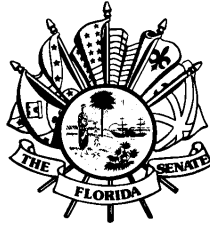


Senate Calendar

Friday, March 16, 2001

(2nd week -- 49 days remaining)

John M. McKay
President



Ginny Brown-Waite
President Pro Tempore

THE SENATE WILL CONVENE ON
Wednesday, March 21, 2001
9:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.

SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 12 - 16, 2001

(This is a schedule of times and places set by the Committee on Rules and Calendar and is subject to change.)

MONDAY March 12, 2001	TUESDAY March 13, 2001	WEDNESDAY March 14, 2001	THURSDAY March 15, 2001	FRIDAY March 16, 2001
<p>10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon App. Sub on Ed. Select Sub. Financial Aid Rm. 42 (SB)</p>	<p>8:00-9:00 a.m. Group V App. (NM)* App. Subs. on: Education (NM)* Ed. Select Sub. Fin. Aid Rm. 412 (KB) Gen. Gov. Rm. 301 (CB) Health & Human Services (MC)* P. S. & Jud. (MC)* Fin. & Taxation (NM)* 9:15-11:30 a.m. Group I Banking & Insurance Rm. 110 (SB) 9:15 a.m.-12:00 noon Group I Crim. Justice Rm. 37 (SB) Education Rm. 412 (KB)</p>	<p>8:00-9:00 a.m. Group V App. (NM)* App. Subs. on: Education Rm. 412 (KB) Gen. Gov. (MC)* Health & Human Services (MC)* P. S. & Jud. Rm. 42 (SB) Fin. & Tax. (NM)* 9:00 a.m.-until completion of agenda Senate President and the App. Com. Steering Group Rm. 413 (SB) 9:15 a.m.-12:00 noon Group IV Children & Families Rm. 37 (SB) E & E Rm. 412 (KB) Reg. Inds. Rm. 110 (SB)</p>	<p>8:00-9:15 a.m. Workshop on High Speed Rail Rm. 514 (KB) 8:00-9:00 a.m. App. Sub on Ed. Select Sub. Financial Aid Rm. 412 (KB) 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Group V App. (NM)* App. Subs. on: Gen. Gov. Rm. 301 (CB) Fin. & Tax. (NM)* 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Group V App. Subs on. Education Rm. 412 (KB) Public Safety & Judiciary Rm. 42 (SB)</p>	<p>8:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Group V App. (NM)* App. Subs. on: Education (MC)* Gen. Gov. (NM)* Health & Human Services (MC)* Public Safety & Judiciary (MC)* Finance and Taxation (NM)*</p>
LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE	LUNCH & DISTRICT OFFICE
<p>12:30-2:30 p.m. Jt. Legislative Auditing (MC)* 3:15-5:00 p.m. Group V App. (NM)* App. Subs. on: Education Rm. 412 (KB) Gen. Gov. (MC)* Public Safety & Judiciary (MC)* Finance and Taxation (NM)* 3:15-7:00 p.m. Group V App. Sub. on Health & Human Services Rm. 309 (CB)</p>	<p>12:15-3:00 p.m. Group II Com. & Econ. Opport. Rm. 110 (SB) Comp. Plan., Local & Mil. Affairs Rm. 309 (CB) Judiciary Rm. 412 (KB) 1:00-3:00 p.m. Group II Natural Res. Rm. 37 (SB) 3:15-5:00 p.m. Group V App. (NM)* App. Subs. on: Education (MC)* Gen. Gov. Rm. 301 (CB) P. S. & Jud. Rm. 42 (SB) Fin. & Tax. (NM)* 3:15-7:00 p.m. Group V App. Sub. on Health & Human Services Rm. 309 (CB)</p>	<p>12:15-3:00 p.m. Group III Gov. Oversight & Pro. Rm. 37 (SB) Health, Aging & L-T Care Rm. 110 (SB) Trans. Rm. 309 (CB) 12:45-2:00 p.m. Group III Ag. & C.S. Rm. 301 (CB) 3:15-5:00 p.m. Group V App. (NM)* App. Subs. on: Education Rm. 412 (KB) Gen. Gov. (MC)* P. S. & Jud. (MC)* Fin. & Tax. (NM)* 3:15-7:00 p.m. Group V App. Sub. on Health & Human Services Rm. 309 (CB)</p>	<p>9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Group V App. Sub. on Health & Human Services Rm. 309 (CB)</p>	

