

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

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Senator Yarborough, Chair
Senator Burton, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, February 5, 2024
TIME: 2:30—6:00 p.m.
PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room*, 110 Senate Building

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

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	CS/SB 306 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Harrell (Compare H 327) (If Received)	Placement of Surrendered Newborn Infants; Defining the term "community-based care lead agency"; requiring community-based care lead agencies to establish and maintain a specified registry; prohibiting the community-based care lead agency from transferring certain costs to prospective adoptive parents; requiring licensed child-placing agencies that take custody of surrendered newborn infants to report certain information; providing requirements for the hospital once it takes physical custody of a surrendered newborn infant, etc. CF 12/13/2023 Temporarily Postponed CF 01/30/2024 Fav/CS FP	Not Received
2	SB 526 Pizzo (Identical H 289, Compare H 243, H 299, Linked S 528)	Title Fraud Prevention; Creating a pilot program in Broward County; providing a definition; requiring certain parties to provide specified information to the property appraiser; requiring the property appraiser to make certain notifications to specified parties; providing that certain action or inaction does not give rise to liability; requiring participating property appraisers to submit a report to specified parties containing certain information, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Favorable CA RC	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
3	SB 528 Pizzo (Identical H 299, Compare H 289, Linked S 526)	Public Records/Title Fraud Prevention Pilot Program; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain information provided to a property appraiser as part of a title fraud prevention pilot program; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS CA RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

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4	SB 10 Bradley (Similar CS/H 6007)	Relief of Julia Perez by the St. Johns County Sheriff's Office; Providing for the relief of Julia Perez by the St. Johns County Sheriff's Office; providing for an appropriation to compensate Julia Perez for personal injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of an employee of the St. Johns County Sheriff's Office; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of attorney fees, etc. SM JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS CA RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
5	SB 484 Bradley (Similar H 1049)	Flood Disclosure in the Sale of Real Property; Requiring a seller of real property to disclose in writing certain flood information to a prospective purchaser before executing a contract for the sale of the property; defining the term "flooding", etc. JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS BI RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
6	SB 468 Bradley (Identical H 1393)	Court Interpreter Services; Authorizing the state courts system to use state revenues, if available, to provide court-appointed interpreting services to nonindigent individuals; repealing the cost recovery requirement for court-appointed interpreting services, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Favorable ACJ FP	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
7	SB 1104 Bradley (Similar H 1149)	Policy Cancellations and Nonrenewals by Property Insurers; Prohibiting insurers from canceling and nonrenewing within certain timeframes policies covering commercial properties damaged by hurricanes and wind losses; prohibiting eligible surplus lines insurers from canceling and nonrenewing within certain timeframes policies covering dwellings and residential properties damaged by hurricanes and wind losses; providing that such prohibition applies to flood damages caused by hurricanes, etc. BI 01/22/2024 Favorable JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

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8	SB 1682 Bradley (Similar CS/H 1461, Compare CS/CS/H 1459, Linked CS/S 1680)	Public Records/Artificial Intelligence Transparency Violations; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for information relating to investigations by the Department of Legal Affairs and law enforcement agencies of certain artificial intelligence transparency violations; providing that certain information received by the department remains confidential and exempt upon completion or inactive status of an investigation; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. JU 01/29/2024 Temporarily Postponed JU 02/05/2024 Temporarily Postponed RC	Temporarily Postponed
9	SB 720 Hutson (Similar H 1367)	Asbestos and Silica Claims; Revising the information required to be included in a sworn information form for asbestos or silica claims filed after a specified date; specifying that such a form is inadmissible in evidence at trial; requiring courts to dismiss certain claims upon a motion by a defendant, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS CM RC	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 1
10	SB 888 Perry	Property Rights; Authorizing property owners or their authorized agents to request assistance from law enforcement in immediately removing unauthorized occupants from a residential dwelling under certain conditions; requiring the sheriff to serve a notice to immediately vacate on the unauthorized occupant; authorizing the owner or agent to request that the sheriff stand by while the owner or agent takes possession of the property; authorizing the sheriff to charge a reasonable hourly rate for a certain purpose, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Favorable CJ RC	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0

