB 812

The Committee on Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 466

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Commerce and Tourism under the original reference.

The Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 446

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 222

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Community Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 886

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 450

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 674

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1044

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 852

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 818

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Judiciary under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 860

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Regulated Industries under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1170

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 190

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 416

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Rules under the original reference.

REPORTS OF SUBCOMMITTEES

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax recommends the following pass: SB 1156

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education recommends the following pass: CS for SB 392

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 196

The Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 10

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES RELATING TO EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

Office and Appointment

For Term Ending

Secretary of Elderly Affairs

Appointee: Bragg, Jeffrey S.

Pleasure of Governor

The Committee on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

Office and Appointment

For Term Ending

Florida Public Service Commission

Appointee: Polmann, Donald J.

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The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

Office and Appointment

For Term Ending

Executive Director of Department of Veterans' Affairs

Appointee: Sutphin, Glenn W., Jr.

Pleasure of Governor and Cabinet

The appointments were referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections under the original reference.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

FIRST READING

By Senator Grimsley—

SB 1286—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electrolysis; amending s. 478.41, F.S.; revising legislative findings; amending s. 478.42, F.S.; providing and revising definitions; amending s. 478.43, F.S.; revising the powers and duties of the Board of Medicine; amending s. 478.44, F.S.; creating the Electrolysis Advisory Council within the Department of Health; providing membership, powers, and duties of the council; amending s. 478.45, F.S.; revising the academic requirements for licensure as an electrologist; providing that a national examination may be provided by a department-approved national electrology orga-

nization; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 478.46, F.S., relating to temporary permits to practice electrolysis; amending s. 478.47, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 478.49, F.S.; requiring a licensee to display his or her national certification if applicable; providing certification and training requirements for the use of specified devices by licensed electrologists who perform laser hair removal or reduction; amending s. 478.50, F.S.; requiring licensees that use specified devices to provide the department with proof of a current national certification for licensure renewal; providing rulemaking authority to the board; requiring the board to approve continuing education providers; amending s. 478.51, F.S.; providing applicability; amending s. 478.52, F.S.; revising grounds for denial of a license or disciplinary action; authorizing the department to issue an order to compel a licensee to submit to a mental or physical examination; providing recourse to the department if a licensee refuses to comply with the order; amending s. 478.53, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Regulated Industries; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1288—A bill to be entitled An act relating to recovered materials; amending s. 403.703, F.S.; providing and revising definitions; providing that specified materials are not solid waste; amending ss. 171.205, 377.709, 403.7045, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Hutson—

SB 1290—A bill to be entitled An act relating to career and technical education; amending s. 1003.493, F.S.; defining the term “CAPE pathway”; specifying goals for a CAPE pathway; requiring CareerSource Florida, Inc., to advise and offer technical assistance for CAPE pathways; requiring each school district, in consultation with local businesses and Florida College System institutions, to develop at least one CAPE pathway in a specified area by a specified school year; requiring each school district to submit a report on the expected costs of a CAPE pathway to the Legislature by a specified date; requiring each district school board to provide students and their parents with specified information regarding CAPE pathways; requiring an annual report to the Commissioner of Education by a specified date; authorizing parents to enroll their children in any school’s CAPE pathway in the school district under certain circumstances; requiring each school to have a career education program specialist; amending ss. 1003.491, 1003.492, 1003.4935, and 1011.62, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1292—A bill to be entitled An act relating to labor organizations; amending s. 447.305, F.S.; revising the information required to be included in an application for renewal of registration of an employee organization; amending s. 447.307, F.S.; providing for the revocation of certification under certain conditions; requiring certain employee organizations to recertify as bargaining agents; providing nonapplicability with respect to employee organizations that represent or seek to represent certain employees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Montford—

SB 1294—A bill to be entitled An act relating to confidentiality of patient records; amending s. 400.611, F.S.; providing that a hospice may keep progress notes and consultation reports of a psychiatric nature

separate from other records of care; requiring a hospice to maintain an interdisciplinary record of patient care for 6 years after termination of hospice services; revising the conditions under which a hospice may release patient records; prohibiting the release of patient records after the patient’s death unless the hospice is provided with certain written informed consent or upon request in accordance with a court order or by specified individuals; clarifying what constitutes express written informed consent; authorizing a hospice to withhold or redact progress notes and consultation notes of a psychiatric nature in certain circumstances; providing that a patient may in certain circumstances restrict any person from receiving his or her interdisciplinary record of care, subject to certain requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1296—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program; providing a short title; amending ss. 1009.22, 1009.23, and 1009.24, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1009.53, F.S.; removing a condition under which a student is authorized to use a Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program award for summer term enrollment if funds are available; requiring that the Legislature appropriate additional funds necessary for use of an award for summer term enrollment as provided in the General Appropriations Act; amending s. 1009.531, F.S.; revising the initial eligibility criteria relating to test scores and corresponding percentile ranks for certain Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program awards; amending ss. 1009.534 and 1009.535, F.S.; specifying the amounts of the Florida Academic Scholars and Florida Medallion Scholars awards eligible to cover tuition, fees, textbooks, and other college-related expenses; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1298—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mortgage loans; amending s. 494.001, F.S.; redefining the term “mortgage loan”; amending s. 494.00115, F.S.; requiring the Financial Services Commission to define the term “hold himself or herself out to the public as being in the mortgage lending business” by rule; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1300—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water oversight and planning; establishing the Water Oversight and Planning Advisory Council to address water issues in the state; providing membership and terms; providing meeting requirements; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to provide staff to the council; providing reimbursement for certain expenses; providing council duties; requiring interdepartmental investigation with the Department of Education to promote water conservation education and practices; requiring the council to annually submit its long-range plans to the department, each water management district, the Governor, and the Legislature; requiring the council to provide its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature biennially; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1302—A bill to be entitled An act relating to private school student participation in extracurricular activities; amending s. 1006.15, F.S.; revising the eligibility requirements for certain private school

students to participate in interscholastic or intrascholastic sports at specified public schools; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senators Stewart and Torres—

SB 1304—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Florida black bears; creating s. 379.3018, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; providing legislative findings and intent; requiring the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, and the Department of Environmental Protection to coordinate certain duties and responsibilities to protect Florida black bears and to preserve their habitat; establishing a Bear-Resistant Garbage Container Account within the Nongame Wildlife Trust Fund; requiring the commission to establish a process by rule through which certain county and municipal governments may apply for and obtain funds to purchase bear-resistant garbage containers; requiring burn schedules for state forests and parks containing Florida black bear habitat to be adjusted to meet certain conditions; prohibiting state agencies from conducting or causing to be conducted roller-chopping of saw palmettos in Florida black bear habitat; prohibiting the sale of timbering rights to certain trees in state forests and parks that contain Florida black bear habitat; requiring the commission to adopt rules establishing standards for the designation of Florida black bear habitat and areas of human-bear conflict; requiring the commission, in coordination with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and the Department of Environmental Protection, to designate areas of the state as Florida black bear habitat and identify state lands containing such habitat and areas of human-bear conflict by a specific date; requiring periodic review of the designations by the commission and agencies; requiring that specified information be posted and maintained on the commission website; prohibiting the recreational hunting of Florida black bears for a specified period; requiring the commission to conduct a Florida black bear population trend study; prohibiting the harvesting of saw palmetto berries on state lands identified as Florida black bear habitat; providing penalties; requiring purchasers to obtain sales certificates for purchases of specified amounts of saw palmetto berries; requiring harvesters to provide such certificates to initial purchasers; specifying the requirements of such certificates; requiring the certificate to accompany the berries from harvesting until delivery to the final processor or wholesaler; requiring the Commissioner of Agriculture to prescribe the form of the certificates; providing penalties; amending s. 590.125, F.S.; requiring that before conducting prescribed burns in Florida black bear habitats during certain periods, a certification must be obtained that certain female Florida black bears with juvenile offspring are unlikely to be denning in the burn site; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; and Appropriations.

By Senator Montford—

SB 1306—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Sports Foundation; amending s. 20.60, F.S.; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to contract with a direct-support organization to promote the sports industry and the participation of residents in certain athletic competitions in this state and to promote the state as a host for certain athletic competitions; reviving, reenacting, and amending s. 288.1229, F.S., relating to the promotion and development of sports-related industries and amateur athletics; requiring the department to establish a direct-support organization known as the “Florida Sport Foundation,” rather than authorizing the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to authorize a direct-support organization, to assist the department in certain promotion and development activities; specifying the purpose of the foundation; specifying requirements for the foundation, including appointment of its board of directors; deleting a provision prohibiting board members from serving more than two consecutive terms; requiring that the foundation operate under written contract with the department; specifying provisions that must be included in the contract; authorizing the department to allow the foundation to use certain facilities, personnel, and services if it complies with certain provisions; requiring an annual financial audit of the

foundation; providing that the foundation is not granted any taxing power; deleting certain provisions related to the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development and a specified direct-support organization; specifying the duties of the foundation; deleting residency requirements for participants of the Sunshine State Games; deleting certain competition requirements; authorizing the department, rather than the Executive Office of the Governor, to allow the use of certain property, facilities, and personal services under certain circumstances; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending uses of the proceeds of certain license plates; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1308—A bill to be entitled An act relating to autism spectrum disorder; creating s. 381.988, F.S.; requiring a physician, to whom the parent or legal guardian of a minor reports observing symptoms of autism spectrum disorder exhibited by the minor, to refer the minor to an appropriate specialist for screening for autism spectrum disorder under certain circumstances; authorizing the parent or legal guardian to have direct access to screening for, or evaluation or diagnosis of, autism spectrum disorder for a minor from the Early Steps Program or another appropriate specialist in autism spectrum disorder under certain circumstances; defining the term “appropriate specialist”; amending ss. 627.6686 and 641.31098, F.S.; defining the term “direct patient access”; requiring that certain insurers and health maintenance organizations provide direct patient access for a minimum number of visits to an appropriate specialist for screening for, or evaluation or diagnosis of, autism spectrum disorder; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Artiles—

SB 1310—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state employment; repealing s. 110.181, F.S., relating to Florida State Employees’ Charitable Campaign; creating s. 110.182, F.S.; prohibiting an organization, an entity, or a person from intentionally soliciting state employees for fundraising or business purposes within specified areas during specified times; providing an exemption for certain state-approved communications; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1312—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction; amending s. 377.705, F.S.; revising legislative findings and intent; defining the term “recognized certifying entity”; providing applicability of certain standards and criteria for solar energy systems manufactured or sold in the state; providing for solar energy systems manufactured or sold in the state to be certified pursuant to National Renewable Energy Laboratory standards; amending s. 553.721, F.S.; requiring the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to provide certain funds allocated to the University of Florida M. E. Rinker, Sr., School of Construction Management for specified purposes; amending s. 553.80, F.S.; prohibiting local enforcement agencies from charging certain fees; creating s. 553.9081, F.S.; requiring the Florida Building Commission to amend certain provisions of the Florida Building Code; amending s. 633.208, F.S.; prohibiting a county, municipality, special taxing district, public utility, or private utility from requiring a separate water connection or charging a specified water or sewage rate under certain conditions; prohibiting a local government from requiring a permit for painting a residence; requiring the Department of Education in conjunction with the Department of Economic Opportunity to create a study for specified purposes; requiring the Department of Education to submit the study to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified

date; requiring CareerSource Florida, Inc., to fund certain construction training programs; providing program requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Grimsley—

SB 1314—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational options; amending s. 1002.395, F.S.; specifying the Department of Education's duty to approve or deny an application for the Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program within a specified time; specifying the department's duties regarding the carryforward tax credit; requiring an eligible nonprofit scholarship-funding organization to allow certain dependent children to apply for a scholarship at any time; revising parent and student responsibilities for program participation; revising the date upon which certain private schools must submit a required report; specifying that certain actions of the private school are a basis for program ineligibility; authorizing the Learning Systems Institute to receive compensation for research under certain circumstances; revising the calculation of a scholarship award; increasing the limit of a scholarship award for certain students; revising payment method options; amending s. 1012.98, F.S.; authorizing specified eligible nonprofit scholarship-funding organizations to develop a professional development system; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1316—A bill to be entitled An act relating to preinsurance inspection; amending s. 627.744, F.S.; providing an exception to the requirement that an insurer inspect private passenger motor vehicles before issuing certain motor vehicle insurance policies; requiring insurers using the exception to file a manual rule with the Office of Insurance Regulation; authorizing insurers to establish their own preinsurance inspection requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Transportation; and Rules.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1318—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child safety; amending s. 39.303, F.S.; renaming service districts as service circuits and district medical directors as child protection team medical directors; requiring that each child protection team medical director be a licensed physician and board certified in specified specialty areas; revising the list of persons who must timely review all abuse and neglect cases transmitted to the Department of Health to determine whether a face-to-face medical evaluation by a child protection team is necessary; requiring the department's Children's Medical Services program to develop, maintain, and coordinate the services of one or more sexual abuse treatment programs; specifying eligibility requirements; requiring the programs to provide specialized therapeutic treatment to eligible persons; requiring the programs and child protection teams to provide referrals to such services for the eligible persons; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 39.3031 and 391.026, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting s. 39.301(14)(c), F.S., relating to the initiation of protective investigations, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 39.303, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stargel—

SB 1320—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax administration; amending s. 198.30, F.S.; deleting a requirement for circuit judges to monthly report certain information to the Department of Revenue re-

lating to the estates of certain decedents; amending s. 206.02, F.S.; deleting requirements to pay license taxes for a terminal supplier license, an importer, exporter, or blender of motor fuels license, or a wholesaler of motor fuel license; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 206.021, F.S.; deleting a requirement to pay license taxes for a carrier license; amending s. 206.022, F.S.; deleting a requirement to pay license taxes for a terminal operator license; amending s. 206.03, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 206.045, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; repealing ss. 206.405 and 206.406, F.S., relating to receipt for payment of license taxes and disposition of license tax funds, respectively; amending s. 206.41, F.S.; deleting a requirement for the department to deduct a specified fee from certain motor fuel refund claims; amending s. 206.9943, F.S.; deleting a requirement to pay license fees for a pollutant tax license; amending s. 206.9952, F.S.; deleting a requirement to pay license fees for a natural gas fuel retailer license; amending s. 206.9865, F.S.; deleting a requirement to pay application fees for an aviation fuel tax license for commercial air carriers; amending s. 212.0515, F.S.; deleting a requirement for vending machine operators to post a specified notice on vending machines; deleting a provision requiring the department to pay an informant certain rewards for reporting vending machines without the notice; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 212.0596, F.S.; deleting an authorization for procedures that waive registration fees in relation to the use tax on mail order purchases by certain persons; amending s. 212.18, F.S.; deleting a requirement for certificates of registration fees for certain dealers in relation to the sales and use tax; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 336.021, F.S.; specifying a condition for the reimposition of ninth-cent fuel taxes on motor and diesel fuels by a county; amending s. 336.025, F.S.; specifying a condition for the reimposition of local option fuel taxes on motor and diesel fuels by a county; providing construction relating to requirements on a decision to rescind a tax; amending s. 376.70, F.S.; deleting a requirement for drycleaning or dry drop-off facilities to pay registration fees to the department; amending s. 376.75, F.S.; deleting a requirement to pay registration fees for certain persons producing, importing, selling, or using perchloroethylene; amending s. 443.131, F.S.; revising a deadline for employers of employees performing domestic services to annually report wages and pay certain contributions under the Reemployment Assistance Program Law; defining the term "holiday"; amending s. 443.141, F.S.; specifying a due date of certain employer contributions if such date falls on a weekend or holiday; defining the term "holiday"; conforming cross-references; amending s. 443.163, F.S.; deleting a form name; authorizing reemployment assistance tax collection service providers to waive a certain penalty under certain circumstances; amending s. 733.2121, F.S.; providing that a personal representative may serve a notice to creditors on the department only under certain circumstances; deleting a provision providing construction; reenacting s. 733.701, F.S., relating to notifying creditors, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 733.2121, F.S., in a reference thereto; amending s. 206.998, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Braynon—

SM 1322—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging Congress to designate the month of September 2017 as "Firearm Violence Awareness Month."

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1324—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hair restoration or transplant; creating ss. 458.352 and 459.027, F.S.; defining the term "hair restoration or transplant"; prohibiting a person who is not licensed under ch. 458, F.S., or ch. 459, F.S., or certified under s. 464.012, F.S., from performing a hair restoration or transplant or making incisions for the purpose of performing a hair restoration or transplant; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Artilles—

SB 1326—A bill to be entitled An act relating to home health services; amending s. 400.462, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms “home health agency” and “organization” to include certain marketing organizations for providers of home health, homemaker, and companion services; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Artilles—

SM 1328—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, President of the United States, and National Park Service, urging that the National Park Service be directed to allow hunting of exotic invasive species in national parks and to research the effectiveness of hunting and other methods in eliminating or reducing exotic invasive species on national park lands.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel—

SB 1330—A bill to be entitled An act relating to weapons and firearms; amending s. 790.115, F.S.; redefining the term “school” to exclude private schools; defining the term “school property”; making technical changes; revising provisions prohibiting possession and discharge of weapons or firearms during school-sanctioned activities or on school property; amending ss. 435.04, 921.0022, and 1012.315, F.S.; conforming cross-references; reenacting ss. 790.251(7)(a), 943.051(3)(b), 985.11(1)(b), 985.25(1)(b), 985.255(1)(e), and 985.557(1)(a), F.S., relating to protection of the right to keep and bear arms in motor vehicles for certain purposes, criminal justice information, fingerprinting and photographing, a detention intake, detention criteria, and direct filing of an information, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 790.115, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Education; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

SJR 1332—A joint resolution proposing the creation of Section 22 of Article III and the amendment of Section 10 of Article IV of the State Constitution to authorize the proposal and enactment of legislation by initiative and to provide for Supreme Court review of initiative petitions proposing legislation.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1334—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale and delivery of firearms; amending s. 790.065, F.S.; requiring the parties, if neither party to a sale, lease, or transfer of a firearm is a licensed dealer, to complete the sale, lease, or transfer through a licensed dealer; specifying procedures and requirements for a licensed dealer, a seller, lessor, or transferor, and a buyer, lessee, or transferee; authorizing a licensed dealer to charge a buyer or transferee specified fees; providing applicability; deleting provisions authorizing a licensee to complete the sale or transfer of a firearm to a person without receiving certain notification from the Department of Law Enforcement informing the licensee that such person is prohibited from receipt or possession of a firearm or providing a unique approval number under certain circumstances; deleting provisions exempting a licensed importer, licensed manufacturer, or licensed dealer from the sale and delivery requirements, under certain circumstances; amending s. 790.0655, F.S.; applying the mandatory 3-day waiting period to private sales of handguns facilitated

through a licensed dealer; amending s. 790.335, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1336—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the provision of pharmaceutical services; creating ss. 627.6442 and 627.6572, F.S.; defining terms; providing that an insured may not be required to obtain a prescription drug for the treatment of a chronic illness exclusively from a mail order pharmacy; providing an exception for excluded drugs; prohibiting the imposition of copayments or certain conditions on an insured who elects to obtain certain drugs from a retail pharmacy rather than a mail order pharmacy if the retail pharmacy meets certain requirements; requiring certain health insurers to disclose in the outline of coverage that an insured may obtain certain prescription drugs from a retail pharmacy; providing an exception for excluded drugs; providing applicability; amending s. 641.31, F.S.; defining terms; providing that a health maintenance organization subscriber may not be required to obtain a prescription drug for the treatment of a chronic illness exclusively from a mail order pharmacy; providing an exception for excluded drugs; prohibiting the imposition of copayments or certain conditions on a subscriber who elects to obtain certain drugs from a retail pharmacy rather than a mail order pharmacy if the retail pharmacy meets certain requirements; requiring certain health maintenance organizations to disclose in the outline of coverage that a subscriber may obtain certain prescription drugs from a retail pharmacy; providing an exception for excluded drugs; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book—

SB 1338—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vessels; amending s. 327.02, F.S.; defining the term “effective means of propulsion for safe navigation”; revising the definition of the term “live-aboard vessel”; amending s. 327.391, F.S.; making a conforming change; amending s. 327.4107, F.S.; providing an additional condition for a vessel at risk of becoming derelict on waters of this state; amending s. 327.4108, F.S.; removing the expiration for a section relating to anchoring of vessels in anchoring limitation areas; creating s. 327.4109, F.S.; prohibiting anchoring or mooring of vessels or floating structures in certain areas; providing exceptions for certain conditions; providing exceptions for certain vessels; prohibiting vessels or floating structures from affixing to unlawful objects that are on or affixed to the bottom of waters of the state; providing penalties; amending s. 327.60, F.S.; authorizing a local government to enact and enforce regulations related to proof of pump-out in certain areas; requiring the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to review such regulations; amending s. 327.70, F.S.; providing for issuance of uniform boating citations for certain violations; amending s. 327.73, F.S.; providing penalties; amending s. 328.72, F.S.; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; and Appropriations.

SR 1340—Not introduced.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1342—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child psychological abuse; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “harm”; amending s. 39.201, F.S.; revising a provision relating to mandatory reporting requirements for child abuse, abandonment, or neglect to include child psychological abuse; requiring the Board of Psychology within the Department of Health to revise the continuing education requirements for renewal of a license to practice psychology to include child psychological abuse; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1344—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency scenes; creating s. 877.28, F.S.; providing a definition; prohibiting removal of tangible personal property from an emergency scene in certain circumstances; providing criminal penalties; providing enhanced penalties in certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

SR 1346—Not introduced.

By Senator Young—

SB 1348—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public accountancy; amending s. 473.302, F.S.; revising a definition; amending s. 473.3101, F.S.; providing an exemption to the requirement for licensure of certain firms without an office in the state; amending s. 473.316, F.S.; revising a definition; amending s. 473.323, F.S.; providing that suspension or revocation of the right to practice before the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board is grounds for the imposition of penalties as provided by law; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Young—

SB 1350—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead exemption fraud; amending s. 196.141, F.S.; authorizing property appraisers to contract for services to examine or audit claimed homestead tax exemptions; specifying requirements for agreements for such services; requiring property appraisers to remove unentitled exemptions from previous tax rolls; specifying the distribution of collected back taxes, penalties, and interest; specifying requirements and prohibited acts of contractors; amending s. 196.161, F.S.; revising duties of property appraisers and tax collectors when such property appraisers make a certain determination relating to unentitled homestead exemptions; specifying the basis of a certain interest assessment; revising procedures for the collection of certain taxes, penalties, fees, and interest; amending s. 213.30, F.S.; revising the applicability of a provision that specifies the sole means of compensation for information relating to tax law violations; providing a finding of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Young—

SB 1352—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Division of Administrative Hearings; amending s. 110.205, F.S.; revising positions at the division that are exempt from the Career Service System; amending s. 120.65, F.S.; requiring the Administration Commission to select from full-time administrative law judges employed with the division in appointing a division director; removing the requirement that the division director is subject to Senate confirmation; deleting provisions regarding minimum qualifications of the division director and deputy chief administrative law judges; requiring the Governor to appoint administrative law judges; prohibiting an administrative law judge from engaging in the private practice of law during his or her term of office; requiring the Governor to appoint administrative law judges from nominees recommended by a statewide nominating commission unless otherwise provided; specifying the composition and term lengths of members of the commission; prohibiting certain attorneys from serving on the commission; providing that meetings and determinations of the commission are open to the public; specifying term lengths of administrative law judges; prescribing procedures for the commission to re-

view a judge’s performance before the expiration of a term; requiring the Governor to take certain action regarding a judge after the commission’s review; providing for initial appointments of administrative law judges and staggered terms; providing transitional provisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senators Young and Mayfield—

SB 1354—A bill to be entitled An act relating to maintenance of certification; creating ss. 458.3113 and 459.0056, F.S.; providing definitions; providing legislative intent; prohibiting the Boards of Medicine and Osteopathic Medicine, respectively, and the Department of Health, health care facilities, and insurers from requiring certain certifications as conditions of licensure, reimbursement, employment, or admitting privileges; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senators Broxson and Mayfield—

SB 1356—A bill to be entitled An act relating to honesty in postsecondary education; creating s. 1009.02, F.S.; providing a short title; requiring state universities, Florida College System institutions, and independent nonprofit colleges or universities that receive state funds to publish information through a website link relating to certain degree programs and salaries; providing requirements for such information; requiring the link and information to be posted by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Steube—

SB 1358—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reentry into the state by certain persons; creating s. 877.28, F.S.; prohibiting entry to, or presence in, the state of a person denied admission, excluded, deported, or removed unless the United States Attorney General consents to his or her admission or the person can establish that federal law does not require advance consent; providing criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

SCR 1360—Not introduced.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1362—A bill to be entitled An act relating to K-12 education; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; removing a requirement that the Department of Education compare certain charter school student performance data to certain traditional public schools; removing notice requirements relating to such charter school performance data; removing a requirement that the State Board of Education adopt rules to administer such notice requirements; creating s. 1002.333, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing certain entities to apply to the State Board of Education for designation as a High-Impact Charter Network; requiring the state board to adopt rules; providing criteria for an initial and renewal designation; providing the period during which an initial designation is valid; authorizing entities designated as High-Impact Charter Networks to establish and operate charter schools under certain circumstances; authorizing entities with the designation to submit an application to establish and operate charter schools; providing that charter schools operated by designated entities are eligible to receive charter school capital outlay; requiring the department to give priority to certain charter schools applying for specified grants; requiring the governing board of an entity designated as a High-Impact Charter Network to be considered a local educational agency for receiving federal funds,

under certain conditions; providing for rulemaking; amending s. 1007.35, F.S.; revising the exams each public high school is required to administer to all enrolled 10th grade students to include the preliminary ACT, rather than the ACT Aspire; amending s. 1008.34, F.S.; clarifying accountability requirements for collocated schools; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1364—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child safety; requiring district school boards to adopt specified policies; requiring a person to present picture identification before retrieving specified students from a public school under certain circumstances; requiring policies to be provided to the Department of Education; requiring non-public schools or specified child care facilities to adopt specified policies; requiring a person to present picture identification before retrieving specified students from a nonpublic school or specified child care facility under certain circumstances; defining the term “picture identification”; requiring policies to be maintained on the premises of each entity and available for inspection; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Artiles—

SB 1366—A bill to be entitled An act relating to property appraisers; amending s. 194.032, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “good cause”; specifying rescheduling requirements if a property appraiser fails to timely provide certain evidence to be presented at a hearing before the value adjustment board; providing a procedure for a certain taxpayer or his or her representative to reschedule hearings an additional time; creating s. 194.191, F.S.; prohibiting a property appraiser, under certain circumstances, from increasing a tax assessment in excess of a court-established assessment for a specified time; amending s. 194.192, F.S.; providing specified remedies to a taxpayer who is injured by certain actions of a property appraiser; amending s. 194.301, F.S.; providing construction relating to the property appraiser’s burden of proof in certain actions challenging the property appraiser’s assessment; amending s. 195.027, F.S.; prohibiting certain acts by a property appraiser; requiring an employee in the property appraiser’s office to have an appraiser license or a certain certification under certain circumstances; requiring an employee of the property appraiser’s office to correct certain errors or omissions within a reasonable time; amending s. 195.099, F.S.; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to review and evaluate specified annual changes in the assessed value of property and present an annual report to the Governor and Legislature; providing requirements for the report; requiring the Department of Revenue and the property appraiser to give the office access to data that is necessary to complete the report; amending s. 192.0105, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1368—A bill to be entitled An act relating to exceptional student instruction; amending s. 1003.57, F.S.; prohibiting certain school districts from declining to provide or contract for certain students’ educational instruction; providing for funding of such students; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1370—A bill to be entitled An act relating to lottery games; amending ss. 24.111 and 24.112, F.S.; requiring contracts entered into

between the Department of the Lottery and a vendor or retailer of lottery tickets to include a provision that requires the vendor or retailer place or print a specified warning on all lottery tickets; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1372—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electrical and alarm system contracting; amending s. 489.516, F.S.; specifying that provisions regulating certified electrical contractors and certified alarm system contractors do not prevent such contractors from acting as a prime contractor or from subcontracting work to other licensed contractors under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1374—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation; directing the Department of Transportation to erect signage in specified counties to commemorate certain conflicts involving the United States Armed Forces; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; establishing annual use fees for certain specialty license plates; revising conditions for discontinuing issuance of a specialty license plate; providing exceptions; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop certain specialty license plates; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of the plates; amending s. 320.089, F.S.; creating a special license plate for recipients of the Bronze Star medal; requiring any revenue generated from the sale of Woman Veteran license plates to be deposited into the Grants and Donations Trust Fund instead of the Operations and Maintenance Trust Fund; conforming a cross-reference; authorizing the likeness of the Prisoner of War Medal to be on the Ex-POW license plate; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1376—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health insurance coverage for prescription eye drop refills; creating s. 627.6411, F.S.; requiring a health insurance policy that provides coverage for prescription eye drops to provide coverage for renewal eye drops if certain conditions are met; requiring such a policy to provide coverage for one additional bottle of prescription eye drops under certain circumstances; providing that covered prescription eye drop benefits are subject to the same annual deductibles, copayments, or coinsurance established for all other prescription drug benefits under the policy; amending s. 627.662, F.S.; providing applicability of s. 627.6411, F.S., to group health insurance, blanket health insurance, and franchise health insurance; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; and Rules.

