

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

COMMERCE AND TOURISM
Senator Detert, Chair
Senator Thompson, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 10, 2015

TIME: 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Office Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Detert, Chair; Senator Thompson, Vice Chair; Senators Bean, Latvala, Richter, and Ring

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 684 Grimsley (Similar H 755)	Convenience Businesses; Revising the term "convenience business"; removing the requirement that a curriculum be submitted for reapproval biennially with a specified administrative fee; removing a requirement that specified curriculum be subject to reapproval 2 years from initial approval and biennially thereafter, etc. CM 03/10/2015 Favorable ACJ FP	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
2	SB 726 Ring (Identical H 793)	Consumer Protection; Requiring retail sales establishments that sell goods to the public to grant a refund within a specified period of time for goods costing more than a specified amount if returned by a consumer who has been adjudicated incapacitated or has documentation from a physician of a certain medical condition, or by a representative of the consumer, if specified requirements are satisfied; requiring restitution and providing penalties for a violation of the requirements, etc. CM 03/10/2015 Fav/CS AGG FP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
3	SB 1046 Detert (Compare H 451)	Entertainment Industry; Revising the sources of moneys to be credited to the State Economic Enhancement and Development Trust Fund to include repayments to the entertainment industry quick action fund created by the act; creating the Entertainment Industry Quick Action Account within the State Economic Enhancement and Development Trust Fund; renaming the Office of Film and Entertainment within the Department of Economic Opportunity as the Division of Film and Entertainment within Enterprise Florida, Inc.; revising provisions relating to the application process, tax credit eligibility, transfer of tax credits, election and distribution of tax credits, allocation of tax credits, forfeiture of tax credits, and annual report, etc. CM 03/10/2015 Favorable ATD AP	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

Commerce and Tourism

Tuesday, March 10, 2015, 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
4	SB 1214 Latvala (Compare H 7067)	Economic Development; Requiring the Office of Economic and Demographic Research and the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to provide a detailed analysis of the retention of Major League Baseball spring training baseball franchises; requiring a project that requires funding that falls into a specified range to be approved by the Legislative Budget Commission before final approval by the Governor; revising the requirements for projects eligible for receipt of funds from the Quick Action Closing Fund, etc. CM 03/10/2015 Favorable ATD AP	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
5	SB 1246 Detert	Individuals with Disabilities; Requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity, in consultation with other organizations, to create the Florida Unique Abilities Partner program; requiring the department, in consultation with the disability community, to develop a logo for business entities designated as Florida Unique Abilities Program Partners; prohibiting the use of a logo if a business entity does not have a current designation; requiring the department to maintain a website with specified information; requiring the department to identify employment opportunities posted by employers that receive the Florida Unique Abilities Partner designation on the workforce information system, etc. CM 03/10/2015 Fav/CS ATD FP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0

Other Related Meeting Documents