

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

FISCAL POLICY
Senator Flores, Chair
Senator Bradley, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Thursday, April 9, 2015
TIME: 9:00 —11:00 a.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/CS/SB 112 Transportation / Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security / Hays (Similar CS/CS/H 329)	Special License Plates; Authorizing the department to issue Woman Veteran, World War II Veteran, Navy Submariner, Combat Action Ribbon, Air Force Combat Action Medal, and Distinguished Flying Cross license plates; specifying qualifications and requirements for the plates; requiring that any revenue generated from the sale of Woman Veteran license plates be deposited into the Operations and Maintenance Trust Fund to be used for certain purposes, etc. MS 01/21/2015 Fav/CS TR 03/19/2015 Fav/CS ATD 04/02/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
With subcommittee recommendation - Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development Appropriations			
2	CS/SB 338 Regulated Industries / Altman (Similar CS/CS/H 217)	Engineers; Prohibiting a person who is not licensed as an engineer or a structural engineer from using specified names and titles or practicing engineering or structural engineering; exempting certain persons from the licensing requirements; providing licensure and application requirements for a structural engineer license; providing various acts which constitute grounds for disciplinary action against a structural engineer, to which penalties apply, etc. RI 03/11/2015 Fav/CS AGG 04/02/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
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3	SB 558 Stargel (Identical CS/H 401)	Public Lodging and Public Food Service Establishments; Revising the frequency at which the Division of Hotels and Restaurants of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation must reassess the inspection frequency of public food service establishments; authorizing the division to deliver lodging inspection reports and food service inspection reports by electronic means; requiring an operator of a public food service establishment to make available a copy of the latest food service inspection report at the time of a division inspection, etc. RI 03/04/2015 Favorable AGG 03/17/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
With subcommittee recommendation - General Government Appropriations			
4	CS/SB 568 Banking and Insurance / Richter (Similar CS/H 825)	Family Trust Companies; Revising the purposes of the Family Trust Company Act; specifying the applicability of other chapters of the financial institutions codes to family trust companies; revising the requirements for investigations of license applicants by the Office of Financial Regulation; deleting a provision that authorizes the office to immediately revoke the license of a licensed family trust company under certain circumstances; authorizing a family trust company to have its terminated registration or revoked license reinstated under certain circumstances, etc. BI 03/04/2015 Fav/CS JU 03/31/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
5	CS/CS/SB 596 Commerce and Tourism / Regulated Industries / Hays (Similar CS/CS/H 263)	Craft Distilleries; Defining the term "branded product"; revising the current limitation on the number of containers that may be sold to consumers by craft distilleries; applying such limitation to individual containers for each branded product; prohibiting a craft distillery from shipping or arranging to ship any of its distilled spirits to consumers; requiring the Department of Transportation to install directional signs at specified locations in accordance with Florida's Highway Guide Sign Program upon the request of a craft distillery licensed in this state, etc. RI 03/11/2015 Fav/CS CM 03/30/2015 Fav/CS FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 1