By Senators Perry and Mayfield—

SB 1378—A bill to be entitled An act relating to stormwater management; amending s. 403.0891, F.S.; requiring that all local government stormwater management plans and programs incorporate the best management practices adopted by the Department of Environmental Protection and other local stormwater management measures; specifying that applications for development approval which implement the best practices are presumed to be in compliance with certain local government water quality standards; prohibiting local governments from adopting or enforcing more stringent water quality standards for stormwater discharges to surface waters, wetlands, or groundwater;

exempting local governments that adopted more stringent standards before a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Artilles—

SB 1380—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state group insurance program; amending s. 110.123, F.S.; requiring the Division of State Group Insurance of the Department of Management Services to establish a state employee health and wellness clinic pilot program; requiring the division to select a vendor to establish and manage the clinics; specifying services to be provided by the clinics; providing that the vendor does not have to file certain claims; providing locations and minimum hours of operation for the clinics; specifying contract requirements; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature regarding the vendor's performance; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1382—A bill to be entitled An act relating to expert witnesses; amending s. 393.11, F.S.; requiring the court to pay reasonable fees to members of the examining committee for their evaluation and testimony regarding persons with disabilities; deleting a provision specifying the source of the fees to be paid; amending s. 744.331, F.S.; requiring a court, rather than the state, to pay certain fees if a ward is indigent; amending s. 916.115, F.S.; authorizing a court to initially appoint one expert under certain circumstances; authorizing a court to take less restrictive action than commitment if an expert finds a defendant incompetent; requiring that a defendant be evaluated by no fewer than two experts before a court commits the defendant; providing an exception; authorizing a court to pay for up to two additional experts appointed by the court under certain circumstances; authorizing a party disputing a determination of competence to request two additional expert evaluations at that party's expense; providing for payments to experts for their testimony under certain circumstances; amending s. 916.12, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to the evaluation and commitment of a defendant under certain circumstances; amending s. 916.17, F.S.; requiring the court to pay for the evaluation and testimony of an expert for a defendant on conditional release under certain circumstances; amending s. 916.301, F.S.; authorizing, rather than requiring, a court to appoint up to two additional experts to evaluate a defendant suspected of having an intellectual disability or autism under certain circumstances; providing for the payment of additional experts under certain circumstances; amending s. 916.304, F.S.; requiring the court to pay for the evaluation and testimony of an expert for a defendant on conditional release under certain circumstances; amending s. 921.09, F.S.; authorizing a defendant who has alleged insanity to retain, at the defendant's expense rather than the county's, one or more physicians; deleting a provision requiring fees to be paid by the county; amending s. 921.12, F.S.; authorizing a defendant who has an alleged pregnancy to retain, at the defendant's expense rather than the county's, one or more physicians; amending s. 921.137, F.S.; requiring the court to pay for the evaluation and testimony of an expert for a defendant who raises intellectual disability as a bar to a death sentence under certain circumstances; amending s. 985.19, F.S.; authorizing a court to initially appoint one expert to evaluate a child's mental condition, pending certain determinations; authorizing a court to take less restrictive action than commitment if an expert finds a child incompetent; requiring that a child be evaluated by no fewer than two experts before a court commits the child; providing an exception; authorizing a court to appoint up to two additional experts under certain circumstances; authorizing a court to require a hearing with certain testimony before ordering the commitment of a child; requiring the court to pay reasonable fees to the experts for their evaluations and testimony; requiring a court to order the Agency for Persons with Disabilities to select an expert to examine a child for intellectual disability or autism; deleting a provision requiring a specific appropriation before the implementation of specified provisions; amending ss. 29.006 and 29.007, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Grimsley—

SB 1384—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Physical Therapy Licensure Compact; amending s. 486.021, F.S.; revising a definition; amending s. 486.025, F.S.; requiring the executive director of the Board of Physical Therapy or her or his designee to serve as state delegate of the Physical Therapy Licensure Compact; revising a cross-reference; amending ss. 486.031 and 486.106, F.S.; providing eligibility criteria for a multistate license; requiring that multistate licenses be distinguished from single-state licenses; exempting certain persons from physical therapy and physical therapist assistant licensure requirements, respectively; amending s. 486.0715, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; creating s. 486.113, F.S.; creating the Physical Therapy Licensure Compact; providing findings and purpose; providing definitions; requiring party states to perform criminal background checks of licensure applicants; providing requirements for multistate licensure; providing for the recognition of physical therapy licenses in member states; requiring licensees on active duty in the United States military to designate a home state; authorizing member states to take adverse action against a physical therapist's multistate licensure privilege; authorizing participation in an alternative program in lieu of adverse action against a license; requiring notification to the home licensing state of an adverse action against a licensee; establishing the Physical Therapy Licensure Compact Commission; providing membership and duties; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; providing for jurisdiction and venue for court proceedings; requiring all member states to participate in a coordinated licensure information system; providing requirements for reporting and exchanging information between member states; providing rulemaking procedures; providing for state enforcement of the compact; providing for the termination of compact membership; providing procedures for dispute resolution; providing construction and severability; amending s. 486.151, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Grimsley—

SB 1386—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; creating s. 486.114, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by the Department of Health or the Board of Physical Therapy pursuant to the Physical Therapist Licensure Compact; authorizing disclosure of the information under certain circumstances; providing an exemption from public meeting requirements for certain meetings of the Physical Therapy Compact Commission; providing an exemption from public records requirements for recordings, minutes, and records generated during the closed portion of such a meeting; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Artilles—

SB 1388—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical cannabis; amending s. 381.986, F.S.; defining, redefining, and deleting terms; authorizing physicians to issue physician certifications for medical cannabis or cannabis delivery devices, instead of ordering low-THC cannabis, for patients suffering from a debilitating medical condition; authorizing physicians to make specific determinations in certifications; requiring physicians to meet certain conditions to be authorized to issue such physician certifications; providing criminal penalties; deleting provisions requiring successful completion of a specified course and examination by a physician who orders low-THC cannabis and by a medical director of a dispensing organization; requiring the Department of Health to register medical marijuana treatment centers, rather than to authorize the establishment of dispensing organizations; requiring

the department to register additional medical marijuana treatment centers under certain circumstances; requiring the department to authorize the establishment of medical marijuana testing facilities; prohibiting a medical marijuana testing facility from being owned by certain persons; providing rulemaking authority; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; deleting provisions relating to the department's issuance of registration cards for patients and their legal representatives; requiring the department to establish a quality control program that requires medical cannabis to be tested by a medical marijuana testing facility; requiring medical marijuana treatment centers to submit samples of medical cannabis to a medical marijuana testing facility; providing testing specifications; requiring retention of testing records; providing rulemaking authority; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 381.987, 385.211, 499.0295, 893.02, and 1004.441, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Latvala—

SB 1390—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation facility designations; providing an honorary designation of a certain transportation facility in a specified county; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Latvala—

SB 1392—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) applicant drug screening; creating s. 414.0653, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families to perform a drug test on an applicant for TANF benefits with a prior felony conviction or history of arrests for a drug-related offenses; specifying that the cost of drug testing is the responsibility of the individual tested; requiring the department to provide notice of the drug-screening policy; requiring the department to increase the amount of the initial TANF benefit under certain circumstances; providing procedures for testing and retesting; requiring the department to provide information concerning local substance abuse treatment programs to certain individuals; providing conditions for an individual to reapply for TANF benefits; specifying that a child remains eligible for benefits if a parent fails a drug test; providing conditions for designating another protective payee; providing rulemaking authority to the department; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hukill—

SB 1394—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to conduct a study of the district cost differential for each school district and to provide recommendations; providing requirements for the recommendations; requiring a report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1396—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulated professions and occupations; amending s. 326.004, F.S.; deleting a requirement that yacht and ship brokers maintain a separate license for each branch office and a requirement that the Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes establish a certain fee; amending s.

447.02, F.S.; deleting a definition; repealing s. 447.04, F.S., relating to business agents, licenses, and permits; repealing s. 447.041, F.S., relating to hearings; repealing s. 447.045, F.S., relating to certain confidential information; repealing s. 447.06, F.S., relating to the required registration of labor organizations; amending s. 447.09, F.S.; deleting prohibitions against specified actions; repealing s. 447.12, F.S., relating to registration fees; repealing s. 447.16, F.S., relating to the applicability of ch. 447, F.S.; repealing part VII of ch. 468, F.S., relating to the regulation of talent agencies; amending s. 468.451, F.S.; revising legislative intent related to the regulation of athlete agents; reordering and amending s. 468.452, F.S.; deleting the term “department”; repealing s. 468.453, F.S., relating to the licensure of athlete agents; repealing s. 468.4536, F.S., relating to renewal of such licenses; amending s. 468.454, F.S.; revising the information that must be stated in agent contracts; deleting a condition under which an agent contract is void and unenforceable; repealing s. 468.456, F.S., relating to prohibited acts for athlete agents; repealing s. 468.4561, F.S., relating to unlicensed activity and penalties for violations; amending s. 468.45615, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 468.4565, F.S.; deleting provisions authorizing the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to access and inspect certain records of athlete agents, to take certain related disciplinary actions, and to exercise certain subpoena powers; repealing s. 468.457, F.S., relating to rulemaking authority; amending s. 469.006, F.S.; requiring that a license be in the name of a qualifying agent, rather than the name of a business organization; requiring the qualifying agent, rather than the business organization, to report certain changes in information; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 469.009, F.S.; deleting the authority of the department to reprimand, censure, or impose probation on certain business organizations; amending s. 477.013, F.S.; redefining the term “hair braiding”; amending s. 477.0132, F.S.; excluding the practices of hair wrapping and body wrapping from regulation under the Florida Cosmetology Act; amending s. 477.0135, F.S.; providing that a license or registration is not required for a person whose occupation or practice is confined solely to adding polish to nails or solely to hair wrapping or body wrapping; amending ss. 477.019, 477.026, 477.0265, and 477.029, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 481.203, F.S.; defining the term “business organization”; deleting the definition of the term “certificate of authorization”; amending s. 481.219, F.S.; revising the process by which a business organization obtains the requisite license to perform architectural services; requiring that a licensee or an applicant apply to qualify a business organization under certain circumstances; specifying application requirements; authorizing the Board of Architecture and Interior Design to deny an application under certain circumstances; requiring that a qualifying agent be a registered architect or a registered interior designer under certain circumstances; requiring that a qualifying agent notify the department when she or he ceases to be affiliated with a business organization; prohibiting a business organization from engaging in certain practices until it is qualified by a qualifying agent; authorizing a business organization to proceed with specified contracts under a temporary certificate in certain circumstances; defining the term “incomplete contract”; requiring the qualifying agent to give written notice to the department before engaging in an architectural or interior design practice under her or his own name or in affiliation with another business organization; requiring the board to allow an applicant to qualify one or more business organizations or to operate using a fictitious name under certain circumstances; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 481.221 and 481.229, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reordering and amending s. 481.303, F.S.; deleting the term “certificate of authorization”; amending s. 481.321, F.S.; revising provisions that require persons to display certificate numbers under certain circumstances; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 481.311, 481.317, and 481.319, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 481.329, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 489.503, F.S.; deleting an exemption from regulation for certain persons; amending s. 489.518, F.S.; exempting certain persons from initial training for burglar alarm system agents; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1398—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the accessibility of places of public accommodation; creating s. 553.5141, F.S.; providing definitions; requiring the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to establish a program to provide for the certification of certain experts; authorizing such experts to advise and provide certain inspections for places of public accommodation relating to the Americans with Disabilities Act; requiring the department to establish certification requirements; authorizing an owner of a place of public accommodation to request a facility to be inspected for specified purposes; requiring a certified expert to provide the owner of a place of public accommodation a certification of conformity if the facility conforms to specified provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act; specifying that such certificate is valid for 3 years; specifying that an owner of a place of public accommodation may submit a remediation plan to the department under certain circumstances; providing that a remediation plan is only valid for a certain period of time; requiring a court to consider certain information in specified actions; requiring the department to develop and maintain a website for specified purposes; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Grimsley—

SB 1400—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 39.521, F.S.; requiring a parent whose actions have caused harm to a child who is adjudicated to be dependent to submit to a substance abuse disorder assessment or evaluation and to participate in and comply with treatment and services; creating s. 39.6001, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families, in partnership with the Department of Health, the Agency for Health Care Administration, other state agencies, and community partners, to develop a strategy for certain coordinated services; providing for creation of a safe care plan that addresses the health and substance abuse disorder treatment needs of a newborn and affected family or caregiver and provides for the monitoring of services provided; amending s. 39.6012, F.S.; requiring a parent whose actions have caused harm to a child adjudicated to be dependent to submit to a substance abuse disorder assessment or evaluation and to participate in and comply with treatment and services; creating s. 381.00515, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to establish a hormonal long-acting reversible contraception (HLARC) program; requiring the department to contract with family planning and health care providers to implement the program and provide HLARC services throughout the state; requiring that such contracts include specified provisions; providing for an annual appropriation; requiring the department to seek grants for additional funding; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; requiring the department to publish the report on its website; specifying requirements for the report; creating s. 409.16741, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; requiring the Department of Children and Families to develop or adopt one or more initial screening assessment instruments to identify and determine the needs of, and plan services for, substance exposed newborns and their families; requiring the department to conduct certain staffings relating to services for substance exposed newborns and their families; specifying that certain local service capacity be assessed; providing that child protective investigators receive specialized training in working with substance exposed newborns and their families before they accept such cases; creating s. 409.16742, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; establishing a shared family care residential services pilot program for substance exposed newborns; providing an appropriation subject to certain requirements; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Latvala—

SB 1402—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local governmental financial emergencies; amending s. 218.503, F.S.; expanding the entities that have oversight over local governmental entities, charter

schools, charter technical career centers, and district school boards under certain circumstances; specifying the number of members to be on a financial emergency board; specifying the entities who shall appoint members to the board; providing qualifications of members and the chair of the board; revising the information to which the board has access; requiring the adoption of rules to conduct board business; authorizing the board to take specified actions; requiring recommendations and reports to be submitted to specified entities; authorizing the board to assume operation and institutional control of a local governmental entity's or district school board's functions under certain circumstances; amending s. 218.504, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1404—A bill to be entitled An act relating to correctional privatization; prohibiting the entry into or renewal of contracts relating to correctional privatization after a specified date; providing for custody of inmates after the expiration of such contracts; providing for future repeal of ch. 957, F.S., relating to correctional privatization; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Powell, Passidomo, and Baxley—

SB 1406—A bill to be entitled An act relating to stroke centers; amending s. 395.3038, F.S.; directing the Agency for Health Care Administration to include hospitals that meet the criteria for acute stroke ready centers on a list of stroke centers; directing the agency to adopt rules governing such criteria and the development of certain electronic forms to provide reports to the Department of Health; creating s. 395.30381, F.S.; requiring stroke centers to provide certain information to the department; requiring the department to establish a statewide stroke registry; providing immunity from liability under certain circumstances; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 395.3041, F.S.; conforming a provision and deleting obsolete dates; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1408—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 744.20042, F.S.; creating an exemption from public records requirements for certain personal identifying information, personal health and financial records, and photographs and video recordings held by the Department of Elderly Affairs in connection with a complaint filed or an investigation conducted pursuant to part II of ch. 744, F.S.; specifying that information retains its confidential and exempt status for the duration of an investigation; authorizing disclosure to specified entities and officers; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1410—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the best and brightest teachers and principals; amending s. 1012.731, F.S.; revising the eligibility criteria for the Florida Best and Brightest Teacher Scholarship Program; requiring certain classroom teachers to submit an official transcript with a specified honor to demonstrate eligibility; providing for retention of a classroom teacher's scholarship eligibility under certain circumstances; requiring each school district to annually

submit certain information to the Department of Education; creating s. 1012.732, F.S.; creating the Florida Best and Brightest Principal Scholarship Program; providing legislative intent; providing for funding of the program; providing for certain school principals to receive a scholarship under the program; providing eligibility requirements; requiring the department to annually identify eligible school principals and disburse funds to school districts by a specified date; requiring each eligible school principal to receive a scholarship; requiring scholarships to be prorated under certain circumstances; requiring school districts to annually award scholarships to eligible school principals by a specified date; requiring school districts to provide best and brightest principals with specified additional authority and responsibilities; defining the term "school district"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1412—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited property insurance practices; creating s. 455.2278, F.S.; providing grounds for the discipline of licensees of various professions and occupations regulated by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation for certain referrals involving property insurance proceeds, for interpreting or advising on coverage or duties under a property insurance policy or adjusting a property insurance claim under certain circumstances, or for failing to provide a good faith estimate of the cost of services and materials for repairs subject to certain requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1414—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school funding transparency; creating s. 1002.25, F.S.; providing legislative findings; requiring the Department of Financial Services to create a website detailing the amount of state, local, and federal funding that school districts spend per child; requiring the Department of Education to provide specified information to the Department of Financial Services; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Young—

SB 1416—A bill to be entitled An act relating to enhanced safety for school crossings; creating s. 316.1896, F.S.; requiring the Department of Transportation to evaluate the viability and cost of a uniform system of high-visibility markings and signage for designation of safe school crossings, subject to certain requirements; authorizing the department to consider in its evaluation implementation of new technology or innovations that enhance pedestrian and crosswalk visibility; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Flores—

SB 1418—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the seclusion and restraint of students with disabilities in public schools; amending s. 1003.573, F.S.; defining terms; providing legislative findings and intent; providing requirements for the use of manual physical restraint by school personnel; prohibiting specified manual physical restraint techniques; requiring each school to ensure that a student who has been manually physically restrained receive a medical evaluation after such restraint; prohibiting school personnel from placing a student in seclusion; providing requirements for the use of time-out; requiring that a school district report its procedures for training and certification in the use of manual physical restraint to the Department of Education; pro-

viding requirements for such training and certification; requiring each school district to annually provide refresher certification; requiring a school district's manual physical restraint policies to address certain issues; requiring that a school review a student's functional behavior assessment and positive behavioral intervention plan under certain circumstances; requiring that parents be notified of a school district's policies regarding the use of manual physical restraint; revising information to be included in a school incident report; requiring that each school send a redacted copy of any incident report or other documentation to Disability Rights Florida; requiring that the department make available on its website data of incidents of manual physical restraint; requiring that each school district develop policies and procedures governing the authorized use of manual physical restraint, the personnel authorized to use such restraint, training procedures, analysis of data, and the reduction of the use of manual physical restraint; requiring that any revisions to a school district's policies and procedures be filed with the bureau chief of the Bureau of Exceptional Education and Student Services; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1420—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trespasses upon school buses; creating s. 810.098, F.S.; defining the term "school bus"; providing that a person who boards or enters any part of or who remains upon a school bus commits a trespass upon a school bus under specified circumstances; providing criminal penalties; providing that a person commits a trespass upon a public school bus for additional specified actions; providing criminal penalties; authorizing a law enforcement officer to arrest a person, either on or off the school bus and without warrant, if the officer has probable cause for believing the person has committed the offense of trespass upon a school bus; exempting a law enforcement officer who arrests such person from being held criminally or civilly liable for false arrest, false imprisonment, or unlawful detention; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Education; and Rules.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1422—A bill to be entitled An act relating to minority teacher education scholars; amending s. 1009.60, F.S.; revising eligibility criteria for receipt of a minority teacher education scholarship; amending s. 1009.605, F.S.; revising the scholar awards on which the Florida Fund for Minority Teachers, Inc.'s budget projection to the Department of Education must be based; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1424—A bill to be entitled An act relating to service of process; amending s. 48.021, F.S.; revising authority of special process servers; revising a cross-reference; requiring that civil witness subpoenas be served by certain persons; requiring that electronic service be made only by certain authorized individuals; amending s. 48.031, F.S.; revising requirements for documenting service of process; amending s. 48.062, F.S.; revising requirements for service on limited liability companies; amending s. 48.21, F.S.; revising requirements for return-of-service forms; authorizing certain persons to electronically sign return-of-service forms; amending s. 48.27, F.S.; revising authority of certified process servers; conforming terminology; creating s. 49.13, F.S.; authorizing use of electronic means for constructive service by publication; requiring that such electronic service by publication be made only in certain circumstances by certain authorized individuals; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Artilles—

SB 1426—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sales tax exemptions for governmental entities; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; providing construction relating to when a transaction is properly characterized as an exempt sale or lease to a governmental entity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1428—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Hernando County Hometown Heroes Pilot Program; creating the Hometown Heroes Pilot Program; providing definitions; authorizing the transfer to certain nonprofit agencies of specific sales and use taxes that were previously paid by certain corporations; providing eligibility requirements; specifying dollar limits of the program; specifying dollar limits that individual corporations may request to be transferred for any fiscal year; providing application criteria for qualifying nonprofit agencies and for corporations participating in the pilot program; requiring the Department of Revenue and the Department of Economic Opportunity to develop application forms; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to provide monitoring of qualified nonprofit agencies receiving funds; requiring the Department of Revenue to review applications and transfer certain sales and use taxes that have previously been remitted; providing for rulemaking; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Lee—

SB 1430—A bill to be entitled An act relating to continuing care contracts; providing a short title; amending s. 651.011, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; amending s. 651.013, F.S.; revising applicability of certain provisions of the Florida Insurance Code as to providers of continuing care and continuing care at-home; providing legislative intent; amending s. 651.014, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 651.019, F.S.; requiring all new financing or refinancing to be in the best interest of facilities and their residents; revising requirements for providers relating to financing and refinancing; amending s. 651.021, F.S.; revising requirements for obtaining a certain written approval from the Office of Insurance Regulation relating to construction or marketing for an expansion of a certificated facility; revising criteria used by the office in determining whether to approve an expansion; requiring certain entrance fees and reservation deposits to be held according to certain escrow requirements; amending s. 651.022, F.S.; revising the required information on applications for provisional certificates of authority; revising requirements for amending such applications; revising construction and the office's procedures for reviewing such applications; amending s. 651.023, F.S.; revising the information required to be provided to the office for the issuance of certificates of authority; revising construction; revising the office's procedures for reviewing applications for such certificates; revising the office's requirements for issuing such certificates; amending s. 651.024, F.S.; revising requirements for persons who seek to acquire or assume specified ownership, possession, or control over providers or providers' assets; authorizing such persons to rebut presumptions of control by making specified filings with the office; creating s. 651.0245, F.S.; providing application requirements and procedures for the simultaneous acquisition of facilities and the issuance of certificates of authority; specifying conditions under which the office may disapprove acquisitions or must approve acquisitions; prohibiting the office from approving certain applications; authorizing persons to rebut presumptions of control by making specified filings with the office; defining terms; providing construction; authorizing the Financial Services Commission to adopt rules; creating s. 651.025, F.S.; prohibiting certain persons who served in specified capacities with certain insolvent facilities or providers from thereafter serving in such capacities under certain circumstances; amending s. 651.0261, F.S.; requiring providers to file specified quarterly statements at specified intervals; authorizing the office to waive the requirement under certain circumstances; revising the office's

authority to require, under certain circumstances, providers and facilities to file monthly statements and certain other information; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; creating s. 651.0271, F.S.; specifying requirements for actuarial opinions by providers, if required by the office; specifying the circumstances under which the office may require a provider to submit an actuarial opinion; amending s. 651.033, F.S.; revising requirements for escrow accounts that are required for specified funds; prohibiting escrow agents from releasing or permitting the transfer of funds under certain circumstances; creating s. 651.034, F.S.; specifying contractual liability reserve requirements for providers; specifying allowable investments for such reserves; requiring providers to submit to the office actuarial opinions and actuarial studies at specified intervals; providing requirements for such opinions and studies; authorizing disciplinary actions by the office; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; amending s. 651.035, F.S.; revising, as of a specified date, the minimum liquid reserve requirements of providers; providing applicability; authorizing the office to order the immediate transfer of specified funds under certain circumstances; authorizing providers to withdraw funds from certain debt service reserves under certain circumstances; providing procedures for the office to provide approval or disapproval for such withdrawals; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 651.036, F.S.; defining terms; requiring providers to obtain the office's approval before paying certain dividends or distributions of assets; providing notice requirements for providers intending to pay such dividends or distributions; specifying conditions under which the office may approve such dividends or distributions; providing criminal penalties for certain acts by persons of the provider relating to dividends or distributions; authorizing administrative actions by the office; creating s. 651.043, F.S.; defining the term "management"; providing requirements for contracts for management; providing requirements and procedures for providers to notify the office of certain changes in management; providing procedures for the office's review and approval or disapproval of such changes; specifying conditions under which the office may disapprove new management and order providers to cancel such contracts; requiring disapproved management to be removed within a specified timeframe; authorizing disciplinary action by the office under certain circumstances; requiring providers to immediately remove management under certain circumstances; providing for construction; amending s. 651.051, F.S.; requiring all records and assets of providers to be maintained in this state; providing for construction relating to certain electronic storage of records; amending s. 651.055, F.S.; revising requirements for continuing care contracts; conforming a cross-reference; specifying the required timeframe for a certain refund; creating s. 651.058, F.S.; specifying grounds upon which the office may disapprove continuing care contracts; creating s. 651.064, F.S.; prohibiting persons from unfair and deceptive trade practices relating to continuing care contracts; providing civil penalties; specifying such unfair and deceptive trade practices; authorizing certain trade practices; providing for construction; amending s. 651.071, F.S.; revising construction relating to continuing care and continuing care at-home contracts in the event of receivership or liquidation proceedings against providers; amending s. 651.091, F.S.; revising disclosure requirements for continuing care facilities and certain providers; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 651.105, F.S.; revising applicability of certain provisions of the Florida Insurance Code relating to examinations and investigations; authorizing the office, as of a specified date, to examine providers and their affiliates for a specified purpose; defining the term "enterprise risk"; creating s. 651.1055, F.S.; requiring providers to cooperate with the office, including responding to correspondence and providing certain information; amending s. 651.106, F.S.; revising the office's authority in certain disciplinary actions; revising grounds for such actions against applicants or providers; creating s. 651.1065, F.S.; prohibiting certain persons of impaired or insolvent continuing care retirement communities from permitting such communities to solicit or accept new continuing care contracts under certain circumstances; providing a criminal penalty; amending s. 651.107, F.S.; revising the period of suspension of certificates of authority; revising certain conditions under which such suspensions are rescinded and the certificates are reinstated; amending s. 651.114, F.S.; revising procedures and requirements of providers and the office in delinquency proceedings of providers; providing for and revising construction; revising certain authority relating to a certain petition for a court order from the office to the Department of Financial Services; revising conditions under which the department or office are vested with certain powers and duties relating to delinquency proceedings; revising notice requirements for providers in delinquency proceedings; creating s. 651.1141, F.S.; providing that

certain violations constitute an immediate danger to the public health, safety, or welfare; authorizing the office to issue immediate final orders for such violations; amending s. 651.1151, F.S.; requiring providers to submit to the office contracts for administrative, vendor, or management services with certain entities; authorizing the office to disapprove such contracts under certain circumstances; deleting an obsolete date; amending s. 651.119, F.S.; providing that the department is the creditor of liquidated facilities or facilities pending liquidation for the purpose of providing certain entrance fee refunds; authorizing the office to seek voluntary contributions from and levy certain assessments against providers' contractual liability reserves; revising the limit on assessments that the office may assess from certain reserves for specified purposes; revising requirements for the office in modifying providers' minimum liquid reserve requirements; specifying the allocation and maximum refund amounts payable to displaced residents; defining the term "entrance fee refund"; amending s. 651.125, F.S.; providing a criminal penalty for a person who takes certain actions without having a valid provisional certificate of authority; making a technical change; amending s. 651.131, F.S.; revising applicability of certain limitations of judgment amounts resulting from actions under prior law; repealing s. 651.132, F.S., relating to amendment or renewal of existing contracts; amending s. 651.012, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1432—A bill to be entitled An act relating to access to health care practitioner services; amending s. 456.013, F.S.; exempting physicians who provide a certain number of hours of pro bono services from continuing education requirements; amending s. 458.310, F.S.; revising the eligibility criteria for a restricted license; prohibiting licensure if a restricted licensee breaches the terms of an employment contract; creating s. 458.3105, F.S.; establishing a registration program for volunteer retired physicians; providing eligibility criteria for such registration; requiring biennial renewal of registration; authorizing the Department of Health to waive certain fees; authorizing the Board of Medicine to deny or revoke registration for noncompliance with certain requirements; amending s. 458.311, F.S.; revising the physician licensure criteria applicable to Canadian applicants; amending s. 458.319, F.S.; requiring the department to waive a physician's license renewal fee under certain circumstances; creating s. 459.00751, F.S.; providing legislative intent; authorizing the Board of Osteopathic Medicine to issue a restricted license to qualified applicants; providing eligibility criteria for such license; prohibiting licensure if a restricted licensee breaches the terms of an employment contract; creating s. 459.00752, F.S.; establishing a registration program for volunteer retired osteopathic physicians; providing eligibility criteria for such registration; requiring biennial renewal of registration; authorizing the Department of Health to waive certain fees; authorizing the Board of Osteopathic Medicine to deny or revoke registration for noncompliance with certain requirements; amending s. 459.008, F.S.; requiring the department to waive an osteopathic physician's license renewal fee under certain circumstances; amending s. 766.1115, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "low-income" for purposes of the Access to Health Care Act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1434—A bill to be entitled An act relating to patient safety culture surveys; amending s. 408.05, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to develop surveys to assess patient safety culture in certain health care facilities; amending s. 408.061, F.S.; revising requirements for the submission of health care data to the agency; amending s. 408.810, F.S.; requiring the submission of patient safety culture survey data as a condition of licensure; amending ss. 400.991, 408.8065, and 408.820, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Clemens—

SB 1436—A bill to be entitled An act relating to controlled substance offenses; amending s. 893.135, F.S.; reducing minimum mandatory sentences for certain trafficking offenses; increasing the threshold amounts for certain trafficking offenses; authorizing downward departures for sentences for certain violations involving trafficking of hydrocodone or oxycodone; amending s. 921.0024, F.S.; increasing the sentencing scoresheet multiplier for drug trafficking offenses; revising provisions relating to state motions for suspended sentences for certain violations; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1438—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aquifer replenishment; amending s. 403.087, F.S.; requiring additional permit conditions for projects involving certain underground injection; creating s. 403.0878, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to develop specific rule criteria for advanced water treatment; authorizing the department to establish additional conditions for the construction of advanced water treatment facilities and underground injection under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson—