(MC)* =Meeting Canceled
(NM)*=Not Meeting

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2001 SESSION DATES AND DEADLINES

August	1, 2000	Deadline for filing claim bills (Rule 4.81)
January	7, 2001	Deadline for newly elected Senators to file claim bills (Rule 4.81)
February	20, 2001	12:00 noon, deadline for filing requests for drafts of general bills, <u>including requests for companion bills</u>
March	6, 2001	Regular Session convenes (Article III, section 3(b), Constitution)
March	6, 2001	12:00 noon, deadline for filing bills for introduction (Rule 3.7)
April	24, 2001	50th day—last day for regularly scheduled committee meetings (Rule 2.9)
April	30, 2001	All bills are immediately certified (Rule 6.8) Conference Committee Reports require only one reading (Rule 4.5)
May	4, 2001	60th day—last day of Regular Session (Article III, section 3(d), Constitution)

SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 19 - 23, 2001				
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MONDAY March 19, 2001	TUESDAY March 20, 2001	WEDNESDAY March 21, 2001	THURSDAY March 22, 2001	FRIDAY March 23, 2001
<p>9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Federal/State Summit See agenda</p> <p>5:00 p.m.-until completion of agenda Rules and Calendar Special Order Subcommittee Rm. 37 (SB)</p>	<p>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Group I Banking & Insurance Rm. 110 (SB) Criminal Justice Rm. 37 (SB) Education Rm. 412 (KB)</p>	<p>8:00 a.m.-until completion of agenda Democratic Caucus Rm. 228 (SB)</p> <p>9:00-11:00 a.m.</p> <p>SESSION</p> <p>11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Workshop on Automobile Insurance Rm. 37 (SB)</p>	<p>10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Group V Appropriations Rm. 412 (KB) Sub. on Education Rm. 412 (KB) Sub. on Gen. Gov. Rm. 301 (CB) Sub. on Health & Human Services Rm. 309 (CB) Sub. on Public Safety & Judiciary Rm. 42 (SB) Finance and Taxation Rm. 37 (SB)</p>	<p>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Group IV Children & Families Rm. 37 (SB) Ethics & Elections Rm. 412 (KB) Regulated Industries Rm. 110 (SB)</p>
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	<p>12:15-1:15 p.m. Group V Appropriations (NM)* Sub. on Education Rm. 412 (KB) Sub. on Gen. Gov. (NM)* Sub. on Health & Human Services Rm. 309 (CB) Sub. on Public Safety & Judiciary Rm. 42 (SB) Finance and Taxation (NM)*</p> <p>2:00-5:00 p.m. Group II Com. & Econ. Opport. Rm. 110 (SB) Comp. Planning, Local & Military Affairs Rm. 309 (CB) Judiciary Rm. 412 (KB) Natural Resources Rm. 37 (SB)</p>	<p>2:00-5:00 p.m. Group III Agriculture & Consumer Services Rm. 301 (CB) Gov. Oversight & Pro. Rm. 37 (SB) Health, Aging & Long-Term Care Rm. 110 (SB) Transportation Rm. 309 (CB)</p>	<p>4:00-5:00 p.m.</p> <p>SESSION</p>	

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 2001

APPROPRIATIONS: SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION (GROUP V): 8:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 412, Knott Building,

MEETING CANCELED

APPROPRIATIONS: SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (GROUP V): 8:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 309, Capitol,

MEETING CANCELED

APPROPRIATIONS: SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND JUDICIARY (GROUP V): 8:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 42, Senate Office Building,

MEETING CANCELED

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2001

RULES AND CALENDAR: SPECIAL ORDER SUBCOMMITTEE: 5:00 p.m.—until completion of agenda, Room 37, Senate Office Building:

To set the Special Order Calendar for Wednesday, March 21, 2001

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 2001

BANKING AND INSURANCE (GROUP I): 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Latvala, Chairman; Senator Holzendorf, Vice-Chairman; Senators Campbell, Carlton, Clary, Constantine, Dawson, Garcia, Geller, King, Posey, Rossin and Wasserman Schultz)

