

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

ENVIRONMENTAL PRESERVATION AND CONSERVATION

Senator Dean, Chair
 Senator Abruzzo, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, April 9, 2013

TIME: 4:00 —6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Office Building

MEMBERS: Senator Dean, Chair; Senator Abruzzo, Vice Chair; Senators Altman, Bullard, Gardiner, Grimsley, Latvala, Simpson, and Soto

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.			
Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission			
1	Bergeron, Ronald M. (Weston)	08/01/2017	Recommend Confirm Yeas 6 Nays 0
2	Rivard, Adrien A. III (Panama City Beach)	08/01/2017	Recommend Confirm Yeas 6 Nays 0
3	Corbett, Richard A. (Tampa)	01/06/2018	Recommend Confirm Yeas 6 Nays 0
Governing Board of the Southwest Florida Water Management District			
4	Beswick, Bryan K. (Arcadia)	03/01/2016	Recommend Confirm Yeas 6 Nays 0

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
5	SB 320 Evers (Identical H 4001)	Florida Renewable Fuel Standard Act; Repealing the Florida Renewable Fuel Standard Act, to remove the requirement that all gasoline offered for sale in this state include a percentage of ethanol, subject to specified exemptions, waivers, suspensions, extensions, enforcement, and reporting, etc. CU 04/01/2013 Favorable EP 04/09/2013 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
6	SB 466 Altman (Compare CS/H 33)	State Lands; Authorizing individuals and corporations to submit requests to the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund to exchange state-owned land for conservation easements over privately held land; providing criteria for consideration of such requests; encouraging certain operations on such lands, etc. EP 04/09/2013 Temporarily Postponed AGG AP	Temporarily Postponed

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7	SB 958 Richter (Similar CS/H 1083, Compare CS/H 1085, Link S 984)	Underground Natural Gas Storage; Declaring underground natural gas storage to be in the public interest; providing for the notice and permitting of storage in and recovery from natural gas storage reservoirs; granting authority to the Department of Environmental Protection to issue permits to establish natural gas storage facilities; providing that the department may consider the need for the operation as a unit for the storage of natural gas; providing for legal action against a person who appears to be violating a rule that relates to the storage or recovery of natural gas, etc. EP 04/09/2013 Fav/CS CU JU	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
8	SB 984 Richter (Similar CS/H 1085, Compare CS/H 1083, Link S 958)	Public Records/Natural Gas Storage Facility Permit; Creating an exemption from public records requirements for certain information provided in an application for a natural gas storage facility permit to inject and recover gas into and from a natural gas storage reservoir; providing for future review and repeal of the public records exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. EP 04/09/2013 Fav/CS GO RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
9	SB 1028 Clemens (Compare CS/CS/H 743, CS/H 745, Link S 1776)	Fracturing Chemical Usage Disclosure Act; Directing the Division of Resource Management of the Department of Environmental Protection to establish an online hydraulic fracturing chemical registry; requiring owners and operators of wells on which a hydraulic fracturing treatment is performed to disclose certain information; requiring certain service companies and suppliers to disclose certain information; providing exceptions, etc. EP 04/09/2013 Fav/CS CA RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

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10	CS/SB 1104 Transportation / Brandes (Compare H 7127)	Environment; Providing an exclusion from provisions that require all plant materials for highway landscaping be purchased from Florida commercial nursery stock in this state on a uniform competitive bid basis if prohibited by federal law or regulation; revising the criteria of the environmental impact inventory; revising the process and criteria for the payment by the Department of Transportation or participating transportation authorities of mitigation implemented by water management districts or the Department of Environmental Protection, etc. TR 03/21/2013 Fav/CS EP 04/09/2013 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
11	CS/SB 1160 Health Policy / Bullard (Similar CS/CS/CS/H 375)	Onsite Sewage Treatment and Disposal Systems; Extending the expiration date of building permits and permits issued by the Department of Environmental Protection or by a water management district; authorizing the department to approve and permit a property owner of an owner-occupied, single-family residence as a maintenance entity for the property owner's own aerobic treatment unit system under certain circumstances; prohibiting a septic tank contractor from being denied access by the manufacturer to aerobic treatment unit system training or spare parts for maintenance entities, etc. HP 03/20/2013 Fav/CS CA 04/02/2013 Favorable EP 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
12	CS/SB 1594 Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities / Bradley (Similar CS/H 1357)	Guaranteed Energy, Water, and Wastewater Performance Savings Contracting Act; Revising the terms "agency," "energy, water, and wastewater efficiency and conservation measure," and "energy, water, or wastewater cost savings"; providing that a contract may provide for repayments to a lender of an installation construction loan in installments for a period not to exceed 20 years; authorizing certain facility alterations to be included in a performance contract and to be supervised by the performance savings contractor; requiring that a proposed contract include an investment-grade audit certified by the Department of Management Services which states that the cost savings are appropriate and sufficient for the term of the contract, etc. CU 04/01/2013 Fav/CS EP 04/09/2013 Fav/CS CA	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0

Consideration of proposed committee bill:

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13	SPB 7154	Ratification of Rules Implementing Total Maximum Daily Loads for Impaired Water Bodies; Ratifying specified rules of the Department of Environmental Protection for the sole and exclusive purpose of satisfying any condition on effectiveness pursuant to s. 120.541(3), F.S., which requires ratification of any rule meeting any of the specified thresholds for likely adverse impact or increase in regulatory costs, etc.	Submitted as Committee Bill Yeas 7 Nays 0
14	Other related meeting documents		