

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

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Senator Yarborough, Chair
Senator Burton, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, April 4, 2023
TIME: 2:00—4:00 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 2 Hooper (Identical H 6007)	Relief of the Estate of Molly Parker/Department of Transportation; Providing for the relief of the Estate of Molly Parker; providing an appropriation to compensate the estate for Ms. Parker's death as a result of the negligence of the Department of Transportation; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of attorney fees, etc. SM JU 04/04/2023 Favorable ATD AP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
2	SB 12 Polsky (Similar CS/H 6021)	Relief of Ricardo Medrano-Arzate and Eva Chavez-Medrano, as personal representatives of Hilda Medrano/Okeechobee County Sheriff's Office; Providing for the relief of Ricardo Medrano-Arzate and Eva Chavez-Medrano, as personal representatives of Hilda Medrano, by the Okeechobee County Sheriff's Office; providing for an appropriation of funds to pay Ricardo Medrano-Arzate and Eva Chavez-Medrano for the damages awarded in connection with the death of their daughter as a result of the negligence of the Okeechobee County Sheriff's Office; providing a limitation on the payment of compensation, attorney and lobbying fees, and costs or similar expenses, etc. SM JU 04/04/2023 Fav/CS CA RC	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0
3	SB 828 Polsky (Identical H 851)	Grand Juries; Revising the list of persons prohibited from disclosing the testimony of a witness examined before a grand jury or other evidence it receives; creating an exception for a request by the media or an interested person to the prohibited publishing, broadcasting, disclosing, divulging, or communicating of any testimony of a witness examined before the grand jury, or the content, gist, or import thereof, etc. JU 04/04/2023 Favorable CJ RC	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0

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4	SB 442 Gruters (Similar H 737)	Secondhand Dealers; Revising the definition of "secondhand goods" to exclude certain items, etc. CM 03/27/2023 Favorable JU 04/04/2023 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
5	SB 694 Gruters (Compare CS/H 617)	Private Property for Motor Vehicle Parking; Requiring owners and operators of certain property to follow specified rules; prohibiting certain invoices from resembling specified citations; removing a provision prohibiting certain county and municipal regulations, etc. JU 04/04/2023 Fav/CS CA RC	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0
6	SB 8 Jones (Identical H 6001)	Relief of Leonard Cure/State of Florida; Providing for the relief of Leonard Cure; providing an appropriation to compensate Mr. Cure for being wrongfully incarcerated for 16 years; providing for the waiver of certain tuition and fees for Mr. Cure; prohibiting funds awarded under this act to Mr. Cure from being used or paid for attorney or lobbying fees, etc. SM JU 04/04/2023 Favorable ACJ AP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
7	SB 1388 Wright (Identical H 1143)	Immunity of Motor Vehicle Dealer Leasing and Rental Affiliates; Defining the term "control"; defining the term "motor vehicle dealer's leasing or rental affiliate" to specify the entities that are immune from causes of action and that are not liable for harm to persons and property under certain circumstances, etc. TR 03/27/2023 Favorable JU 04/04/2023 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
8	SB 1260 Trumbull (Similar CS/H 755)	Asbestos and Silica Claims; Requiring a claimant to file a sworn information form containing certain information within a certain time period after filing an asbestos or silica claim; authorizing a court to dismiss certain claims upon a motion by a defendant; providing that certain defendants are not liable for certain asbestos or silica exposures, etc. JU 04/04/2023 Favorable CM RC	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0

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9	SB 1300 Burton (Similar H 1047)	Animals Working with Law Enforcement Officers; Prohibiting the knowing and willful resistance to, obstruction of, or opposition to a police canine or police horse under certain circumstances; increasing criminal penalties for persons who actually and intentionally maliciously touch, strike, or cause bodily harm to a police canine, fire canine, SAR canine, or police horse, etc. CJ 03/27/2023 Favorable JU 04/04/2023 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
10	SB 1302 Torres (Similar CS/H 853)	Translation Services; Authorizing a clerk of the circuit court to provide translation services; authorizing a clerk of the circuit court to contract with a third-party translation service provider to provide translation services; prohibiting a clerk of the circuit court from providing legal advice, etc. JU 04/04/2023 Fav/CS CJ RC	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0
11	SB 582 Grall (Identical H 65)	Withholding Funds from the Return of Cash Bonds; Requiring a clerk of the court to withhold from the return of a cash bond posted by a criminal defendant or his or her spouse, rather than to withhold from the return of a cash bond posted on behalf of the criminal defendant by a person other than a bail bond agent, funds for specified purposes; requiring all cash bond forms to display a specified notice, etc. JU 04/04/2023 Favorable CJ RC	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
12	SB 1322 Grall (Identical H 1377)	Adoption of Children in Dependency Court; Specifying that certain adoption consents are valid, binding, and enforceable by the court; specifying that a consent to adoption is not valid after certain petitions for termination of parental rights have been filed; requiring that the final hearing on a motion to intervene and the change of placement of the child be held by a certain date; requiring the court to grant party status to the current caregivers under certain circumstances; requiring the court to order the transfer of custody of the child to the adoptive parents under certain circumstances and in accordance with a certain transition plan, etc. CF 03/20/2023 Favorable JU 04/04/2023 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0

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13	CS/SB 312 Banking and Insurance / Collins (Similar CS/H 1111)	Insurance; Revising a minimum coursework qualification for licensure as a life agent; providing that certain restrictions against unfair discrimination or unlawful rebates do not include value-added products or services offered or provided by insurers or their agents if certain conditions are met; providing requirements for and restrictions on insurers or agents offering or providing such products or services, etc. BI 03/29/2023 Fav/CS JU 04/04/2023 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
14	SB 610 Yarborough (Identical H 367)	Registration of Residential Child-caring Agencies and Family Foster Homes; Removing obsolete language; making technical changes, etc. CF 03/27/2023 Favorable JU 04/04/2023 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
15	CS/SB 1458 Commerce and Tourism / Yarborough (Similar CS/H 1129)	Roller Skating Rink Safety; Providing that an operator of a roller skating rink is not liable for damages or personal injury resulting from inherent risks of roller skating; providing exceptions; providing that certain persons assume the inherent risk of roller skating; providing that an operator is not required to eliminate, alter, or control the inherent risks in roller skating, etc. CM 03/27/2023 Fav/CS JU 04/04/2023 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
Other Related Meeting Documents			