The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

INNOVATION, INDUSTRY AND TECHNOLOGY Senator Simpson, Chair Senator Benacquisto, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, February 10, 2020

TIME: 1:30—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Simpson, Chair; Senator Benacquisto, Vice Chair; Senators Bracy, Bradley, Brandes,

Braynon, Farmer, Gibson, Hutson, and Passidomo

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 658 Albritton (Identical H 207)	Acquisition of Water and Wastewater Systems; Authorizing certain water and wastewater utilities to establish a rate base value by using the fair market value when acquiring a utility system; establishing a procedure to determine the fair market value; specifying the contents required for an application to the Public Service Commission for approval of the rate base value of the utility system, etc. IT 02/10/2020 Temporarily Postponed AEG AP	Temporarily Postponed
2	SB 1244 Albritton (Compare CS/H 1271)	State Workforce Development Boards; Defining the terms "for cause" and "state board"; replacing CareerSource Florida, Inc., with the state board or the Department of Economic Opportunity in provisions relating to the implementation of the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act; revising provisions relating to the operation of CareerSource Florida, Inc.; authorizing a chief elected official for a local workforce development board to remove certain persons from the board for cause; revising authority relating to the Workforce Training Institute, etc. CM 01/21/2020 Favorable IT 02/10/2020 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 1
3	SB 776 Perry (Identical H 1399)	Florida Real Estate Appraisal Board; Revising the composition of the board, etc. IT 02/10/2020 Fav/CS CM RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

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4	SB 1268 Gruters (Compare CS/S 1642)	Capital Investment Tax Credit; Providing a credit against the corporate income tax, the sales and use tax, or a stated combination of the two taxes to a qualifying business that establishes a qualifying project for the creation of intellectual property which meets certain capital investment criteria; authorizing the carryover or transfer of credits, subject to certain conditions, etc. IT 02/10/2020 Temporarily Postponed FT AP	Temporarily Postponed
5	SB 1084 Diaz (Similar CS/CS/H 209, Compare H 49)	Emotional Support Animals; Prohibiting discrimination in the rental of a dwelling to a person with a disability or a disability-related need who has an emotional support animal; prohibiting a landlord from requiring such person to pay extra compensation for such animal; prohibiting the falsification of written documentation or other misrepresentation regarding the use of an emotional support animal; specifying that a person with a disability or a disability-related need is liable for certain damage done by her or his emotional support animal, etc. AG 01/14/2020 Favorable IT 02/03/2020 Not Considered IT 02/10/2020 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
6	SB 912 Diaz (Similar CS/CS/H 689, Compare CS/CS/H 623, CS/S 1154)	Department of Business and Professional Regulation; Requiring that certain reports relating to the transportation or possession of cigarettes be filed with the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco through the division's electronic data submission system; renaming the Florida State Boxing Commission as the Florida Athletic Commission; revising requirements for issuing special licenses to certain food service establishments; providing the circumstances under which a person is delinquent in the payment of an assessment in the context of eligibility for membership on certain condominium boards, etc. IT 02/03/2020 Not Considered IT 02/10/2020 Favorable CA AP	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0

Consideration of proposed bill:

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7	SPB 7052	Office of Public Counsel; Providing term limits for the Public Counsel; providing for the appointment and removal of the Public Counsel; requiring the Committee on Public Counsel Oversight to receive applications, conduct interviews, and appoint a Public Counsel by a specified date every 4 years; providing for the filling of vacancies, etc.	Submitted and Reported Favorably as Committee Bill Yeas 6 Nays 3
8	SB 1352 Brandes (Compare CS/H 395, CS/H 1039)	Transportation Companies; Defining the term "transportation network company digital advertising device"; deleting for-hire vehicles from the list of vehicles that are not considered transportation network company (TNC) carriers or are not exempt from certain registration; authorizing TNC drivers or their designees to contract with a company for the installment of TNC digital advertising devices; requiring companies operating such devices to allocate a specified percentage of advertisement inventory to certain organizations, etc. IS 01/27/2020 Favorable IT 02/10/2020 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 1
9	SB 1870 Hutson (Compare CS/H 1391, CS/H 1393, CS/H 1395, Linked S 1872, S 1874)	Technological Development; Renaming the Division of State Technology within the Department of Management Services; establishing the Florida Digital Service within the department; requiring the Florida Digital Service to develop an enterprise architecture for all state departments and agencies; creating the Financial Technology Sandbox Program, etc. IT 02/10/2020 Fav/CS BI AP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 4