SR 1440—A resolution acknowledging the abuses experienced by children confined in the Arthur G. Dozier School for Boys and expressing the Legislature's regret for such abuses and the commitment to ensure that the children of the State of Florida are protected from the abuses and violations that took place at such facility.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1442—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fee and surcharge reductions; amending s. 113.01, F.S.; deleting the fee for a commission of an elected officer by the Governor; amending s. 206.41, F.S.; deleting the fee for a claim for refund of the tax on motor fuel; amending s. 212.18, F.S.; deleting a registration fee for certain dealers or businesses; amending s. 319.32, F.S.; exempting a surviving spouse from the fee to transfer a motor vehicle title; amending ss. 322.051 and 322.14, F.S.; deleting fees for adding the word "Veteran" to an identification card or driver license; amending s. 322.21, F.S.; exempting veterans from the fee for an original commercial driver license; exempting certain persons from the fee for an identification card; amending s. 455.271, F.S.; revising provisions relating to imposition and amount of a delinquency fee for licensees regulated by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; amending s. 488.03, F.S.; reducing fees for application, licensure, and renewal of licensure to operate a driver school; amending s. 553.721, F.S.; reducing the amount of the surcharge assessed by the department on Florida Building Code permit fees; amending ss. 15.09, 212.0596, and 319.28, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1444—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public notices by local governmental entities; amending s. 50.011, F.S.; providing that publication of a notice or advertisement on a publicly accessible website maintained by a county or municipality constitutes legal notice for specified purposes; amending s. 50.021, F.S.; authorizing a county, municipality, or dependent special district to publish legally required advertisements on a publicly accessible website; amending ss. 50.0211 and 50.031, F.S.; providing that publication of a notice or advertisement on a publicly accessible website maintained by a county or municipality constitutes legal notice for specified purposes; creating s. 50.0311, F.S.; providing a definition; authorizing the publication of legally required notices and advertisements on a publicly accessible website maintained by a county or municipality under certain circumstances; providing requirements for publication of such notices and advertisements; requiring the county or municipality to complete, sign, and maintain on file a certain affidavit for specified published notices and advertisements; amending ss. 50.051 and 50.061, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 100.342, F.S.; authorizing the publication of a notice of a special election or referendum on a publicly accessible website; amending s. 125.66, F.S.; authorizing the publication of a notice of intent to consider an ordinance by a board of county commissioners on a publicly accessible website; requiring that such notice be continuously posted on the website for a specified period; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 129.03, F.S.; authorizing the publication of a county's summary statement of adopted tentative budgets on a publicly accessible website; amending s. 129.06, F.S.; authorizing the publication of notice of a public hearing relating to the amendment of a county budget on a publicly accessible website; amending s. 153.79, F.S.; authorizing the publication of certain water system or sewer system projects on a publicly accessible website; requiring that such publication be continuously posted for a specified period; amending s. 159.32, F.S.; authorizing the advertisement of competitive bids for certain construction contracts on a publicly accessible website; amending s. 162.12, F.S.; authorizing the publication of notice of a county or municipal code enforcement board hearing on a publicly accessible website; amending s. 163.3184, F.S.; authorizing the publication of notice for adoption of a local government comprehensive plan or plan amendment, or the approval of a compliance agreement, on a publicly accessible website; providing requirements for such publication; amending s. 166.041, F.S.; authorizing the publication of notice for adoption of municipal ordinances on a publicly accessible website; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 170.05, F.S.; authorizing the publication of a municipal resolution relating to public improvements financed by special assessments on a publicly accessible website; amending s. 170.07, F.S.; authorizing the publication of notice of a hearing of a preliminary assessment roll on a publicly accessible website; amending s. 180.24, F.S.; authorizing the publication of certain contracts for construction of utilities on a publicly accessible website; requiring that such publication be posted for a specified period; amending s. 197.3632, F.S.; authorizing certain local governmental entities to publish a notice of intent relating to the use of the uniform method of collecting non-ad valorem assessments on a publicly accessible website; providing requirements for such publication; amending s. 200.065, F.S.; authorizing certain local governmental entities to advertise a notice of intent to adopt a millage rate and budget on a publicly accessible website; providing requirements for such advertisement; amending s. 255.0525, F.S.; authorizing the advertisement of the solicitation of competitive bids or proposals for certain construction projects on a publicly accessible website; providing requirements for such advertisement; amending s. 380.06, F.S.; authorizing the publication of an advertisement for a public hearing relating to an areawide development-of-regional-impact plan review on a publicly accessible website; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 403.973, F.S.; revising a definition to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 420.9075, F.S.; authorizing the advertisement of a notice of funding availability under local housing assistance plans on a publicly accessible website; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1446—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pay-for-success contracts; creating s. 287.05715, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing a

state agency to negotiate and enter into a pay-for-success contract with a private entity, subject to authorization in the General Appropriations Act; requiring a state agency to take certain actions if participating in the program; prescribing requirements for a pay-for-success contract; requiring a contracted private entity to annually report to the appropriate state agency for the length of the contract; specifying an exclusion from competitive solicitation requirements; requiring the Department of Management Services to prescribe procedures by a specified date; authorizing the Department of Health to implement the Nurse-Family Partnership pay-for-success program; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston—

SB 1448—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; creating an exception to the amount of time that a law enforcement agency is required to retain body camera recordings if a specified complaint is filed in a court of law or with the law enforcement agency; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Powell—

SB 1450—A bill to be entitled An act relating to text-to-911 services; amending s. 365.172, F.S.; directing the Technology Program within the Department of Management Services to expedite implementation of a text-to-911 technology in the state; directing the office to use information identified in a specified report to assist public agencies and voice communications services providers in implementing the technology; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book—

SB 1452—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taximeters; amending s. 531.37, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “weights and measures”; amending s. 531.61, F.S.; deleting a provision exempting certain taximeters from specified permit requirements; amending s. 531.63, F.S.; deleting a provision prohibiting the annual permit fees for taximeters from exceeding \$50; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1454—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child protection; amending s. 39.303, F.S.; adding the Statewide Medical Director for Child Protection as an official who must be consulted in the screening, employment, and termination of child protection team medical directors statewide; amending ss. 458.3175 and 459.0066, F.S.; providing that an expert witness certificate authorizes a physician to provide expert testimony in abandonment, dependency, and sexual abuse cases; amending s. 827.03, F.S.; expanding the application of expert testimony requirements in cases involving abuse, aggravated abuse, or neglect of a child to include criminal cases involving neglect, abandonment, dependency, and sexual abuse; requiring the Children's Medical Services program within the Department of Health to convene a task force to develop a standardized protocol for forensic interviews of children suspected of being abused; specifying the composition of the task force; requiring the department to submit the standardized protocol to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Clemens—

SB 1456—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary performance-based funding; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability (OPPAGA) to conduct a study relating to performance-based funding of public community colleges and universities; specifying requirements for the study; requiring OPPAGA to provide a report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons—

SB 1458—A bill to be entitled An act relating to direct-support organizations; amending ss. 413.0111 and 413.615, F.S.; abrogating the scheduled repeal of provisions relating to the blind services direct-support organization and the Florida Endowment for Vocational Rehabilitation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education; and Appropriations.

SB 1460—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senator Hutson—

SB 1462—A bill to be entitled An act relating to excess credit hour surcharges; amending s. 1009.286, F.S.; revising provisions relating to additional student payment for credit hours exceeding baccalaureate degree program completion requirements at state universities; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hutson—

SB 1464—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program; amending s. 1009.53, F.S.; removing a condition under which a student is authorized to use a Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program award for summer term enrollment if funds are available; requiring that the Legislature appropriate additional funds necessary for use of an award for summer term enrollment as provided in the General Appropriations Act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Campbell—

SB 1466—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pet dealers; providing definitions; requiring a pet dealer to only sell or offer for sale a dog procured from a humane society, an animal shelter, or a person or entity who has not been adjudicated and issued certain citations for violating the federal Animal Welfare Act; prohibiting a commercial dog breeder from selling a dog to a pet dealer if the breeder is not licensed under such act; requiring a pet dealer to retain certain records for a specified period after the sale of any dog; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Galvano—

SB 1468—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 11.45, F.S.; requiring the Auditor General to conduct annual audits of the Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind; amending s. 1001.10, F.S.; authorizing the Commissioner of Education to coordinate with specified entities to assess needs for resources and assistance in an emergency situation; amending s. 1004.345, F.S.; extending the timeframe by which the Florida Polytechnic University must meet specified criteria established by the Board of Governors of the State University System; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simmons—

SB 1470—A bill to be entitled An act relating to agency inspectors general; amending s. 20.055, F.S.; prohibiting an agency from offering a bonus on work performance in an inspector general contract or agreement; amending s. 420.506, F.S.; prohibiting the Florida Housing Finance Corporation from offering a bonus on work performance in an inspector general contract or agreement; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Galvano—

SB 1472—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medicinal cannabis research and education; creating s. 1004.4351, F.S.; providing a short title; providing legislative intent; defining terms; establishing the Coalition for Medicinal Cannabis Research and Education within the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute, Inc.; providing a purpose for the coalition; establishing the Medicinal Cannabis Research and Education Board to direct the operations of the coalition; providing for the appointment of board members; providing for terms of office, reimbursement for certain expenses, and the conduct of meetings of the board; authorizing the board to appoint a coalition director; prescribing the duties of the coalition director; requiring the board to advise specified entities and officials regarding medicinal cannabis research and education in this state; requiring the board to annually adopt a Medicinal Cannabis Research and Education Plan; providing requirements for the plan; requiring the board to issue an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; specifying responsibilities of the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute, Inc.; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1474—A bill to be entitled An act relating to teacher certification; amending s. 1012.56, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education to issue a temporary educator certificate within a specified period; requiring the department to provide electronic notice of the issuance of a temporary certificate to specified entities; requiring the department to provide the applicant an official statement of status of eligibility upon issuance of a temporary certificate; providing content requirements for the statement of status of eligibility; revising the criteria instructional personnel must meet to be issued a professional certificate; providing that an applicant for professional certification is not required to take or pass a specified examination under certain circumstances; authorizing charter schools and charter management organizations to develop a professional development certification and education competency program; revising program requirements; requiring the department to adopt standards for the approval of such programs by a specified date; providing requirements for such standards; requiring each school district and charter school to submit its program for approval by a specified date; providing that certification requirements may not be met in a program that is not approved by the department after a specified date; amending s. 1012.585, F.S.; revising college credit and inservice hour requirements for renewal of a professional certificate to include participation in specified activities; amending s. 1012.98, F.S.; revising the

activities designed to implement the school community professional development act to include specified training relating to a professional development certification and education competency program; revising requirements for school district professional development systems; requiring the department to disseminate professional development programs that meet specified criteria; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1476—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic wastewater collection system assessment and maintenance; creating s. 403.1839, F.S.; defining the terms “commission” and “program”; providing legislative findings; establishing the blue star collection system assessment and maintenance program and providing its purpose; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to review and approve program applications for certification; requiring the Environmental Regulation Commission to adopt certification standards for the program; specifying the documentation a utility must submit to qualify; authorizing the department to waive certain requirements for utilities for certain smaller populations; providing for certification expiration and renewal; requiring the department to publish an annual list of certified blue star utilities; requiring the department to allow public and not-for-profit utilities to participate in the Clean Water State Revolving Fund Program; allowing for the reduction of penalties and reinvestment of penalties for sewer overflow for certified utilities; amending section s. 403.067, F.S.; creating a presumption of compliance for certain total maximum daily load requirements for certified utilities; amending section s. 403.087, F.S.; requiring the department to provide extended operating permits when a certified utility applies for permit renewal; amending s. 403.1838, F.S.; allowing for additional recipients and uses of Small Community Sewer Construction grants; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1478—A bill to be entitled An act relating to inspectors general and auditors; amending s. 14.32, F.S.; removing a provision that requires the Chief Inspector General to serve at the pleasure of the Governor; authorizing the termination of the Chief Inspector General’s appointment by a majority vote of both houses of the Legislature; requiring the Chief Inspector General to meet specified qualifications applicable to agency inspectors general; requiring the Chief Inspector General to prepare an annual report containing specified information; amending s. 20.055, F.S.; revising definitions; revising provisions relating to duties and responsibilities of agency inspectors general to include forensic audits; providing that an investigator or auditor employed within an office of the inspector general is a Selected Exempt Service employee; revising the qualifications of agency inspectors general; conforming provisions; requiring each agency inspector general to include specified budgetary and staffing information in an annual report; amending s. 20.121, F.S.; providing that an auditor employed within the Division of Accounting and Auditing of the Department of Financial Services is a Selected Exempt Service employee; amending s. 215.44, F.S.; requiring the State Board of Administration to appoint an inspector general; providing duties and responsibilities for the inspector general necessary to conduct investigations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1480—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 20.055, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for audit workpapers, records, reports, or other documentation obtained or created during or in relation to an active audit or investigation by an agency inspector general until completion of such

audit or investigation or issuance of a final report; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1482—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transactions with foreign financial institutions; creating s. 655.969, F.S.; requiring financial institutions maintaining correspondent or payable-through accounts with certain foreign financial institutions to report and certify specified information to the Office of Financial Regulation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston—

SB 1484—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vote-by-mail ballots; amending s. 101.697, F.S.; requiring the Department of State to develop instructions and procedures for the electronic submission of vote-by-mail ballots from overseas voters by a specified date; requiring the department, in consultation with supervisors of elections, to develop security measures; prescribing requirements for such security measures; requiring the department to perform an annual security assessment; authorizing the department to adopt emergency rules; providing legislative findings; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1486—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public safety coordinating councils; amending s. 951.26, F.S.; specifying an additional member for public safety coordinating councils; providing for the member’s appointment and term; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Clemens—

SB 1488—A bill to be entitled An act relating to annexation procedures for municipalities; amending s. 171.0413, F.S.; revising circumstances under which a municipality is prohibited from annexing certain lands in contiguous, compact, or unincorporated areas without getting consent from a specified percent of landowners in the area; specifying circumstances under which a vote of the electors in the area to be annexed is not required; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston—

SB 1490—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida College System Minority Need-Based Grant Program; creating s. 1009.895, F.S.; creating the grant program within the Department of Education; requiring the Office of Student Financial Assistance to administer the program; providing the purpose of the program and student eligibility requirements; specifying funding and a funding priority; providing the renewal requirements for the grant awards; providing rulemaking; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simmons—

SB 1492—A bill to be entitled An act relating to supplemental academic instruction; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; removing a limitation on the application of the requirement that specified school districts use certain funds to provide additional intensive reading instruction; specifying the method for designating the 300 lowest-performing elementary schools; requiring categorical funds for supplemental academic instruction to be provided in the Florida Education Finance Program; specifying the method for determining the allocation of categorical funding; providing for the recalculation of categorical funding based on a survey of actual student membership; requiring an allocation to be prorated if certain conditions exist; conforming provisions relating to the research-based reading instruction allocation to changes made by the act; deleting obsolete provisions; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rader—

SB 1494—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; repealing s. 99.0615, F.S., relating to write-in candidate residency requirements; repealing a requirement that all write-in candidates must reside within the district represented by the office sought at the time of qualification; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston—

SB 1496—A bill to be entitled An act relating to neighborhood improvement districts; providing that a city ordinance creating a neighborhood improvement district may authorize the district to borrow money, contract loans, and issue bonds, certificates, warrants, notes, or other evidence of indebtedness and may pledge the special assessment power of the district to pay such debts for the purpose of financing certain capital projects; conditioning the exercise of such power by a neighborhood improvement district on approval by the governing board of the district, city commission, and electors of the district; establishing requirements for a referendum; specifying characteristics of such bonds and loans; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Rader—

SB 1498—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reclassification of crimes committed against certain victims; amending s. 775.085, F.S.; requiring the reclassification of crimes evidencing prejudice, in whole or in part, based on gender, among other factors; amending s. 775.0863, F.S.; requiring the reclassification of crimes evidencing prejudice, in whole or in part, based on a disability of the victim; revising the term “mental or physical disability”; creating s. 775.0864, F.S.; requiring the reclassification of crimes if a person intentionally selects and commits a crime against a first responder, correctional or correctional probation officer, state attorney or assistant state attorney, or justice or judge; providing for a civil cause of action under certain circumstances for treble damages, an injunction, or other relief; providing for the recovery of attorney fees and court costs; providing that knowledge by the defendant that the victim worked in a certain occupation is an essential element for the reclassification of the offense; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Mayfield—

SB 1500—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the retirement of instructional personnel and school administrators; directing the State Board of Education to adopt rules prohibiting instructional personnel and school administrators from selecting a retirement date that occurs during the regular school year; providing exceptions to the rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1502—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disclosure of contract information by individuals or entities receiving public funding; amending s. 125.0104, F.S.; defining the term “corporation”; requiring certain information to be included in contracts of specified individuals and corporations; requiring marketing partners of an individual or corporation to provide certain financial data to such individual or corporation; providing requirements for the website of specified individuals and corporations; amending s. 288.075, F.S.; providing that the definition of the term “proprietary business information” does not include certain information relating to the amount paid under specified contracts between a private corporation, partnership, or person and an economic development agency; prohibiting an economic development agency from maintaining or agreeing to maintain as confidential the amount paid to certain parties pursuant to an economic incentive agreement; revising the information an economic development agency is required to disclose after a specified period; amending ss. 688.002 and 812.081, F.S.; providing that the definition of the term “trade secret” does not include certain information relating to the amount paid under a contract or agreement between a private corporation, partnership, or person and an economic development agency, the state, or other governmental entity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1504—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; defining terms; providing that proprietary confidential business information held by an agency is confidential and exempt from public records requirements; authorizing the custodial agency to grant a request to inspect or copy a record that contains proprietary confidential business information under certain circumstances; authorizing any person to petition a court for the public release of those portions of a record made confidential and exempt by the act; providing requirements for the petition and the court order; providing that the act does not supersede any other applicable public records exemptions that existed before a certain date; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a finding of public necessity; repealing s. 815.045, F.S., relating to trade secret information; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1506—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic violence; amending s. 790.233, F.S.; prohibiting persons subject to temporary or final injunctions against domestic violence from possessing firearms or ammunition; prohibiting persons subject to injunctions against acts of repeat violence, dating violence, or sexual violence from possessing firearms or ammunition; deleting a provision relating to legislative intent; creating s. 790.234, F.S.; requiring a law enforcement officer to take temporary custody of firearms at the scene of a domestic violence, stalking or cyberstalking, or repeat violence, dating violence, or sexual violence incident under certain circumstances; specifying required steps a law enforcement officer must take if a firearm is removed from the

scene; providing for the return of such firearms after a specified period; amending s. 741.31, F.S.; specifying that texting is a violation of an injunction for protection against domestic violence or a foreign protection order; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1508—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assisted living facility employee certification; creating s. 429.175, F.S.; providing legislative intent; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to approve at least one credentialing entity to develop and administer a voluntary certification program for assisted living facility employees; providing requirements for agency approval; requiring an approved credentialing entity to establish a certification program that establishes specified minimum requirements, requires adherence to a code of ethics and provides for a disciplinary process, and approves training entities to provide precertification training to applicants; requiring an approved credentialing entity to establish application, examination, and certain fees; requiring background screening of applicants for assisted living facility employee certification; providing for expiration and renewal of the certificate; providing for suspension or revocation of the certificate; requiring an assisted living facility to remove a person under certain circumstances and to notify the credentialing entity after such removal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1510—A bill to be entitled An act relating to crime reports; amending s. 943.05, F.S.; requiring the Criminal Justice Information Program to submit an annual report to the Federal Bureau of Investigation; specifying the data the program must include in the report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rader—

SB 1512—A bill to be entitled An act relating to crimes evidencing prejudice; amending s. 775.085, F.S.; requiring grounds for reclassification of crimes to include prejudice based on the gender or gender identity of the victim; defining the term “gender identity”; amending s. 775.0863, F.S.; requiring grounds for reclassification of crimes to include prejudice based on a disability of the victim; revising the definition of the term “disability”; reenacting s. 921.0022(2), F.S., relating to the Criminal Punishment Code and the offense severity ranking chart, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 775.085 and 775.0863, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Rader—

SB 1514—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public meetings; reenacting and amending s. 286.011, F.S., relating to public meetings; specifying that a board or commission of any entity created by general or special law is subject to public meetings requirements; specifying that a board's or commission's adoption of an ordinance or a code is not binding unless public meetings requirements are met; revising notice requirements applicable to public meetings of a board or commission; providing that a member of the public has the right to speak at a public meeting of a board or commission; specifying circumstances under which a board or commission is not required to allow public comment or may restrict the length of time that a member of the public may speak;

requiring members of a board or commission to respond to questions made at public meetings within a specified timeframe; requiring a board or commission to prescribe a form for members of the public wishing to exercise their right to speak; providing civil and criminal penalties for violations of the act; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 286.0114, F.S., relating to the reasonable opportunity to be heard at public meetings; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Rader—

SB 1516—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vacation rentals; amending s. 509.032, F.S.; authorizing local laws, ordinances, and regulations to prohibit vacation rentals or regulate the duration and frequency of rental of vacation rentals; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Community Affairs; Regulated Industries; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1518—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical privacy concerning firearms; amending s. 790.338, F.S.; deleting a provision preventing a health care practitioner or facility from entering disclosed information concerning patient firearm ownership into a patient's medical record under certain circumstances; deleting a provision preventing a health care practitioner or facility from making a written inquiry or asking questions concerning a patient's ownership of firearms or ammunition under certain circumstances; amending s. 381.026, F.S.; conforming provisions in the Florida Patient's Bill of Rights and Responsibilities to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Latvala—

SB 1520—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominium terminations; amending s. 718.117, F.S.; revising the default procedure for the optional termination of a condominium; requiring a plan of termination to be approved by at least 90 percent of the total voting interests of the condominium; prohibiting a plan of termination from proceeding if 5 percent or more of the total voting interests reject the plan; revising the period during which a subsequent plan of termination is prohibited from being considered after a rejection; revising applicability; revising the requirement on who must be paid fair market value for his or her unit after rejecting a plan of termination; revising the written disclosures that are required to be provided before a plan of termination is presented; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Braynon—

SB 1522—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mobile homes; amending s. 723.022, F.S.; requiring a mobile home park owner to maintain specified homeowner information; requiring the park owner to disclose the information to a unit of local government for certain purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1524—A bill to be entitled An act relating to basin management; amending s. 403.067, F.S.; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to compile and provide the Department of Environmental Protection with annual reports of nutrient applications

within certain basins; authorizing the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to request nutrient management and application records from responsible parties within such basins; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1526—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 945.10, F.S.; providing that certain protected health information held by the Department of Corrections is confidential and exempt from public records requirements; authorizing the release of protected health information and other records of an inmate to certain entities, subject to specified conditions and under certain circumstances; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

Senate Resolutions 1528-1530—Previously introduced.

By Senator Campbell—

SB 1532—A bill to be entitled An act relating to language requirements for state agency websites and advertisements; creating s. 286.31, F.S.; defining terms; requiring specified information to be published on state agency websites in certain languages; providing applicability; requiring state agencies to disseminate certain advertisements to the public in languages other than English through specified media outlets in certain counties; providing applicability; requiring the Office of Economic and Demographic Research to publish certain information on its website; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston—

SB 1534—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Assistive Technology Advisory Council; amending s. 413.407, F.S.; requiring a representative of the Department of Economic Opportunity, rather than of CareerSource Florida, Inc., to serve on the council; deleting a requirement that the council act as the board of directors of the Florida Alliance for Assistive Services and Technology; requiring the council to advise the alliance; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senators Perry, Hutson, and Broxson—

SB 1536—A bill to be entitled An act relating to agricultural practices; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; exempting prescription and non-prescription animal health products used to treat poultry or livestock from sales, rental, use, consumption, distribution, and storage taxes; amending s. 320.08, F.S.; revising the circumstances under which a truck tractor or heavy truck engaged in transporting certain agricultural or horticultural products is eligible for a restricted license plate for a fee; amending s. 487.041, F.S.; deleting a requirement that registrants pay a supplemental fee for pesticides that contain an active ingredient for which the United States Environmental Protection Agency has established a food tolerance limit; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; deleting obsolete provisions; amending s. 801.011, F.S.; redefining the term “posted land” to include those lands with boundaries marked by a specified vertical line at specified intervals; amending s. 823.14, F.S.; revising the term “farm product”; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1538—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic wastewater; amending s. 403.086, F.S.; requiring that all functioning reuse systems meet specified minimum baseline flow standards by specified dates; revising the plan that holders of permits authorizing discharge of domestic wastewater through an ocean outfall must submit to the Secretary of Environmental Protection; requiring an amendment and update to such plan by a specified date; deleting obsolete provisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1540—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Management Services; amending s. 287.057, F.S.; creating the State-wide Procurement Efficiency Task Force within the department; specifying the purpose and membership of the task force; providing meeting requirements; providing for administrative and technical support of the task force; providing that task force members shall serve without compensation or reimbursement of expenses; requiring the task force to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a certain date; providing for the termination of the task force; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

SB 1542—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1544—A bill to be entitled An act relating to charitable gaming; amending s. 546.10, F.S.; authorizing Type C amusement games or machines to be operated at the premises of a veterans’ service organization under certain conditions; creating s. 849.0932, F.S.; providing definitions; authorizing certain organizations to conduct poker tournaments under certain circumstances; providing requirements and restrictions for such tournaments; prohibiting persons under 18 years of age from participating or being involved in such tournaments; requiring specified information to be posted at the premises at which such tournament is conducted; requiring such organization to submit each tournament result to its board of directors; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; and Appropriations.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1546—A bill to be entitled An act relating to licensure of foreign-trained physicians; amending s. 458.311, F.S.; revising licensure requirements for certain foreign-trained physicians; removing the requirement for a certain degree from a United States college or university; authorizing the Board of Medicine to make a certain determination regarding the medical exams required for foreign-trained physicians; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Judiciary; and Rules.

SR 1548—Not introduced.

By Senator Artilles—

SB 1550—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Center for Health Information and Technology; amending s. 408.05, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to contract with a vendor relating to development of systems to leverage existing public and private health care data sources for specified purposes; requiring the agency to submit a report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons—

SB 1552—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Best and Brightest Teacher and Principal Scholar Award Program; creating s. 1012.732, F.S.; creating the Florida Best and Brightest Teacher and Principal Scholar Award Program to be administered by the Department of Education; providing the intent and purpose of the program; providing eligibility requirements for classroom teachers and school administrators to participate in the program; providing timelines and requirements for program implementation; providing funding priorities; defining the term “school district”; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Young—

SB 1554—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trusts; amending s. 736.0103, F.S.; redefining the term “interests of the beneficiaries”; amending s. 736.0105, F.S.; deleting a requirement that a trust be for the benefit of the trust’s beneficiaries; amending s. 736.0109, F.S.; revising provisions relating to notice or sending of electronic trust documents; providing requirements for such documents to be deemed sent; requiring a certain authorization to specify documents subject to electronic posting; revising requirements for a recipient to electronically access such documents; prohibiting the termination of a recipient’s electronic access to such documents from invalidating certain notice or sending of electronic trust documents; tolling specified limitations periods under certain circumstances; providing requirements for electronic access to such documents to be deemed terminated by a sender; providing applicability; amending s. 736.0110, F.S.; providing that the Attorney General has standing to assert certain rights in certain proceedings; amending s. 736.0404, F.S.; deleting a restriction on the purpose for which a trust is created; amending s. 736.04117, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; authorizing an authorized trustee to appoint all or part of the principal of a trust to a second trust under certain circumstances; providing requirements for the second trust and its beneficiaries; providing that the second trust may retain, omit, or create specified powers; authorizing the term of the second trust to extend beyond the term of the first trust; providing requirements for distributions to a second trust when the authorized trustee does not have absolute power; providing requirements for such second trust; providing requirements for grants of power by the second trust; authorizing a second trust created by an authorized trustee without absolute power to grant absolute power to the second trust’s trustee; authorizing an authorized trustee to appoint the principal of a first trust to a supplemental needs trust under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such supplemental needs trust; prohibiting an authorized trustee from distributing the principal of a trust in a manner that would reduce specified tax benefits; prohibiting the distribution of S corporation stock from a first trust to a second trust under certain circumstances; prohibiting a settlor from being treated as the owner of a second trust if he or she was not treated as the owner of the first trust; prohibiting an authorized trustee from distributing a trust’s interest in property to a second trust if it is subject to specified rules of the Internal Revenue Code; prohibiting the exercise of power to invade a trust’s principal to increase an authorized trustee’s compensation or relieve him or her from certain liability; specifying who an authorized trustee must notify when he or she exercises his or her power to invade the trust’s principal; specifying the documents that the authorized trustee must provide with such notice; amending s. 736.0708, F.S.; providing that a cotrustee is entitled to reasonable compensation when the trust

does not specify compensation; providing that reasonable compensation may be greater for multiple trustees than for a single trustee; amending s. 736.08135, F.S.; revising applicability; amending s. 736.1008, F.S.; clarifying that certain knowledge by a beneficiary does not cause a claim for breach of trust or commence the running of a period of limitations or laches; providing intent; providing for retroactive application; amending s. 736.1201, F.S.; defining the term “delivery of notice”; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 736.1205, F.S.; requiring an authorized trustee to provide certain notice to the Attorney General rather than the state attorney; amending ss. 736.1206, 736.1207, 736.1208, and 736.1209, F.S.; conforming provisions; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Lee—

SB 1556—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 1002.41, F.S.; prohibiting a district school board from requiring any additional information or verification from a home education program parent under certain circumstances; authorizing a school district to provide home education program students with access to certain courses and programs offered by the school district; requiring reporting by the school district and funding through the Florida Education Finance Program; requiring that home education program students be provided access to certain certifications and assessments offered by the school district; amending s. 1003.21, F.S.; providing an exception for certain children from the age verification requirements for school attendance; amending s. 1003.27, F.S.; requiring a school and school district to comply with specified provisions before instituting criminal prosecution against certain parents relating to compulsory school attendance; prohibiting the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles from issuing a driver license or learner’s driver license to minor students who fail to satisfy compulsory school attendance requirements; amending s. 1007.271, F.S.; exempting dual enrollment students from paying technology fees; prohibiting dual enrollment course and program limitations for home education students from exceeding limitations for other students; providing an exemption from the grade point average requirement for initial enrollment in a dual enrollment program for certain home education students; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book—

SB 1558—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child exploitation; amending s. 16.56, F.S.; revising the offenses that may be investigated and prosecuted by the Office of Statewide Prosecution; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 39.0132, F.S.; revising the types of offenses committed by a child in the custody of the Department of Children and Families which require the department to provide notice to the school superintendent; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 39.0139, F.S.; revising the type of offenses that create a rebuttable presumption of detriment for judicial determinations related to contact between a parent or caregiver and certain child victims; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 39.301, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 39.509, F.S.; revising the offenses that may be considered in determining whether grandparental visitation is in the child’s best interest; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 90.404, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 92.56, F.S.; revising the offenses for which a criminal defendant may seek an order of disclosure for certain confidential and exempt court records, for which the state may use a pseudonym instead of the victim’s name, and for which a publication or broadcast of trial testimony may not include certain victim identifying information; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 92.561, 92.565, and 435.04, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 435.07, F.S.; revising the offenses that disqualify certain child care personnel from specified employment; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 456.074, F.S.; revising the offenses for which the licenses of massage therapists and massage establishments must be suspended; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss.

