

**The Florida Senate**  
**COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**

**FINANCE AND TAX**  
**Senator Hukill, Chair**  
**Senator Abruzzo, Vice Chair**

**MEETING DATE:** Monday, March 30, 2015  
**TIME:** 4:00 —6:00 p.m.  
**PLACE:** James E. "Jim" King, Jr. Committee Room, 401 Senate Office Building

**MEMBERS:** Senator Hukill, Chair; Senator Abruzzo, Vice Chair; Senators Altman, Diaz de la Portilla, Flores, Margolis, Simpson, and Soto

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	<b>CS/SB 268</b> Regulated Industries / Stargel (Similar H 641, Compare H 1233)	Amusement Games or Machines; Authorizing an amusement game or machine to be operated with specified requirements; providing requirements for classifying such a device as a Type 1 or a Type 2 amusement game or machine; providing that amusement games or machines may only be located at specified locations; requiring the Department of Revenue to annually adjust the maximum value; authorizing certain persons or entities to enjoin the operation of an amusement game or machine; providing penalties, etc.  RI 02/04/2015 Temporarily Postponed RI 03/18/2015 Fav/CS FT 03/30/2015 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
2	<b>SB 404</b> Simpson (Similar H 973, Compare CS/H 933)	Improvements to Real Property Damaged by Sinkhole Activity; Declaring that there is a compelling state interest in enabling property owners to voluntarily finance certain improvements to property damaged by sinkhole activity with local government assistance; expanding the definition of the term "qualifying improvement" to include stabilization or other repairs to property damaged by sinkhole activity; expanding the definition of "blighted area" to include a substantial number or percentage of properties damaged by sinkhole activity which are not adequately repaired or stabilized, etc.  CA 02/17/2015 Favorable BI 03/10/2015 Temporarily Postponed BI 03/17/2015 Favorable FT 03/30/2015 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0

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3	<b>SB 544</b> Hukill (Identical H 613)	Exemption from the Sales and Use Tax for Certain Machinery and Equipment; Providing that the exemption for certain mixer drums and the parts and labor required to affix such mixer drums is repealed on a specified date; deleting the expiration date for the exemption for certain industrial machinery and equipment, etc.  CM 03/23/2015 Favorable FT 03/30/2015 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
4	<b>CS/SB 668</b> 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	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
5	<b>SB 722</b> Flores (Identical H 595)	Aviation Fuel Tax; Revising the tax rate of the excise tax on certain aviation fuels; deleting an excise tax exemption for certain aviation fuel delivered by licensed wholesalers or terminal suppliers that increase the state's workforce by certain amounts, etc.  TR 03/05/2015 Favorable FT 03/30/2015 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
6	<b>SB 972</b> Flores (Compare CS/H 695)	Value Adjustment Boards; Establishing deadlines for value adjustment boards to complete final tax roll certifications; revising the interest rate upon which unpaid and overpaid ad valorem taxes accrue; authorizing the district school board and district county commission to audit certain expenses of the value adjustment board; revising the entities that may represent a taxpayer before the value adjustment board, etc.  CA 03/17/2015 Favorable FT 03/30/2015 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

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7	<b>CS/SB 980</b> Commerce and Tourism / Soto (Similar H 529)	Defense Contracting; Establishing the Defense Works in Florida Incentive; authorizing a Florida prime contractor to apply to the Department of Economic Opportunity to certify that it may reduce its computation of adjusted federal income by a specified amount; revising the definition of the term "adjusted federal income" to provide for a reduction in taxable income equal to a specified amount of qualified subcontract awards certified by the Department of Economic Opportunity, etc.  CM 03/16/2015 Fav/CS FT 03/30/2015 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
8	<b>SB 7052</b> Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security	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 AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
Consideration of proposed bill:			
9	<b>SPB 7074</b>	Tobacco Products other than Cigarettes or Cigars; Defining the term "affiliate"; clarifying the definitions of the terms "tobacco products" and "wholesale sales price"; providing that the act is intended to clarify existing law, etc.	Temporarily Postponed
<b>(Preliminary Draft Available - final draft will be made available at least 24 hours prior to the meeting)</b>			
Other Related Meeting Documents			

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