

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

APPROPRIATIONS
Senator Broxson, Chair
Senator Rouson, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, April 25, 2023
TIME: 10:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m.
PLACE: Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Broxson, Chair; Senator Rouson, Vice Chair; Senators Avila, Baxley, Book, Bradley, Brodeur, Burgess, Davis, Grall, Gruters, Harrell, Hooper, Ingoglia, Martin, Perry, Pizzo, Polsky, and Powell

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	CS/SB 366 Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security / Burgess (Similar CS/H 635)	Dental Services for Indigent Veterans; Establishing the Veterans Dental Care Grant Program within the Department of Veterans' Affairs; requiring the department to contract with a direct-support organization to administer the program; requiring the department to use a specified standard for determining indigency, etc. MS 03/29/2023 Fav/CS AHS 04/18/2023 Favorable AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0
2	CS/SB 430 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Powell (Similar CS/CS/CS/H 49)	Abandoned and Historic Cemeteries; Creating the Historic Cemeteries Program within the Division of Historical Resources of the Department of State; designating the State Historic Preservation Officer as the program's director and requiring him or her to hire employees, subject to legislative appropriation; creating the Historic Cemeteries Program Advisory Council within the division; revising the definition of the term "conservation easement" to include a right or interest in real property which is appropriate to retaining the structural integrity or physical appearance of certain cemeteries, etc. GO 03/15/2023 Fav/CS ATD 04/18/2023 Favorable AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
3	SB 676 Grall (Similar CS/H 249)	Background Screenings; Revising level 2 screening requirements; requiring the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse to allow the results of certain screenings after a date certain to be shared among specified agencies and qualified entities; revising requirements relating to background screenings for independent sanctioning authorities; revising requirements for the Criminal Justice Information Program relating to fingerprint searches; revising screening standard requirements for educator certification or employment in positions that require direct contact with certain students, etc. CJ 03/13/2023 Favorable ACJ 04/12/2023 Favorable AP 04/25/2023 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 19 Nays 0

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4	SB 734 Polsky (Identical H 1079)	Saltwater Intrusion Vulnerability Assessments; Authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to provide grants to coastal counties for saltwater intrusion vulnerability assessments; requiring the department to update the comprehensive statewide flood vulnerability and sea level rise data set and make certain information received from the saltwater intrusion vulnerability assessments available on its website; requiring the department to provide cost-share funding up to a specified amount for awarded grants, etc. EN 03/14/2023 Favorable AEG 04/18/2023 Favorable AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
5	CS/SB 838 Transportation / Collins (Compare CS/CS/CS/CS/H 709)	Proceeds Funding Motorcycle Safety Education; Requiring that the motorcycle safety education fee be used for a safety and education program administered by a certain not-for-profit corporation; providing requirements of the administrator of such program; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to enter into a certain contract for a specified purpose; specifying the requirements of the safety awareness and education programs; requiring the department to select an administrator and enter into a contract by a specified date, etc. TR 03/20/2023 Fav/CS ATD 04/18/2023 Favorable AP 04/25/2023 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 19 Nays 0
6	CS/SB 1070 Transportation / Hooper	License Taxes; Imposing specified additional annual license taxes on electric vehicles; imposing specified additional annual license tax on plug-in hybrid electric vehicles; authorizing persons and entities to biennially renew vehicle registrations for electric vehicles and plug-in hybrid electric vehicles; specifying requirements for the use of the proceeds by local governments; providing for future expiration, etc. TR 03/20/2023 Fav/CS ATD 04/18/2023 Favorable AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0