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6	CS/SB 640 Health Policy / Detert (Similar CS/H 243)	Vital Statistics; Authorizing the Department of Health to produce and maintain paper death certificates and fetal death certificates and issue burial-transit permits; requiring electronic filing of death and fetal death certificates with the department or local registrar on a prescribed form; authorizing the department, rather than the local registrar, to grant an extension of time for providing certain information regarding a death or a fetal death; requiring the department to electronically notify the United States Social Security Administration of deaths in the state, etc. HP 03/10/2015 Fav/CS AHS 04/02/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
With subcommittee recommendation - Health and Human Services Appropriations			
7	CS/CS/SB 668 Finance and Tax / Community Affairs / Latvala (Similar CS/CS/H 209)	Emergency Fire Rescue Services and Facilities Surtax; Deleting a provision requiring the county governing authority to develop and execute interlocal agreements with local government entities providing emergency fire and rescue services; requiring a local government entity requesting and receiving certain personnel or equipment from another service provider to pay for such personnel or equipment from its share of surtax proceeds; deleting a provision requiring local government entities to enter into an interlocal agreement in order to receive surtax proceeds, etc. CA 03/04/2015 Fav/CS FT 03/30/2015 Fav/CS FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
8	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 04/02/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
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9	CS/SB 738 Health Policy / Grimsley (Similar CS/CS/H 655)	Clinical Laboratories; Adding a consultant pharmacist or doctor of pharmacy licensed under chapter 465, F.S., to the definition of licensed practitioner; requiring clinical laboratories to make their services available to specified licensed practitioners; prohibiting such a clinical laboratory from charging different prices for its services based upon the chapter under which a practitioner is licensed, etc. HP 03/23/2015 Fav/CS FP 04/09/2015 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
10	CS/SB 746 Criminal Justice / Lee (Similar CS/H 201)	Diabetes Awareness Training for Law Enforcement Officers; Citing this act as the "Arthur Green, Jr., Act"; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to establish an online continued employment training component relating to diabetic emergencies, etc. CJ 03/16/2015 Fav/CS ACJ 04/02/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
With subcommittee recommendation - Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations			
11	CS/SB 760 Health Policy / Bradley (Compare CS/CS/H 1055)	Child Protection; Requiring the Statewide Medical Director for Child Protection and the district medical directors to hold certain qualifications; authorizing a physician with an expert witness certificate to provide expert testimony in a criminal child abuse case, etc. CF 03/05/2015 Favorable HP 03/23/2015 Fav/CS FP 04/09/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
12	CS/SB 904 Health Policy / Bean (Similar CS/CS/H 1039)	Home Health Services; Allowing home health agencies to operate related offices inside of the main office's geographic service area without an additional license; providing for the licensure of more than one nurse registry operational site within the same geographic service area; authorizing a licensed nurse registry to operate a satellite office; requiring a nurse registry operational site to keep all original records; requiring a nurse registry to provide notice and certain evidence before it relocates an operational site or opens a satellite office, etc. HP 03/17/2015 Fav/CS AHS 04/02/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
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13	SB 954 Garcia (Similar H 291)	Involuntary Examinations of Minors; Requiring school health services plans to include notification requirements when a student is removed from school, school transportation, or a school-sponsored activity for involuntary examination; requiring a receiving facility to provide notice of the whereabouts of an adult or emancipated minor patient held for involuntary examination; providing conditions for delay in notification, etc. ED 03/11/2015 Favorable AED 04/02/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
With subcommittee recommendation - Education Appropriations			
14	SB 996 Richter (Identical H 1305)	Home Medical Equipment; Exempting allopathic, osteopathic, and chiropractic physicians who sell or rent electrostimulation medical equipment and supplies to their patients in the course of their practice from licensure as home medical equipment providers, etc. HP 03/10/2015 Favorable AHS 04/02/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
With subcommittee recommendation - Health and Human Services Appropriations			
15	CS/SB 1024 Transportation / Simmons (Similar CS/H 1101, Compare CS/CS/H 7075)	Central Florida Expressway Authority; Requiring the chairs of the boards of specified county commissions each to appoint one member from their respective counties who is a commission member or chair or a county mayor to serve on the governing body of the authority; specifying that the terms of members appointed by the Governor end on a specified date; removing the requirement that title in fee simple absolute to the former Orlando-Orange County Expressway System be transferred to the state upon the completion of the faithful performance and termination of a specified lease-purchase agreement, etc. TR 03/12/2015 Fav/CS ATD 04/02/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
With subcommittee recommendation - Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development Appropriations			

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16	CS/SB 1208 Health Policy / Bean (Similar CS/H 951)	Dietetics and Nutrition; Authorizing certain registered or certified individuals to use specified titles and designations; requiring the Board of Medicine to waive the examination requirement for specified applicants; providing that a licensed dietitian/nutritionist treating a patient who is under the active care of a licensed physician or licensed chiropractor is not precluded from ordering a therapeutic diet if otherwise authorized to order such a diet, etc. HP 03/17/2015 Fav/CS FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
17	CS/SB 1216 Community Affairs / Simpson (Compare CS/CS/H 933, H 1159)	Connected-city Corridors; Requiring plan amendments that qualify as connected-city corridor amendments to be reviewed by the local government; providing legislative intent; authorizing local governments to adopt connected-city corridor plan amendments; requiring community development districts located within a connected-city corridor plan amendment to be established pursuant to a county ordinance; providing a statutory exemption from the development of regional impact review process for any development within the geographic boundaries of a connected-city corridor plan, etc. CA 03/17/2015 Fav/CS ATD 04/02/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
With subcommittee recommendation - Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development Appropriations			
18	SB 1430 Abruzzo (Similar CS/H 721, CS/H 1095)	Discounts on Public Park Entrance Fees and Transportation Fares; Requiring counties to provide a partial or a full discount on park entrance fees to military members, veterans, and the spouse and parents of certain deceased military members, law enforcement officers, and firefighters; requiring regional transportation authorities to provide a partial or a full discount on fares and on other charges for certain disabled veterans; requiring municipalities to provide a partial or a full discount on park entrance fees to military members, veterans, and the spouse and parents of certain deceased military members, law enforcement officers, and firefighters, etc. MS 03/23/2015 Favorable CA 03/31/2015 Favorable FP 04/09/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

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19	CS/SB 7052 Finance and Tax / Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security (Compare H 7141)	Ad Valorem Tax Exemption for Deployed Servicemembers; Expanding the military operations that qualify a servicemember deployed in support of such an operation in the previous calendar year for an additional ad valorem tax exemption; providing an extended deadline and specifying procedures for filing an application for such tax exemption for a qualifying deployment during the 2014 calendar year, etc. FT 03/30/2015 Fav/CS FP 04/09/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0

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