SB 1208 by Senator Latvala—Health Insurance
SB 1210 by Senator Latvala—Health Insurance
SB 0314 by Senator Campbell—Money Transmitter's Code
SB 1526 by Senator Constantine—Payday Advance Lenders (IF RECEIVED)
SB 0168 by Senator Wasserman Schultz and others—Equity in Health Coverage
SB 1260 by Senator King—Financial Institutions
SB 1398 by Senator Carlton—Unclaimed Property
SB 0992 by Senator Carlton—Dental Service Claims/Appeals
SB 1094 by Senator Campbell—Insurance/Pollution-Exclusion

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Monday, March 19, 2001, at 12:00 noon

CRIMINAL JUSTICE (GROUP I): 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Villalobos, Chairman; Senator Crist, Vice-Chairman; Senators Bronson, Burt, Meek, Silver and Smith)

SB 0518 by Senator Miller—Obtaining Property/False Personation
SB 0720 by Senator Carlton—Criminal Records/Obscene Materials
SB 0810 by Senator Laurent—Municipal Law Enforcement Officers
SB 0842 by Senator Campbell—Capital Case Staff Attorney Program
SB 0888 by Senator Campbell—Probation or Community Control
SB 0918 by Senator Sanderson—Juvenile Justice Funding
SB 0954 by Senator Dawson and others—Testing of Inmates for HIV
SB 1198 by Senator Webster—Crimes/Using Two-way Communications
SB 0084 by Senator Meek—Motorist Profiling Evaluation
SB 0540 by Senator Burt—White-Collar-Crime Victim Protection
SB 1194 by Senator Smith—Violation of Election Code

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Monday, March 19, 2001, at 12:00 noon

EDUCATION (GROUP I): 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 412, Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Pruitt, Chairman; Senator Miller, Vice-Chairman; Senators Cowin, Diaz de la Portilla, Dyer, Horne, Jones, Klein, Laurent, Lawson, Mitchell, Sebesta and Sullivan)

SB 0370 by Senator Miller—Schools/African-American History
SB 0820 by Senator Klein—Schools/Suspension
SB 0940 by Senator Pruitt—Tuition/Residency/National Guard
SB 1162 by Senator Sebesta—Florida Prepaid College Program
SB 1190 by Senator Sullivan—St. Petersburg Junior College
SB 1264 by Senator Mitchell—School Instruction/History of Labor
SB 1270 by Senator Miller and others—Pinellas Co. School Board
SB 0986 by Senator Sullivan—Education

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Monday, March 19, 2001, at 12:00 noon

APPROPRIATIONS: SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION (GROUP V): 12:15—1:15 p.m., Room 412, Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Sullivan, Chairman; Senators Dyer, Garcia, Holzendorf, Latvala, Miller and Webster)

SB 0746 by Senator Sullivan—Math & Science Teacher Education
CS/SB 1180 by the Committee on Education and Senator Pruitt—Scholarships/Students/Disabilities

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Monday, March 19, 2001, at 12:15 p.m.

APPROPRIATIONS: SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND

HUMAN SERVICES (GROUP V): 12:15—1:15 p.m.,
Room 309, Capitol:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Silver, Chairman; Senators Mitchell, Peaden, Sanderson and Saunders)

CS/CS/SB 0446 by the Committees on Children and Families, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Senator Constantine and others—Homelessness
SB 0682 by Senator Mitchell—Mental Health Treatment/Adults
CS/SB 1214 by the Committee on Children and Families and Senator Peaden—Foster Care
SB 0342 by Senator Clary and others— Drugs/Generic & Brand-Name

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Monday, March 19, 2001, at 12:15 p.m.

APPROPRIATIONS: SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND JUDICIARY (GROUP V): 12:15—1:15 p.m.,

Room 42, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Cowin, Chairman; Senators Burt, Dawson, Meek and Villalobos)

Budget work session

COMMERCE AND ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES

(GROUP II): 2:00—5:00 p.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Diaz de la Portilla, Chairman; Senator Klein, Vice-Chairman; Senators Brown-Waite, Cowin, Crist, Holzendorf, Meek, Miller, Sanderson and Saunders)