480.041 and 480.043, F.S.; revising the offenses for which applications for licensure as a massage therapist or massage establishment must be denied; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 743.067, F.S.; revising the offenses for which an unaccompanied homeless youth may consent to specified treatment, care, and examination; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 772.102 and 775.082, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 775.0847, F.S.; revising definitions; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 775.0877, 775.21, 775.215, 784.046, and 794.0115, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 794.024, F.S.; revising the offenses for which certain victim information may not be disclosed by public employees or officers; providing penalties; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 794.056 and 796.001, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 827.071, F.S., relating to sexual performance by a child; amending s. 847.001, F.S.; revising definitions; creating s. 847.003, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting a person from using a child in a sexual performance or promoting a sexual performance by a child; providing penalties; amending s. 847.0135, F.S.; providing for separate offenses of computer pornography and child exploitation under certain circumstances; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 847.01357, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 847.0137, F.S.; revising and providing definitions; prohibiting a person from possessing, with the intent to promote, child pornography; prohibiting a person from knowingly possessing, controlling, or intentionally viewing child pornography; providing penalties; providing application and construction; providing for separate offenses of transmission of child pornography under certain circumstances; amending ss. 856.022, 895.02, 905.34, and 934.07, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 938.085, F.S.; revising the offenses for which a surcharge to be deposited into the Rape Crisis Program Trust Fund shall be imposed; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 938.10, F.S.; revising the offenses for which an additional court cost shall be imposed; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 943.0435, 943.04354, 943.0585, 943.059, 944.606, 944.607, 947.1405, 948.013, 948.03, and 948.04, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 948.06, F.S.; revising the offenses that constitute a qualifying offense for purposes relating to a violation of probation or community control; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 948.062, 948.101, 948.30, 948.32, 960.03, and 960.197, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 985.04, F.S.; revising the types of offenses committed by a child in certain custody or supervision of the Department of Juvenile Justice which require the department to provide notice to the school superintendent; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 985.475 and 1012.315, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; ranking the offense of solicitation of a child via a computer service while misrepresenting one's age on level 8 of the offense severity ranking chart; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; reenacting ss. 39.402(9)(a), 39.506(6), 39.509(6)(b), 39.521(3)(d), 39.524(1), 39.806(1)(d) and (n), 63.089(4)(b), 63.092(3), 68.07(3)(i) and (6), 92.55(1)(b), 92.605(1)(b), 322.141(3), 381.004(2)(h), 384.29(1)(c) and (3), 390.01114(2)(b) and (e), 393.067(4)(h), (7), and (9), 394.495(4)(p), 394.9125(2)(a), 397.4872(2)(a) and (c), 409.1678 (1)(c) and (6)(a) and (b), 435.07(4)(b), 655.50(3)(g), 741.313(1)(e), 775.084(4)(j), 775.0862(2), 775.13(4)(e) and (f), 775.21(3)(b), (5)(d), (6)(f), and (10)(c), 775.24(2), 775.25, 775.261(3)(b), 784.049(2)(d), 794.011(2)(a), (3), (4), and (5), 794.03, 794.075(1), 847.002(1)(b), (2), and (3), 847.012(3)(b), 847.01357(3), 847.0138(2) and (3), 896.101(2)(g) and (10), 903.0351(1)(b) and (c), 903.046(2)(m), 905.34(3), 921.0022(3)(g), 921.141(6)(o), 921.187(1)(n), 943.0435(3), (4)(a), and (5), 943.0436(2), 943.325(2)(g), 944.11(2), 944.607(4)(a) and (9), 944.608(7), 944.609(4), 944.70(1), 947.13(1)(f), 947.1405(2)(c) and (12), 947.141(1), (2), and (7), 948.06(8)(b) and (d), 948.063, 948.064(4), 948.08(7)(a), 948.12(3), 948.30(3)(b) and (4), 948.31, 951.27, 960.003(2)(a) and (b) and (3)(a), 960.065(5), 984.03(2), 985.0301(5)(c), 985.04(6)(b), 985.441(1)(c), 985.4815(9), and 1012.467(2)(g), F.S., relating to placement in a shelter, arraignment hearings, grandparents rights, disposition hearings, safe-harbor placement, grounds for termination of parental rights, proceedings to terminate parental rights pending adoption, report to the court of intended placement by an adoption entity, change of name, proceedings involving certain victims or witnesses, production of certain records, color or markings of certain licenses or identification cards, HIV testing, confidentiality, the Parental Notice of Abortion Act, facility

licensure, the child and adolescent mental health system of care, authority of a state attorney to refer a person for civil commitment, exemption from disqualification, specialized residential options for children who are victims of sexual exploitation, exemptions from disqualification, the Florida Control of Money Laundering and Terrorist Financing in Financial Institutions Act, unlawful action against employees seeking protection, violent career criminals, habitual felony offenders, and habitual violent felony offenders, sexual offenses against students by authority figures, registration of convicted felons, the Florida Sexual Predators Act, the duty of the court to uphold laws governing sexual predators and sexual offenders, prosecutions for acts or omissions, the Florida Career Offender Registration Act, sexual cyberharassment, sexual battery, publishing or broadcasting information identifying sexual offense victims, sexual predators and erectile dysfunction drugs, child pornography prosecutions, a prohibition against the sale or distribution of harmful materials to minors or the use of minors in production, civil remedies for exploited children, transmission of material harmful to minors to a minor by electronic devices, the Florida Money Laundering Act, restrictions on pretrial release pending probation-violation hearings or community-control-violation hearings, purposes of and criteria for bail determination, the powers and duties of a statewide grand jury, the offense severity ranking chart of the Criminal Punishment Code, sentence of death or life imprisonment for capital felonies, disposition and sentencing alternatives, the requirement that sexual offenders register with the Department of Law Enforcement, the duty of the court to uphold laws governing sexual predators and sexual offenders, the DNA database, regulation by the Department of Corrections of the admission of books, notification to the Department of Law Enforcement of information on sexual offenders, notification to the Department of Law Enforcement concerning career offenders, career offenders and notification upon release, conditions for release from incarceration, powers and duties of the Florida Commission on Offender Review, the conditional release program, violations of conditional release, control release, conditional medical release, or addiction-recovery supervision, violation of probation or community control, violations of probation or community control by designated sexual offenders and sexual predators, notification of status as a violent felony offender of special concern, the pretrial intervention program, intensive supervision for postprison release of violent offenders, additional terms and conditions of probation or community control for certain sex offenses, evaluation and treatment of sexual predators and offenders on probation or community control, blood tests of inmates, hepatitis and HIV testing for persons charged with or alleged by petition for delinquency to have committed certain offenses, eligibility for awards, definitions relating to children and families in need of services, jurisdiction, oaths, records, and confidential information, commitment, notification to Department of Law Enforcement of information on juvenile sexual offenders, and noninstructional contractors permitted access to school grounds, respectively, to incorporate the amendments made by the act in cross-references to amended provisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Criminal Justice; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Book—

SB 1560—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; expanding the exemption from public records requirements for any information in a videotaped statement of a minor who is alleged to be or who is a victim of sexual battery, lewd acts, or other sexual misconduct; providing for future review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1562—A bill to be entitled An act relating to expressway authorities; providing a short title; amending s. 348.0004, F.S.; providing applicability; requiring toll increases by authorities in certain counties to be justified by an independent study; providing that such authorities may only increase tolls to the extent necessary to adjust for inflation pursuant to a certain procedure for toll rate adjustments; requiring toll

increases to be approved by a vote of the expressway authority boards; limiting the amount of toll revenues such authorities may use for administrative expenses; requiring a certain distance between toll facilities on transportation facilities constructed after a specified date, subject to a certain restriction; conforming a cross-reference; requiring authorities in certain counties to establish a toll rebate program having specified parameters; creating s. 348.00115, F.S.; requiring authorities in certain counties to post certain information on a website; defining the term “contract”; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1564—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic violence; amending s. 741.281, F.S.; specifying that a person must complete a batterers’ intervention program ordered as a condition of probation in certain circumstances; amending s. 741.283, F.S.; increasing the minimum terms of imprisonment for domestic violence; providing enhanced minimum terms in certain circumstances; amending s. 741.30, F.S.; prohibiting the award of attorney fees in specified domestic violence proceedings; amending s. 775.08435, F.S.; prohibiting the withholding of adjudication for specified domestic violence offenses; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simmons—

SB 1566—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Uniform Voidable Transactions Act; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; amending s. 726.101, F.S.; revising a short title; amending s. 726.102, F.S.; revising and providing definitions; amending s. 726.103, F.S.; removing conditions under which a partnership is insolvent; imposing the burden of proving insolvency upon certain debtors; amending ss. 726.105 and 726.106, F.S.; imposing the burden of proving elements of a claim for relief upon certain creditors; amending s. 726.107, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 726.108, F.S.; providing conditions under which attachments or other provisional remedies are available to creditors; amending s. 726.109, F.S.; revising the parties subject to judgements for recovery of a creditor’s claim; revising conditions under which a transfer is not voidable; imposing the burden of proving certain applicability, claim elements, and adjustments upon specified persons; providing requirements for standard of proof; amending ss. 726.110, 726.111, and 726.112, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 726.113, F.S.; providing that claims for relief are governed by specified claims law; creating s. 726.114, F.S.; providing definitions; providing applicability of specified provisions for series organizations and the protected series of such organizations; creating s. 726.115, F.S.; providing applicability for a specified federal act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1568—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Gainesville, Alachua County; repealing section 3.06 of the city’s charter, relating to the appointment, qualifications, powers, and duties of the general manager for utilities of Gainesville Regional Utilities; amending chapter 12760, Laws of Florida (1927), as amended by chapter 90-394, Laws of Florida, relating to the city’s charter; creating the Gainesville Regional Utilities Authority and establishing it as the governing board of Gainesville Regional Utilities; providing definitions; specifying the powers and duties of the authority; specifying the composition of the authority and the selection and removal, terms, compensation, organization, and liability of its members; specifying certain management and personnel for the authority; specifying applicability to certain city ordinances, policies, rates, fees, assessments, charges, rules, regulations, budgets, and contracts; requiring the authority to develop,

adopt, and review an ethics policy and code of conduct; providing a ballot statement; requiring a referendum; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1570—A bill to be entitled An act relating to express lanes; amending s. 338.166, F.S.; requiring the Department of Transportation to ensure reasonable and practicably feasible entry and exit points on its express lanes and to undertake efforts to expand reasonable and practicably feasible entry and exit points for certain purposes; prohibiting a toll from being charged on express lanes under certain circumstances; amending s. 338.2216, F.S.; requiring the Florida Turnpike Enterprise to ensure reasonable and practicably feasible entry and exit points on its express lanes and to undertake efforts to expand reasonable and practicably feasible entry and exit points for certain purposes; requiring a toll charged to be the same for the use of express and general toll lanes under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bean—

SB 1572—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Education Savings Account Program; creating s. 1002.387, F.S.; defining terms; specifying criteria for student eligibility and student ineligibility for the program; authorizing a parent to direct a financial institution trustee of his or her child’s account to use funds for specified costs of attending specified private schools or programs, for participating in a dual enrollment program, or to make a contribution to the child’s college savings plan or to a contract under the Stanley G. Tate Florida Prepaid College Program; requiring a financial institution to transfer an account to another participating financial institution upon the request of a parent as provided by the Chief Financial Officer by rule; providing for the distribution of unspent program funds; requiring a parent to apply for the program to the Department of Education; specifying responsibilities of a parent or student for using funds in an account to attend a private school or private virtual school; requiring certain students to take norm-referenced tests required by the department; specifying responsibilities of a parent or student for using funds in an account to hire a private tutor or private tutoring program and for participating in a dual enrollment program; specifying eligibility criteria for private schools, private tutors, private tutoring programs, and private postsecondary institutions to participate in the program; providing that all public postsecondary institutions are eligible to participate in the program; providing duties of the department; requiring the department to process student applications, submit a list of eligible institutions to participating financial institutions, notify the financial institutions of students approved to participate in the program, and submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by specified dates; providing duties of the Chief Financial Officer; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to provide a list of participating financial institutions to the department by a specified date each year and to make payments to the accounts of participating students in specified situations; providing obligations of financial institutions; limiting the fees that may be charged by a financial institution for its services under the program; requiring a financial institution to make timely quarterly payments directly to a private school, private tutor, private tutoring program, or postsecondary institution or to a selected college savings plan or the Stanley G. Tate Florida Prepaid College Program; requiring a financial institution to notify the department of the identity of certain students at specified dates; requiring a financial institution to annually notify the Chief Financial Officer of its intent to continue to participate in, or intent to withdraw from, the program; requiring a financial institution to provide advance notice to the Chief Financial Officer and parents of students participating in the program before withdrawing from the program; specifying criteria and procedures by which the Commissioner of Education may deny, suspend, or revoke a private school’s participation in the program; specifying procedures by which a private school may challenge the decision of the commissioner to deny, suspend, or revoke the school’s participation in the program; requiring the director of the Division of Administrative Hearings to expedite a hearing in certain

situations; authorizing the commissioner to order participating financial institutions to immediately suspend payments from a student's account to a participating private school under certain circumstances; providing for appeal against a payment suspension; authorizing the Office of Inspector General of the department to release otherwise confidential student information under certain circumstances involving allegations of fraudulent activity under the program; specifying a formula to be used in determining the amount of annual payments made to a student's account under the program; providing for the random selection of applicants to the program who are attending a home education program or a private school; providing a calculation to determine the number of such students who may participate in the program; authorizing the Legislative Budget Commission to transfer funds in excess of amounts required to fully fund the accounts of all participating students to the Florida Education Finance Program; requiring the department and the Department of Financial Services to develop an agreement to assist in the administration of the program; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules for the Department of Education and the commissioner to administer the program; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to adopt rules to administer its responsibilities under the program; providing for the enrollment period and for the number of eligible students for the 2017-2018 school year; requiring the department to randomly select participating students in specified situations; authorizing the state board to adopt emergency rules for the department and the commissioner to implement the program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1574—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; amending s. 318.14, F.S.; requiring notification by the clerk of the court if the amount of a civil penalty indicated on a citation is incorrect; amending s. 318.15, F.S.; requiring immediate suspension of the registration of all motor vehicles registered to a person who commits a first offense of failure to comply with a civil penalty or to appear; amending s. 318.18, F.S.; providing a process by which a person may apply to the clerk for permission to satisfy a civil penalty through community service; authorizing the clerk to determine indigent status and grant or deny permission under certain circumstances; requiring the court to review the clerk's determination and make a final determination of indigent status under certain circumstances; amending s. 320.03, F.S.; prohibiting issuance of a license plate or revalidation sticker to a person who fails to comply with a civil penalty or to appear; amending s. 320.131, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 320.27, F.S.; requiring a motor vehicle dealer to verify the validity of a purchaser's driver license; providing immunity from liability; providing penalties; amending s. 938.30, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1576—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Film Investment Corporation; creating s. 288.1259, F.S.; defining terms; creating the Florida Film Investment Corporation and stating its purpose; authorizing the corporation to make investments in scripted productions in the state subject to certain conditions; requiring the board of directors to establish criteria, bylaws, rules, and policies for making investments; requiring the board to adopt criteria that give preference to certain productions; authorizing the corporation to charge fees subject to certain limits; providing membership requirements for the board; specifying term requirements; providing that board members are subject to the code of ethics for public officers and employees; providing voting and compliance requirements; providing applicability; prohibiting board members from commenting on or discussing certain applications for a specified timeframe; providing that the board serves without compensation; authorizing the board to be reimbursed for specified expenses; requiring the board to adopt rules and hold meetings; requiring the board to create the Florida Film Investment Account for specified purposes; requiring funds appropriated to the corporation

to be deposited in the account; authorizing the board to deposit a portion of funds into a bank and invest the remaining portion in specified securities; requiring dividends to be deposited in the account; providing for the board's operating expenses; requiring claims against the corporation to be paid from the account; requiring the board to appoint a president; specifying that the president serves at the pleasure of the board and is compensated as determined by the board; requiring the president to perform certain duties of the corporation; requiring the president to submit an annual budget to be approved by the board; requiring the corporation to notify the Department of Economic Opportunity upon final execution of certain contracts or agreements; providing notice requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1578—A bill to be entitled An act relating to diabetes educators; creating part XVII of ch. 468, F.S., entitled "Diabetes Educators"; providing legislative findings and intent; providing definitions; providing requirements for registration as a diabetes educator; requiring the Department of Health to renew a registration under certain circumstances; requiring a registrant to notify the department of specified changes; requiring the department to establish specified fees; requiring the department to adopt rules for biennial renewal of registration; prohibiting an unregistered person from certain activities relating to diabetes self-management training; providing exemptions; authorizing the department to take disciplinary action against an applicant or registrant for specified violations; authorizing rulemaking; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1580—A bill to be entitled An act relating to admission of children and adolescents to mental health facilities; amending ss. 394.4599 and 394.4785, F.S.; requiring a receiving facility or a mental health treatment facility to refer the case of a minor admitted to such facility for a mental health assessment to the clerk of the court for the appointment of a public defender within a specified timeframe; granting the minor's attorney access to relevant records; requiring a hearing involving a child under a specified age to be conducted in the physical presence of the child; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1582—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workers' compensation insurance; amending s. 440.02, F.S.; redefining the term "specificity"; amending s. 440.102, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 440.105, F.S.; deleting a prohibition against receiving certain fees, consideration, or gratuities under certain circumstances; amending s. 440.13, F.S.; defining the term "business day"; specifying certain timeframes in terms of business days, rather than days; requiring carriers to authorize or decline, rather than respond to, certain requests for authorization within a specified time; revising construction; revising a specified interval for certain notices furnished by treating physicians to employers or carriers; amending s. 440.15, F.S.; revising the maximum period of specified temporary disability benefits; amending s. 440.192, F.S.; revising conditions under which the Office of the Judges of Compensation Claims must dismiss petitions for benefits; revising requirements for such petitions; revising construction relating to dismissals of petitions or portions thereof; requiring judges of compensation claims to enter orders on certain motions to dismiss within specified timeframes; amending s. 440.34, F.S.; requiring judges of compensation claims to consider specified factors in increasing or decreasing attorney fees; specifying a basis for a maximum hourly rate for attorney fees; deleting a provision authorizing such judges to approve alternative attorney fees under certain circumstances; conforming

cross-references; amending s. 624.482, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.041, F.S.; redefining terms; amending s. 627.0612, F.S.; adding prospective loss costs to a list of reviewable matters in certain proceedings by appellate courts; amending s. 627.062, F.S.; requiring insurers and rating organizations to establish and use prospective loss costs for a specified purpose; requiring copies of prospective loss costs to be filed with the Office of Insurance Regulation; amending s. 627.072, F.S.; deleting a specified methodology that may be used by the office in rate determinations; amending s. 627.091, F.S.; defining terms; requiring insurers writing workers' compensation and employer's liability insurances to independently and individually file their proposed final rates; specifying requirements for such filings; deleting a requirement that such filings contain certain information; revising requirements for supporting information required to be furnished to the office under certain circumstances; deleting a specified method for insurers to satisfy filing obligations; specifying requirements for a licensed rating organization that elects to develop and file certain reference filings and certain other information; authorizing insurers to use supplementary rating information approved by the office; revising applicability of public meetings and records requirements to certain meetings of recognized rating organization committees; amending s. 627.093, F.S.; revising applicability of public meetings and records requirements to prospective loss cost filings or appeals; amending s. 627.101, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.211, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to deviations; revising requirements for the office's annual report to the Legislature relating to the workers' compensation insurance market; creating s. 627.2151, F.S.; defining the term "defense and cost containment expenses" or "DCCE"; requiring insurer groups or insurers writing workers' compensation insurance to file specified schedules with the office at specified intervals; providing construction relating to excessive DCCE; requiring the office to order returns of excess amounts of DCCE, subject to certain hearing requirements; providing requirements for, and an exception from, the return of excessive DCCE amounts; providing construction; amending s. 627.291, F.S.; providing applicability of certain disclosure and hearing requirements for rating organizations filing prospective loss costs; amending s. 627.318, F.S.; providing applicability of certain recordkeeping requirements for rating organizations or insurers filing or using prospective loss costs, respectively; amending s. 627.361, F.S.; providing applicability of a prohibition against false or misleading information relating to prospective loss costs; amending s. 627.371, F.S.; providing applicability of certain hearing procedures and requirements relating to the application, making, or use of prospective loss costs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston—

SB 1584—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reclassification of offenses involving certain firearms or additional firearm magazines; amending s. 775.087, F.S.; providing for the reclassification of offenses committed while in possession of a weapon or firearm capable of holding more than 10 rounds of ammunition or while in possession of a firearm and more than one magazine for such firearm; reenacting s. 921.0022(2), F.S., relating to the Criminal Punishment Code and offense severity ranking chart, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 775.087, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1586—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student eligibility for interscholastic athletic competition; amending s. 1006.20, F.S.; revising requirements for the bylaws of the Florida High School Athletic Association governing student eligibility to participate in interscholastic athletic competition; revising the information that must be included on the preparticipation physical evaluation form; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Health Policy; and Rules.

By Senator Latvala—

SB 1588—A bill to be entitled An act relating to military and veteran support; amending s. 295.187, F.S.; requiring the Department of Veterans' Affairs to create a website to streamline the procedure for businesses applying for certification as a veteran business enterprise; amending s. 454.021, F.S.; authorizing the Supreme Court to admit on motion a bar applicant who is the spouse of a servicemember stationed in this state under certain circumstances; amending s. 1012.56, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education to expedite the processing of an application for educator certification submitted by a spouse of a servicemember stationed in this state; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules regarding extending validity of a temporary certificate if the applicant is a spouse of a servicemember stationed in this state; providing legislative findings and intent regarding continuing education for veterans of the United States Armed Forces; providing legislative intent to require collaboration between the State Board of Education and the Board of Governors of the State University System in achieving specified goals regarding educational opportunities for veterans; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senators Latvala, Hutson, and Mayfield—

SB 1590—A bill to be entitled An act relating to coastal management; amending s. 161.101, F.S.; revising the criteria to be considered by the Department of Environmental Protection in determining and assigning annual funding priorities for beach management and erosion control projects; specifying tiers for such criteria; requiring tiers to be given certain weight; requiring the department to update active project lists on its website; redefining the term "significant change"; revising the department's reporting requirements; specifying allowable uses for certain surplus funds; revising the requirements for a specified summary; requiring that funding for certain projects remain available for a specified period; amending s. 161.143, F.S.; specifying the scope of certain projects; revising the list of projects that are included as inlet management projects; requiring that certain projects be considered separate and apart from other specified projects; revising the ranking criteria to be used by the department to establish certain funding priorities for certain inlet-caused beach erosion projects; revising provisions authorizing the department to spend certain appropriated funds for the management of inlets; deleting a provision authorizing the department to spend certain appropriated funds for specified inlet studies; revising the required elements of the department's report of prioritized inlet management projects; revising the funds that the department must make available to certain inlet management projects; requiring the department to include specified activities on the inlet management project list; deleting provisions requiring the department to make available funding for specified projects; deleting a requirement that the Legislature designate a project as an Inlet of the Year; requiring the department to update and maintain a report regarding the progress of certain inlet management projects; revising the requirements for the report; deleting certain temporary provisions relating to specified appropriations; amending s. 161.161, F.S.; revising requirements for the comprehensive long-term management plan; requiring the plan to include a strategic beach management plan, a critically eroded beaches report, and a statewide long-range budget plan; providing for the development and maintenance of such plans; deleting a requirement that the department submit a certain beach management plan on a certain date each year; requiring the department to hold a public meeting before finalization of the strategic beach management plan; requiring the department to submit a 3-year work plan and a related forecast for the availability of funding to the Legislature; amending s. 375.041, F.S.; requiring certain funds from the Land Acquisition Trust Fund to be used for projects that preserve and repair state beaches; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; and Appropriations.

By Senators Bean and Baxley—

SB 1592—A bill to be entitled An act relating to small food retailers; creating s. 595.430, F.S.; establishing the Healthy Food Assistance Program within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing a purpose; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to conduct an independent study evaluating the program's policy impact; providing for future repeal and legislative review; creating s. 595.431, F.S.; providing definitions; creating s. 595.432, F.S.; requiring the department to develop guidelines and administer the program; providing department duties and responsibilities; providing for funding; creating s. 595.433, F.S.; providing duties and responsibilities of program administrators; exempting program administrators from provisions relating to state procurement of certain property and services; repealing s. 500.81, F.S., relating to the Healthy Food Financing Initiative; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations; and Rules.

