

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

FISCAL POLICY
Senator Flores, Chair
Senator Bradley, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Thursday, March 19, 2015
TIME: 1:00 —3:00 p.m.
PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Flores, Chair; Senator Bradley, Vice Chair; Senators Abruzzo, Bean, Clemens, Hays, Hukill, Legg, Margolis, Sachs, and Stargel

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	CS/SB 152 Education Pre-K - 12 / Ring (Similar H 123)	Disability Awareness; Requiring, rather than authorizing, each district school board to provide disability history and awareness instruction in all K-12 public schools beginning in a specified school year; requiring each public school to establish a disability history and awareness advisory council, etc. ED 02/18/2015 Fav/CS AED 03/04/2015 Favorable FP 03/19/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
With subcommittee recommendation - Education Appropriations			
2	SB 160 Evers (Similar H 409)	Rural Letter Carriers; Exempting a rural letter carrier of the United States Postal Service from safety belt usage requirements while performing his or her duties on a designated postal route, etc. TR 02/05/2015 Favorable ATD 03/04/2015 Favorable FP 03/19/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
With subcommittee recommendation - Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations			
3	CS/CS/SB 296 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Health Policy / Garcia (Similar CS/H 43)	Diabetes Advisory Council; Requiring the council, in conjunction with the Department of Health, the Agency for Health Care Administration, and the Department of Management Services, to develop plans to manage, treat, and prevent diabetes; requiring a report to the Governor and Legislature; specifying the contents of the report; adjusting the representation of certain areas of specialization or institutions in the membership of the council; adding an organization from which a representative may be selected to serve as a council member, etc. HP 02/17/2015 Fav/CS GO 03/04/2015 Fav/CS AHS 03/11/2015 Favorable FP 03/19/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
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4	SB 408 Simmons (Identical H 365)	Designated Areas for Skateboarding, Inline Skating, Paintball, or Freestyle or Mountain and Off-roading Bicycling; Deleting the requirement that a governmental entity that provides a designated area for skateboarding, inline skating, or freestyle bicycling obtain the written consent of the parent or legal guardian of a child under a certain age before allowing the child to participate in these activities in such area; requiring the governmental entity to post a rule indicating that consent forms are required for children under a certain age before participation in paintball or mountain and off-road bicycling, etc. JU 02/17/2015 Favorable CA 03/04/2015 Favorable FP 03/19/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
5	SB 522 Brandes (Identical H 4007)	Division of Bond Finance; Deleting a requirement that the division issue a regular newsletter to certain parties which addresses local and state bonds, etc. GO 02/17/2015 Favorable BI 03/04/2015 Favorable FP 03/19/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
6	CS/SB 620 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Richter (Similar H 7007)	Emergency Management; Exempting certain employees from specified travel expense provisions when traveling under the Emergency Management Assistance Compact under certain circumstances, etc. MS 03/04/2015 Favorable GO 03/10/2015 Fav/CS FP 03/19/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
A proposed committee substitute for the following bill (SB 206) is available:			
7	SB 206 Hukill (Similar H 7085)	Financial Literacy Program for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities; Establishing the program within the Department of Financial Services; requiring the program to provide information and other offerings on specified issues to individuals with developmental disabilities and employers in this state; requiring a qualified public depository to participate in the program, etc. BI 01/21/2015 Favorable AGG 02/18/2015 Fav/CS FP 03/19/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

With subcommittee recommendation - General Government Appropriations

A proposed committee substitute for the following bill (SB 7022) is available:

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8	SB 7022 Governmental Oversight and Accountability	Individuals With Disabilities; Revising definitions and defining the term "individual who has a disability"; revising the state's equal employment opportunity policy to include individuals who have a disability; requiring each executive agency to annually report to the Department of Management Services regarding the agency's progress in increasing employment among certain underrepresented groups; requiring the department to develop and implement certain programs geared toward individuals who have a disability, etc. AGG 03/04/2015 Fav/CS FP 03/19/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0

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