

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

**JUDICIARY**  
**Senator Brandes, Chair**  
**Senator Gibson, Vice Chair**

**MEETING DATE:** Monday, February 1, 2021  
**TIME:** 2:30—5:00 p.m.  
**PLACE:** *Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building*

**MEMBERS:** Senator Brandes, Chair; Senator Gibson, Vice Chair; Senators Baxley, Boyd, Bradley, Broxson, Mayfield, Polsky, Rodrigues, Rouson, and Thurston

| TAB  | BILL NO. and INTRODUCER  | BILL DESCRIPTION and<br>SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS   | COMMITTEE ACTION         |
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| PUBLIC TESTIMONY WILL BE RECEIVED FROM ROOM A3 AT THE DONALD L. TUCKER CIVIC CENTER, 505 PENSACOLA STREET, TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301 |  |  |                          |
| 1  | Presentation by the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability:<br>Several Factors Hinder Homeowner and Auto Glass Insurance Fraud Processing |  | Presented                |
| 2  | Presentation by Retired Judge Greg Holder:<br>Abusive Litigation Tactics, Attorney Fees, and Lawyer Discipline   |  | Presented                |
| 3  | <b>SB 78</b><br>Rodrigues  | Dues and Uniform Assessments; Requiring that a public employee who desires to join an employee organization sign a membership authorization form; requiring an employee organization to revoke an employee's membership upon receipt of the employee's request for revocation; providing that certain deductions commence upon the employer's receipt and confirmation of the employee's signed deduction authorization form; specifying the time period that an employee's authorization to deduct dues and uniform assessments remains in effect, etc.<br><br>GO 01/27/2021 Favorable<br>JU 02/01/2021 Temporarily Postponed<br>RC | Temporarily Postponed    |
| 4  | <b>SB 88</b><br>Brodeur  | Farming Operations; Prohibiting farms from being held liable for certain claims for tort liability except under certain circumstances; providing a burden of proof; prohibiting nuisance actions from being filed against farm operations unless specified conditions are met; providing requirements for and limitations on damages; providing that plaintiffs who bring nuisance actions against farm operations are liable for certain costs and expenses under certain conditions, etc.<br><br>JU 02/01/2021 Fav/CS<br>EN<br>RC  | Fav/CS<br>Yeas 10 Nays 1 |

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Judiciary

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| 5   | <b>SB 498</b><br>Gruters<br>(Identical H 259) | Safety of Religious Institutions; Authorizing, for specified purposes, a concealed weapons or firearms licensee to carry a firearm on certain property of a church, a synagogue, or any other religious institution, etc.<br><br>JU      02/01/2021 Favorable<br>CJ<br>RC | Favorable<br>Yeas 7 Nays 4 |

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Other Related Meeting Documents

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