

**The Florida Senate**  
**COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**

**APPROPRIATIONS**  
**Senator Stargel, Chair**  
**Senator Bean, Vice Chair**

**MEETING DATE:** Thursday, March 11, 2021  
**TIME:** 11:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m.  
**PLACE:** Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

**MEMBERS:** Senator Stargel, Chair; Senator Bean, Vice Chair; Senators Albritton, Book, Bracy, Brandes, Broxson, Diaz, Farmer, Gainer, Gibson, Hooper, Hutson, Mayfield, Passidomo, Perry, Pizzo, Powell, Rouson, and Stewart

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PUBLIC TESTIMONY WILL BE RECEIVED FROM ROOM A3 AT THE DONALD L. TUCKER CIVIC CENTER, 505 W PENSACOLA STREET, TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301

**A proposed committee substitute** for the following bill (CS/SB 52) is available:

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| 1 | <b>CS/SB 52</b><br>Education / Rodrigues<br>(Similar H 281, Compare S 86) | Postsecondary Education; Clarifying fee exemptions for the Department of Children and Families; establishing the Dual Enrollment Scholarship Program; requiring students participating in dual enrollment programs to meet specified minimum eligibility requirements in order for institutions to receive reimbursements; authorizing university boards of trustees to implement a bonus scheme for state university system employees based on awards for work performance or employee recruitment and retention, etc.<br><br>ED 01/26/2021 Fav/CS<br>AED 02/09/2021 Fav/CS<br>AP 03/11/2021 Fav/CS | Fav/CS<br>Yeas 11 Nays 7 |
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With subcommittee recommendation - Education

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| 2 | <b>CS/SB 64</b><br>Environment and Natural Resources / Albritton<br>(Similar CS/H 263) | Reclaimed Water; Requiring certain domestic wastewater utilities to submit to the Department of Environmental Protection by a specified date a plan for eliminating nonbeneficial surface water discharge within a specified timeframe; requiring domestic wastewater utilities applying for permits for new or expanded surface water discharges to prepare a specified plan for eliminating nonbeneficial discharges as part of its permit application; providing that potable reuse is an alternative water supply and that projects relating to such reuse are eligible for alternative water supply funding; requiring counties, municipalities, and special districts to authorize graywater technologies under certain circumstances and to provide incentives for the implementation of such technologies, etc.<br><br>EN 02/01/2021 Fav/CS<br>CA 03/03/2021 Favorable<br>AP 03/11/2021 Favorable | Favorable<br>Yeas 18 Nays 0 |
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| 3   | <b>CS/SB 96</b><br>Children, Families, and Elder<br>Affairs / Book                               | Child Welfare; Transferring existing provisions relating to the central abuse hotline of the Department of Children and Families; providing criminal, civil, and administrative immunity to child protective investigators who report known or suspected animal cruelty; authorizing offices of criminal conflict and civil regional counsel to establish a multidisciplinary legal representation model program to serve parents of children in the dependency system; requiring the department to make available specified training for caregivers on the life skills necessary for children in out-of-home care; revising prohibitions relating to sexual conduct and sexual contact with an animal, etc.<br><br>CF 03/02/2021 Fav/CS<br>AP 03/11/2021 Favorable<br>RC | Favorable<br>Yeas 18 Nays 0 |
| 4   | <b>CS/SB 522</b><br>Regulated Industries / Diaz<br>(Similar CS/H 219, Compare H<br>1481, S 1988) | Vacation Rentals; Requiring advertising platforms to collect and remit taxes for certain transactions; preempting the regulation of vacation rentals to the state; preempting the regulation of advertising platforms to the state; requiring licenses issued by the Division of Hotels and Restaurants of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to be displayed conspicuously to the public inside the licensed establishment; requiring advertising platforms to adopt an antidiscrimination policy and to inform their users of the policy's provisions; authorizing the department to adopt emergency rules; providing requirements and an expiration for such rules, etc.<br><br>RI 02/16/2021 Fav/CS<br>AP 03/11/2021 Fav/CS<br>RC                 | Fav/CS<br>Yeas 13 Nays 5    |
| 5   | <b>SB 146</b><br>Brandes<br>(Compare CS/H 611)   | Civic Education; Requiring the Commissioner of Education to develop minimum criteria for a nonpartisan civic literacy practicum for high school students, beginning with a specified school year; authorizing students to apply the hours they devote to practicum activities to certain community service requirements; requiring school districts accept nonpartisan civic literacy practicum activities and hours in requirements for certain awards; requiring the State Board of Education to designate certain high schools as Freedom Schools, etc.<br><br>ED 02/03/2021 Favorable<br>AP 03/11/2021 Favorable  | Favorable<br>Yeas 17 Nays 0 |

**A proposed committee substitute** for the following bill (CS/SB 272) is available:

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| 6  | <b>CS/SB 272</b><br>Health Policy / Baxley<br>(Identical H 1373)      | Rare Disease Advisory Council; Creating the advisory council adjunct to the Department of Health; specifying the purpose of the advisory council; defining the term “rare disease”; prescribing duties and responsibilities of the advisory council, etc.<br><br>HP 02/04/2021 Fav/CS<br>AHS 03/03/2021 Fav/CS<br>AP 03/11/2021 Fav/CS   | Fav/CS<br>Yeas 18 Nays 0    |
| With subcommittee recommendation – Health and Human Services |   |  |                             |
| 7  | <b>SJR 340</b><br>Diaz<br>(Similar HJR 547)                           | Supermajority Vote Required to Enact a Single-payor Healthcare System; Proposing the creation of Section 22 of Article III of the State Constitution to provide that a single-payor health care system may not be enacted by the legislature except through legislation approved by two-thirds of the membership of each house of the legislature and presented to the Governor for approval, etc.<br><br>HP 02/04/2021 Favorable<br>AHS 03/03/2021 Favorable<br>AP 03/11/2021 Favorable<br>RC | Favorable<br>Yeas 11 Nays 6 |
| With subcommittee recommendation – Health and Human Services |   |  |                             |
| 8  | <b>CS/SB 348</b><br>Health Policy / Rodriguez<br>(Identical CS/H 461) | Medicaid; Revising the types of emergency transportation vehicle services provided to Medicare-eligible persons for which Medicaid shall pay deductibles and coinsurance; specifying that such payments must be made according to certain procedure codes, etc.<br><br>HP 02/04/2021 Fav/CS<br>AHS 03/03/2021 Favorable<br>AP 03/11/2021 Favorable   | Favorable<br>Yeas 18 Nays 0 |
| With subcommittee recommendation – Health and Human Services |   |  |                             |
| Other Related Meeting Documents                              |   |  |                             |