## The Florida Senate

## **COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**

## APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Senator Galvano, Chair Senator Montford, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, April 2, 2014

**TIME:** 9:00 —11:00 a.m.

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

**MEMBERS:** Senator Galvano, Chair; Senator Montford, Vice Chair; Senators Abruzzo, Bean, Benacquisto,

Bullard, Detert, Hukill, Legg, Richter, Sachs, Simmons, and Thrasher

| TAB | BILL NO. and INTRODUCER                                  | BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS   | COMMITTEE ACTION            |
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| 1   | SB 514 Flores (Compare CS/H 313)                         | Gender-Specific School Pilot Project; Requiring the Department of Education to administer a pilot project in certain school districts in which an elementary school is designated as a Gender-Specific School; requiring school administrators and instructional personnel to participate in certain professional development; providing for funding for pilot project implementation, etc.  ED 03/18/2014 Favorable  | Fav/CS<br>Yeas 12 Nays 0    |
|     |  | AED 04/02/2014 Fav/CS<br>AP   |                             |
| 2   | CS/SB 530<br>Education / Flores<br>(Similar CS/CS/H 355) | Postsecondary Education Textbook and Instructional Materials Affordability; Requiring the State Board of Education and the Board of Governors to adopt textbook and instructional materials affordability policies, procedures, and guidelines; providing requirements for the use of adopted undergraduate textbooks and instructional materials and authorizing exceptions; requiring a public postsecondary institution to post in its course registration system and on its website information relating to required and recommended textbooks and instructional materials and prices thereof, etc.  ED 03/11/2014 Fav/CS AED 04/02/2014 Fav/CS | Fav/CS<br>Yeas 12 Nays 0    |
| 3   | SB 886<br>Montford<br>(Similar CS/H 337)                 | Florida Teachers Classroom Supply Assistance<br>Program; Revising procedures for distributing<br>program funds to classroom teachers, etc.  | Favorable<br>Yeas 12 Nays 0 |
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| 4   | CS/SB 950<br>Education / Stargel<br>(Compare CS/CS/H 433)   | Education; Authorizing a school district to assign to a school that has earned failing grades certain newly hired instructional personnel; revising the powers of a district school superintendent to include authorization to assign certain newly hired instructional personnel to a school that has earned failing grades based on the judgment of a school principal; deleting obsolete provisions relating to acceptable means of demonstrating mastery of professional development; revising certain requirements for the renewal or reinstatement of a professional certificate, etc.  ED 03/11/2014 Fav/CS AED 04/02/2014 Fav/CS                    | Fav/CS<br>Yeas 12 Nays 0 |
| 5   | CS/SB 1512<br>Education / Stargel<br>(Compare H 895, CS/H 5103,<br>CS/H 7117, H 7167, S 1446, CS/S<br>1642) | Students with Disabilities; Establishing the Florida Personalized Accounts for Learning; specifying criteria for students who are eligible to participate in the program; prohibiting specific providers, schools, institutions, school districts, and other entities from sharing, refunding, or rebating program funds; requiring a school district to notify the parent regarding the option to participate in the program; specifying the school district's responsibilities for completing a matrix of services and notifying the Department of Education of the completion of the matrix, etc.  ED 03/11/2014 Workshop-Discussed ED 03/18/2014 Fav/CS | Fav/CS<br>Yeas 11 Nays 1 |
|     | Other Related Meeting Documents   | AED 04/02/2014 Fav/CS<br>AP   |                          |