The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

FINANCE AND TAX Senator Ingoglia, Chair Senator Rodriguez, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, February 13, 2024

TIME: 1:30—5:30 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Ingoglia, Chair; Senator Rodriguez, Vice Chair; Senators Berman, Boyd, Hutson, and Pizzo

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	CS/SB 616 Community Affairs / Simon (Identical H 55, Compare HJR 53, Linked SJR 618)	Tax Exemptions for Surviving Spouses of Quadriplegics; Authorizing the surviving spouses of certain quadriplegics to carry over a certain tax exemption in certain circumstances, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
		CA 01/09/2024 Fav/CS FT 02/13/2024 Fav/CS AP	
2	SJR 618 Simon (Identical HJR 53, Compare H 55, Linked CS/S 616)	Homestead Property Tax Exemption for the Surviving Spouse of Certain Quadriplegics; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to authorize the Legislature to provide for a homestead property tax exemption for the surviving spouse of certain quadriplegics, etc.	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
		CA 01/09/2024 Favorable FT 02/13/2024 Favorable AP	
3	SB 886 Gruters (Identical H 471)	Valuation of Timeshare Units; Specifying the methodology by which certain timeshare units must be valued in certain tax appeals; providing that the methodology meets the constitutional mandate for just valuation, etc.	Favorable Yeas 4 Nays 2
		RI 01/16/2024 Favorable FT 02/08/2024 Temporarily Postponed FT 02/13/2024 Favorable AP	
4	SB 1030 Rodriguez (Similar CS/H 1001)	Taxation; Authorizing a county or school board to exclude rent or license fees from the discretionary sales surtaxes imposed, under certain circumstances; specifying the application of an exemption for sales taxes for certain purchasers of boats and aircraft; authorizing the department to consider requests to settle or compromise certain liabilities after certain time periods have expired, in certain circumstances; providing a limitation; providing that certain department decisions are not subject to review, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
		CA 01/16/2024 Favorable FT 02/13/2024 Fav/CS AP	

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5	CS/SB 1684 Community Affairs / Collins (Compare H 1375)	Property Tax Exemption of Ex-servicemembers; Providing a property tax exemption for certain ex- servicemembers who have been awarded a Purple Heart or certain combat decorations; providing that the unremarried surviving spouse is entitled to such exemption, etc. CA 01/29/2024 Fav/CS FT 02/13/2024 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
6	SJR 1686 Collins (Similar HJR 1373, Compare H 1375)	Ad Valorem Tax; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to revise the requirements for a discount from the amount of ad valorem tax owed on homestead property for certain disabled veterans and to provide an effective date, etc. CA 01/29/2024 Favorable FT 02/13/2024 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0

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