

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

GOVERNMENTAL OVERSIGHT AND ACCOUNTABILITY
Senator DiCeglie, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, April 1, 2025

TIME: 1:30—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator DiCeglie, Vice Chair; Senators Arrington, Brodeur, Grall, McClain, Polsky, and Rodriguez

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 214 Polsky (Identical H 259)	Special Observances/Fentanyl Awareness and Education Day; Designating August 21 of each year as "Fentanyl Awareness and Education Day"; encouraging specified agencies, local governments, and public schools to sponsor events to promote awareness of the dangers of fentanyl and potential overdoses, including education on specified topics, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Favorable HP RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
2	SB 300 Rouson (Identical H 373)	Public Records/Appellate Court Clerks and their Spouses and Children; Defining the term "appellate court"; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current appellate court clerks and the spouses and children of such appellate court clerks; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for retroactive application of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. JU 02/18/2025 Favorable GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
3	SB 302 Rouson (Similar H 155)	Public Records/Judicial Qualifications Commission; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current and former employees of the Judicial Qualifications Commission and the personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such employees; providing for legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for retroactive application of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. JU 02/18/2025 Favorable GO 04/01/2025 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0

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4	SB 342 Harrell (Identical H 527)	Public Records/Agency for Health Care Administration; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of certain current or former personnel of the Agency for Health Care Administration and the names and personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such personnel; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. HP 02/18/2025 Favorable GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
5	CS/SB 576 Judiciary / Leek (Identical CS/H 157)	Service of Process; Expanding the hours during which registered agents are required to keep the designated registered office open for the purpose of process service; authorizing service of process by personally serving the receiver for specified domestic entities in receivership during pendency of the receivership; requiring that a certain substituted service of process be issued in the name of the party to be served in care of the Secretary of State; specifying that registered agents must have been designated under a specified provision for a specified purpose, etc. JU 03/12/2025 Fav/CS GO 04/01/2025 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
6	SB 626 Osgood (Identical H 197)	Council on the Social Status of Black Men and Boys; Revising the quorum requirements for the Council on the Social Status of Black Men and Boys to require only 9 members for a quorum; authorizing members to appear by communications media technology; providing that members who appear by such technology are considered present and may be counted toward the quorum requirement, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

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7	CS/SB 710 Criminal Justice / Osgood (Similar CS/H 397)	Public Records/Crime Stoppers Organizations; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for specified personal identifying and location information of employees of crime stoppers organizations and the board members and volunteers of such crime stoppers organizations; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for retroactive application; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. CJ 03/11/2025 Fav/CS GO 04/01/2025 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
8	SB 804 Collins (Identical H 559, Compare CS/S 1280)	Designation of the Official State Flagship; Redesignating the official state flagship as the S.S. American Victory, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Favorable MS RC	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 1
9	SB 820 Yarborough (Similar CS/H 293)	Office of Faith and Community; Establishing the Office of Faith and Community within the Executive Office of the Governor for a specified purpose; providing for the appointment of a liaison for faith and community; providing that the Office of Faith and Community provides administrative support to the Florida Faith-Based and Community-Based Advisory Council, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS AEG AP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 1
10	SB 1088 Polsky (Identical H 979)	State Department Customer Service Standards; Requiring state departments to employ a callback queue system for customers who contact the departments by telephone, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS AEG AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

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11	SB 1144 Burgess (Similar H 1327, Compare H 1329, Linked S 1146)	Hope Florida Program; Establishing the Office of Hope Florida within the Executive Office of the Governor; specifying the functions of hope navigators under the Hope Florida program; specifying eligibility requirements for participation in the program; requiring the Executive Office of the Governor to designate agencies to perform certain functions under the program, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS AHS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 1
12	SB 1146 Burgess (Similar H 1329, Compare H 1327, Linked S 1144)	Public Records/Hope Florida Program ; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying information of a participant in the Hope Florida program contained in records held by the Office of Hope Florida or any other state agency designated to participate in administering the program; authorizing disclosure of confidential and exempt information, subject to certain requirements and limitations; providing criminal penalties for the unlawful disclosure of confidential and exempt information; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS AHS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
13	SB 1160 Leek (Similar H 751)	Benefits for Certain Officers Injured in the Line of Duty; Revising eligibility criteria for health insurance coverage provided to law enforcement, correctional, and correctional probation officers injured in the line of duty and to their spouses and dependent children, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS CJ AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