SB 1594—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senator Powell—

SB 1596—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dental services; amending s. 409.973, F.S.; providing legislative findings; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to contract with an independent third party to conduct a study on the administration of dental services under the Medicaid program; specifying the contents of the study; directing the office to provide a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; authorizing the Legislature to use the report for certain purposes; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1598—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating s. 1003.631, F.S.; creating the Schools of Excellence Program; providing for designation as a School of Excellence; providing requirements for a School of Excellence; providing for redesignation; authorizing Schools of Excellence to have specified administrative flexibilities; authorizing certain teachers to earn a professional certificate by completing a specified program; amending s. 1012.28, F.S.; providing additional authority and responsibilities to the principal of a School of Excellence; providing that newly assigned principals of certain schools must be provided specified authority and responsibilities; amending s. 1012.56, F.S.; providing that successful completion of a specified program demonstrates mastery of certain skills; revising the criteria instructional personnel must meet to be issued a professional certificate; providing that an applicant for professional certification is not required to take or pass a specified examination under certain circumstances; providing requirements for the development and implementation of a comprehensive teacher mentorship certification program; providing the purpose of the program; requiring the Department of Education to adopt standards for the approval of district-developed programs; providing requirements for such standards; providing program requirements; providing peer mentor requirements; amending s. 1012.585, F.S.; providing that instructional personnel may substitute 1 year of specified employment for a certain amount of inservice points within a certain cycle for certificate renewal; providing such employment does not satisfy a specified credit hour requirement; amending s. 1012.98, F.S.; revising the activities designed to implement the School Community Professional Development Act to include specified training relating to the comprehensive teacher mentorship program; revising requirements for school district professional development systems; requiring the department to disseminate professional development programs that meet specified criteria; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Young—

SB 1600—A bill to be entitled An act relating to viatical settlement contracts; amending s. 626.9911, F.S.; defining the terms “fraudulent viatical settlement act” and “recklessly” for purposes of provisions relating to the Viatical Settlement Act; amending ss. 626.9924 and 626.99245, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 626.99275, F.S.; providing additional prohibited acts related to viatical settlement contracts; amending s. 626.99287, F.S.; extending the period in which viatical settlement contracts are void and unenforceable; revising conditions and requirements in which viatical settlement contracts entered into within a specified time period are valid and enforceable; deleting provisions related to the transfer of insurance policies or certificates to viatical settlement providers; creating s. 626.99289, F.S.; defining the term “stranger-originated life insurance practice”; providing that specified acts and transactions relating to stranger-originated life insurance practices are void and unenforceable; authorizing a life insurer to contest policies obtained through such practices; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1602—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 945.21504, F.S.; creating the Federal Law Enforcement Trust Fund within the Department of Corrections; authorizing sources of funds; specifying that balances in the trust fund carry over to the following fiscal year; exempting the trust fund from specified service charges; providing for future review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1604—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Corrections; amending s. 110.205, F.S.; exempting specified positions from the career service system; amending s. 943.04, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Law Enforcement to issue an investigative demand seeking the production of an inmate's protected health information, medical records, or mental health records under certain circumstances; specifying requirements for the investigative demand; amending s. 944.151, F.S.; revising legislative intent; revising membership requirements for the safety and security review committee appointed by the Department of Corrections; specifying the duties of the committee; requiring the department to direct appropriate staff to complete specified duties of the department; revising scheduling requirements for inspections of state and private correctional institutions and facilities; revising the list of institutions that must be given priority for inspection; revising the list of institutions that must be given priority for certain security audits; revising minimum audit and evaluation requirements; requiring the department to direct appropriate staff to review staffing policies and practices as needed; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 944.17, F.S.; authorizing the department to receive specified documents electronically at its discretion; amending s. 944.275, F.S.; revising the conditions on which an inmate may be granted a one-time award of 60 additional days of incentive gain-time by the department; amending s. 944.597, F.S.; revising provisions relating to training of transport company's employees before transporting prisoners; amending s. 945.36, F.S.; exempting employees of a contracted community correctional center from certain health testing regulations for the limited purpose of administering urine screen drug tests on inmates and releasees; amending s. 958.11, F.S.; deleting a provision authorizing the department to assign 18-year-old youthful offenders to the 19-24 age group facility under certain circumstances; deleting a condition that all female youth offenders are allowed to continue to be housed together only until certain institutions are established or adapted for separation by age and custody classifications; authorizing inmates who are 17 years of age or under to be

placed at an adult facility for specified purposes, subject to certain conditions; authorizing the department to retain certain youthful offenders until 25 years of age in a facility designated for 18- to 22-year-old youth offenders under certain circumstances; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1606—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juror compensation; amending s. 40.24, F.S.; revising the daily compensation rate for juror service; providing an annual increase in compensation based on the rate of inflation; requiring the clerk of the circuit court to certify each month to the Chief Financial Officer the amount of funds expended related to juror compensation; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to verify the amount expended and to distribute funds to cover such amount from the General Revenue Fund; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1608—A bill to be entitled An act relating to HIV infection and AIDS for contract purposes; amending s. 641.3007, F.S.; prohibiting health maintenance organization contracts that include prescription drug benefits from including HIV/AIDS drugs at the highest classification, copayment, or cost-sharing tiers; requiring such contracts to require coverage and classification of such drugs at certain rates; prohibiting certain restrictions on such drugs except under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Farmer—

SR 1610—A resolution urging President Donald Trump to rescind all executive orders signed by him related to immigration.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1612—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care consumer protection; amending s. 395.301, F.S.; revising the requirements for a good faith itemized estimate provided to a patient or prospective patient by a licensed facility for nonemergency medical services; providing that a facility and its contracted health care providers may bill a patient for certain medical services only if the patient consents in writing; providing a penalty for violations; amending s. 456.0575, F.S.; requiring written patient consent for certain health care practitioners to bill a patient for services listed on the itemized estimate which are not covered by the patient's health insurance; providing a penalty for violations; amending s. 627.6385, F.S.; requiring health insurers to provide certain information available on their websites or by request, rather than only on their websites; requiring a health insurer to provide a certain response to the policyholder and facility within a specified time after receiving an itemized estimate; providing construction and applicability; amending s. 627.64194, F.S.; providing that an insurer is solely liable for payment of certain fees for certain requested services under certain circumstances; providing applicability; conforming cross-references; amending s. 641.54, F.S.; requiring a health maintenance organization to provide a certain response to the subscriber and facility within a specified time after receiving an itemized estimate; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1614—A bill to be entitled An act relating to involuntary commitment; amending s. 393.11, F.S.; requiring a petition for involuntary admission to be executed by a petitioning commission except under certain circumstances; requiring that one person on the petitioning commission be either a licensed physician or a licensed psychologist; requiring the petition to allege that the person lacks the capacity to give certain consent and has no guardian or guardian advocate who can provide that consent; requiring that the notice of the filing of a petition for involuntary admission to residential services be given to the Agency for Persons with Disabilities; requiring that the agency's written report on the examination of the person being considered for involuntary admission be served on any appointed guardian or guardian advocate; revising the requirements for a court's appointment of an examining committee; extending the right to challenge the qualifications of those appointed to the examining committee to the agency's counsel and a specified state attorney; requiring that a committee member's report must include an assessment of the person's need for secure placement and other criteria; requiring that the committee's report be served on any appointed guardian or guardian advocate; providing that the person may appear by video teleconference throughout the initial proceeding on the petition for involuntary admission to residential services; requiring that all stages of each proceeding be recorded rather than stenographically reported; specifying that an order of involuntary admission to residential services must specify whether the placement is to be secure or nonsecure and the level of supervision needed; providing that a copy of an order of involuntary admission be provided to any appointed guardian or guardian advocate; authorizing the court to order special provisions for residential services and adequate supervision of the person under certain conditions; specifying that an order authorizing admission to residential services may not be considered an adjudication of mental incapacity; requiring that any minor involuntarily admitted to residential services shall be evaluated within 6 months before reaching majority; drawing a distinction between the terms "capacity" and "competency"; specifying that the court issuing the order has jurisdiction to enter further orders as recommended by a certain support plan; adding a requirement to a certain annual review of the person's continued involuntary admission to residential services; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1616—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; creating s. 193.0237, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting separate ad valorem taxes or non-ad valorem assessments against the land upon which a multiple parcel building is located; specifying requirements for property appraisers in allocating the value of land containing a multiple parcel building among the parcels; providing that a condominium, timeshare, or cooperative may be created within a parcel in a multiple parcel building; specifying the allocation of land value to the assessed value of parcels containing condominiums and cooperatives; requiring each parcel in a multiple parcel building to be assigned a tax folio number; providing an exception; providing construction relating to the survivability of specified recorded instrument provisions under certain circumstances; providing applicability; amending s. 197.572, F.S.; providing for the survivability of easements for the support of certain improvements after tax sales and deeds; amending s. 197.573, F.S.; providing for the survivability of restrictions and covenants in recorded instruments other than deeds after tax sales; revising applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Artilles—

SB 1618—A bill to be entitled An act relating to controlled substances; amending s. 893.03, F.S.; adding CBD (Cannabidiol) to the Schedule I list of controlled substances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Powell—

SB 1620—A bill to be entitled An act relating to deceptive and unfair trade practices; amending s. 501.212, F.S.; specifying that the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act does not apply to credit unions regulated by the Office of Financial Regulation or federal agencies; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Passidomo—

SB 1622—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school bus safety; providing a short title; amending s. 316.027, F.S.; providing mandatory noncriminal penalties for certain violations resulting in serious bodily injury to or death of another person; amending s. 318.18, F.S.; requiring a fine and driver license suspension for such a violation; amending s. 322.27, F.S.; requiring imposition of points against a driver license for such a violation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Transportation; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1624—A bill to be entitled An act relating to coral reefs; defining terms; establishing the Southeast Florida Coral Reef Ecosystem Protection Area; requiring the Coral Reef Conservation Program, in coordination with the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, to develop a comprehensive management plan for the area using and building on previous stakeholder engagement and public comment; requiring the reef program and commission to seek public comment on the proposed plan; providing requirements for the plan; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to submit the proposed plan to the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1626—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Legal Affairs; amending s. 16.617, F.S.; authorizing the Statewide Council on Human Trafficking to apply for and accept funds, grants, gifts, and services from various governmental entities or any other public or private source for a specified purpose; amending s. 321.04, F.S.; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to assign one or more patrol officers to the Office of the Attorney General for security services upon request of the Attorney General; amending s. 501.203, F.S.; redefining the term “violation of this part”; amending s. 501.204, F.S.; revising legislative intent; amending s. 560.103, F.S.; redefining the term “monetary value”; amending s. 736.0110, F.S.; providing that the Attorney General has standing to assert the rights of certain qualified beneficiaries in judicial proceedings; amending s. 736.1201, F.S.; defining the term “delivery of notice”; deleting the term “state attorney”; amending s. 736.1205, F.S.; requiring a trustee to provide a specified notice to the Attorney General rather than the state attorney; amending s. 736.1206, F.S.; revising the conditions under which a trustee may amend the governing instrument of a specified charitable trust to comply with specified provisions of ch. 736, F.S.; amending s. 736.1207, F.S.; conforming a term; amending s. 736.1208, F.S.; revising the manner in which delivery of a release is accomplished; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 736.1209, F.S.; revising requirements for a trustee of a specified trust who elects to be operated exclusively for the benefit of, and be supervised by, the specified public charitable organization or organizations; amending s. 741.403, F.S.; revising application requirements for the designation of an address by the Attorney General which

serves as the address of a person adjudicated incapacitated; requiring dependents and household members to be entitled to certain rights and protections under certain circumstances; amending s. 896.101, F.S.; defining the term “virtual currency”; amending s. 960.03, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 960.16, F.S.; providing an exception to a subrogation requirement for awards; creating s. 960.201, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing the Department of Legal Affairs to award the surviving family of members of an emergency responder who is killed under specified circumstances up to a specified amount; specifying requirements to determine the award amount; requiring apportionment of the award among several claimants under certain circumstances; requiring an award to be reduced or denied by the department under certain circumstances; authorizing rulemaking; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Young—

SB 1628—A bill to be entitled An act relating to animal abuser registration; creating s. 943.0425, F.S.; providing definitions; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to post a publicly accessible registry list on its website of persons convicted of specified animal abuse offenses after a specified date; requiring the department to annually send a letter to certain registered breed associations; providing requirements for the registry list; specifying the time period for a listing; providing for removal of listing if a record of a conviction is expunged or sealed; requiring the department to send an annual animal abuse registry notice to specified entities; amending s. 828.12, F.S.; authorizing courts to prevent persons convicted of certain animal cruelty violations, to be prohibited from having certain responsibilities for or association with an animal as a condition of probation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1630—A bill to be entitled An act relating to English language learners; creating s. 1003.562, F.S.; creating the English Language Learner Advisory Council within the Department of Education; providing the purpose of the advisory council; specifying the composition of the advisory council and providing for appointment of members and the terms they serve; providing meeting requirements; requiring the advisory council to identify certain issues; requiring the advisory council to publish certain meeting and council information on a website; requiring the advisory council to submit an annual report to the Governor, the Legislature, the chairs of the State Board of Education and Board of Governors, and the Commissioner of Education; providing for staff and administrative support; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1632—A bill to be entitled An act relating to call center jobs; creating s. 559.952, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 559.9521, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 559.9522, F.S.; requiring certain call centers that intend to relocate out of state, in whole or in part, to notify the Department of Business and Professional Regulation before a specified date; providing a penalty for failing to provide such notice; requiring the department to compile a semiannual list of employers that relocate call centers out of state; creating s. 559.9523, F.S.; providing that employers named on the list are ineligible for certain state grants, loans, or tax benefits for 5 years; requiring such employers to remit the remaining prorated value of any state grant, loan, or tax benefit to the department under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; creating s. 559.9524, F.S.; requiring the head of each state agency to ensure that certain services are performed in-state by state contractors or their agents or subcontractors; providing a timeframe by which certain contractors or their agents or subcontractors must comply with the act; requiring grandfathered contractors to comply with the act under certain circumstances; creating s. 559.9525, F.S.; specifying that this act may not be construed to allow the withholding or denial of certain

payments, compensation, or benefits; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Steube—

SB 1634—A bill to be entitled An act relating to residential elevators; amending s. 399.031, F.S.; requiring that an elevator controller be capable of monitoring the closed and locked contacts of the hoistway door locking device; requiring that the elevator controller be capable of interrupting the power for the motor and brake for a hoistway door locking device under certain circumstances; prohibiting an elevator car from being restarted until certain conditions are met; requiring a visual indicator to be visible at all landings under certain circumstances; deleting a requirement that the underside of the platform of an elevator car be equipped with a specified device; deleting requirements for such devices; deleting a requirement that manual reset of an elevator resume before downward motion is allowed; requiring the Florida Building Commission to adopt certain provisions relating to residential elevators into the Florida Building Code by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Artilles—

SB 1636—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation of Internet video service; amending s. 202.11, F.S.; redefining the term “communications services” to exclude Internet video service; defining the term “Internet video service”; redefining the term “video service” to exclude Internet video service; amending s. 202.24, F.S.; prohibiting, except under certain circumstances, public bodies from levying on or collecting from sellers or purchasers of Internet video services any tax, charge, fee, or other imposition on or with respect to the provision or purchase of Internet video services; amending ss. 202.26, 212.05, and 610.118, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

SB 1638—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1640—A bill to be entitled An act relating to administrative procedures; amending ss. 120.54, 120.541, and 120.56, F.S.; requiring an agency to prepare a statement of estimated regulatory costs before adoption, amendment, or repeal of any rule other than an emergency rule; conforming provisions and a cross-reference to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

SR 1642—Not introduced.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1644—A bill to be entitled An act relating to grandparent visitation rights; amending s. 752.011, F.S.; authorizing a grandparent of a minor child who has exclusively cared for the minor child for at least 6 months to petition the court for court-ordered visitation with the child under certain circumstances; requiring the court to consider the totality of the circumstances and specified criteria in its determination of substantial mental or emotional harm to the child; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1646—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hit-and-run alerts; creating s. 316.02703, F.S.; authorizing the use of dynamic message signs that are located along the state’s highways to post alerts containing information about certain hit-and-run incidents to assist law enforcement in apprehending a suspect in the incident; specifying certain information that may be included in the posting of such alerts; defining the terms “hit and run” and “serious bodily injury”; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1648—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school bus safety; amending s. 316.172, F.S.; providing that a person using, operating, or driving a vehicle who passes a school bus on the side that children enter and exit while the school bus displays a stop signal commits reckless driving, rather than a moving violation; specifying that such violation is punished as reckless driving, rather than as a moving violation; deleting a provision requiring that such person be subject to a mandatory hearing; amending ss. 318.17, 318.18, 318.19, 318.21, and 395.4036, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Transportation; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1650—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homeowners’ associations; amending s. 720.311, F.S.; authorizing certain disputes to be submitted to mandatory nonbinding arbitration with the Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes; requiring the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to establish a fee structure for certain purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1652—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homeowners’ associations; amending s. 720.306, F.S.; providing requirements for the election of members of the board of directors for associations in specified communities; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Campbell—

SB 1654—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Kidcare program; establishing the Kidcare Operational Efficiency and Health Care Improvement Workgroup to maximize the return on investment and enhance the operational efficiencies of the Florida Kidcare program; providing program duties and membership; requiring a report to the Governor and Legislature; providing for expiration of the workgroup; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1656—A bill to be entitled An act relating to housing assistance; amending s. 420.9075, F.S.; increasing the percentage of local housing distribution funds that may be used to provide rental housing and subsidies; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1658—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State Housing Tax Credit Program; amending s. 220.185, F.S.; requiring a minimum allocation to be appropriated to the State Housing Tax Credit Program for each fiscal year; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1660—A bill to be entitled An act relating to an election alert system; creating s. 101.622, F.S.; establishing an election alert system to notify electors of certain voting information; providing system requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Clemens—

SB 1662—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cannabis; creating s. 893.131, F.S.; defining terms; providing that possession of a personal use quantity of cannabis or a cannabis accessory by an adult is a civil violation; providing for fines or community service; providing that such possession by a minor is a civil violation; requiring such minor to perform community service, attend a drug awareness program, or both; prohibiting arrests for such violation; providing an exception; limiting collateral use of such violation; prohibiting state or local penalties or obligations other than specified penalties or obligations concerning possession of personal use quantities of cannabis or cannabis accessories; prohibiting additional state or local penalties or obligations for having cannabinoids or cannabinoid metabolites in tissue or fluid of the body; providing applicability; specifying that political subdivisions may enact ordinances concerning public consumption of cannabis; specifying that certain violations may not be considered probation or parole violations; providing recordkeeping; authorizing the court to require completion of a drug awareness program under certain circumstances; providing penalties for noncompliance; providing distribution of revenue from civil penalties; amending ss. 893.13, 893.145, and 938.23, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting ss. 112.0455(8)(s), 397.451(4)(b), 435.07(2), 772.12(2), 775.084(1)(a), 810.02(3)(f), 812.014(2)(c), 831.311(1), 893.1351(1) and (2), 893.138(3), 893.15, 903.133, 921.187(1)(l), F.S., relating to the Drug-Free Workplace Act, background checks of service provider personnel, exemptions from disqualification, the Drug Dealer Liability Act, violent career criminals, habitual felony offenders, habitual violent felony offenders, three-time violent felony offenders, definitions, procedure, and enhanced penalties or mandatory minimum prison terms, burglary, theft, unlawful sale, manufacture, alteration, delivery, uttering, or possession of counterfeit-resistant prescription blanks for controlled substances, ownership, lease, rental, or possession for trafficking in or manufacturing a controlled substance, local administrative action to abate drug-related, prostitution-related, or stolen-property-related public nuisances and criminal gang activity, rehabilitation, bail on appeal prohibited for certain felony convictions, disposition, sentencing, alternatives and restitution, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made by the act to s. 893.13, F.S.; reenacting s. 893.12(2)(a) and 893.147(6)(a), F.S., relating to contraband seizure, forfeiture, and sale, and use, possession, manufacture, delivery, transportation, advertisement, or retail sale of drug paraphernalia, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made by the act to s. 893.145, F.S.; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Braynon—

SB 1664—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vehicle recalls; amending s. 320.64, F.S.; prohibiting a licensee from violating the Consumer Automotive Recall Safety Act and rules adopted pursuant to the act; amending s. 320.696, F.S.; requiring a licensee to compensate a motor vehicle dealer for certain recall repairs and costs directly associated with the disposal of certain hazardous materials; creating s. 320.92, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; prohibiting certain motor vehicle dealers or rental car companies to loan, rent, or offer for loan or rent a vehicle subject to recalls under certain circumstances; authorizing the motor vehicle dealer or rental car company, after completing certain temporary repairs, to loan or rent the vehicle under certain circumstances; requiring repairs to recalled vehicles once the remedy becomes available to the motor vehicle dealer or rental car company; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to include a specified recall disclosure statement on each vehicle registration renewal notice; providing for construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Braynon—

SB 1666—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical use of marijuana; amending s. 381.986, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining, redefining, and deleting terms; authorizing physicians to issue physician certifications to specified patients for the provision of marijuana and marijuana delivery devices; requiring physicians to meet certain conditions to be authorized to issue and make determinations in physician certifications; requiring certain physicians to annually reexamine and reassess patients and update patient information in the compassionate use registry; providing requirements for physician certification for patients who are non-Florida residents; providing that a prior order for low-THC cannabis or medical cannabis issued is considered a physician certification under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such certifications; revising criminal penalties; reducing the number of hours of coursework required of physicians who issue physician certifications; providing that physicians who meet specified requirements are grandfathered for the purpose of specified education requirements; authorizing qualifying patients over the age of 21 to designate or remove caregivers; requiring caregivers to meet specified requirements, including a 1-hour course on the administration of marijuana; authorizing a qualifying patient to designate only one caregiver at any given time; providing exceptions; authorizing a caregiver to assist only one qualifying patient at any given time; providing exceptions; requiring the Department of Health to register on the compassionate use registry a caregiver and to issue him or her a caregiver identification card if the caregiver meets certain requirements; providing requirements for assisting a qualifying patient who is under the age of 18; revising the list of entities that have access to the compassionate use registry; requiring the department to adopt rules by a specified date; authorizing the department to charge a fee for identification cards; requiring the department to begin issuing identification cards to qualified registrants by a specific date; providing requirements for the identification cards; requiring the department to register certain dispensing organizations as medical marijuana treatment centers (MMTCs) by a certain date; deleting provisions to conform to changes made by the act; requiring the department to register additional MMTCs in accordance with a specified schedule; prohibiting an entity from being issued more than one MMTC registration; requiring the department to review the number of qualifying patients every 6 months; limiting the number of MMTCs; decreasing the required performance bond amount under certain circumstances; requiring the department to create a 30-minute educational program for qualifying patients; revising the operational requirements for MMTCs; authorizing the department to waive certain requirements in the MMTC registration application under specified circumstances; providing requirements for MMTCs to grow, process, and dispense marijuana, rather than requirements for dispensing organizations to grow, process, and dispense low-THC cannabis or medical cannabis; providing a contract option that requires an independent testing laboratory to directly test an MMTC's

marijuana final product; requiring that marijuana receptacles be opaque, childproof, and tamper-evident; reducing the time that samples are required to be retained; requiring verification of patient and caregiver identification cards, rather than registration cards, and amount and type of marijuana before dispensing; requiring compliance with certain standards in the production and dispensing of edibles or food products; requiring an MMTC to enter additional information into the compassionate use registry; providing requirements to ensure the safety and security of premises and facilities of MMTCs, rather than the safety and security of premises and facilities of dispensing organizations; requiring an MMTC to register all owners and employees with the department; requiring an MMTC to present a floor plan to the department; defining terms to provide criteria on visitor access to MMTC areas; providing requirements to ensure the safe and sanitary transport of marijuana, rather than the safe transport of low-THC cannabis and medical cannabis; requiring a vehicle transporting marijuana to be legally parked under certain circumstances; revising the department's authority and responsibilities; requiring the department to adopt rules relating to ownership changes or changes in an owner's investment interest; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing circumstances under which the department may suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew an MMTC's registration; providing rulemaking authority; authorizing an MMTC employee to administer marijuana under certain circumstances; providing construction; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing that a physician who issues a physician certification is immune to civil claims and claims for medical malpractice under certain circumstances; providing that a health insurance provider or a governmental agency or authority is not required to reimburse expenses related to the use of marijuana; authorizing certain institutes or state universities to possess, test, transport, or dispose of marijuana for research purposes; prohibiting a person from offering, advertising, or performing services, and from owning, operating, and maintaining certain facilities, without registration; providing penalties; prohibiting the importation of marijuana; authorizing the exportation of marijuana and products containing marijuana under certain circumstances; providing severability; amending ss. 381.987, 385.211, 499.0295, and 1004.441, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1668—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the use of state funds; amending s. 112.061, F.S.; providing a limitation on actual expenses of certain lodging that may be reimbursed for a state agency or judicial branch employee; authorizing an employee to expend his or her own funds on lodging expenses that exceed a specified amount; creating s. 216.0161, F.S.; providing definitions; requiring a state entity that requests state funds for the construction of a new building to comply with maximum cost per square foot requirements; establishing maximum cost per square foot guidelines for new state-funded construction; requiring the Department of Management Services to annually review the maximum cost per square foot guidelines and recommend adjustments, based on a specified federal index, to the Executive Office of the Governor and the appropriations committees of the Legislature for review and consideration for inclusion in the legislative budget instructions; specifying the formula to be used in deriving the cost per square foot of a proposed new building; prohibiting the cost per square foot from exceeding the prescribed maximum cost per square foot; requiring the department to review certain plans, calculate and certify certain costs, and provide specified information concerning construction of a new building at the request of a state entity; prohibiting a state entity from requesting state funds for new building construction which exceed specified amounts without the department's certification; requiring a state entity head to certify that each legislative budget request complies with the requirements of specified provisions; prohibiting a state entity from spending or contracting to spend state funds for new building construction if certain costs exceed authorized cost per square foot amounts; providing penalties; amending s. 216.023, F.S.; requiring legislative budget requests for fixed capital outlay for new building construction to adhere to maximum cost per square foot requirements; amending s. 286.27, F.S.; prohibiting the use of state funds to purchase

alcoholic beverages and to purchase food or beverages for certain state agency appreciation or recognition events; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Latvala—

SB 1670—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile justice; amending s. 985.24, F.S.; revising requirements for placement of a child in detention care; revising terminology; amending s. 985.245, F.S.; providing that a child who is designated a prolific juvenile offender does not require a risk assessment to be placed in detention care; amending s. 985.25, F.S.; revising terminology; providing that a child meeting specified criteria shall be placed in secure detention care until the child's detention hearing; amending s. 985.255, F.S.; revising terminology; providing criteria for a child to be designated a prolific juvenile offender; defining the term "arrest event"; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 985.26, F.S.; revising terminology; requiring the court to place a prolific juvenile offender in secure detention care under a special detention order until disposition; defining the term "disposition"; revising terminology; providing for the tolling of the period of detention care for an alleged violation of detention care conditions; providing for the retention of jurisdiction by the court over a child during the tolling period; revising the calculation of detention days served if a child violates detention care; amending s. 985.265, F.S.; revising terminology; amending s. 985.27, F.S.; requiring secure detention for all children awaiting placement in a commitment program until the placement or commitment is accomplished; deleting provisions relating to the detention of children; amending s. 985.35, F.S.; requiring the adjudicatory hearing for a child designated a prolific juvenile offender to be held within a specified period unless such child requests a delay; amending s. 985.514, F.S.; revising terminology; reenacting s. 790.22(8), F.S., relating to secure detention for minors charged with an offense involving firearms, to incorporate the amendments made by the act to ss. 985.24, 985.25, 985.255, and 985.26, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 985.115(2), F.S., relating to release or delivery from custody, to incorporate the amendments made by the act to ss. 985.255 and 985.26, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 985.13(2), F.S., relating to probable cause affidavits, to incorporate the amendments made by the act to ss. 985.255 and 985.26, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 985.245(2)(b), F.S., relating to risk assessment instruments, to incorporate the amendment made by this act to s. 985.255, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 985.255(2), F.S., relating to detention criteria and hearings, to incorporate the amendment made by this act to s. 985.26, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 985.275(1), F.S., relating to detention of an escapee or absconder, to incorporate the amendment made by this act to s. 985.255, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 985.319(6), F.S., relating to process and service, to incorporate the amendment made by this act to s. 985.255, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Latvala, Galvano, and Rouson—

SB 1672—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transit Authority; amending s. 339.175, F.S.; creating the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transit Authority Metropolitan Planning Organization Chairs Coordinating Committee to replace the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transportation Authority Metropolitan Planning Organization Chairs Coordinating Committee; providing that the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transit Authority Metropolitan Planning Organization Chairs Coordinating Committee is created within the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transit Authority; amending s. 343.90, F.S.; revising the short title to "Tampa Bay Area Regional Transit Authority Act"; amending s. 343.91, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "authority" to mean the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transit Authority and to include only Hillsborough, Manatee, Pasco, and Pinellas Counties and any other contiguous county that is party to an agreement of participation; revising the definition of the term "commuter rail"; amending s. 343.92, F.S.; creating the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transit Authority, instead of the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transportation Authority; decreasing voting membership on the governing board of the authority; requiring

the members to be appointed within a specified period; revising appointment and term requirements of such membership; revising requirements for filling vacancies on the board; requiring the Governor to appoint an initial chair of the board from one of the three members appointed by the Governor; requiring the board to elect a chair from among certain members at the end of the initial chair's term; providing that seven members of the board constitute a quorum; providing that the vote of seven members is necessary for any action to be taken by the authority; requiring the board to evaluate the abolishment, continuance, modification, or establishment of specified committees beginning on a specified date; requiring the board to submit its recommendations for abolishment, continuance, modification, or establishment of the committees to the Legislature before a specified time; deleting requirements related to the establishment of a Transit Management Committee, a Citizens Advisory Committee, and technical advisory committees; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 343.922, F.S.; revising the express purposes of the authority to include planning, implementing, and operating mobility improvements and expansions of certain multimodal transportation options, producing a certain regional transit development plan, and serving as the recipient of certain federal funds under certain circumstances; directing the authority to provide to the Legislature a plan to produce the regional transit development plan by a specified date; providing requirements for the regional transit development plan; requiring the authority to develop and adopt a regional transit development plan instead of a transportation master plan; deleting obsolete provisions; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 343.94, 343.947, 343.95, 343.975, and 343.976, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Community Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1674—A bill to be entitled An act relating to enforcement of federal laws; creating ch. 908, F.S.; providing a short title; creating ss. 908.101-908.107, F.S.; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; prohibiting state and local law enforcement agencies, school officers, and security agencies from certain actions for purposes of immigration enforcement; providing exceptions; requiring state and local law enforcement agencies to review confidentiality policies and revise such policies, if necessary; requiring the Attorney General, K-12 public schools and public postsecondary educational institutions, hospitals, and courthouses to develop and publicize certain policies; requiring the Attorney General to prescribe a format for persons to submit a complaint; authorizing the Attorney General or state attorney to institute injunctive proceedings; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1676—A bill to be entitled An act relating to gratuity or service charges; amending s. 509.214, F.S.; requiring specified notice by a public food service establishment that includes a suggested gratuity or service charge in the price of a meal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Regulated Industries; and Rules.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1678—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle dealers; amending s. 320.64, F.S.; providing an exception to the requirement that a specified provision does not affect certain contracts between a licensee and any of its dealers; providing that a motor vehicle dealer who completes certain approved construction or changes to or installation on the dealer's facility in reliance upon a certain program, standard, or policy, or bonus, incentive, rebate, or other benefit is deemed to be in full compliance with all of an applicant's or licensee's requirements related to the facility, sign, and image for a specified

period; providing that a motor vehicle dealer that completed a facility in reliance upon a prior program, standard, or policy, bonus, incentive, rebate or other benefit, but elects not to comply with the provisions related to facility, sign, or image under a changed or new program, standard, policy, or other offer is not eligible for the new benefits but shall remain entitled to all prior benefits plus any increase in the benefits between the prior and the new or amended program, standard, policy, or offers for the remainder of the specified period; providing for construction; prohibiting the applicant or licensee from failing to act in good faith toward or deal fairly with one of its franchised motor vehicle dealers in an agreement; specifying when an applicant or licensee may have failed to act in good faith or deal fairly with a motor vehicle dealer; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles or a court to consider, in certain actions, specified factors in determining whether an applicant or licensee has failed to act in good faith toward, or deal fairly with, a motor vehicle dealer under certain circumstances; providing that an affirmative determination to one or more of such factors is sufficient to sustain a finding of failure to act in good faith or deal fairly with a motor vehicle dealer; prohibiting an applicant or licensee from establishing, implementing, or enforcing criteria for measuring the sales or service performance of any of its franchised motor vehicle dealers in this state under certain circumstances; providing that relevant and material national or state criteria or data may be considered; prohibiting comparison to such data to outweigh applicable local and regional factors and data; defining the term "relevant and material"; requiring a survey to be based upon a statistically significant and valid random sample if certain measurement is based, in whole or in part, upon such survey; requiring an applicant, licensee, common entity, or affiliate thereof that seeks to establish, implement, or enforce against any dealer a performance measurement to describe in writing to the motor vehicle dealer, upon the dealer's request, how the measurement criteria about the dealer's sales and service performance was designed, calculated, established, and applied; providing that any dealer against whom any such performance measurement criteria is sought to be used for any purpose adverse to the dealer has the right to file a complaint in court alleging that such performance criteria does not comply with specified provisions; providing for damages, attorney fees, and injunctive relief under certain circumstances; requiring the applicant or licensee to bear the ultimate burden of proof that the dealer performance measurement criteria complies with specified provisions and has been implemented and enforced uniformly by the applicant or licensee among its dealers in this state; adding certain remedies, procedures, and rights of recovery a motor vehicle dealer is entitled to pursue under certain circumstances; creating s. 320.648, F.S.; prohibiting an applicant or licensee from taking specified actions for the purpose of avoiding competitive disadvantages of a motor vehicle dealer and eliminating discrimination against a motor vehicle dealer under certain circumstances; providing applicability; providing for construction; amending s. 320.699, F.S.; authorizing a motor vehicle dealer or certain persons to seek a declaration and adjudication of rights under certain circumstances with respect to certain actions of an applicant or licensee by filing a complaint in court for injunctive relief and damages; requiring, after a certain prima facie showing, the burden of proof of all issues to be upon the applicant or licensee to prove that a certain violation did not or will not occur; authorizing a court to issue injunctive relief and award costs and reasonable attorney fees to the complainant if relief is granted; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1680—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; redefining the term "permanency goal"; amending s. 39.013, F.S.; extending court jurisdiction to age 22 for young adults with disabilities in foster care; amending s. 39.6035, F.S.; requiring a transition plan to be approved before a child reaches 18 years of age; amending s. 39.621, F.S.; specifying the circumstances under which the permanency goal of maintaining and strengthening the placement with a parent may be used; amending s. 409.996, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families, in collaboration with certain entities, to develop a statewide quality rating system for residential group care providers and foster homes; requiring the system to be implemented by a specified date; providing requirements for the system; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor

and the Legislature by a specified date and annually thereafter; providing requirements for the report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Garcia and Rodriguez—

