

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

JUDICIARY
Senator Yarborough, Chair
Senator Burton, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 14, 2023
TIME: 4:00—6:00 p.m.
PLACE: *Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Yarborough, Chair; Senator Burton, Vice Chair; Senators Albritton, Baxley, Book, Boyd, Broxson, DiCeglie, Harrell, Stewart, Thompson, and Trumbull

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 62 Grall (Identical H 6005)	Relief of Robert Earl DuBoise by the State of Florida; Providing for the relief of Robert Earl DuBoise; providing an appropriation to compensate Mr. DuBoise for being wrongfully incarcerated for almost 37 years; prohibiting funds awarded under the act to Mr. DuBoise from being used or paid for specified attorney or lobbying fees; requiring specific reimbursement to the state should a civil award be issued subsequent to Mr. DuBoise's receipt of payment under the act, etc. SM JU 03/14/2023 Favorable ACJ AP	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
2	SB 264 Collins (Identical H 1355, Compare H 835, S 924)	Interests of Foreign Countries; Prohibiting governmental entities from knowingly entering into certain contracts; authorizing the Attorney General to bring a civil action; providing penalties; requiring government entities to require an affidavit from applicants before providing any economic incentive; prohibiting foreign principals from purchasing agricultural land, or interest in such land, and certain real property in the state, respectively; authorizing foreign principals to continue to own or hold such land or property under certain circumstances, etc. JU 03/14/2023 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 12 Nays 0
3	CS/SB 236 Banking and Insurance / Hutson (Similar CS/CS/H 837, Compare H 1165)	Civil Remedies; Creating a rebuttable presumption that a lodestar fee is a sufficient and reasonable attorney fee in most civil actions; reducing the statute of limitations for negligence actions; providing standards for bad faith actions; providing standards for the admissibility of evidence to prove the cost of damages for medical expenses in certain civil actions; providing that a party in a negligence action who is at fault by a specified amount may not recover damages under a comparative negligence action, etc. BI 03/07/2023 Fav/CS JU 03/14/2023 Fav/1 Amendment FP	Fav/1 Amendment (209768) Yeas 8 Nays 4

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