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14	SB 1260 Yarborough (Identical H 7007)	County Constitutional Officer Budget Processes; Authorizing a supervisor of elections to file a budget appeal to the Administration Commission in a specified manner; requiring the Executive Office of the Governor to conduct a budget hearing in a specified manner and make findings and recommendations to the Administration Commission; authorizing a clerk of the circuit court to file a budget appeal in a specified manner; requiring the Executive Office of the Governor to conduct a budget hearing in a specified manner and make findings and recommendations to the Administration Commission, etc. CA 03/17/2025 Favorable GO 04/01/2025 Temporarily Postponed FP	Temporarily Postponed
15	SB 1524 Grall (Similar H 1011)	Duties of the Department of State; Revising duties of the State Library Council; authorizing the Secretary of State to review and edit certain funding recommendations made by the council; requiring the secretary to ensure that construction grant funds meet certain criteria and are used for certain purposes; revising the membership of the Florida Council on Arts and Culture; authorizing the secretary to review specified lists to ensure that specified grant funds meet certain criteria and are used for certain purposes; revising mechanisms by which state funds to assist abandoned African-American cemeteries may be awarded specified grant funds, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS ATD RC	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 2
16	SB 1640 Grall (Identical H 1479)	Public Records/Lethality Assessment Forms; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for a lethality assessment form that contains certain information and responses; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. CJ 03/18/2025 Favorable GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

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17	SB 7008 Banking and Insurance (Identical H 7003)	OGSR/Financial Technology Sandbox; Amending a provision which provides for an exemption from public records requirements for certain records provided to and held by the Office of Financial Regulation relating to the Financial Technology Sandbox; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc. GO 03/18/2025 Not Considered GO 04/01/2025 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
18	SB 7010 Banking and Insurance (Compare H 7011)	OGSR/Department of Financial Services; Amending a provision which provides exemptions from public records requirements for records made or received by the Department of Financial Services when the department is acting as a receiver; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
19	SB 7018 Health Policy (Identical H 7025)	OGSR/Parental Consent Requirements Before Terminating a Pregnancy; Amending provisions relating to an exemption from public records requirements for certain information that could identify a minor petitioning a court to waive parental consent requirements before terminating a pregnancy; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc. GO 04/01/2025 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
TAB	OFFICE and APPOINTMENT (HOME CITY)	FOR TERM ENDING	COMMITTEE ACTION
Senate Confirmation Hearing: A public hearing will be held for consideration of the below-named executive appointments to the offices indicated.			
Florida Commission on Community Service			
20	Chavez, Ivan ()	09/14/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 7 Nays 0
21	Wheelock, Sherry (Windermere)	09/14/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 7 Nays 0
22	Goff, Kristen Rhea (Santa Rosa Beach)	09/14/2025	Recommend Confirm Yeas 7 Nays 0
23	Davis, John F. (Tallahassee)	09/14/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 7 Nays 0
Investment Advisory Council			
24	Figgers, Freddie (Coral Springs)	05/23/2027	Recommend Confirm Yeas 7 Nays 0

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Chair, Public Employees Relations Commission			
25	Carpenter, Kerey ()	01/01/2028	Recommend Confirm Yeas 7 Nays 0
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26	Aaron, Jeffrey (Maitland)	01/01/2029	Recommend Confirm Yeas 7 Nays 0
State Retirement Commission			
27	Taub, Diana Lynn ()	12/31/2027	Recommend Confirm Yeas 7 Nays 0
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Other Related Meeting Documents			