SB 1682—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominiums; amending s. 718.111, F.S.; prohibiting an attorney from representing a board under certain conditions; prohibiting certain actions by a board member or management company; providing recordkeeping requirements; providing that the official records of an association are open to inspection by unit renters; providing criminal penalties; providing a definition; providing requirements relating to the posting of specified documents on an association's website; providing a remedy for an association's failure to provide a unit owner with a copy of the most recent financial report; requiring the Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes to maintain and provide copies of financial reports; amending s. 718.112, F.S.; providing board member term limits; providing an exception; deleting certification requirements relating to the recall of board members; revising the amount of time in which a recalled board member must turn over records and property of the association to the board; prohibiting an association from employing or contracting with a service provider that is owned or operated by certain persons; amending s. 718.1255, F.S.; authorizing, rather than requiring, the division to employ full-time attorneys to conduct certain arbitration hearings; providing requirements for the certification of arbitrators; prohibiting the Department of Business and Professional Regulation from entering into a legal services contract for certain arbitration hearings; requiring the division to assign or enter into contracts with arbitrators; requiring arbitrators to conduct hearings within a specified period; providing an exception; providing arbitration proceeding requirements; creating s. 718.129, F.S.; providing that certain activities constitute fraudulent voting activities related to association elections; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 718.3025, F.S.; prohibiting specified parties from certain activities; creating s. 718.3027, F.S.; providing requirements relating to board director and officer conflicts of interest; providing that certain contracts are null and void if they do not meet specified notice requirements; amending s. 718.303, F.S.; providing requirements relating to the suspension of voting rights of unit owners and members; prohibiting a receiver from exercising the voting rights of a unit owner whose unit is placed in receivership; amending s. 718.5012, F.S.; providing the ombudsman with an additional power; creating s. 718.71, F.S.; providing financial reporting requirements of an association; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Regulated Industries; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1684—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance rates; amending s. 627.062, F.S.; providing that certain attorney fees, costs, and expenses may not be considered expenses by the Office of Insurance Regulation when the office is determining whether a rate is excessive, inadequate, or unfairly discriminatory; providing that certain attorney fees, costs, and expenses may not be included in an insurer's rate base and may not be used to justify a rate or rate change; amending s. 627.0651, F.S.; providing that certain attorney fees, costs, and expenses may not be included in a motor vehicle insurer's rate base and may not be used to justify a rate or rate change; amending s. 627.072, F.S.; providing that as to workers' compensation and employer's liability insurance, certain attorney fees, costs, and expenses may not be included in an insurer's rate base and may not be used to justify a rate or rate change; amending s. 627.410, F.S.; providing that certain attorney fees, costs, and expenses may not be included in an insurer's rate base and may not be used to justify a rate or rate change; amending s. 627.428, F.S.; providing that certain attorney fees, costs, and expenses may not be included in an insurer's rate base and may not be used to justify a rate or rate change; amending s. 627.640, F.S.; providing that certain attorney fees, costs, and expenses may not be included in an insurer's rate; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons—

SB 1686—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reclaimed water; providing legislative findings; amending s. 215.44, F.S.; revising a report that the Board of Administration must provide to the Legislature to include a summary of certain water supply investments; creating s. 215.4745, F.S.; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to perform an annual review of the board in certain potential water supply projects and submit an annual report to the board and the Legislature; authorizing the office to consult with the board, the Department of Environmental Protection, the water management districts, the Office of Economic and Demographic Research, and other entities as necessary; specifying the components of the annual review; amending s. 373.250, F.S.; providing legislative findings; authorizing each water management district to adopt rules providing water reuse incentives; amending s. 373.709, F.S.; requiring that any project that proposes to beneficially reuse reclaimed water be included in a list of water supply development project options as part of a regional water supply plan; requiring reclaimed water facilities that currently discharge reclaimed water into surface waters and that are located within an area for which a regional water supply plan has been developed to submit a reclaimed water utilization plan to eliminate certain discharges into surface waters; deleting obsolete language; amending s. 403.852, F.S.; defining the term "direct potable reuse"; amending s. 403.853, F.S.; requiring the department to submit a report recommending criteria for the regulation of direct potable reuse; requiring that the department develop the report in coordination with certain entities and persons; requiring the department to hold public meetings and publish on its website a draft of the report before submitting it to the Governor and the Legislature; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing that certain rules may not take effect until a specified time; amending s. 403.890, F.S.; revising the distribution of revenues deposited into or appropriated to the Water Protection and Sustainability Program Trust Fund to allow distribution only for the implementation of an alternative water supply program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1688—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida False Claims Act; amending s. 68.084, F.S.; providing conditions for the Department of Legal Affairs or the Attorney General to voluntarily dismiss certain actions; providing that the department may not dismiss such actions on behalf of the state at a later date under certain circumstances; amending s. 68.087, F.S.; deleting a provision prohibiting a court to have jurisdiction over an action brought by an employee or former employee of the state; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1690—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school resource officer programs; amending s. 1006.12, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; encouraging a school resource officer to be placed at each public school in the district; authorizing a part-time law enforcement officer to be a school resource officer or school safety officer; providing requirements for the funding of certain school resource officers' and school safety officers' salaries; amending s. 1002.32, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1692—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school garden programs; creating s. 1003.481, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education, in collaboration with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, to annually provide certain information relating to school garden programs to school districts; authorizing schools that establish a school garden program to allow certain students to select and receive produce from the garden; providing for the distribution of produce; providing an exemption from certain statutes and rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1694—A bill to be entitled An act relating to support for parental victims of child domestic violence; amending s. 984.11, F.S.; requiring the Department of Juvenile Justice and the Florida Coalition Against Domestic Violence to collaborate to develop and maintain updated information and materials regarding specified services and resources; requiring the department to make the information and materials available through specified means; amending s. 943.171, F.S.; requiring domestic violence training for law enforcement officers to include training concerning child-to-parent cases; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Steube—

SB 1696—A bill to be entitled An act relating to subdivided lands; creating s. 163.10, F.S.; providing legislative findings; providing a definition; establishing priorities for use by certain entities when awarding grants or financial assistance under certain circumstances for legacy community projects and programs; requiring a portion of specified grant funds or financial assistance to be awarded to entities who have submitted applications; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1698—A bill to be entitled An act relating to annual corporate reports and fees; amending s. 607.0122, F.S.; establishing a biennial report filing fee and a biennial supplemental corporate fee; amending s. 607.1622, F.S.; authorizing domestic and foreign corporations to submit biennial reports to the Department of State; amending ss. 606.06, 607.0121, 607.0128, 607.01401, 607.0141, 607.0502, 607.0705, 607.1420, 607.1421, 607.1509, 607.15101, 607.1530, 607.1531, 607.15315, 607.1601, and 607.193, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1700—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water management; amending s. 373.036, F.S.; requiring district water management plans for districts including Outstanding Florida Springs to include certain maximum sustainable groundwater estimates; amending s. 373.0421, F.S.; requiring the water management district, instead of the Department of Environmental Protection, to conduct reviews of certain regional water supply plans upon the denial of an application for a water use permit due to impact on minimum flow or water level; requiring the district to update the plan under certain conditions; amending s. 373.223, F.S.; revising the conditions for consumptive use permits; deleting rulemaking authorizations; deleting an authorization to enforce rules in effect on a certain date; amending s. 373.705, F.S.; revising the

criteria for determining whether certain water supply development projects are given first consideration for funding assistance to include whether a project maximizes water conservation; amending s. 373.805, F.S.; requiring a district or the department, if an Outstanding Florida Spring is below minimum flow or water level, to reserve certain water quantities from permit applicants; amending s. 373.807, F.S.; requiring that basin management action plans for Outstanding Florida Springs include allocation of certain load reductions for point source and non-point source pollution; requiring agricultural producers to implement certain practices within a specified timeframe after the adoption of a basin management action plan; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to require that records of nutrient applications be transmitted at least annually; requiring the department to assemble this data and relevant analysis and make such information available to the public; requiring the department to initiate rulemaking by a specified date; amending s. 373.811, F.S.; revising the prohibited activities in a priority focus area in effect for an Outstanding Florida Spring; creating s. 373.814, F.S.; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and the department to determine whether fully implemented agricultural best management practices would enable the agricultural sector within basin management action plan areas to comply with allocated pollutant reductions; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to revise best management practices under certain conditions; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to determine whether certain types of agricultural operations are inconsistent with springs protection within basin management action plan areas; requiring the department to coordinate with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to fund certain conservation easements under certain conditions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell—

SB 1702—A bill to be entitled An act relating to classified advertisement websites; creating s. 501.180, F.S.; defining the term “safe-haven facility”; authorizing local governmental bodies to designate a specified number of safe-haven facilities in each county based upon population size; authorizing a local governmental body to approve the use of local government buildings to serve as safe-haven facilities; limiting the liability of any local governmental entity that provides a safe-haven facility; limiting actions against the state or local government related to transactions taking place at a safe-haven facility; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Campbell—

SB 1704—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexually transmissible diseases; amending s. 384.23, F.S.; defining the term “sexual conduct”; amending s. 384.24, F.S.; expanding the scope of unlawful acts by a person infected with a sexually transmissible disease; expanding the list of sexually transmissible diseases; reenacting s. 384.34(1) and (5), F.S., relating to penalties pertaining to transmission of sexually transmissible diseases; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Health Policy; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Campbell—

SB 1706—A bill to be entitled An act relating to estates; creating s. 732.112, F.S.; providing that any contractual arrangement of a decedent, including specified policies, pensions, or other entitlements, which does not name the decedent’s dependent descendants as beneficiaries is void; requiring a decedent’s ownership interest in such arrangements to be held in trust for the benefit of his or her dependent descendants; providing an exception; providing legislative findings; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Campbell—

SB 1708—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school attendance; amending s. 1002.20, F.S.; providing that compulsory school attendance laws apply to children ages 6 to 18 years; requiring parental notice of forfeiture of benefits received from a state financial assistance program upon a request for termination of school enrollment; amending s. 1003.21, F.S.; requiring students to attend school until the age of 18 years; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1003.435, F.S.; removing discretionary authority of a district school board to allow a student to take a high school equivalency examination after reaching a specified age; amending s. 1003.51, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stargel—

SB 1710—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating s. 683.1455, F.S.; designating the month of September as “American Founders’ Month”; amending s. 1000.03, F.S.; revising the priorities of Florida’s K-20 education system; amending s. 1001.215, F.S.; revising the duties of the Just Read, Florida! Office to include developing and providing access to certain resources for elementary schools; amending s. 1003.44, F.S.; encouraging schools to provide certain instruction; amending s. 1007.25, F.S.; requiring postsecondary students to demonstrate civic literacy; requiring the chairs of the State Board of Education and the Board of Governors to jointly appoint a faculty committee to develop a civic literacy course, or revise an existing general education core course, and establish the course competencies; amending ss. 943.22 and 1001.64, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1712—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care providers; amending s. 784.07, F.S.; defining the term “health care provider”; providing for offense reclassification if a person is charged with knowingly committing an assault or a battery upon a health care provider; amending ss. 901.15 and 985.644, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting ss. 794.056(1), 938.08, and 938.085, F.S., relating to the Rape Crisis Program Trust Fund, additional cost to fund programs in domestic violence, and additional costs to fund rape crisis centers, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 784.07, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1714—A bill to be entitled An act relating to early learning; amending s. 1002.67, F.S.; revising provisions relating to removal of a provider from eligibility to deliver the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program or receive certain funding under certain circumstances; amending s. 1002.83, F.S.; revising provisions relating to membership of early learning coalitions; amending s. 1002.87, F.S.; requiring each coalition to establish child eligibility criteria based on local community needs for participation in the school readiness program; removing certain child eligibility priorities for such program; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1002.88, F.S.; revising a provision relating to revocation of a provider’s eligibility to deliver the school readiness program or receive certain funding under certain circumstances; amending s. 1002.91, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1716—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Commission on Human Relations; amending s. 112.31895, F.S.; increasing the length of time that a person alleging a prohibited personnel action under the Whistle-blower’s Act has to file a complaint with the commission or the Chief Inspector General; revising the length of time by which receipt of the complaint must be acknowledged and copies thereof provided to named parties; revising the commission’s duties with respect to the fact finding regarding an allegation of a prohibited personnel action; revising the timeframes by which the commission must terminate an investigation following the receipt of the fact-finding report or the failure of an agency to implement corrective action recommendations; revising the length of time by which a complainant may file a complaint with the Public Employees Relations Commission following termination of the Florida Commission on Human Relations’ investigation; amending s. 760.03, F.S.; revising what constitutes a quorum for commission meetings and panels thereof; amending s. 760.065, F.S.; revising the number of persons the commission must annually recommend to the Governor for inclusion in the Florida Civil Rights Hall of Fame; amending s. 760.11, F.S.; specifying that an aggrieved person alleging certain violations of the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992 must file a civil action within a certain timeframe upon the commission’s failure to conciliate or determine probable cause; amending s. 760.29, F.S.; deleting provisions requiring a facility or community claiming an exemption under the Fair Housing Act to register with the commission; amending s. 760.31, F.S.; removing a requirement for commission rules, to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 760.60, F.S.; removing the requirement that the commission or the Attorney General investigate alleged discriminatory practices of a club within a specified timeframe; revising the timeframe by which a complainant or the Attorney General may commence a civil action in response to discriminatory practices of a club; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Bean—

SB 1718—A bill to be entitled An act relating to licensure of a doctor of medical science; creating ss. 458.3471 and 459.0221, F.S.; defining terms; establishing licensure for a doctor of medical science; specifying requirements regarding applications for licensure and for renewals thereof; specifying the scope of practice; specifying applicable law regarding the reactivation of inactive or delinquent licenses; providing penalties; authorizing the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine to deny, suspend, or revoke a license under specified circumstances; providing for rulemaking; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1720—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transportation Authority; repealing part V of ch. 343, F.S., relating to the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transportation Authority; terminating the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transportation Authority; amending ss. 339.175 and 341.302, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Community Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1722—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Slavery Memorial; creating s. 265.006, F.S.; providing legislative intent; establishing the Florida Slavery Memorial; providing for administration of the memorial by the Department of Management Services; providing

conditions for construction and placement of the memorial; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Montford—

SB 1724—A bill to be entitled An act relating to district millage elections; amending s. 1011.73, F.S.; extending the amount of time that a district school board may levy an approved ad valorem tax millage; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Montford—

SB 1726—A bill to be entitled An act relating to industrial hemp pilot projects; creating s. 1004.4473, F.S.; authorizing specified state universities to develop industrial hemp pilot projects in partnership with public, nonprofit, and private entities; providing the purpose of the pilot projects; defining terms; requiring authorization from a university's board of trustees before the university may implement a pilot project; requiring pilot projects to comply with rules adopted by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing requirements for such rules; requiring the specified state universities to develop partnerships with certain entities; requiring the pilot projects to be funded with private resources to the fullest extent possible; requiring the universities to establish guidelines for the approval, oversight, and enforcement of pilot project rules; requiring a report to the Governor and the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Montford—

SB 1728—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida State Employees' Charitable Campaign; amending s. 110.181, F.S.; prohibiting the Department of Management Services from contracting with a third party to administer the campaign; removing the requirement that the department select a fiscal agent to receive, account for, and distribute contributions among charitable organizations participating in the campaign; revising the department's rulemaking authority to conform to changes made by the act; deleting provisions providing for the establishment of the Florida State Employees' Charitable Campaign Steering Committee; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Clemens—

SB 1730—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal justice; amending ss. 784.078 and 800.09, F.S.; conforming a term to changes made by ch. 2014-191, Laws of Florida; amending s. 947.002, F.S.; conforming a term to changes made by ch. 2014-191, Laws of Florida; conforming a cross reference; amending s. 947.02, F.S.; conforming a term to changes made by ch. 2014-191, Laws of Florida; repealing s. 947.021, F.S., relating to expedited appointments to the Florida Commission on Offender Review; amending s. 947.10, F.S.; deleting an applicability provision; updating a term; amending s. 947.16, F.S.; conforming a term to changes made by ch. 2014-191, Laws of Florida; amending s. 947.172, F.S.; deleting a provision requiring the assigning of cases on a random basis; conforming a term to changes made by ch. 2014-191, Laws of Florida; amending ss. 947.174, 947.1745, and 947.22, F.S.; conforming a term to changes made by ch. 2014-191, Laws of Florida; amending s. 960.001, F.S.; requiring a law enforcement agency to provide specified instructions to a victim; requiring a law enforcement agency to promptly make reasonable efforts to provide the victim with specified information under certain circumstances; amending s.

20.32, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1732—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary education tuition and fees; amending s. 1009.21, F.S.; providing that certain individuals may not be denied classification as residents for tuition purposes if certain criteria are met; amending s. 1009.26, F.S.; providing that out-of-state fees for certain individuals who are undocumented for federal immigration purposes shall be waived if certain criteria are met; providing for a uniform out-of-state fee waiver form; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1734—A bill to be entitled An act relating to special license plates; amending s. 320.089, F.S.; providing for special license plates to be issued to Bronze Star or Bronze Star Combat recipients; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1736—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for business e-mail addresses of current justices and judges; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Powell—

SB 1738—A bill to be entitled An act relating to career education; amending s. 1004.92, F.S.; authorizing the Commissioner of Education to establish an advisory committee to review and evaluate career education program standards; providing membership; requiring the committee to submit its findings and recommendations to the commissioner and the State Board of Education by a specified date; providing for future expiration; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1740—A bill to be entitled An act relating to access to clinics; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; creating s. 762.01, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 762.02, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 762.03, F.S.; defining the term "minor child or ward"; prohibiting a person from committing certain acts against reproductive health services clients, providers, or assistants; prohibiting a person from damaging certain properties; providing penalties; providing construction; creating s. 762.04, F.S.; providing criminal penalties and fines; providing enhanced penalties for second or subsequent offenses; providing requirements for departures from the sentences and fines; creating s. 762.05, F.S.; providing civil remedies for those aggrieved by specified violations against reproductive health services clients, providers, or assistants or against certain properties; authorizing the Attorney General, a state attorney, or a city attorney to

bring a civil action for such violations; creating s. 762.06, F.S.; requiring a court to take actions necessary to safeguard the health, safety, or privacy of certain people and entities under certain circumstances, including granting restraining orders to specified persons, placing restrictions on the photographing of specified persons, and authorizing specified persons to use pseudonyms in a civil action; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1742—A bill to be entitled An act relating to texting while driving; amending s. 316.305, F.S.; revising legislative intent; revising penalties for violations of the Florida Ban on Texting While Driving Law; providing enhanced penalties for such violations when committed in a school zone or school crossing; requiring each law enforcement agency in this state to adopt policies to prohibit the practice of racial profiling in the enforcement of this section; removing a requirement that specified provisions be enforced as a secondary action by a law enforcement agency; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities; Transportation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1744—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the conditional release program; amending s. 947.1405, F.S.; providing that persons convicted of a non-capital offense and sentenced for a life term qualify for conditional release under certain conditions; requiring that the Department of Corrections on a specified date review certain records of persons serving life sentences and compile such information for the Florida Commission on Offender Review to use in making certain determinations regarding conditional release; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Flores—

SB 1746—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 215.555, F.S.; deleting the cash build-up factor from the formula used by the State Board of Administration in determining reimbursement premiums to be paid into the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund; amending s. 626.7452, F.S.; requiring, rather than authorizing under certain circumstances, managing general agents to be examined as if they were the insurers on whose behalf they act; amending s. 626.922, F.S.; specifying the venue for civil actions concerning certain surplus lines property insurance policies; amending s. 627.0613, F.S.; adding specified powers of the consumer advocate appointed by the Chief Financial Officer; amending s. 627.062, F.S.; providing an exception from a specified rate factor that is required to be considered by the Office of Insurance Regulation in making a certain determination relating to rate filings; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; revising the limit of the overall premium increase for residential property insurance which results from costs in a certain filing; authorizing the consumer advocate to request certain administrative proceedings or expedited appellate reviews; amending s. 627.351, F.S.; specifying that a personal lines residential risk is not eligible for coverage by the Citizens Property Insurance Corporation if a certain offer of coverage is received from an authorized insurer pursuant to the corporation's policyholder eligibility clearinghouse program; providing that the risk remains eligible for coverage with the corporation under certain circumstances; requiring the corporation's plan of operation to provide eligibility for coverage to a personal lines residential policyholder of the corporation under certain circumstances; providing construction and applicability; requiring, under certain circumstances, the corporation to file and the office to approve a 0 percent recommended rate change for the windstorm portion of a rate in a certain rating territory; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.409, F.S.; providing an exception, under certain circumstances, from a bar from

recovery under a residential property insurance contract or policy for misrepresentations, omissions, concealments of fact, or incorrect statements; amending s. 627.7011, F.S.; requiring insurers of certain homeowners' policies, under certain circumstances, to pay replacement costs without reservation or holdback of any depreciation in value; amending s. 627.70132, F.S.; revising the timeframe within which a certain notice of windstorm or hurricane claim must be given to the insurer; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1748—A bill to be entitled An act relating to onsite sewage treatment and disposal system inspections; amending s. 381.0065, F.S.; requiring that onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems be inspected by specified professionals at the point of sale in real estate transactions; specifying system inspection requirements for sold properties that are within a specified distance of Florida waters; specifying repair requirements for such properties if the inspection indicates that repairs are needed; specifying penalties for certain violations of such requirements; requiring the Department of Health to adopt rules; amending s. 381.00651, F.S.; deleting provisions prohibiting specified ordinances from mandating onsite sewage treatment and disposal system evaluations and soil examinations at the point of sale in real estate transactions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1750—A bill to be entitled An act relating to special districts; amending s. 189.069, F.S.; requiring a special district to post on its website all meeting minutes within a specified time and have the information remain on the website for a specified period; amending s. 190.006, F.S.; removing certain compensation for supervisors on the governing board of a special district; amending s. 190.046, F.S.; removing a filing fee paid to counties or municipalities under certain circumstances when petitions to contract or expand the boundaries of a community development district are filed with the Florida Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; authorizing the board of supervisors by majority vote to transfer its assets and operating and maintenance responsibilities to the private sector or to a certain local general-purpose government if the district has no outstanding financial obligations; requiring the district to terminate upon such transfer, subject to certain requirements; providing for a referendum to dissolve the district, subject to certain requirements; specifying requirements for the petition and the referendum; requiring the district to dissolve if a majority of the qualified voters approve the referendum, subject to certain requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1752—A bill to be entitled An act relating to art therapy; creating part XVII of ch. 468, F.S., entitled "Art Therapy"; creating s. 468.901, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; creating s. 468.902, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 468.903, F.S.; creating the Advisory Council of Professional Art Therapists within the Division of Medical Quality Assurance in the Department of Health; providing for membership of the council; providing for per diem and travel expenses; requiring the council to meet at least annually or at the call of the director of the division; requiring the council to provide the director with certain expertise and assistance; requiring the director to consult with the council before issuing rules; creating s. 468.904, F.S.; prohibiting an individual from practicing professional or clinical art therapy unless he or she holds a certain license; providing exceptions; prohibiting an individual from using the title "professional art therapist" or "clinical art thera-

pist,” from using certain letters, words, or insignia, or from representing himself or herself as licensed or qualified to practice professional art therapy without a license; providing penalties; providing for construction; creating s. 468.905, F.S.; establishing requirements for licensure as a professional art therapist and a clinical art therapist; authorizing the director to determine that certain programs are substantially equivalent to accredited art therapy programs; providing for the licensure of applicants who hold a license issued by another state or jurisdiction under certain circumstances; exempting certain applicants from licensure requirements; requiring certain fees to be deposited into the Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund; creating s. 468.906, F.S.; requiring a license to be renewed biennially, subject to certain requirements; requiring the director to establish continuing education requirements; providing that failure to renew shall result in forfeiture of the license; authorizing a forfeited license to be restored under certain circumstances; creating s. 468.907, F.S.; specifying disciplinary grounds and actions; authorizing the division, in consultation with the advisory council, to conduct investigations into violations; requiring the division to adopt rules for the administration of disciplinary procedures and actions; creating s. 468.908, F.S.; authorizing the division to adopt rules; amending s. 1002.66, F.S.; adding art therapy to the list of specialized instructional services that parents of children eligible for the prekindergarten program for children with disabilities may select; amending s. 1003.572, F.S.; including professional art therapists as private instructional personnel to provide specialized services in public schools; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Campbell—

SB 1754—A bill to be entitled An act relating to delivery of nursing services; creating the “Florida Hospital Patient Protection Act”; creating s. 395.1014, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining terms; requiring minimum direct care registered nurse staffing levels in a health care facility; requiring that each health care facility implement a staffing plan; prohibiting a health care facility from imposing mandatory overtime and certain other actions; specifying the required ratios of direct care registered nurses to patients for each type of care provided; prohibiting a health care facility from using an acuity adjustable unit to care for a patient; prohibiting a health care facility from using video cameras or monitors as substitutes for the required level of care; providing an exception during a declared state of emergency; requiring that the chief nursing officer of a health care facility, or his or her designee, prepare a written staffing plan that meets the direct care registered nurse staffing levels required by the act; requiring that a health care facility annually evaluate its actual direct care registered nurse staffing levels and update the staffing plan based on the evaluation; requiring that certain documentation be submitted to the Agency for Health Care Administration and be made available for public inspection; requiring that the agency develop uniform standards for use by health care facilities in establishing nurse staffing requirements; providing requirements for the committee members who are appointed to develop the uniform standards; requiring health care facilities to annually report certain information to the agency and post a notice containing such information in each unit of the facility; prohibiting a health care facility from assigning unlicensed personnel to perform functions or tasks that are performed by a licensed or registered nurse; specifying those actions that constitute professional practice by a direct care registered nurse; requiring that a patient assessment be performed only by a direct care registered nurse; authorizing a direct care registered nurse to assign certain specified activities to other licensed or unlicensed nursing staff; prohibiting a health care facility from deploying technology that limits certain care provided by a direct care registered nurse; providing that it is a duty and right of a direct care registered nurse to act as the patient’s advocate; providing certain requirements with respect to such duty; authorizing a direct care registered nurse to refuse to perform certain activities if he or she determines that it is not in the best interest of the patient; authorizing a direct care registered nurse to refuse an assignment under certain circumstances; prohibiting a health care facility from discharging, discriminating against, or retaliating against a nurse based on such refusal; providing that a direct care registered nurse has a right of action against a health care facility that violates certain provisions of the act; requiring that the agency establish a toll-free telephone hotline to provide information and to receive reports of

violations of the act; requiring that certain information be provided to each patient who is admitted to a health care facility; prohibiting a health care facility from interfering with the right of nurses to organize or bargain collectively; authorizing the agency to impose fines for violations of the act; requiring that the agency post on its website information regarding health care facilities that have violated the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1756—A bill to be entitled An act relating to examination and treatment of individuals with mental illness; amending s. 394.453, F.S.; revising legislative intent; amending s. 394.455, F.S.; providing, revising, and deleting definitions; amending s. 394.457, F.S.; providing responsibilities of the Department of Children and Families for a comprehensive statewide mental health and substance abuse program; amending s. 394.4573, F.S.; conforming terminology; amending s. 394.4574, F.S.; providing for additional professionals to assess a resident with a mental illness who resides in an assisted living facility; amending s. 394.458, F.S.; prohibiting the introduction or removal of certain articles at a facility providing mental health services; requiring such facilities to post a notice thereof; amending s. 394.459, F.S.; revising rights of individuals receiving mental health treatment and services to provide for the use of health care surrogates or proxies to make decisions; revising requirements relating to express and informed consent and liability for violations; requiring service providers to provide information concerning advance directives; amending s. 394.4593, F.S.; expanding the definition of the term “employee” to include staff, volunteers, and interns employed by a service provider for purposes of reporting sexual misconduct; repealing s. 394.4595, F.S., relating to the Florida statewide and local advocacy councils and access to patients and records; creating s. 394.4596, F.S.; requiring designated receiving facilities to permit access authority to an agency designated by the Governor to serve as the federally mandated protection and advocacy system for individuals with disabilities; amending s. 394.4597, F.S.; providing rights and responsibilities of the representative of an individual admitted to a facility for involuntary examination or services; amending s. 394.4598, F.S.; specifying certain persons who are prohibited from being appointed as a guardian advocate; providing duties of a guardian advocate; amending s. 394.4599, F.S.; revising requirements for a certain notice related to involuntary admission; repealing s. 394.460, F.S., relating to rights of professionals; amending s. 394.461, F.S.; authorizing governmental facilities to provide voluntary and involuntary mental health and substance abuse examinations and treatment under certain conditions; providing additional facility reporting requirements; amending s. 394.4615, F.S., relating to confidentiality of clinical records; providing additional circumstances in which information from a clinical record may be released; amending s. 394.462, F.S.; revising requirements for transportation to receiving facilities and treatment facilities; providing for a law enforcement officer to transport an individual to a United States Department of Veterans Affairs facility under certain circumstances; providing immunity from liability; deleting obsolete provisions; amending s. 394.4625, F.S.; revising criteria for voluntary admission to, and release or discharge from, a facility for examination and treatment; revising criteria for a determination of neglect to include mental and physical harm; requiring certain individuals charged with a crime to be discharged to the custody of a law enforcement officer under certain circumstances; amending s. 394.463, F.S.; requiring certain persons initiating an involuntary examination to provide notice to the individual’s guardian, representative, or health care surrogate or proxy; revising a holding period for involuntary examination; amending s. 394.467, F.S.; revising provisions relating to admission to a facility for involuntary services; authorizing the state attorney to represent the state in certain proceedings relating to a petition for involuntary services; granting the state attorney access to certain clinical records and witnesses; providing conditions for a continuance of the hearing; requiring the Division of Administrative Hearings to advise certain parties representing the individual of the right to an independent examination in continued involuntary services proceedings; amending s. 394.46715, F.S.; providing purpose of department rules; amending s. 394.4672, F.S.; authorizing facilities of the United States Department of Veterans Affairs to provide certain mental health services; amending s. 394.4685, F.S.; revising provisions gov-

erning transfer of individuals between and among public and private facilities; amending s. 394.469, F.S.; authorizing the discharge of an individual from involuntary services into the custody of a law enforcement officer under certain conditions; amending s. 394.473, F.S.; revising provisions relating to compensation of attorneys and expert witnesses in cases involving indigent individuals; amending s. 394.475, F.S.; conforming terminology; amending s. 394.4785, F.S.; defining the term “minor” for purposes of admission into a mental health facility; repealing s. 394.4595, F.S., relating to access to patients and patients’ records by members of the Florida statewide and local advocacy councils; repealing s. 394.460, F.S., relating to the rights of professionals; repealing s. 394.4655, F.S., relating to involuntary outpatient services; repealing s. 394.4786, F.S., relating to legislative intent; repealing s. 394.47865, F.S., relating to the privatization of South Florida State Hospital; repealing s. 394.4787, F.S., relating to definitions; repealing s. 394.4788, F.S., relating to use of certain PMATF funds for the purchase of acute care mental health services; repealing s. 394.4789, F.S., relating to the establishment of a referral process and eligibility determination; amending ss. 20.425, 39.407, 394.4599, 394.492, 394.495, 394.496, 394.9082, 394.9085, 409.972, 744.2007, 790.065, and 945.46, F.S.; conforming references and cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Grimsley—