SB 1136 by Senator Posey and others— Telecommunications Companies
SB 0158 by Senator Brown-Waite—Enterprise Zones
SB 0668 by Senator Carlton—Enterprise Zones
SB 0818 by Senator Smith—Enterprise Zones/Boundaries
CS/SB 1130 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Latvala—Certified Capital Company Act
SB 0208 by Senator Geller—Consumer Protection
SB 1750 by Senator Klein—Emerging & Strategic Technologies(IF RECEIVED)
SB 0722 by Senator Diaz de la Portilla—Economic Development
CS/SB 0856 by the Committee on Agriculture and Consumer Services and Senator Wasserman Schultz—Florida Infant Crib Safety Act
CS/SB 0350 by the Committee on Children and Families, Senator Dawson and others—Individual Development Accounts

Discussion and testimony only on the following bill (no vote to be taken):

SB 1216 by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities—Economic Development

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Monday, March 19, 2001, at 2:00 p.m.

COMPREHENSIVE PLANNING, LOCAL AND MILITARY AFFAIRS (GROUP II): 2:00—5:00 p.m., Room 309, Capitol:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Constantine, Chairman; Senator Wasserman Schultz, Vice-Chairman; Senators Carlton, Clary, Geller, Lee and Rossin)

CS/SB 0442 by the Committee on Regulated Industries, Senator Latvala and others—Florida Mobile Home Act

SB 0674 by Senator Saunders—Volunteer & Community Service
SB 0916 by Senator Sanderson—State Veterans' Homes
SB 1212 by Senator Webster—Special Assessments/Mobile Home Park
SB 1020 by Senator Rossin—Non-Ad Valorem Assessments
SB 0336 by Senator Constantine—Statewide Unified Building Code
SB 0190 by Senator Clary—Building Code Revisions

At 3:30 p.m., or upon completion of the above referenced bills, the committee will discuss the following growth management issues:

True Cost Accounting
State, Regional and Local Roles
Citizen Involvement
Downtown Revitalization and Urban Development

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Monday, March 19, 2001, at 2:00 p.m.

JUDICIARY (GROUP II): 2:00—5:00 p.m., Room 412, Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Burt, Chairman; Senator Dyer, Vice-Chairman; Senators Campbell, Garcia, Horne, Jones, Peaden, Sebesta, Silver, Villalobos and Webster)

CS/SB 0108 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, Senator Geller and others—Structured Settlements/Transfers
CS/SB 0252 by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities and Senator King—Law Officer/Background Investigation
CS/SB 0268 by the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Silver—DNA Testing/Felony Offenses
SB 0778 by Senator Rossin—Lawyer Assistance Programs
SB 0886 by Senator Klein—Durable Powers of Attorney
SB 0890 by Senator Campbell—Mortgage-Foreclosure Proceedings
SB 0942 by Senator Pruitt—Broker's & Appraiser's Lien Act
SB 1016 by Senator Rossin—Guardianship
SB 1066 by Senator Peaden—Civil Actions/Admission of Liability
SB 1084 by Senator Villalobos—Decedent's Medical Records/Presuits
SB 1274 by Senator Burt and others—Learner's Driver's License

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Monday, February 19, 2001, at 2:00 p.m.

NATURAL RESOURCES (GROUP II): 2:00—5:00 p.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Bronson, Chairman; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chairman; Senators Dawson, King, Latvala, Laurent, Mitchell, Pruitt, Smith and Sullivan)

SB 1204 by Senator Bronson—Fish & Wildlife Conservation Comm.
SB 1296 by Senator Bronson and others—Land Acquisition & Management

Presentation by the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission on the requirements and fiscal impacts of the proposed settlement agreement relating to the lawsuit calling for additional manatee protection

Presentation by the St. Johns River Water Management District relating to the drought situation and water supply planning activities

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Monday, March 19, 2001, at 2:00 p.m.

OTHER MEETINGS

FEDERAL/STATE SUMMIT

March 19, 2001

9:30 a.m.—3:30 p.m.

