

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

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

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, February 16, 2016
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, Hutson, Latvala, Richter, and Ring

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 556 Altman (Compare CS/H 371)	Florida Commission on Poverty; Creating the commission within the Department of Economic Opportunity; specifying the membership of the commission and the duration of members' terms; authorizing reimbursement for per diem and travel expenses; prescribing the powers and duties of the commission; requiring the commission to annually submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature, etc. CM 02/16/2016 Favorable ATD FP	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
2	SB 612 Hays (Identical H 4009)	Slungshot; Revising the definition of the term "concealed weapon" to delete its inclusion of a slungshot; deleting provisions prohibiting the manufacture or sale of any instrument or weapon usually known as a slungshot; deleting a provision prohibiting a dealer in arms from selling or transferring a slungshot to a minor, etc. CJ 02/01/2016 Favorable CM 02/16/2016 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
3	CS/SB 938 Health Policy / Benacquisto (Similar CS/CS/H 691)	Retail Sale of Dextromethorphan; Prohibiting a manufacturer, distributor, or retailer, or its employees and representatives, from knowingly or willfully selling a finished drug product containing dextromethorphan to a person younger than 18 years of age; prohibiting a person 18 years of age or younger from purchasing a finished drug product containing dextromethorphan, etc. HP 01/19/2016 Fav/CS CM 02/16/2016 Fav/CS FP	Fav/CS Yeas 4 Nays 1

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4	CS/SB 1036 Banking and Insurance / Brandes (Similar CS/H 659)	Automobile Insurance; Authorizing the Florida Automobile Joint Underwriting Association and a joint underwriting plan approved by the Office of Insurance Regulation to cancel personal lines or commercial policies within a specified time for nonpayment of premium due to certain reasons; authorizing an insurer to opt out of the preinsurance inspection of private passenger motor vehicles and to establish its own preinsurance inspection program if it files a certain manual rule with the office, etc. BI 01/26/2016 Fav/CS CM 02/16/2016 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
5	SB 1216 Stargel (Similar CS/H 1017)	Reemployment Assistance Fraud; Citing this act as the "Department of Economic Opportunity Cybercrime Prevention Act"; authorizing the Department of Economic Opportunity to employ law enforcement officers to investigate violations of ch. 443, F.S.; providing for disqualification from eligibility for reemployment benefits for a specified period of time determined by the number of incidents of false or fraudulent representation and date of repayment of certain overpayments, etc. CM 02/16/2016 Fav/CS ATD AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
6	SM 600 Thompson (Identical HM 333, Compare CS/HM 69, SM 568)	Recognition of Haitian Independence Day, Haitian Flag Day, and Haitian Heritage Month; Urging Congress to annually recognize January 1 as "Haitian Independence Day," May 18 as "Haitian Flag Day," and the month of May as "Haitian Heritage Month", etc. CM 02/16/2016 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
7	CS/SB 1156 Community Affairs / Hutson (Similar CS/H 971)	Community Development Districts; Increasing minimum and maximum size requirements for the establishment of community development districts under certain circumstances; revising requirements related to the process of amending community development district boundaries; authorizing up to a certain number of districts to merge into one surviving district, subject to certain requirements, etc. CA 01/19/2016 Fav/CS CM 02/16/2016 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0

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TAB	OFFICE and APPOINTMENT (HOME CITY)	FOR TERM ENDING	COMMITTEE ACTION
Senate Confirmation Hearing: A public hearing will be held for consideration of the below-named executive appointment to the office indicated.			
Executive Director, Department of Economic Opportunity			
8	Proctor, Theresa "Cissy" (Tallahassee)	Pleasure of Governor	Recommend Confirm Yeas 7 Nays 0

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