SB 1758—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical use of marijuana; amending s. 381.986, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining, redefining, and deleting terms; authorizing physicians to issue physician certifications to specified patients for the provision of marijuana and marijuana delivery devices; requiring physicians to meet certain conditions to be authorized to issue and make determinations in physician certifications; requiring certain physicians to annually reexamine and reassess patients and update patient information in the compassionate use registry; providing that a prior order issued for low-THC cannabis or medical cannabis is considered a physician certification under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such orders; revising criminal penalties; reducing the number of hours of coursework required of physicians who issue physician certifications; providing that physicians who meet specified requirements are grandfathered for the purpose of specified education requirements; authorizing qualifying patients to designate caregivers; requiring caregivers to meet specified requirements; prohibiting a qualifying patient from designating more than one caregiver at any given time; providing exceptions; requiring the Department of Health to register on the compassionate use registry a caregiver and to issue him or her a caregiver identification card if the caregiver meets certain requirements; revising the list of entities that have access to the compassionate use registry; requiring the department to adopt rules by a specified date; authorizing the department to charge a fee for identification cards; requiring the department to begin issuing identification cards to qualified registrants by a specific date; providing requirements for the identification cards; requiring the department to register certain dispensing organizations as medical marijuana treatment centers (MMTCs) by a certain date; requiring the department to register additional MMTCs in accordance with a specified schedule; providing an exception to certain registration requirements for certain applicants; authorizing certain performance bonds to be used only for reimbursement to the department for damages incurred as a result of the MMTC’s failure to meet certain requirements or department rules; deleting obsolete provisions; revising the operational requirements for MMTCs; authorizing the department to waive certain requirements in the MMTC registration application under specified circumstances; providing requirements for MMTCs to grow, process, and dispense marijuana; providing a contract option that requires an independent testing laboratory to directly test an MMTC’s marijuana final product; requiring that marijuana receptacles be childproof; reducing the time that samples are required to be retained; requiring verification of patient and caregiver identification cards, rather than registration cards, and amount and type of marijuana before dispensing; requiring MMTC compliance with certain standards in the production and dispensing of edibles or food products; requiring an MMTC to enter additional information into the compassionate use registry; providing requirements to ensure the safety and security of

premises and facilities of MMTCs, rather than dispensing organizations, and the safe transport of marijuana; requiring a vehicle transporting marijuana to be legally parked under certain circumstances; revising the department authority and responsibilities; requiring the department to adopt rules relating to ownership changes or changes in an owner’s investment interest; authorizing the department to suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew an MMTC’s registration if the MMTC commits repeated violations that remain uncured within a specified time limit; authorizing emergency rulemaking procedures under certain circumstances; prohibiting a municipality or county from banning dispensing facilities; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing construction; authorizing certain institutes or state universities to possess, test, transport, or dispose of marijuana for research purposes; prohibiting a person from offering or advertising services, and from owning, operating, and maintaining certain facilities, without registration; providing penalties including an administrative fine imposed under certain circumstances; prohibiting importation of marijuana; authorizing exportation of marijuana and products containing marijuana under certain circumstances; amending ss. 381.987, 385.211, 499.0295, and 1004.441, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Grimsley—

SB 1760—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care facility regulation; amending ss. 381.0031, 381.004, 384.31, 395.009, and 409.905, F.S.; eliminating state licensure requirements for clinical laboratories; requiring clinical laboratories to be federally certified; amending s. 383.313, F.S.; revising requirements for a birth center to perform certain laboratory tests; repealing s. 383.335, F.S., relating to partial exemptions from licensure requirements for certain facilities that provide obstetrical and gynecological surgical services; amending s. 395.002, F.S.; revising and deleting definitions; creating s. 395.0091, F.S.; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt rules establishing criteria for alternate-site laboratory testing; defining the term “alternate-site testing”; amending ss. 395.0161 and 395.0163, F.S.; deleting licensure and inspection requirements for mobile surgical facilities to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 395.0197, F.S.; requiring the manager of a hospital or ambulatory surgical center internal risk management program to demonstrate competence in certain administrative and health care service areas; conforming references; repealing s. 395.1046, F.S., relating to hospital complaint investigation procedures; amending s. 395.1055, F.S.; requiring hospitals providing specified services to meet agency licensure requirements; conforming a reference; repealing ss. 395.10971 and 395.10972, F.S., relating to the purpose and establishment of the Health Care Risk Manager Advisory Council; amending s. 395.10973, F.S.; deleting duties of the agency relating to health care risk managers; repealing s. 395.10974, F.S., relating to licensure of health care risk managers; repealing s. 395.10975, F.S., relating to grounds for denial, suspension, or revocation of a health care risk manager’s license; amending s. 395.602, F.S.; deleting definitions; amending s. 395.603, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to deactivation of general hospital beds by certain rural and emergency care hospitals; repealing s. 395.604, F.S., relating to other rural hospital programs; repealing s. 395.605, F.S., relating to emergency care hospitals; amending s. 395.701, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “hospital” to exclude hospitals operated by state agencies; amending s. 400.464, F.S.; revising licensure requirements for a home health agency; providing conditions for advertising certain services that require licensure; providing for a fine; providing conditions for application for a certificate of exemption from licensure as a home health agency; specifying the duration of the certificate of exemption; authorizing a fee; amending s. 400.471, F.S.; revising home health agency licensure requirements; providing requirements for proof of accreditation for home health agencies applying for change of ownership or addition of skilled care services; amending s. 400.474, F.S.; revising conditions for the imposition of a fine against a home health agency; amending s. 400.476, F.S.; requiring a home health agency providing skilled nursing care to have a director of nursing; amending s. 400.484, F.S.; providing for the imposition of administrative fines on home health agencies for specified classes of violations; amending s. 400.497, F.S.; authorizing the agency to adopt rules establishing standards for certi-

ficate of exemption applications; amending s. 400.506, F.S.; revising penalties for a nurse registry directed by the agency to cease operation; providing that registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, certified nursing assistants, companions or homemakers, and home health aides are independent contractors and not employees of the nurse registries that referred them; requiring a nurse registry to inform the patient, the patient's family, or a person acting on behalf of the patient that the referred caregiver is an independent contractor and that the nurse registry is not permitted to monitor, supervise, manage, or train the referred caregiver; revising provisions relating to activities for which the agency is authorized to deny, suspend, or revoke a nurse registry license and impose fines; providing that a nurse registry is not permitted to review or act upon certain records except under certain circumstances; amending s. 400.606, F.S.; revising content requirements of the plan accompanying an initial or change of ownership application for a hospice; amending s. 400.925, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "home medical equipment"; amending s. 400.931, F.S.; providing a timeframe for a home medical equipment provider to notify the agency of certain personnel changes; amending s. 400.933, F.S.; authorizing the agency to accept certain medical oxygen permits issued by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation in lieu of agency licensure inspections; amending s. 400.980, F.S.; revising timeframe requirements for change of registration information submitted to the agency by a health care services pool; amending s. 408.061, F.S.; excluding hospitals operated by state agencies from certain financial reporting requirements; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 408.07, F.S.; deleting the definition of the term "clinical laboratory"; amending s. 408.20, F.S.; exempting hospitals operated by state agencies from assessments against the Health Care Trust Fund to fund certain agency activities; repealing s. 408.7056, F.S., relating to the Subscriber Assistance Program; amending s. 408.803, F.S.; defining the term "relative" for the Health Care Licensing Procedures Act; amending s. 408.806, F.S.; requiring additional information on a licensure application; authorizing the agency to issue licenses with an abbreviated licensure period and prorated fee for alignment of multiple provider license expiration dates; amending s. 408.810, F.S.; exempting an applicant for change of ownership from furnishing proof of ability to operate under certain conditions; authorizing the agency to adopt rules governing circumstances under which a controlling interest may act in certain legal capacities on behalf of a patient or client; amending s. 408.812, F.S.; citing failure to discharge residents by the license expiration date as unlicensed activity; providing that certain unlicensed activity by a provider constitutes abuse and neglect; requiring the agency to refer certain findings to the state attorney; requiring the agency to impose a fine under certain circumstances; amending s. 429.02, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 429.04, F.S.; providing additional exemptions from licensure as an assisted living facility; imposing a burden of proof on the person or entity asserting the exemption; providing applicability; amending s. 429.08, F.S.; providing criminal penalties and fines for ownership, rental, or maintenance of a real property used as an unlicensed assisted living facility; providing that engaging a third party to provide certain services at an unlicensed location constitutes unlicensed activity; amending s. 429.176, F.S.; prohibiting an assisted living facility from operating beyond a specified period without an administrator who has completed certain educational requirements; amending s. 429.41, F.S.; prohibiting an assisted living facility from providing personal services to nonresidents; repealing part I of ch. 483, F.S., relating to clinical laboratories; amending s. 483.294, F.S.; revising agency inspection schedules for multiphasic health testing centers; amending s. 483.801, F.S.; revising an exemption from regulation for persons employed by certain laboratories; amending s. 483.803, F.S.; deleting definitions; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 641.511, F.S.; revising health maintenance organization subscriber grievance reporting requirements; repealing s. 641.60, F.S., relating to the Statewide Managed Care Ombudsman Committee; amending s. 945.36, F.S.; authorizing law enforcement personnel to conduct drug tests on certain inmates and releasees; amending ss. 20.43, 220.1845, 376.30781, 376.86, 381.0034, 385.211, 394.4787, 395.001, 395.003, 395.7015, 400.0625, 400.9905, 408.033, 408.036, 408.802, 408.820, 409.9116, 409.975, 456.001, 456.057, 458.307, 458.345, 483.813, 491.003, 627.351, 627.602, 627.64194, 627.6513, 641.185, 641.312, 641.3154, 641.51, 641.515, 641.55, 641.70, 641.75, 766.118, 766.202, and 1009.65, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; and Rules.

SCR 1762—Previously introduced.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1764—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Medicaid compliance; amending s. 395.003, F.S.; requiring that certain hospitals comply with provisions relating to the establishment of a Medicaid compliance office and procedures as a condition of licensure; amending s. 409.913, F.S.; defining the term "covered person"; requiring that certain hospitals establish a Medicaid compliance office; requiring that the hospitals appoint a compliance officer and committee; providing responsibilities for such compliance officer and committee; requiring the hospitals to develop a code of conduct, policies and procedures, a risk assessment and internal review process, a training plan, and other specified procedures; providing requirements for such code of conduct, policies and procedures, risk assessment and internal review process, training plan, and other specified procedures; requiring a hospital to notify the inspector general of the Agency for Health Care Administration of certain reportable events; providing requirements for such notifications; establishing a daily fine for failing to notify the inspector general of a reportable event; requiring that each hospital submit an annual report to the agency by a specified date; providing requirements for such report; providing definitions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Lee—

SB 1766—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle insurance; repealing ss. 627.730, 627.731, 627.7311, 627.732, 627.733, 627.734, 627.736, 627.737, 627.739, 627.7401, 627.7403, and 627.7405, F.S., which compose the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; repealing s. 627.7407, F.S., relating to application of the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; creating s. 627.7265, F.S.; defining terms; requiring certain motor vehicle liability insurance policies to include specified medical payments coverage; prohibiting an insurer from offering medical payments coverage with a deductible; providing construction; authorizing an insurer to exclude medical payment benefits under certain circumstances; specifying requirements, limitations, and exclusions for medical payments coverage benefits; requiring rulemaking by the Financial Services Commission; providing requirements, procedures, conditions, exclusions, prohibited acts, and construction relating to an insurer's payment of medical payments coverage benefits; specifying requirements and procedures for, and conditions and limitations on, the reimbursement of certain providers' charges for medical care under medical payments coverage; providing that reimbursements may be limited according to a specified schedule of maximum charges; providing construction; providing that insurers or insureds are not required to pay certain claims or charges; requiring the Department of Health to adopt certain rules; specifying procedures, forms, and requirements for providers in furnishing statements of charges and other statements and bills to insurers; providing construction; specifying disclosure and informed consent requirements for certain entities providing medical services; requiring the commission to adopt rules; requiring insurers to investigate certain claims for improper billing and providing procedures and requirements for such investigations; prohibiting a certain act by an insurer with the intent to deny reimbursement; requiring certain entities to be licensed as clinics to receive reimbursement under medical payments coverage; providing exceptions; requiring insurers to provide named insureds with a specified form notifying the insureds of their right to receive medical payments coverage; providing requirements for the notice and for providing such notice; providing requirements, procedures, and prohibited acts related to discovery of facts about an insured person who makes a medical payments coverage claim; requiring such person to provide specified information to an insurer upon request; providing procedures that apply in the event of a dispute over discovery of facts; providing requirements, prohibitions, and construction relating to mental and physical examinations of injured persons covered by medical payments coverage; providing applicability of provisions relating to attorney fees; requiring that a specified prelitigation demand

letter be provided to an insurer before an action for benefits may be filed; providing requirements for delivering a demand letter to the insurer; requiring an insurer to file certain information designating an authorized representative with the Office of Insurance Regulation; prohibiting an action against an insurer if the insurer, within a specified time, pays specified amounts or provides a written statement agreeing to pay specified amounts for future treatment; requiring certain civil action claims to be brought in a single action unless good cause is shown; providing that insurers who repeatedly, and as a general business practice, fail to pay certain valid claims are subject to penalties for unfair or deceptive trade practices; authorizing the Department of Legal Affairs to investigate and initiate actions for such violations; providing an insurer with a civil cause of action against certain persons convicted of or pleading guilty or nolo contendere to certain violations; specifying recoverable damages; requiring an insurer, when a claim is filed, to provide a specified fraud advisory notice to an insured or the person who is the subject of the claim; providing construction relating to certain nonreimbursable claims; authorizing electronic transmittal of certain documents; authorizing an insurer to include in its policies a specified right of subrogation for medical payments benefits; providing construction; amending s. 316.646, F.S.; revising applicability of a requirement to have immediate possession of proof of maintenance of certain security; amending s. 320.02, F.S.; revising the motor vehicle insurance coverages that an applicant must show to register certain vehicles with the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; deleting a requirement that specified information be included on a certain insurance proof-of-purchase card; revising construction; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.27, F.S.; revising requirements for furnishing certain insurance coverage information on an application for a motor vehicle dealer; revising insurance coverage requirements for certain motor vehicle dealers; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.771, F.S.; revising garage liability coverage requirements for a recreational vehicle dealer license applicant; amending s. 324.011, F.S.; revising legislative intent; amending s. 324.021, F.S.; revising definitions of the terms “motor vehicle” and “proof of financial responsibility”; revising, at specified timeframes, minimum coverage requirements for proof of financial responsibility; defining the term “for-hire passenger transportation vehicle”; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 324.022, F.S.; revising, at specified timeframes, minimum liability coverage requirements for motor vehicle owners and operators; revising authorized methods for meeting such requirements; revising the vehicles that are excluded from the definition of the term “motor vehicle” and providing security requirements for certain excluded vehicles; deleting the definition of the term “owner”; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; conforming cross-references; amending s. 324.031, F.S.; revising applicability of a provision authorizing certain methods of proving financial responsibility; revising, at specified timeframes, the amount of a certificate of deposit that is required for a specified method of proof of financial responsibility; revising insurance coverage requirements for a person electing to use such method; amending s. 324.032, F.S.; revising applicability of the minimum requirements of financial responsibility for for-hire passenger transportation vehicles; revising such requirements; revising a requirement for a motor vehicle liability policy that is obtained to comply with such requirements; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 324.071, F.S.; revising the fee for reinstating an owner’s or operator’s license or registration that has been suspended for specified reasons; amending s. 324.151, F.S.; revising requirements for a motor vehicle liability policy that serves as proof of financial responsibility for certain operators or owners; authorizing an insurer to exclude liability coverage in the policy under certain circumstances; defining terms; amending s. 324.161, F.S.; revising requirements for a certificate of deposit that is required if a person elects a certain method of providing financial responsibility; amending s. 324.171, F.S.; revising, at specified timeframes, the minimum net worth requirements that qualify certain persons as self-insurers; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 324.251, F.S.; revising the short title and an effective date; amending s. 400.9905, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “clinic”; amending s. 409.901, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “third-party benefit”; amending s. 409.910, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “medical coverage”; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; revising applicability of certain grounds for discipline, relating to medical payments coverage claims rather than personal injury protection claims, for certain health professions; amending s. 626.9541, F.S.; revising the types of insurance coverage applicable to certain prohibited acts; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 626.989, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “fraudulent insurance

act”; amending s. 627.0652, F.S.; revising the coverages of a motor vehicle insurance policy which must provide a premium charge reduction under certain circumstances; amending s. 627.0653, F.S.; revising the coverages of a motor vehicle insurance policy which must or may provide a premium discount under certain circumstances; amending s. 627.4132, F.S.; revising the coverages of a motor vehicle policy which must provide a specified limitation; amending s. 627.727, F.S.; revising the legal liability of an uninsured motorist coverage insurer; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.7275, F.S.; revising applicability and required coverages for a motor vehicle insurance policy; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.7295, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms “policy” and “binder”; revising the coverages of a motor vehicle insurance policy for which a licensed general lines agent may charge a specified fee; revising applicability; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 627.7415, F.S.; revising, at specified intervals, the minimum levels of certain liability insurance for commercial motor vehicles; amending s. 627.8405, F.S.; revising the coverages of a policy sold in conjunction with an accidental death and dismemberment policy and prohibiting a premium finance company from taking certain acts relating to such policies; revising coverages that are the subject of certain disclosure rules by the commission; amending s. 817.234, F.S.; revising the applicability of certain criminal acts of insurance fraud, from personal injury protection insurance to medical payments coverage; amending ss. 318.18, 320.0609, 322.251, 322.34, 324.0221, 400.991, 400.9935, 456.057, 627.06501, 627.7263, 627.728, 627.915, 628.909, 705.184, and 713.78, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 324.051 and 324.091, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 324.023, F.S.; conforming cross-references; defining the term “minimum security requirements”; providing applicability and construction; providing requirements and procedures relating to motor vehicle insurance policies providing personal injury protection as of the effective date of the act; requiring an insurer to provide, by a specified date, a specified notice to policyholders relating to requirements under the act; providing for construction relating to suspensions for failure to maintain required security in effect before the effective date of the act; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Lee—

SB 1768—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 324.242, F.S.; revising an exemption from public records requirements to exempt certain information held by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles relating to medical payments coverage and liability motor vehicle insurance policies, rather than relating to personal injury protection and property damage liability insurance policies; requiring the department to provide certain policy numbers to specified parties; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Lee—

SB 1770—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community redevelopment agencies; amending s. 163.356, F.S.; providing reporting requirements; deleting provisions requiring certain annual reports; amending s. 163.367, F.S.; requiring ethics training for community redevelopment agency commissioners; amending s. 163.370, F.S.; establishing procurement procedures; creating s. 163.371, F.S.; providing annual reporting requirements; requiring a community redevelopment agency to publish annual reports and boundary maps on its website; creating s. 163.3755, F.S.; providing a phase-out period for existing community redevelopment agencies; providing a limited exception for community redevelopment agencies with certain outstanding bond obligations; providing that a governing body of a county or municipality may create a community redevelopment agency only by a super majority vote on or after a specified date; creating s. 163.3756, F.S.; providing legislative findings; requiring the Department of Economic Op-

portunity to declare inactive community redevelopment agencies that have reported no financial activity for a specified number of years; providing hearing procedures; authorizing certain financial activity by a community redevelopment agency that is declared inactive; requiring the department to maintain a website identifying all inactive community redevelopment agencies; amending s. 163.387, F.S.; revising requirements for the use of the redevelopment trust fund proceeds; limiting allowed expenditures; revising requirements for the annual budget of a community redevelopment agency; requiring municipal community redevelopment agencies to provide an annual budget to the county commission; revising requirements for the annual audit; requiring the audit to be included with the financial report of the county or municipality that created the community redevelopment agency; amending s. 218.32, F.S.; requiring county and municipal governments to report community redevelopment agency annual audit reports as part of the county or municipal annual report; revising criteria for finding that a county or municipality failed to file a report; requiring the Department of Financial Services to provide a report to the Department of Economic Opportunity concerning community redevelopment agencies with no revenues, expenditures, or debts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Lee—

SB 1772—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund; amending s. 215.555, F.S.; revising the term “retention”; adding specified coverage level options required in reimbursement contracts between the State Board of Administration and insurers writing policies in this state; revising, beginning with a specified timeframe, the obligation limits of the board with respect to all contracts covering a particular contract year; revising, beginning with a specified timeframe, the calculation of the cash build-up factor used in the formula for determining reimbursement premiums paid to the fund; revising provisions relating to optional coverage offered by the board; defining terms; requiring the board to offer such optional coverage beginning with a specified timeframe; specifying Flexible Layered Options (FLO) coverage multiples; specifying requirements for FLO reimbursement premiums and FLO options addendums; providing construction relating to the optional coverage’s effect on the fund’s claims-paying capacity; amending s. 627.062, F.S.; deleting the actual costs paid due to applying the cash build-up factor as a basis for certain separate rate filings under certain circumstances by residential property insurers; amending s. 627.0629, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.351, F.S.; deleting a provision authorizing Citizens Property Insurance Corporation to implement rate increases to reflect the effect of the cash build-up factor; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Lee—

SJR 1774—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 6 of Article VII and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to increase the assessed value eligible for homestead exemption and to provide an effective date if the amendment is adopted.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

Senate Bills 7000-7018—Previously introduced.

SB 7020—Not introduced.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability—

SB 7022—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state-administered retirement systems; amending s. 121.71, F.S.; revising required em-

ployer retirement contribution rates for each membership class and subclass of the Florida Retirement System; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

FIRST READING

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Braynon—

CS for SB 34—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of C.M.H.; providing an appropriation to compensate C.M.H. for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of the Department of Children and Families, formerly known as the Department of Children and Family Services; requiring certain funds to be placed into an irrevocable trust; providing a limitation on attorney fees; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Community Affairs; and Regulated Industries; and Senator Artiles—

CS for CS for SB 190—A bill to be entitled An act relating to low-voltage electric fences; amending s. 553.793, F.S.; redefining the term “low-voltage alarm system project” to include low-voltage electric fences; defining the term “low-voltage electric fence”; providing requirements for a low-voltage electric fence to be permitted as a low-voltage alarm system project; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senators Steube and Brandes—

CS for SB 222—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the length of time a patient may stay at an ambulatory surgical center or mobile surgical center; amending s. 395.002, F.S.; revising the definition of ambulatory surgical center and mobile surgical facility; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senators Gainer, Broxson, and Montford—

CS for SB 364—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Recovery Fund for the Deepwater Horizon incident; amending s. 288.8012, F.S.; defining the term “settlement agreement”; amending s. 288.8013, F.S.; revising the funding source of the principal of the Recovery Fund for the Deepwater Horizon incident; requiring that certain funds be transferred to the Recovery Fund within a specified timeframe; deleting a requirement that the Recovery Fund be maintained as a long-term, stable source of revenue, for a specified period; requiring Triumph Gulf Coast, Inc., to consult with the State Board of Administration and to invest moneys from the settlement agreement in certain funds; revising the limit on administrative costs; deleting provisions requiring the board of directors of Triumph Gulf Coast, Inc., to formulate a specified investment policy for the Recovery Fund; deleting provisions requiring Triumph Gulf Coast, Inc., to competitively procure one or more money managers to invest the principal of the Recovery Fund; deleting a provision limiting costs and fees for investment services and requiring such costs and fees to be deducted from earnings as administrative costs; amending s. 288.8014, F.S.; increasing the number of members of the board of directors of Triumph Gulf Coast, Inc., as of a specified date; providing for the appointment of the new members; requiring that the new members be residents of certain disproportionately affected counties; revising the duties of the independent certified public accountant that Triumph Gulf Coast, Inc., is required to retain; deleting provisions requiring Triumph Gulf Coast, Inc., to retain an independent financial advisor and an economic advisor; amending s. 288.8015, F.S.; deleting a provision specifying that expenditures made by the board are made from earnings; amending s. 288.8017, F.S.; revising the source for awards made by Triumph Gulf Coast, Inc.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; requiring that K-20 institutions have a campus, rather than their home campus, in a disproportionately affected county as a condition of eligibility to receive certain grants; revising

annual restrictions on awards; repealing s. 377.43, F.S., relating to the disbursement of funds received for damages caused by the Deepwater Horizon oil spill; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Criminal Justice; and Judiciary; and Senators Montford and Book—

CS for CS for SB 416—A bill to be entitled An act relating to use of animals in proceedings involving minors; amending s. 92.55, F.S.; specifying that the court may allow the use of therapy animals or facility dogs in certain proceedings; allowing certain animals to be used when taking the testimony of a person who has an intellectual disability; removing the requirement that certain animals be registered; defining terms; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; and Senator Passidomo—

CS for SB 446—A bill to be entitled An act relating to underground facilities; amending s. 556.103, F.S.; revising the information that must be submitted to the Legislature annually by the board of directors of Sunshine State One-Call of Florida, Inc.; amending s. 556.105, F.S.; requiring excavators to call the 911 emergency telephone number under certain circumstances; requiring member operators to file a report with the free-access notification system under certain circumstances; providing reporting frequencies and required data to be submitted; amending s. 556.107, F.S.; specifying how certain civil penalties issued by state law enforcement officers shall be distributed; deleting a requirement that certain citations be deposited into the fine and forfeiture fund; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Brandes—

CS for SB 448—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prearrest diversion programs; creating s. 901.40, F.S.; encouraging local communities and public or private educational institutions to implement prearrest diversion programs for certain offenders; encouraging prearrest diversion programs to share information with other prearrest diversion programs; authorizing law enforcement officers, at their sole discretion, to issue a civil citation or similar prearrest diversion program notice to adults under specified circumstances; requiring an adult who is issued a civil citation or similar prearrest diversion program notice by a participating law enforcement agency to report for intake as required by the prearrest diversion program; requiring the program to provide certain appropriate services; requiring that an adult who is issued a civil citation or similar prearrest diversion program notice fulfill a community service requirement; requiring the adult to pay restitution to a victim; requiring the law enforcement officer to determine if there is good cause to arrest an adult who did not successfully complete the program and refer the case to the state attorney or allow the adult to continue in the program; requiring specified entities to create the prearrest diversion program; requiring the entities to develop policies and procedures for the development and operation of the program and to solicit input from other interested stakeholders; authorizing specified entities to operate the program; specifying how the misdemeanor offenses that are eligible for the prearrest diversion program are selected; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Brandes—

CS for SB 450—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 901.40, F.S.; providing that the personal identifying information of an adult who participates in a prearrest diversion program is exempt from public record requirements; providing for future review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senators Hutson, Gainer, and Broxson—