9:30 a.m.—10:00 a.m. Opening Session (House Chamber):

Welcoming Remarks: Federal/State Strategy for Florida
(Introductions, Comments, and Overview of Workshops):

Speakers: Governor Jeb Bush
Senate President John M. McKay
House Speaker Tom Feeney

10:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Workshop sessions:

Session A: Health and Human Services (Reed Hall, Room 102,
House Office Building):

Medicaid—flexibility waiver/renewal
Prescription drugs
Kidcare—legal immigrant children funded through
SCHIP
Child welfare—Title IV E
TANF Reauthorization

Session B: Education (Morris Hall, Room 17,
House Office Building):

Reauthorization of the Elementary and Secondary
Education Act (ESEA)
Foreign Born Children—Emergency Immigrant
Education Programs (EIEP)
Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA)
School Construction

Session C: Agricultural and Environmental Issues (Room 404,
House Office Building):

Farm Bill
Citrus Canker
Development of Alternative Water Sources
Drought—Florida Emergency Management

Session D: Transportation and Economic Development
(Room 12, House Office Building):

Seaport and Ports Security
High Speed Rail
Other transportation funding issues

12:15 p.m.—1:45 p.m. Lunch

1:45 p.m.—3:30 p.m. General Session (House Chamber):

Moderators: Senate President John M. McKay
House Speaker Tom Feeney

1:45 p.m.—2:00 p.m. Report from Workshop Chairs

2:00 p.m.—2:15 p.m. Overview of Florida's Budget and Grants:

Speakers: Senator Jim Horne
Representative Carlos Lacasa

2:15 p.m.—2:50 p.m. Highlights of Anticipated Issues Before the
107th Congress:

Speakers: Congressman C. W. "Bill" Young
Congressman Clay Shaw
U.S. Senator Bob Graham

2:50 p.m.—3:15 p.m. Questions and Answers

Moderators: Senate President John M. McKay
House Speaker Tom Feeney

3:15 p.m.—3:30 p.m. Closing Comments: Lieutenant Governor
Frank Brogan

3:30 p.m. Adjourn

BILLS ON THE CALENDAR

BILLS ON THIRD READING

SB 276 by Senator Lee

Florida Statutes; deletes provisions which have expired, have become obsolete, have had their effect, have served their purpose, or have been impliedly repealed or superseded; corrects grammatical, typographical, & like errors; removes inconsistencies, redundancies, & unnecessary repetition in statutes; confirms restoration of provisions unintentionally omitted from republication in acts of Legislature during amendatory process, etc. Amends/Repeals/Reenacts FS. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Read the second time and amended on March 7, 2001

SB 278 by Senator Lee

Florida Statutes; deletes provisions which have expired, have become obsolete, have had their effect, have served their purpose, or have been impliedly repealed or superseded; replaces incorrect cross-references & citations; corrects grammatical, typographical & like errors; removes inconsistencies, redundancies, & unnecessary repetition in statutes; improves clarity of statutes & facilitates their correct interpretation, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Read the second time and amended on March 7, 2001

SB 280 by Senator Lee

Florida Statutes; deletes provisions which have expired, have become obsolete, have had their effect, have served their purpose, or have been impliedly repealed or superseded; replaces incorrect cross-references & citations; corrects grammatical, typographical, & like errors; removes inconsistencies, redundancies, & unnecessary repetition in statutes, etc. Amends/Repeals/Reenacts FS. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Read the second time and amended on March 7, 2001

SB 282 by Senator Lee

Florida Statutes; deletes provisions which have expired, have become obsolete, have had their effect, have served their purpose, or have been impliedly repealed or superseded; replaces incorrect cross-references & citations; corrects grammatical, typographical & like errors; removes inconsistencies, redundancies, & unnecessary repetition in statutes; improves clarity of statutes & facilitates their correct interpretation, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Read the second time and amended on March 7, 2001

SB 284 by Senator Lee

Florida Statutes; deletes provisions which have expired, have become obsolete, have had their effect, have served their purpose, or have been impliedly repealed or superseded; replaces incorrect cross-references & citations; corrects grammatical, typographical, & like errors; removes inconsistencies, redundancies, & unnecessary repetition in statutes; improves clarity of statutes & facilitates their correct interpretation, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Read the second time on March 7, 2001

SB 288 by Senator Lee

Florida Statutes; repeals provisions all of which have become inoperative by noncurrent repeal or expiration & , pursuant to specified provisions, may be omitted from Fla. Statutes 2001 only through reviser's bill duly enacted by Legislature; repeals provisions to conform to repeal of specified provisions. Repeals FS. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Read the second time and amended on March 7, 2001

SB 290 by Senator Lee

Florida Statutes; amends provisions to conform to directive in specified provision to remove gender-specific references applicable to human beings from Florida Statutes without substantive change in legal effect. Amends 11.90, 228.082, 445.004, 570.61, 893.138. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Read the second time on March 7, 2001

SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

CS/SB 94 by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Laurent

Consumer Collection Practices; prohibits certain communications with debtor who is represented by attorney; prohibits causing of charges to be made to debtor; revises civil remedies for engaging in prohibited collection practices; provides for damages in class actions; prescribes circumstances under which liability does not attach; provides limitation on bringing action for remedy for unlawful collection practices; provides applicability. Amends 559.72,.77. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, reports the Committee substitute favorably

SB 98 by Senator Campbell

Parental Rights; provides that specified rights apply to both parents. Amends 61.13. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with two amendments, by the Committee on Judiciary

CS/CS/SB 126 by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Natural Resources and Senator Brown-Waite

Xeriscape/Rain Sensor Devices; redefines term "Xeriscape"; prohibits certain restrictions on practice of Xeriscape; provides for operation & maintenance of rain sensor devices; prohibits homeowners' associations from restricting practice of Xeriscape. Amends 125.568, 166.048, 255.259, 335.167, 373.185, 62, 720.3075. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Natural Resources and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs

SB 130 by Senator Silver

Eminent Domain/Public School Purpose; authorizes municipalities to exercise power of eminent domain for public school purposes; provides for future repeal. Amends 166.411; repeals 166.411(11). Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and Education

SB 136 by Senator Campbell

Rules of Evidence/Sexual Battery; provides for certain rules of evidence applicable to criminal prosecution of crime of sexual battery to apply in any civil action brought under Florida Civil Rights Act involving perpetration or alleged perpetration of such crime. Amends 794.022. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary

CS/CS/SB 138 by the Committees on Children and Families, Judiciary, Senator Campbell and others

Adoption; amends specified provisions re petition & grounds for terminating parental rights & powers of disposition; removes authority of licensed child-placing agencies to file actions to terminate parental rights; allows biological relatives to have communication or contact with adopted child under certain circumstances; restricts certain criminal offenders from having minors placed in their homes for adoption, etc. Amends Chs. 39, 63, 984.03, 985.03. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Children and Families

SB 218 by Senator Horne

Mortgage Guaranty Insurance; revises minimum surplus requirements for mortgage guaranty insurers; revises limits on total liability & exposure to losses for such insurers; requires mortgage guaranty insurers to include certain information in audited financial reports required pursuant to certain provision; authorizes Insurance Dept. to take certain actions against mortgage guaranty insurer that is not in compliance. Amends 624.408, 635.042. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Banking and Insurance

SB 272 by Senator Klein

Law Enforcement Officers; provides exemption from civil or criminal liability for sale of imitation controlled substances by law enforcement officers & other persons acting at their direction. Amends 817.564. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Criminal Justice

SB 274 by Senator Lee

Official Florida Statutes Adoption; adopts Florida Statutes 2001 & designates portions thereof that are to constitute official law of state; provides that Florida Statutes 2001 shall be effective immediately upon publication; provides that general laws enacted during 1999 regular session & prior thereto & not included in Florida Statutes 2001 are repealed, etc. Amends 11.2421, 2422, 2424, 2425. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Rules and Calendar

SB 304 by Senator Pruitt

Deferred Compensation Programs; redefines term "employee," for purposes of participation in such programs, to include employees of constitutional county officers; prescribes duties of said officers re their employees; provides for negotiation of joint deferred compensation program for certain local employees currently eligible for participation in such programs & employees of constitutional county officers. Amends 112.215. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs

SB 410 by Senator Dawson and others

Schools/Emergency Preparedness; requires DOE to adopt rules for emergency drills which must be followed by each district school board. Amends 230.23. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education

SB 412 by Senator Bronson and others

Civil Actions/Firearms & Ammunition; provides legislative findings re lawful manufacture, distribution, & sale of firearms & ammunition; prohibits civil actions on behalf of state or other political subdivision against manufacturers, distributors, & dealers of firearms or ammunition & firearms trade associations; provides for actions by state or other political subdivision for breach of contract or warranty, etc. Creates 790.331. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Criminal Justice and Judiciary

CS/SB 424 by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Jones

Retired Judges or Justices; redefines term "retired justice" or "retired judge" re certain justices or judges assigned to temporary duty. Amends 25.073. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary

SB 426 by the Committee on Education

Univ. Health Services Support Org.; provides that university health services support organizations may enter into specified arrangements with other entities for benefit of university academic health sciences centers; provides for future review & repeal of provision re establishment of university health services support organizations. Amends 240.2995. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education

