

**The Florida Senate**  
**COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**  
**GOVERNMENTAL OVERSIGHT AND ACCOUNTABILITY**  
**Senator Avila, Chair**  
**Senator Polsky, Vice Chair**

**MEETING DATE:** Wednesday, March 15, 2023  
**TIME:** 1:00—3:00 p.m.  
**PLACE:** Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

**MEMBERS:** Senator Avila, Chair; Senator Polsky, Vice Chair; Senators Albritton, Davis, Hooper, Rodriguez, Rouson, and Wright

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
Consideration of proposed bill:			
1	<b>SPB 7024</b>	Retirement; Revising required employer retirement contribution rates for each membership class of the Florida Retirement System; providing a declaration of important state interest, etc.	Submitted and Reported Favorably as Committee Bill Yeas 8 Nays 0
2	<b>SB 404</b> Perry (Identical CS/H 273)	Public Records/Autopsy Reports of Minors Whose Deaths were Related to Acts of Domestic Violence; Citing this act as the "Rex and Brody Act"; creating an exemption from public records requirements for autopsy reports of minors whose deaths were related to acts of domestic violence; requiring that certain surviving parents of a minor whose death was related to an act of domestic violence be given notice of petitions to view or copy the minor's autopsy report and the opportunity to be present and heard at related hearings under certain circumstances; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.  CF 03/06/2023 Favorable GO 03/15/2023 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
3	<b>SB 430</b> Powell (Similar CS/H 49)	Abandoned and Historic Cemeteries; Creating the Historic Cemeteries Program within the Division of Historical Resources of the Department of State; designating the State Historic Preservation Officer as the program's director and requiring him or her to hire employees, subject to legislative appropriation; creating the Historic Cemeteries Program Advisory Council within the division; revising the definition of the term "conservation easement" to include a right or interest in real property which is appropriate to retaining the structural integrity or physical appearance of certain cemeteries, etc.  GO 03/15/2023 Fav/CS ATD AP	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0

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4	<b>SB 304</b> Boyd (Similar H 1239)	United States-produced Iron and Steel in Public Works Projects; Requiring governmental entities to include a requirement in certain contracts that certain iron or steel products be produced in the United States; authorizing the use of foreign steel and iron materials in certain circumstances; requiring the Department of Management Services and the Department of Transportation to adopt rules for specified purposes, etc.  GO 03/15/2023 Fav/CS AEG FP	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
5	<b>SB 258</b> Burgess (Compare H 563)	Prohibited Applications on Government-issued Devices; Requiring the Department of Management Services to compile and maintain a specified list and publish such list on its website; requiring governmental entities and public educational institutions to take certain actions relating to prohibited applications; prohibiting employees of governmental entities and public educational institutions from downloading or accessing prohibited applications on government-issued devices; providing exceptions, etc.  GO 03/15/2023 Fav/CS FP	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
6	<b>SB 742</b> Grall (Similar CS/H 713)	Administrative Procedures; Applying certain provisions applicable to all rules other than emergency rules to repromulgated rules; requiring that a notice of withdrawal be published in the next available issue of the Florida Administrative Register if a notice of proposed rule is not filed within a certain timeframe; requiring an agency to provide a copy of a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative to the committee within a certain timeframe; requiring agency review of rules and repromulgation of rules that do not require substantive changes within a specified timeframe; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection and water management districts to conduct a holistic review of certain permitting processes, etc.  GO 03/15/2023 Favorable EN FP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0

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7	<b>SB 1096</b> Martin (Similar H 1607)	Monuments and Memorials; Citing this act as the "Historical Monuments and Memorials Protection Act"; defining the term "memorial"; providing that a person or an entity that damages, defaces, destroys, or removes a monument or memorial is liable for treble the costs to return, repair, or replace the monument or memorial; prohibiting the placement of specified objects on or near a memorial that existed before a specified date, etc.  GO 03/15/2023 Fav/CS CA RC	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 3
8	<b>SB 668</b> Collins (Compare H 1011)	Flags; Prohibiting certain governmental agencies and units of local government from displaying flags that do not follow a certain protocol or comply with specified requirements, etc.  GO 03/15/2023 Temporarily Postponed CA RC	Temporarily Postponed
9	<b>SB 50</b> Wright (Similar CS/H 75)	Public Records/Judicial Assistants; Adding current and former judicial assistants and their spouses and children to the specified agency personnel and family members to whom an exemption from public records requirements applies; providing for retroactive application of the exemption; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.  JU 01/17/2023 Favorable GO 03/15/2023 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
10	<b>SB 1034</b> Rodriguez (Similar H 613)	State-administered Retirement Systems; Authorizing specified correctional officers to elect to participate in the Deferred Retirement Option Program for an additional 36 months, etc.  GO 03/15/2023 Fav/CS CA AP	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0

Other Related Meeting Documents