CS for SB 466—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle warranty repairs and recall repairs; amending s. 320.64, F.S.; prohi-

biting a manufacturer, factory branch, distributor, or importer from denying a claim of a motor vehicle dealer, reducing compensation to a motor vehicle dealer, or processing a chargeback to a motor vehicle dealer because of specified circumstances; creating s. 320.6407, F.S.; requiring a manufacturer, factory branch, distributor, or importer to compensate a motor vehicle dealer for a used motor vehicle under specified circumstances; requiring the manufacturer, factory branch, distributor, or importer to pay the compensation within a specified timeframe after the motor vehicle dealer's application for payment; requiring such applications to be submitted monthly, as necessary, through the manufacturer's, factory branch's, distributor's, or importer's warranty application system or certain other system or process; providing for calculation of the amount of compensation; reenacting s. 320.6992, F.S., relating to applicability of specified provisions to systems of distribution of motor vehicles in this state, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 320.64, F.S., and to incorporate s. 320.6407, F.S., as created by the act, in references thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Bean—

CS for SB 674—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 382.008, F.S.; providing that certain information included in nonviable birth records is confidential and exempt from public records requirements; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senator Powell—

CS for SB 718—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vessel registrations; amending s. 328.72, F.S.; revising a reduction of vessel registration fees for recreational vessels equipped with certain position indicating and locating beacons; deleting a registration date limitation; deleting an expiration date; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Brandes—

CS for SB 790—A bill to be entitled An act relating to probation and community control; amending s. 948.001, F.S.; redefining terms and deleting a definition; amending s. 948.01, F.S.; requiring the Department of Corrections to revise and make available to the courts, rather than develop and disseminate to the courts, uniform order of supervision forms; amending s. 948.012, F.S.; adding the addiction-recovery supervision program as an exception to the immediate commencement of the period of probation upon the release of the defendant; amending s. 948.013, F.S.; revising the list of offenses that make an offender ineligible for placement on administrative probation during specified time periods; amending s. 948.03, F.S.; authorizing the court to require a probationer or offender to report to, to permit visits by, to submit to random testing as directed by, probation officers, rather than probation and parole supervisors or correctional probation officers; removing the option of incarceration in specified locations if a court withholds adjudication of guilt or imposes incarceration as a condition of probation; amending s. 948.031, F.S.; replacing the term "public service" with the term "community service"; amending s. 948.035, F.S.; removing a probation program drug punishment treatment community facility from the list of residential treatment or incarceration facilities that an offender must be restricted to under certain circumstances; requiring a qualified practitioner to provide, rather than a court to obtain, an assessment and recommendation on the treatment needs of an offender entering a treatment facility; amending s. 948.037, F.S.; authorizing, rather than requiring, a court to require an offender to make a good faith effort toward completion of certain skills or a specific diploma as a condition of community control, probation, or probation following incarceration; amending s. 948.06, F.S.; replacing the term "parole or probation supervisor" with the term "probation officer"; specifying that the probationary period is tolled after the issuance of a violation of probation or community control warrant, rather than an arrest warrant; authorizing a chief judge to direct the department to use a notice to appear for technical violations; amending s. 948.09, F.S.; expanding the types of supervision under which an offender must pay for the cost of supervision; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising the factors under which the department may exempt an offender from payments; requiring the certification of student status to be sup-

plied to the offender's probation officer, rather than to the Secretary of Corrections; deleting duties of the secretary; deleting provisions authorizing the department to provide monthly payments to court-approved entities that provide supervision or rehabilitation for offenders under certain circumstances; deleting provisions relating to contract terms with, and a monthly report from, certain entities; amending s. 948.10, F.S.; requiring a community control program to focus on the provision of home confinement with limitations, rather than sanctions and consequences, commensurate with the crime committed; specifying and revising who the target population is for the community control program; revising departmental requirements for the operation of the program and caseloads; making technical changes; specifying the types of facilities used for the community control program; deleting an annual reporting requirement of the department to the Governor and the Legislature which includes certain information; amending s. 948.101, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 948.11, F.S.; requiring, rather than authorizing, the department to electronically monitor offenders sentenced to community control under certain circumstances; conforming terminology to changes made by the act; amending s. 948.15, F.S.; revising the required terms of the contract for a private entity providing services for the supervision of misdemeanor probationers; repealing s. 948.50, F.S., relating to a short title; reenacting s. 921.187(1)(n), F.S., relating to disposition and sentencing, alternatives, and restitution, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 948.013, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 947.1405(7)(b), F.S., relating to the conditional release program, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 948.09, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting ss. 947.1747 and 948.01(3), F.S., relating to community control as a special condition of parole and when a court may place a defendant on probation or into community control, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 948.10, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Brandes—

CS for SB 794—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle service agreement companies; amending s. 634.041, F.S.; revising qualifications for a motor vehicle service agreement company to obtain and maintain a license; amending s. 634.121, F.S.; requiring specified refunds by insurers or service agreement companies if service agreements are canceled by lenders, finance companies, or creditors after a specified timeframe; providing a limitation on such cancellations; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Perry—

CS for SB 812—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance policy transfers; amending s. 627.4133, F.S.; authorizing an insurer to transfer a personal lines residential or commercial residential property insurance policy to another authorized insurer upon expiration of the policy term if specified conditions are met; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senator Hutson—

CS for SB 818—A bill to be entitled An act relating to timeshares; amending s. 721.05, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "interestholder" to clarify that the term does not include certain parties to a certain multisite timeshare plan; amending s. 721.08, F.S.; clarifying current law; providing that certain instruments are not an encumbrance as they relate to certain vacation and timeshare plans; amending s. 721.125, F.S.; revising requirements for the termination of a timeshare plan; providing that the termination of a timeshare plan does not change the corporate status of an owners' association under certain circumstances; providing that the owners' association continues to exist until certain affairs are concluded; requiring the board of administration of the owners' association to serve as the termination trustee after termination of a timeshare plan; providing powers of the termination trustee; specifying that certain expenses incurred by the termination trustee must be borne by the tenants of a former timeshare property; requiring the termination trustee to adopt certain procedures to implement the partition or sale of a former timeshare property; requiring a voting representative to be designated under certain circumstances; specifying the voting rights of the voting representative; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 725.1255, F.S.; providing legislative findings; specifying the percentage of votes

required to extend the term of a timeshare plan under certain circumstances; specifying what constitutes a quorum under certain circumstances; specifying that a meeting to extend a timeshare plan may be held at any time; authorizing an owners' association to determine if a person or entity holding a voting interest is ineligible to vote, subject to certain requirements; specifying the maximum duration of validity of a proxy; providing that a proxy for a vote is revocable unless otherwise stated; specifying requirements for certain extension votes to be effective; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Simmons and Baxley—

CS for SB 844—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal offenses involving tombs and memorials; amending s. 872.02, F.S.; providing that a person who willfully and knowingly excavates, exposes, moves, or removes the contents of a grave or tomb commits a felony; revising applicability; authorizing an owner, officer, employee, or agent of specified cemeteries to relocate the contents of a grave or tomb, subject to certain conditions; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Garcia, Benacquisto, Flores, and Campbell—

CS for SB 852—A bill to be entitled An act relating to human trafficking; amending s. 39.524, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families or a sheriff's office to conduct a multidisciplinary staffing on child victims of commercial sexual exploitation to determine the child's service and placement needs; revising the date by which the department or sheriff's office must submit a report to the Legislature on child commercial sexual exploitation and safe-harbor placements; revising the contents of the report, including recommendations by the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability study on commercial sexual exploitation of children; requiring the department to maintain certain data on the child victims; amending s. 92.565, F.S.; adding commercial sexual activity as a crime in which the defendant's admission is admissible during trial; amending s. 409.016, F.S.; defining the term "commercial sexual exploitation"; amending s. 409.1678, F.S.; deleting the term "sexually exploited child"; removing an obsolete date; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.1754, F.S.; requiring the department or sheriff's office to conduct multidisciplinary staffings for child victims; requiring a service plan for all victims of child commercial sexual exploitation; requiring the department or sheriff's office to follow up on all victims of child commercial sexual exploitation within a specified timeframe; amending s. 907.041, F.S.; adding human trafficking to the list of crimes requiring pretrial detention of the defendant; reenacting s. 790.065(2)(c), F.S., relating to the sale and delivery of firearms to incorporate the amendment made to s. 907.041, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senators Brandes and Perry—

CS for SB 854—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a task force on affordable housing; creating a task force on affordable housing; directing the task force to be assigned to the Florida Housing Finance Corporation for administrative purposes; directing the task force to convene no later than a specified date; providing membership requirements; directing the corporation to provide administrative and staff support services to the task force; requiring members of the task force to serve without compensation; providing members certain entitlements to reimbursement, subject to certain requirements; directing the task force to develop recommendations for the state's affordable housing needs, subject to certain requirements; directing the task force to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; terminating the task force by a specified date; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senators Brandes and Lee—

CS for SB 860—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Building Code; amending s. 468.603, F.S.; revising and defining terms; amending s. 468.609, F.S.; creating an internship path to certification as an inspector or plans examiner; specifying requirements for the in-

ternship periods; requiring the board to authorize specified candidates for certification as building code inspectors or plans examiners to perform duties during a specified period after initial application, to apply for a 1-year provisional certificate under certain circumstances, and to apply for standard certification within a certain time before completing the internship period; deleting being newly hired or promoted as a condition for eligibility to qualify for a provisional certificate; requiring rulemaking; requiring the board to develop a form to transfer internship periods completed in other jurisdictions under certain circumstances; requiring the board to develop an electronic application for standard certification for certain persons; authorizing persons to seek additional certifications if they meet certain requirements; conforming cross-references; amending s. 468.617, F.S.; specifying that a county or municipal government, school board, community college board, state university, or state agency is not prohibited from entering into a contract for the services of a building code administrator or building code official; amending s. 468.8313, F.S.; providing conditions for the department to review and approve certain examinations; amending s. 553.73, F.S.; requiring the Florida Building Commission to use the 6th and subsequent editions of the Florida Building Code as the foundation for the development of and updates to the code; requiring the commission to review, rather than update, the Florida Building Code every 3 years; deleting a provision that specifies how long amendments or modifications to the foundation remain effective; deleting provisions limiting the length of time that an amendment or modification is effective; deleting a provision requiring certain amendments or modifications to be carried forward into the next edition of the code, subject to certain conditions; deleting certain requirements for the resubmission of expired amendments; deleting a provision prohibiting a proposed amendment from being included in the foundation code if it has been addressed in the international code; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 553.76, F.S.; requiring the commission to adopt the Florida Building Code, and amendments thereto, by a minimum percentage of votes; amending s. 553.791, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "private provider"; conforming cross-references; amending ss. 471.045 and 481.222, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senator Stargel—

CS for SB 880—A bill to be entitled An act relating to government accountability; amending s. 11.40, F.S.; specifying that the Governor, the Commissioner of Education, or the designee of the Governor or of the commissioner may notify the Legislative Auditing Committee of an entity's failure to comply with certain auditing and financial reporting requirements; amending s. 11.45, F.S.; defining the terms "abuse," "fraud," and "waste"; revising the definition of the term "local governmental entity"; excluding water management districts from certain audit requirements; removing a cross-reference; authorizing the Auditor General to conduct audits of tourist development councils and county tourism promotion agencies; revising reporting requirements applicable to the Auditor General; amending s. 28.35, F.S.; revising reporting requirements applicable to the Florida Clerks of Court Operations Corporation; amending s. 43.16, F.S.; revising the responsibilities of the Justice Administrative Commission, each state attorney, each public defender, the criminal conflict and civil regional counsel, the capital collateral regional counsel, and the Guardian Ad Litem Program, to include the establishment and maintenance of certain internal controls; amending s. 112.061, F.S.; revising certain lodging rates for the purpose of reimbursement to specified employees; authorizing an employee to expend his or her funds for certain lodging expenses; amending ss. 129.03, 129.06, and 166.241, F.S.; requiring counties and municipalities to maintain certain budget documents on the entities' websites for a specified period; amending s. 215.86, F.S.; revising the purposes for which management systems and internal controls must be established and maintained by each state agency and the judicial branch; amending s. 215.97, F.S.; revising certain audit threshold requirements; amending s. 215.985, F.S.; revising the requirements for a monthly financial statement provided by a water management district; amending s. 218.32, F.S.; revising the requirements for the annual financial audit report of a local governmental entity; authorizing the Department of Financial Services to request additional information from a local governmental entity; requiring a local governmental entity to respond to such requests within a specified timeframe; requiring the department to notify the Legislative Auditing Committee of non-compliance; amending s. 218.33, F.S.; requiring local governmental

entities to establish and maintain internal controls to achieve specified purposes; amending s. 218.39, F.S.; requiring an audited entity to respond to audit recommendations under specified circumstances; amending s. 218.391, F.S.; revising the membership of the audit committee of certain governing bodies; prohibiting an audit committee member from being an employee, a chief executive officer, or a chief financial officer of the respective governmental entity; amending s. 286.0114, F.S.; prohibiting a board or commission from requiring an advance copy of testimony or comments from a member of the public as a precondition to being given the opportunity to be heard at a public meeting; amending s. 373.536, F.S.; deleting obsolete language; requiring water management districts to maintain certain budget documents on the districts' websites for a specified period; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; authorizing additional internal audits as directed by the district school board; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; revising the responsibilities of the governing board of a charter school to include the establishment and maintenance of internal controls; removing obsolete provisions; amending s. 1002.37, F.S.; requiring completion of an annual financial audit of the Florida Virtual School; specifying audit requirements; requiring an audit report to be submitted to the board of trustees of the Florida Virtual School and the Auditor General; deleting obsolete provisions; amending s. 1010.01, F.S.; requiring each school district, Florida College System institution, and state university to establish and maintain certain internal controls; amending s. 1010.30, F.S.; requiring a district school board, Florida College System institution board of trustees, or university board of trustees to respond to audit recommendations under certain circumstances; amending ss. 218.503 and 1002.455, F.S.; conforming provisions and cross-references to changes made by the act; declaring that the act fulfills an important state interest; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; and Senator Hutson—

CS for SB 884—A bill to be entitled An act relating to shark fins; creating s. 379.2426, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting persons from possessing separated shark fins except under certain conditions; providing penalties; prohibiting persons with suspended or revoked salt-water license privileges from engaging in certain activities; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Powell—

CS for SB 886—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 397.6760, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for petitions for involuntary assessment and stabilization, court orders, related records, and personal identifying information regarding substance abuse impaired persons; providing exceptions authorizing the release of such petitions, orders, records, and identifying information to certain persons and entities; providing applicability; prohibiting a clerk of court from publishing personal identifying information on a court docket or in a publicly accessible file; providing for retroactive application; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Stargel—

CS for SB 986—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Financial Services; amending s. 17.575, F.S.; replacing, within the Division of Treasury, the Treasury Investment Committee with the Treasury Investment Council; specifying the composition and term length of members; specifying duties of the council; providing that members shall serve without additional compensation or honorarium but may receive per diem and travel expense reimbursement; amending s. 215.422, F.S.; providing applicability of certain requirements relating to payments, warrants, and invoices to payments made in relation to certain agreements funded with federal or state assistance; reordering and amending s. 554.1021, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; amending s. 554.103, F.S.; requiring, rather than authorizing, the Department of Financial Services to adopt amendments and interpretations of a specified code into the State Boiler Code; revising requirements that installers, rather than owners, must comply with before installing a boiler that is placed in use after a specified date; author-

izing the department to adopt rules; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 554.104, F.S.; deleting a provision relating to boilers of special design which is recreated in s. 554.103, F.S.; requiring certification of boiler inspectors; requiring an application for a certification examination; specifying qualifications and requirements for the certification examination; requiring the department to adopt a specified training course; providing authorized methods and requirements for the training course; requiring the chief boiler inspector to issue a certificate of competency to a person meeting certain requirements; providing procedures for renewing a certificate; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 554.105, F.S.; renaming the chief inspector as the chief boiler inspector; revising requirements for the department through the state boiler inspection program; amending s. 554.106, F.S.; renaming deputy inspectors as deputy boiler inspectors; specifying required and authorized duties of deputy boiler inspectors; amending s. 554.107, F.S.; renaming special inspectors as special boiler inspectors; revising entities that may employ special boiler inspectors; specifying required inspection intervals for special boiler inspectors; amending s. 554.108, F.S.; providing an exemption, under certain conditions, from inspection requirements; specifying duties of an owner or an owner's designee to allow an inspector to conduct inspections; specifying requirements for boiler inspections and inspection reports; providing a penalty against an insurance carrier if certain followup inspections are not conducted; revising conditions that require a boiler to be shut down; revising requirements and procedures for a boiler that must be shut down; providing construction; authorizing the department to adopt rules; creating s. 554.1081, F.S.; revising requirements for boiler inspections by insurance companies and local governmental agencies; amending s. 554.109, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising boilers that are exempt from regulation under the chapter; revising requirements for certain exempt boilers and water heaters; amending s. 554.1101, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; requiring a boiler insurance company to notify, within a specified timeframe, the chief boiler inspector under certain circumstances; requiring a certificateholder to submit a certain certificate of insurance to the chief boiler inspector under certain circumstances; amending s. 554.111, F.S.; requiring an application for a boiler permit to include a specified fee; requiring the chief boiler inspector to deposit fines into a specified trust fund; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing ss. 554.112 and 554.113, F.S., relating to examinations, and certification of inspectors and renewals, respectively; amending s. 554.114, F.S.; revising prohibited acts; providing penalties for a boiler insurance company or authorized inspection agency that fails to conduct certain inspections; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 554.115, F.S.; adding authorized disciplinary actions for the department; adding specified grounds for disciplinary action against an owner of a boiler; revising grounds for disciplinary action against a boiler inspector; deleting a provision requiring a chief inspector to report certain persons to the state attorney; deleting a provision authorizing certain administrative action by the chief inspector; deleting a provision relating to the duration of a suspended certificate of compliance; creating s. 554.1151, F.S.; authorizing the department to impose specified administrative fines in lieu of or in addition to certain disciplinary actions; authorizing procedures for payment of fines by a certificateholder; requiring a certificate to be revoked under certain circumstances; creating s. 554.116, F.S.; requiring a boiler insurance company to annually file a specified report with the chief boiler inspector; requiring the department to adopt a form by rule; amending s. 624.307, F.S.; authorizing the department to expend funds for professional development of its employees; amending s. 626.015, F.S.; defining terms; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 626.207, F.S.; defining the term "applicant"; revising a list of felonies subject to a permanent bar from licensure; revising a condition for when certain disqualifying periods begin; conforming cross-references; providing an exception from a permanent bar on or disqualifying periods for cases of executive clemency; providing construction; amending s. 626.9954, F.S.; revising a list of felonies subject to a permanent bar from licensure; revising conditions for when certain disqualifying periods begin; conforming cross-references; providing an exception from a permanent bar on or disqualifying periods for cases of executive clemency; providing construction; amending s. 626.2815, F.S.; authorizing the department to approve a certain number of elective continuing education credits for certain insurance licensees; providing an exception from a certain continuing education requirement for such licensees; amending s. 626.611, F.S.; deleting a condition for the involvement of moral turpitude in felonies or certain crimes in relation to compulsory disciplinary actions by the department against certain entities' licenses or

appointments; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 626.621, F.S.; revising grounds for the department's discretionary refusal, suspension, or revocation of the license or appointment of certain persons; amending s. 626.7845, F.S.; revising an exception to the prohibition against the unlicensed transaction of life insurance; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 626.8305, F.S.; revising an exception to the prohibition against the unlicensed transaction of health insurance; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 626.861, F.S.; authorizing certain insurer employees to adjust specified claim losses or damage; amending s. 626.9543, F.S.; removing the scheduled expiration of a requirement for insurers to permit claims from a Holocaust victim or certain related persons irrespective of certain conditions; removing the scheduled expiration of an exception from statutes of limitations or laches for certain actions brought by Holocaust victims or certain related persons; amending s. 633.516, F.S.; authorizing the Division of State Fire Marshal within the division to contract for studies of, rather than to make a continuous study of, occupational diseases of firefighters; adding persons in other fire-related fields to such studies; authorizing the division to release confidential information of an individual firefighter or a person in another fire-related field to certain parties under certain circumstances; amending s. 768.28, F.S.; providing exceptions in tort claims against a county from requirements that a claimant present the written claim to the department within a specified timeframe and serve process upon the department; amending ss. 288.706, 626.7315, and 627.351, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senators Rouson and Thurston—

CS for SB 994—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending ss. 320.08056 and 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop certain specialty license plates; establishing an annual use fee for the plates; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of the plates; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; and Senator Grimsley—

CS for SB 1018—A bill to be entitled An act relating to contaminated site cleanup; amending s. 376.30713, F.S.; revising legislative findings; providing an exception to a requirement that an applicant for advanced cleanup demonstrate an ability to pay cost share; requiring that the Department of Environmental Protection determine whether specified requirements are acceptable under certain circumstances; providing that the application for the cleanup of individual redevelopment sites is not subject to certain application period limitations and cost-share provisions; specifying the application requirements for such sites; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; increasing the amount per year the department may use for advanced cleanup work; specifying expenditure limitations; amending s. 376.3078, F.S.; providing a statement of public interest; authorizing site assessments in advance of site priority ranking under certain circumstances; specifying criteria for sites to be eligible for such assessments; specifying what must be demonstrated through such assessments; specifying criteria for the assignment of assessment tasks; specifying funding limitations; specifying the prioritization of requests; amending s. 220.1845, F.S.; increasing the total amount of an authorization for tax credits; amending s. 376.30781, F.S.; increasing the total amount of tax credits the department is responsible for allocating; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senators Garcia and Campbell—

CS for SB 1044—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; defining the term "legal father" and redefining the term "parent"; amending s. 39.201, F.S.; providing that central abuse hotline information may be used for employment screening of residential group home caregivers; amending s. 39.301, F.S.; requiring a safety plan to be issued for a perpetrator of domestic violence only if the perpetrator can be located; specifying what constitutes reasonable efforts; requiring that a child new to a family under investigation be added to the investigation and assessed for safety; amending s. 39.302, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing that central abuse hotline

information may be used for certain employment screenings; amending s. 39.402, F.S.; requiring a court to inquire as to the identity and location of a child's legal father at the shelter hearing; specifying what types of information fall within the scope of such inquiry; amending s. 39.503, F.S.; requiring a court to conduct under oath the inquiry to determine the identity or location of an unknown parent; requiring a court to seek additional information relating to a legal father's identity in such inquiry; requiring the diligent search to determine a parent's or prospective parent's location to include a search of the Florida Putative Father Registry; authorizing the court to order scientific testing to determine parentage if certain conditions exist; amending s. 39.504, F.S.; requiring the same judge to hear a pending dependency proceeding and an injunction proceeding; providing that the court may enter an injunction based on specified evidence; amending s. 39.507, F.S.; requiring a court to consider maltreatment allegations against a parent in an evidentiary hearing relating to a dependency petition; amending s. 39.5085, F.S.; revising eligibility guidelines for the Relative Caregiver Program with respect to relative and nonrelative caregivers; amending s. 39.521, F.S.; providing new time guidelines for filing with the court and providing copies of case plans and family functioning assessments; providing for assessment and program compliance for a parent who caused harm to a child by exposing the child to a controlled substance; providing in-home safety plan requirements; providing requirements for family functioning assessments; providing supervision requirements after reunification; amending s. 39.522, F.S.; providing conditions for returning a child home with an in-home safety plan; amending s. 39.523, F.S.; providing legislative intent; requiring children placed in out-of-home care to be assessed to determine the most appropriate placement; requiring the placement assessments to be documented in the Florida Safe Families Network; requiring a court to review and approve placements; requiring the Department of Children and Families to report annually to the Governor and the Legislature on the number of children placed with relatives and the number placed in out-of-home care; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 39.6011, F.S.; providing requirements for confidential information in a case planning conference; providing restrictions; amending s. 39.6012, F.S.; providing for assessment and program compliance for a parent who caused harm to a child by exposing the child to a controlled substance; amending s. 39.6221, F.S.; providing that relocation requirements for parents in dissolution proceedings do not apply to permanent guardianships; amending s. 39.701, F.S.; providing safety assessment requirements for children coming into a home under court jurisdiction; granting rulemaking authority; amending s. 39.801, F.S.; providing an exception to the notice requirement regarding the advisory hearing for a petition to terminate parental rights; amending s. 39.803, F.S.; requiring a court to conduct under oath the inquiry to determine the identity or location of an unknown parent after the filing of a termination of parental rights petition; requiring a court to seek additional information relating to a legal father's identity in such inquiry; revising minimum requirements for the diligent search to determine the location of a parent or prospective parent; authorizing the court to order scientific testing to determine parentage if certain conditions exist; amending s. 39.806, F.S.; revising circumstances under which grounds for the termination of parental rights may be established; amending s. 39.811, F.S.; revising circumstances under which the rights of one parent may be terminated without terminating the rights of the other parent; amending s. 125.901, F.S.; creating an exception to the requirement that, for an independent special district in existence on a certain date and serving a population of a specified size, the governing body of the county submit the question of the district's retention or dissolution to the electorate in a specified general election; amending s. 322.051, F.S., providing a requirement for an identification card for certified unaccompanied or homeless youth; amending s. 395.3025, F.S.; revising requirements for access to patient records; amending s. 402.40, F.S.; defining the term "child welfare trainer"; providing rulemaking authority; amending s. 409.992, F.S.; limiting compensation from state-appropriated funds for administrative employees of community-based care agencies; amending s. 456.057, F.S.; revising requirements for access to patient records; repealing s. 409.141, F.S., relating to equitable reimbursement methodology; repealing s. 409.1677, F.S., relating to model comprehensive residential services programs; amending s. 743.067, F.S.; defining the term "certified unaccompanied homeless youth"; requiring the Office on Homelessness within the Department of

Children and Families to develop a standardized form to be used in the certification process; providing information that must be included in the form; authorizing a certified unaccompanied homeless youth to apply at no charge to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles for an identification card; conforming terminology; amending s. 1009.25, F.S.; revising fee exemption requirements related to homeless students; amending ss. 39.524, 394.495, 409.1678, and 960.065, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending ss. 409.1679 and 1002.3305, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting s. 483.181(2), F.S., relating to acceptance, collection, identification, and examination of specimens, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 456.057, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Bean—

CS for SB 1130—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the pregnancy support services; creating s. 381.96, F.S.; providing definitions; requiring the Department of Health to contract with a not-for-profit statewide alliance of organizations to provide pregnancy support services through subcontractors; providing duties of the department; providing contract requirements; requiring the contractor to spend a specified percentage of funds on direct client services; requiring the contractor to annually monitor subcontractors; providing for subcontractor background screenings under certain circumstances; specifying the entities eligible for a subcontract; requiring services to be provided in a noncoercive manner and forbidding the inclusion of religious content; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senators Hutson and Garcia—

CS for SB 1170—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Security for Public Deposits Act; amending s. 280.02, F.S.; redefining terms, which includes the addition of credit unions as qualified public depositories under the Florida Security for Public Deposits Act; creating s. 280.042, F.S.; specifying conditions that must be met before the Chief Financial Officer may designate a credit union as a qualified public depository; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to withdraw from a collateral agreement with a credit union under certain circumstances; providing construction and notice and public deposit return requirements after such withdrawal; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to limit, for a certain purpose, the amount of public deposits a credit union may hold; amending s. 280.07, F.S.; specifying the mutual responsibility and contingent liability of certain credit unions designated as qualified public depositories; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 280.08, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing that certain assessments by the Chief Financial Officer upon qualified public depositories are subject to certain segregation of contingent liability provisions; amending s. 280.09, F.S.; requiring the Chief Financial Officer, in administering the Public Deposits Trust Fund, to segregate and separately account for certain proceeds, assessments, or penalties attributable to a credit union from those attributable to a bank, savings bank, or savings association; providing that payment of losses is subject to such limitations; amending ss. 280.03, 280.05, 280.052, 280.053, 280.055, 280.085, 280.10, 280.13, and 280.17, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting ss. 17.57(7)(a); 24.114(1); 125.901(3)(e); 136.01; 159.608(11); 175.301; 175.401(8); 185.30; 185.50(8); 190.007(3); 191.006(16); 215.34(2); 218.415(16)(c), (17), and (23)(a); 255.502(4)(h); 331.309(1) and (2); 373.553(2); 631.221; and 723.06115(3)(c), F.S., relating to deposits and investments of state money; bank deposits and control of lottery transactions; children's services and independent special districts; county depositories; powers of housing finance authorities; depositories for pension funds; retiree health insurance subsidies; depositories for retirement funds; retiree health insurance subsidies; board of supervisors; general powers; state funds and noncollectible items; local government investment policies; definitions; treasurers, depositories, and a fiscal agent; a treasurer of the board, payment of funds, and depositories; deposit of moneys collected; and the Florida Mobile Home Relocation Trust Fund, respectively, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 280.02, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

The Governor advised that he had filed with the Secretary of State SB 280 which he approved on March 13, 2017.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

RETURNING MESSAGES — FINAL ACTION

The Honorable Joe Negron, President

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed SB 280.

Portia Palmer, Clerk

The bill contained in the foregoing message was ordered enrolled.

ENROLLING REPORTS

SB 280 has been enrolled, signed by the required constitutional officers, and presented to the Governor on March 10, 2017.

Debbie Brown, Secretary

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

The Journal of March 9 was corrected and approved.

CO-INTRODUCERS

Senators Artiles—CS for CS for SB 182, SB 1210; Baxley—SB 984, SB 1406; Bean—SB 876; Benacquisto—SB 662; Bracy—SB 1062; Brandes—SB 222; Broxson—CS for CS for SB 182; Campbell—CS for CS for SB 550, SB 7000; Farmer—SB 162, SB 186; Garcia—CS for SB 80, SB 984, SB 1170; Gibson—SB 410; Grimsley—SB 1536; Hutson—SB 1210; Lee—SB 860; Passidomo—SB 600; Perry—SB 188, SB 854; Powell—SB 442; Rouson—SB 458, SB 1334; Steube—SB 838, SB 1178; Stewart—CS for SB 90, SB 614; Thurston—SB 994

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Senator Benacquisto, the Senate adjourned at 2:30 p.m. for the purpose of holding committee meetings and conducting other Senate business to reconvene at 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, March 21 or upon call of the President.

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