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7	CS/SB 1094 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Martin (Identical CS/H 621)	Death Benefits for Active Duty Servicemembers; Revising the amount and conditions of payment of death benefits; requiring that payment be made to the beneficiary through the process set out by the Department of Military Affairs; requiring the department to request the Chief Financial Officer to draw a warrant for payment of benefits from the General Revenue Fund, etc. GO 03/29/2023 Fav/CS ATD 04/18/2023 Favorable AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
8	CS/SB 1130 Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice / Hutson (Identical CS/H 977)	Clerks of Court; Revising the collections requirements of a clerk of court when a party petitions for a dissolution of marriage; revising the collections requirements of a clerk of court in probate matters; revising the collections requirements of a clerk of court in trial and appellate proceedings; revising the collections requirements of a clerk of court as it relates to fines, fees, service charges, and costs remitted to the state, etc. JU 03/29/2023 Favorable ACJ 04/18/2023 Fav/CS AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
9	CS/SB 1156 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Burton (Similar CS/CS/H 1121)	Florida Retirement System; Authorizing employers to establish post-employment volunteer programs to allow retirees to provide certain services during a specified timeframe; requiring such programs to meet specified criteria, etc. GO 03/22/2023 Fav/CS AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
10	SB 1272 Simon (Compare CS/H 1019)	Educational Grants; Providing education grants under the William L. Boyd, IV, Effective Access to Student Education Grant Program to certain students who were eligible as of a specified date to receive grants under the former Access to Better Learning and Education Grant Program; providing education grants to students at for-profit colleges or universities under certain conditions; providing that participation in the grant program does not subject institutions to certain licensure requirements or the jurisdiction of a specified organization, etc. HE 03/15/2023 Favorable AED 04/18/2023 Favorable AP 04/25/2023 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 19 Nays 0

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11	CS/CS/HB 1285 Appropriations Committee / State Affairs Committee / Giallombardo (Compare H 5001, S 2500)	Florida State Guard; Revises provisions relating to FSG creation & authorization; provides number of volunteer personnel; establishes Division of State Guard within DMA; provides head of division is director appointed by Governor; removes provisions establishing authority of department & Adjutant General with respect to FSG; provides additional duties of division & director; revises qualifications for FSG applicants; requires specialized unit within FSG; revises criteria for FSG activation; repeals provisions relating to Florida State Defense Force. AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 6
12	HB 5101 PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee / Tomkow (Compare CS/CS/CS/CS/H 1, H 5001, CS/CS/S 202, S 244, CS/S 1430, S 2500)	Education; Revises provisions relating to Just Read, Florida! Office, K-12 funding & FEFP, developmental research schools, FLVS, charter schools, & Family Empowerment Scholarship Program; & creates heroes in classroom sign-on bonus. AP 04/25/2023 Fav/1 Amendment	Fav/1 Amendment (Yeas 19 Nays 0
13	HB 5303 Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee / Garrison (Compare H 5001, S 2500)	Biomedical Research; Expands uses of Biomedical Research Trust Fund; authorizes specified amount from total appropriated funds for the Casey DeSantis Cancer Research Program to be distributed to participating cancer centers; requires report for specified statewide cancer statistics to include breast cancer; removes award of endowment for specified program. AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 17 Nays 0
14	SB 7046 Regulated Industries (Identical H 1091)	Licensing Fee Relief; Requiring the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to waive a portion of the initial license application fee and the renewal fee for certain licenses; providing a maximum waiver; providing for expiration; providing an appropriation; providing for the disposition of any unexpended balance etc. AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 17 Nays 0
15	SB 7058 Finance and Tax (Compare H 7063)	Internal Revenue Code; Revising the date of adoption of the Internal Revenue Code and other federal income tax statutes for purposes of the state corporate income tax; providing retroactive operation, etc. AP 04/25/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0

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16	SB 7062 Finance and Tax (Compare H 29, H 101, CS/H 475, H 499, H 529, CS/H 731, H 867, H 1153, CS/CS/CS/H 1343, H 7063, H 7071, S 114, S 184, CS/S 288, S 322, CS/S 358, CS/S 672, CS/CS/S 698, S 844, S 1052, CS/CS/S 1184, CS/S 1432, S 1706)	Taxation; Requiring that a referendum to reenact an expiring tourist development tax or tourist impact tax, respectively, be held at a general election; specifying that certain permanently and totally disabled veterans or their surviving spouses are entitled to, rather than may receive, a prorated refund of ad valorem taxes paid under certain circumstances; revising requirements for applying for property tax refunds due to catastrophic events; providing a sales tax exemption for the purchase of certain machinery and equipment relating to renewable natural gas; exempting from sales and use tax the retail sale of certain clothing, wallets, bags, school supplies, learning aids and jigsaw puzzles, and personal computers and personal computer-related accessories during specified timeframes; defining terms; exempting from sales and use tax specified disaster preparedness supplies during a specified timeframe, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 17 Nays 0
		AP 04/25/2023 Fav/CS	

Other Related Meeting Documents