

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

REGULATED INDUSTRIES

Senator Hutson, Chair

Senator Book, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, January 11, 2022

TIME: 4:00—6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Hutson, Chair; Senator Book, Vice Chair; Senators Albritton, Gruters, Hooper, Passidomo, Rodrigues, Rouson, and Stewart

TAB	OFFICE and APPOINTMENT (HOME CITY)	FOR TERM ENDING	COMMITTEE ACTION
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Senate Confirmation Hearing: A public hearing will be held for consideration of the below-named executive appointments to the offices indicated.

Florida Public Service Commission

1	Fay, Andrew (Tallahassee)	01/01/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 8 Nays 0
2	Graham, Art (Tallahassee)	01/01/2026	Recommend Confirm Yeas 8 Nays 0

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
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3	SB 512 Burgess (Identical H 325, Compare S 286)	Vacation Rentals; Requiring advertising platforms to collect and remit taxes for certain transactions; revising the regulated activities of public lodging establishments and public food service establishments preempted to the state to include licensing; expanding the authority of local laws, ordinances, or regulations to include requiring vacation rentals to register with local vacation rental registration programs; authorizing local governments to adopt vacation rental registration programs and impose fines for failure to register; requiring advertising platforms to require that persons placing advertisements for vacation rentals include certain information in the advertisements and attest to certain information, etc. RI 01/11/2022 Favorable CA RC	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
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4	SB 994 Diaz (Similar H 849, Linked S 996)	Pet Protection; Creating the "Florida Pet Protection Act"; requiring the licensure of retail pet stores; limiting the sources from which retail pet stores may acquire household pets for specified purposes; requiring the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to conduct periodic inspections of retail pet stores and to audit sales records; requiring the department to deny a retail pet store license under certain circumstances; prohibiting county and municipal ordinances and regulations from prohibiting or regulating the breeding, purchase, or sale of certain working dogs, etc. RI 01/11/2022 Fav/CS CA AP	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 2
5	SB 996 Diaz (Compare H 849, Linked S 994)	Fees/Pet Store License; Requiring an initial or renewal pet store license application to be accompanied by a specified nonrefundable license fee per licensed location, etc. RI 01/11/2022 Fav/CS CA AP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 1
6	SB 1024 Bradley (Identical H 741)	Net Metering; Revising and providing legislative findings relating to the redesign of net metering to avoid cross-subsidization of electric service costs between classes of ratepayers; requiring the Public Service Commission to propose new net metering rules that comply with specified criteria by a certain date; authorizing certain customers who own or lease renewable generation before a specified date to remain under the existing net metering rules for a specified time, etc. RI 01/11/2022 Fav/CS CA RC	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 2
7	SB 352 Hooper (Similar H 263)	Construction Liens; Revising the threshold for determining whether certain direct contracts to repair or replace an existing heating or air-conditioning system are exempt from specified notice of commencement and applicability of lien requirements for authorities issuing building permits, etc. CA 11/03/2021 Favorable RI 01/11/2022 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0

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