SB 520 by Senator Miller

Reading/Kindergarten-Grade 4; provides legislative intent re required reading instruction; requires each public elementary school to develop & implement programs for reading & literacy development in kindergarten through grade 4; requires DOE to provide technical support. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education

SB 536 by Senator Bronson

Demineralization Concentrate; reorganizes & clarifies specified section; directs DEP to enter into rulemaking; creates technical advisory committee to assist in rule development; provides permitting requirements re failure of toxicity tests due to naturally occurring constituents; provides exemption allowing demineralization concentrate mixing zones in Outstanding Florida Waters with specific requirements. Amends 403.0882. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources

SB 648 by Senator Garcia

Alcoholic Bev./Students/Curriculum; provides exemption for giving or serving to certain underage students alcoholic beverages that are delivered as part of required curriculum at accredited institution; provides exemption for possession of alcoholic beverages by underage students in specified circumstances. Amends 562.11,.111. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Regulated Industries

CS/SB 748 by the Committee on Ethics and Elections and Senator Clary

Elections Results; prohibits release of election results until polls close in all parts of state. Amends 101.5614,.68, 102.071. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Ethics and Elections

CS/SB 780 by the Committee on Education and Senator Dawson

Parental Consent/Medical Treatment; provides that student is exempt from certain services under school health services program if his or her parent or guardian requests such exemption in writing; limits transportation of student to medical treatment facility without parental consent. Amends 232.465, 234.02. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education

CS/SB 788 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Silver

Unfair Discrimination/Insurance; prohibits certain insurers from specified discriminatory acts based upon applicant or insureds having been or likelihood to become victim of specified abuse; provides exceptions. Amends 626.9541. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance

CS/SB 806 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Laurent

Insurance Examination/Exemptions; exempts applicant for license as customer representative from examination

requirements under certain conditions; exempts applicant for license as adjuster from examination requirements under certain conditions. Amends 626.221. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance

CS/SB 838 by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Saunders

Landlord & Tenant; increases time period within which landlord must return security deposit; exempts certain landlords from requirement to give notice to former tenants re personal property; provides exemption from real estate brokers & salespersons regulatory law; increases value of abandoned personal property that may be kept, sold, or destroyed by landlord; conforms notice provisions. Amends 83.49,.67, 475.011, 715.105,.106,.109. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary

CS/SB 938 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Peadar

Credit Insurance; authorizes issuance of credit life insurance licenses to lending or financial institutions & authorizes such licensees to sell credit insurance; deletes certain license requirements for institutions with multiple offices; requires certain disclosures to credit life insurance purchasers re cancellation of such coverage, etc. Amends 626.321, 627.679. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance

SB 946 by Senator Diaz de la Portilla

Key Largo Hammocks Botanical Site; changes name of Key Largo Hammocks State Botanical Site to "Dagney Johnson Key Largo Hammocks Botanical State Park". Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Natural Resources

CS/SB 1030 by the Committee on Natural Resources and Senator Bronson

Water Resources; requires DEP to adopt primary & secondary drinking water regulations for nontransient noncommunity water systems & transient noncommunity water systems; authorizes dept. to make loans to nonprofit transient noncommunity water systems; authorizes dept. to issue permits for altering or extending public water system based on size of system under certain circumstances, etc. Amends Ch. 403. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Natural Resources

SB 1058 by the Committee on Ethics and Elections and others

Vacancies in Office; defines term "qualify for office" for purposes of determining whether vacancy has occurred; requires certain persons appointed to office to be United States citizens; requires all officials making appointments that are subject to Senate confirmation to follow certain procedures; provides for filling certain vacancies on Public Service Commission. Amends 114.01,.04,.05, 350.031. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with two amendments, by the Committee on Ethics and Elections

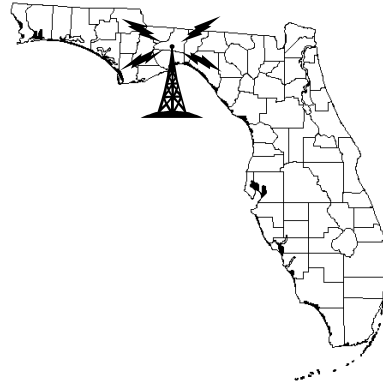
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