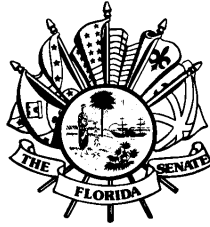


Senate Calendar

Thursday, May 3, 2001

(9th week -- 1 day remaining)



John M. McKay
President

Ginny Brown-Waite
President Pro Tempore

THE SENATE WILL CONVENE ON
Thursday, May 3, 2001
9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon or Upon the Call of the President
&
1:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 30 - MAY 4, 2001

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

MONDAY April 30, 2001	TUESDAY May 1, 2001	WEDNESDAY May 2, 2001	THURSDAY May 3, 2001	FRIDAY May 4, 2001
<p><u>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon</u></p> <p>SESSION</p>	<p><u>8:00-9:00 a.m. Group V</u> Appropriations <i>Pat Thomas</i> Committee Rm. 412 (KB)</p> <p><u>8:00 a.m.-until</u> completion of agenda Democratic Caucus Rm. 228 (SB)</p> <p><u>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon</u></p> <p>SESSION</p>	<p><u>8:00-9:00 a.m.</u> Conference Committee on CS/SB 1118 Rm. 37 (SB)</p> <p><u>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon</u></p> <p>SESSION</p>	<p><u>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon</u></p> <p>SESSION</p>	<p><u>9:00 a.m.-Sine die</u></p> <p>SESSION</p>
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<p><u>1:00-9:00 p.m.</u></p> <p>SESSION</p>	<p><u>12:15-12:45 p.m.</u> Group IV Ethics and Elections <i>Verle A. Pope</i> Committee Room 309 (CB)</p> <p><u>1:00-9:00 p.m.</u></p> <p>SESSION</p>	<p><u>1:00-9:00 p.m.</u></p> <p>SESSION</p>	<p><u>1:00-9:00 p.m.</u></p> <p>SESSION</p>	

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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)

DAILY ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Roll Call
2. Prayer
3. Reports of Committees
4. Motions relating to committee reference
5. Messages from the Governor and other executive communications
6. Messages from the House of Representatives
7. Matters on reconsideration
8. Consideration of Bills on Third Reading
9. Special order as determined by the Committee on Rules and Calendar
10. Consideration of Bills on Second Reading
11. Correction and approval of the Journal

BILLS ON CALENDAR

BILLS ON THIRD READING

CS/CS/SB 2108 by the Committees on Appropriations, Education, Senator Pruitt and others

Education Governance Reorganization; provides process for authorizing community colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs; requires Campus Board of University of South Florida St. Petersburg; adds to State University System the New College in Sarasota; redesignates St. Petersburg Junior College as "St. Petersburg College"; abolishes Board of Regents, State Board of Community Colleges, & Postsecondary Education Planning Commission, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

Read the second time and amended on April 25, 2001

CS/SB 1558 by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care and Senator Saunders

Health Care Practitioner Regulation; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides requirements for rules re biennial renewal of licenses; requires dept. to charge initial license fees; provides for administration of national examinations & termination of state-administered written examinations; provides limitation on duties of certain boards, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Read the second time and amended on April 30, 2001

CS/CS/SB's 336, 190 by the Committees on Appropriations, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Senators Constantine, Clary and others

Florida Building Code; (THIS BILL COMBINES S336,190) delays date by which relocatables used as classrooms must meet certain standards; specifies certain low-energy window standards for relocatable classrooms; exempts certain facilities from plans reviews & inspections by local governments; authorizes water well contractors to install, repair, or modify specified equipment in accordance with code; provides requirements for inspection of elevators, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

Read the second time and amended on May 1, 2001

CS/CS/SB 2120 by the Committees on Judiciary, Natural Resources, Senator Garcia and others

Water Resources; allows certain alternative water supply facilities to recover cost of such facilities through rate structures; authorizes water mgmt. districts to solicit donations; authorizes water mgmt. districts to lease certain personal property; provides for membership on Manasota Basin Board & for resolution of tie votes; provides child-adoption monetary benefits to water management district employees, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Read the second time and amended on May 1, 2001

CS/HB 339 by the Committee on Local Government & Veterans Affairs (SGC), Representative Mayfield and others

Certificate of Need/Heart Surgery; provides criteria for review of certificate-of-need application for establishment of adult open heart surgery program in county in which none of hospitals has existing or approved adult open heart surgery program; requires agreement that certain percent of Medicaid & charity patients be served; authorizes certain facilities to request exemption from certificate of need process, etc. Amends 408.043.,036. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

*Substituted for **SB 968** (Clary) and read the second time on May 2, 2001 and with pending amendment # 1 as amended by Senator Clary and pending substitute amendment # 2 by Senator Klein*

CS/CS/SB 268 by the Committees on Appropriations, Criminal Justice and Senator Silver