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11	CS/SB 1066 Banking and Insurance / Burton (Similar CS/H 939)	Consumer Protection; Prohibiting certain civil actions under the Florida Disposition of Unclaimed Property Act; revising requirements for payment settlement entities, or their electronic payment facilitators or contracted third parties, in submitting information returns to the Department of Revenue; prohibiting agencies from entering into certain contracts or agreements; requiring that the title to a mobile home be retired if the owner of the real property records certain documents in the official records of the clerk of court in the county in which the real property is located; requiring contractors to include a notice in their contracts with residential property owners under certain circumstances, etc. BI 01/16/2024 Fav/CS JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
12	SB 1252 Collins (Identical H 347)	Exemptions from Products Liability Actions; Specifying circumstances under which products liability actions may not be brought against distributors, dealers, or applicators of pesticides, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Favorable AG RC	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 1
13	SB 1316 Berman (Similar H 1093)	Florida Uniform Fiduciary Income and Principal Act; Specifying the duties of a fiduciary; providing that a fiduciary's allocation, determination, or exercise of discretion is presumed to be fair and reasonable to all beneficiaries; authorizing a fiduciary to exercise discretionary power of administration under specified circumstances; prohibiting a court from ordering a fiduciary to change his or her decision unless the decision was an abuse of discretionary power; authorizing a fiduciary to adjust between income and principal if such adjustment assists in administering the trust or estate impartially; authorizing the conversion of an income trust to a unitrust; specifying the authority of a fiduciary with respect to the administration of certain trusts, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS BI RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

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14	SB 1530 Martin (Similar H 1365)	Unauthorized Public Camping and Public Sleeping; Prohibiting counties and municipalities, respectively, from permitting public sleeping or public camping on public property without a permit; providing for enforcement actions; providing an exception for declared emergencies, etc. CA 01/29/2024 Favorable JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 1
15	SB 1618 Martin (Compare CS/H 1281)	Interception and Disclosure of Oral Communications; Authorizing the interception and recording of an oral communication by the parent or legal guardian of a child under a specified age under certain circumstances; requiring that the recording be provided to a law enforcement agency; prohibiting any further dissemination or sharing of the recording, etc. CJ 01/30/2024 Favorable JU 02/05/2024 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
16	SB 1616 Calatayud (Identical H 1443)	Electronic Access to Official Records; Requiring the clerk of the court to make certain information available in a searchable database on the clerk's official website, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS CA AP	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
17	SB 1780 Brodeur (Compare CS/H 757)	Defamation, False Light, and Unauthorized Publication of Name or Likenesses; Providing that provisions concerning journalist's privilege do not apply to defamation claims when the defendant is a professional journalist or media entity; specifying that certain persons may not be considered public figures for purposes of certain actions; creating a presumption that a statement by an anonymous source is presumptively false for purposes of a defamation action; providing that a public figure does not need to show actual malice to prevail in a defamation action in certain circumstances, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS ACJ FP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 2

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18	SB 1788 Grall (Similar CS/H 1, Compare CS/CS/H 3, H 207, CS/H 1377, S 454, S 1430, S 1792, Linked S 1790)	Age Verification for Social Media Platform Accounts; Requiring social media platforms to prohibit certain minors from creating new accounts, use reasonable age-verification methods to verify the ages of account holders, to terminate certain accounts and provide additional options for termination of such accounts, and to disclose specified policies and provide specified resources, measures, and disclaimers; authorizing the Department of Legal Affairs to bring actions for violations under the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS FP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 2
19	SB 1790 Grall (Similar CS/H 1377, Compare CS/H 1, Linked S 1788)	Public Records/Investigations by the Department of Legal Affairs; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for information relating to investigations by the Department of Legal Affairs and law enforcement agencies of certain data privacy violations; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Favorable FP	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
20	SB 476 Grall (Compare CS/H 651)	Civil Liability; Revising the definition of the term "survivors" to include the parents of an unborn child; authorizing parents of an unborn child to recover certain damages, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS FP RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 2
21	SB 1792 Grall (Similar CS/CS/H 3, Compare CS/H 1, H 207, CS/CS/H 1491, S 454, S 1430, S 1788, Linked S 1794)	Online Access to Materials Harmful to Minors; Requiring a commercial entity that knowingly and intentionally publishes or distributes material harmful to minors on a website or application that contains a substantial portion of such material to perform reasonable age verification methods and methods for reporting unauthorized or unlawful access; prohibiting the retention of certain personal identifying information, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Fav/CS FP	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

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22	SB 1794 Grall (Similar CS/CS/H 1491, Compare CS/CS/H 3, Linked S 1792)	Public Records/Investigations by the Department of Legal Affairs; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for information relating to investigations by the Department of Legal Affairs and law enforcement agencies of certain data privacy violations; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. JU 02/05/2024 Favorable FP	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0

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