

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

BANKING AND INSURANCE

Senator Gruters, Chair
Senator Sharief, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, February 4, 2026

TIME: 10:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Gruters, Chair; Senator Sharief, Vice Chair; Senators Boyd, Burton, Hooper, Martin, Osgood, Passidomo, Pizzo, and Truenow

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 158 Jones (Identical H 983)	Pet Insurance; Requiring licensees who sell pet insurance to complete specified continuing education; revising requirements for disclosures from a pet insurer to a policyholder; requiring pet insurers to file annually a specified report with the Office of Insurance Regulation, etc. BI 02/04/2026 Fav/CS AEG RC	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0
2	SB 314 Burton (Identical H 175)	Issuers of Digital Assets; Providing requirements for persons to qualify as recognized payment stablecoin issuers; providing that recognized payment stablecoin issuers are not required to obtain specified separate licenses or registrations for certain purposes; providing that the Office of Financial Regulation of the Financial Services Commission has jurisdiction to determine certain compliance, etc. BI 02/04/2026 Fav/CS AEG RC	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0
3	SB 618 Truenow (Identical H 1243)	Workers' Compensation Insurance; Specifying that an insurer may use excess rates only under certain circumstances; revising the composition of the board of directors of the Florida Workers' Compensation Insurance Guaranty Association, etc. BI 02/04/2026 Fav/CS AEG FP	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0
4	SB 684 McClain (Similar CS/H 961)	Electronic Signatures Associated with Total Loss Vehicles and Vessels; Requiring insurance companies to implement certain control processes and procedures for certain electronic signatures; deleting a requirement that electronic signatures on odometer disclosures submitted through insurance companies be executed in a specified manner, etc. TR 01/20/2026 Favorable BI 02/04/2026 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0

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5	CS/SB 838 Commerce and Tourism / Yarborough (Similar H 959)	Electronic Payments of Retail Installment Contracts; Defining the term “electronic payment”; authorizing a holder of a retail installment contract, or its agent, to collect a fee for processing a retail buyer’s electronic payment only if certain conditions are met, etc. CM 01/13/2026 Fav/CS BI 02/04/2026 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
6	SB 990 Leek (Identical H 883)	Protected Cell Captive Insurance Companies; Specifying that a protected cell captive insurance company may only insure certain risks; revising the unimpaired paid-in capital requirements for captive insurance companies; authorizing one or more sponsors to form a protected cell captive insurance company; requiring applicant protected cell captive insurance companies to file certain information with the Office of Insurance Regulation; authorizing protected cell captive insurance companies to establish and maintain certain protected cells, subject to certain approvals granted by the office, etc. BI 02/04/2026 Favorable AEG RC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
7	SB 1000 Grall (Identical H 893)	Trust Fund Interest for Purposes Approved by the Supreme Court; Authorizing financial institutions to hold funds in specified trust accounts used for specified purposes expressly authorized by Supreme Court rule; requiring certain entities to use interest and dividends for specified purposes; requiring certain financial institutions to pay specified interest or dividends, etc. JU 01/27/2026 Favorable BI 02/04/2026 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
8	CS/SB 1082 Health Policy / Grall (Similar H 1449)	Statewide Provider and Health Plan Claim Dispute Resolution Program; Specifying additional circumstances under which a disputed claim is not subject to review under the statewide provider and health plan claim dispute resolution program, etc. HP 01/26/2026 Fav/CS BI 02/04/2026 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0

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9	SB 1452 Truenow (Identical H 1221)	Department of Financial Services; Revising the Chief Financial Officer's rulemaking authority; revising eligibility requirements for a hurricane mitigation inspection under the My Safe Florida Home Program; authorizing the department to determine what property insurance coverage is necessary; revising the timeframe in which health care providers must petition the department to resolve utilization and reimbursement disputes; revising the timelines and conditions under which stock, other equity interests, or debt of a business association is considered abandoned, etc. BI 02/04/2026 Fav/CS AEG RC	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0
10	SB 1494 Davis (Compare H 137)	Insurance Coverage for Breast Cancer Screening; Requiring that certain health insurance policies issued, amended, delivered, or renewed on or after a specified date provide specified minimum coverage for breast cancer screening and diagnosis; requiring that certain health insurance policies issued, amended, delivered, or renewed on or after a specified date provide specified minimum coverage for breast cancer screening and diagnosis; requiring that certain health benefit plans issued on or after a specified date provide specified minimum coverage for breast cancer screening and diagnosis; requiring that certain health maintenance contracts issued or renewed on or after a specified date provide specified minimum coverage for breast cancer screening and diagnosis, etc. BI 02/04/2026 Favorable AEG AP	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
11	SB 1500 Bradley (Similar CS/H 1337)	Estates; Revising the issues a court may resolve for a personal representative; requiring the court to award taxable costs and attorney fees in certain proceedings; authorizing the court to direct such payment from certain persons; revising when summary administration proceedings may commence for either a resident or nonresident decedent's estate; revising the sum for funds certain financial institutions may make payable to a decedent's family member, etc. JU 01/27/2026 Favorable BI 02/04/2026 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0

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12	SB 1568 DiCeglie (Similar H 1415)	Florida Stablecoin Pilot Program; Establishing the Florida Stablecoin Pilot Program within the Department of Financial Services; authorizing the department to accept eligible payment stablecoins for the payment of certain fees; authorizing the department to send eligible payment stablecoins for refunds, reimbursements, or other disbursements to participants who elect to receive such payments in the form of eligible payment stablecoins; authorizing the department to accept, hold, or create eligible payment stablecoins for use in the pilot program, etc. BI 02/04/2026 Fav/CS AEG RC	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0
13	SB 1706 Pizzo (Similar CS/H 1497)	My Safe Florida Condominium Pilot Program; Revising eligibility requirements for participation in the My Safe Florida Condominium Pilot Program; requiring the Department of Financial Services to adopt rules to verify household income; specifying that condominium property with mixed-income occupancies is eligible to participate in the pilot program under certain circumstances; limiting the award of grant funds, etc. BI 02/04/2026 Favorable RI AP	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
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