The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

RULES

Senator Simmons, Chair Senator Soto, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Thursday, December 3, 2015

TIME: 1:00—3:00 p.m.

PLACE: Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Office Building

MEMBERS: Senator Simmons, Chair; Senator Soto, Vice Chair; Senators Benacquisto, Diaz de la Portilla, Gaetz,

Galvano, Gibson, Joyner, Latvala, Lee, Montford, Negron, and Richter

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 112 Thompson (Similar H 361)	Absentee Voting; Replacing the term "absentee ballot" with the term "vote-by-mail ballot", etc. EE 10/21/2015 Favorable ATD 11/03/2015 Favorable RC 12/03/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
2	CS/SB 344 Criminal Justice / Bradley (Similar H 169)	Justifiable Use or Threatened Use of Defensive Force; Specifying that once a prima facie claim of self-defense immunity has been raised, the burden of proof shall be on the party seeking to overcome the immunity from criminal prosecution; entitling criminal defendants who successfully claim immunity to an award of specified costs, attorney fees, and related expenses if a court makes specified determinations; requiring reimbursements to be paid from the operating trust fund of the state attorney who prosecuted the defendant, etc. CJ 10/20/2015 Fav/CS ACJ 11/18/2015 Favorable RC 12/03/2015 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 12 Nays 0
3	SB 396 Bradley (Identical H 4029)	Nonresident Plaintiffs in Civil Actions; Repealing specified provisions relating to requirements for a nonresident plaintiff in a civil action to post security for costs, etc. JU 11/17/2015 Favorable RC 12/03/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
4	SM 630 Bean (Identical HM 417)	Article V Convention for Congressional Term Limits; Applying to Congress to call a convention under Article V of the Constitution of the United States with the sole agenda of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to set a limit on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a member of the United States House of Representatives and to set a limit on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a member of the United States Senate, etc. EE 11/17/2015 Favorable RC 12/03/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0

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5	CS/SB 180 Commerce and Tourism / Richter (Identical CS/H 55, Compare CS/H 57, Linked CS/CS/S 182)	Trade Secrets; Including financial information in provisions prohibiting the theft, embezzlement, or unlawful copying of trade secrets; providing criminal penalties, etc.	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
		CM 10/05/2015 Fav/CS GO 11/02/2015 GO 11/17/2015 Favorable RC 12/03/2015 Favorable	
6	CS/CS/SB 182 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Commerce and Tourism / Richter (Similar CS/H 57, Compare CS/H 55, Linked CS/S 180)	Public Records and Meetings/Trade Secrets; Expanding public records exemptions for certain data processing software obtained by an agency, certain information held by a county tourism promotion agency, information related to trade secrets held by specified entities, and specified data, programs, or supporting documentation held by an agency; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. CM 10/05/2015 Fav/CS GO 11/02/2015	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
		GO 11/17/2015 Fav/CS RC 12/03/2015 Favorable	
7	SB 320 Richter (Similar H 391)	Public Records/Medical Technicians or Paramedics Personal Identifying Information; Creating an exemption from public records requirements for certain identifying and location information of current or former emergency medical technicians or paramedics certified under ch. 401, F.S., and the spouses and children of such emergency medical technicians or paramedics, under specified circumstances; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
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8	SB 340 Latvala (Identical H 337)	Vision Care Plans; Providing that a health insurer, a prepaid limited health service organization, and a health maintenance organization, respectively, may not require a licensed ophthalmologist or optometrist to join a network solely for the purpose of credentialing the licensee for another vision network; providing that such insurers and organizations may not restrict a licensed ophthalmologist, optometrist, or optician to specific suppliers of materials or optical laboratories, etc.	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
		BI 10/20/2015 Favorable HP 11/17/2015 Favorable RC 12/03/2015 Favorable	