DNA Testing & Analysis; requires DLE to add certain felony offenses in scheduled order to DNA data banks's enumerated offenses; requires DOC to test certain violent felons in addition to those enumerated in statute before being released from custody. Amends 943.325. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

SJR 1700 by Senator Garcia and others

County Home Rule Charter; constitutional amendment to authorize amendments or revisions to Miami-Dade County Home Rule Charter by special law approved by vote of electors of Miami-Dade County & to conform references to county's current name. Amends s. 6, Art. VIII.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

*Similar to **CS/HJR 471** in the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and Rules and Calendar*

CS/SJR 2236 by the Committee on Appropriations, Senator Burt and others

Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund; constitutional amendment to authorize legislature to appropriate investment income from Lawton Chiles Endowment Fund as provided by general law & to limit use of principal of endowment fund to emergencies that relate to children's health or welfare programs or community-based health & human services. Creates s. 20, Art. X.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 1562 by the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Burt

Public Records/Tobacco Industry; provides that proprietary confidential business information used to negotiate or verify annual tobacco settlement payments are exempt from public records requirements; provides statement of public necessity. Creates 569.215. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

SB 330 by Senator Sullivan and others

Cigarette Taxes/H. Lee Moffitt; provides for payment of portion of cigarette taxes to Board of Directors of H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center & Research Institute to be used for certain purposes; provides for cross reference; abrogates repeal of certain provision re H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center & Research Institute. Amends 210.20.,201; revives & readopts 240.512. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/CS/HB 411 by the Council for Smarter Government, the Committee on Judicial Oversight (SGC), Representative Kyle and others

Mobile Homes; specifies amount of funds to be used to inspect & improve tie-downs for mobile homes; requires Fla. Land Sales, Condominiums, & Mobile Homes Div. to maintain specified records; requires that copies be provided within specified time after written request; revises provisions re statements in prospectus; provides for payment of relocation expenses if mobile home owner is required to move due to change in use of mobile home park, etc. Amends Chs. 215, 723. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

*Substituted for **CS/CS/SB 442** (Latvala) and read the second time on May 2, 2001*

CS/SB 1920 by the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Crist

Fla. Mobile Home Relocation TF; creates said trust fund within DBPR; provides purposes; provides funding; provides for legislative review & termination or re-creation of trust fund; requires that mobile home park owner make specified payments to trust fund upon change in use of mobile home park which requires mobile home owner to move; provides exceptions. Creates 723.06115.,06116. Effective Date: Contingent.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

*Identical to **HB 1265** in the Committees on Regulated Industries, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

HB 393 by the Committee on State Administration (SGC), Representative Brummer and others

Public Records/Marketing Projects; amends specified provision which provides exemption from public records requirements for identity of any person responding to marketing or research projects conducted by corporation & for trade secrets obtained pursuant thereto; reenacts such exemption & removes October 2, 2001, repeal thereof scheduled under OGSR Act of 1995. Amends 288.1226. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

*Substituted for **SB 456** (Diaz de la Portilla) and read the second time on May 2, 2001*

CS/HB 41 by the Committee on Local Government & Veterans Affairs (SGC) and Representative Argenziano

Water & Wastewater Systems; repeals provision which requires county rate proceedings to follow certain provisions of Administrative Procedure Act; requires Public Counsel to provide legal representation in proceedings before counties under certain circumstances; amends provision re recovery of rate case expenses. Amends 350.0611, 367.0816. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

*Substituted for **SB 344** (Brown-Waite) and read the second time on May 2, 2001*

CS/SB 436 by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity and Senator Garcia

Public Employee Optional Retirement; creates Public Employee Optional Retirement Program Trust Fund, to be administered by State Board of Administration as retirement trust fund not subject to termination under specified provision of State Constitution; provides for sources of moneys & purposes; authorizes board to adopt rules to maintain qualified status of said program in compliance with Internal Revenue Code, etc. Amends 121.4501; creates 121.4502. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

*Similar to **CS/CS/HB 503** in the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

CS/CS/SB 478 by the Committees on Appropriations, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Senator Pruitt and others

FRS/Public School Member; defines term "public school member" for purposes of Florida Retirement System; provides retirement benefits payable to public school members; provides retroactive applicability; provides for funding of revision of said system by this act; provides finding of important state interest. Amends 121.021, .091. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 422 by the Committee on Children and Families and Senator Garcia

Pre-K Early-Intervention Program; requires Florida Partnership for School Readiness to make recommendations to expand prekindergarten early-intervention program to provide access to at-risk 4-year old children on fee basis; requires report. Amends 230.2305. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

SB 878 by Senator Webster

Educator Professional Liability Ins.; provides legislative intent; requires educator professional liability insurance coverage for all full-time instructional personnel; provides for specific appropriations in General Appropriations Act; extends such coverage at cost to part-time instructional personnel & to all administrative personnel. Creates 231.800. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

*Similar to **CS/HB 409** in the Committees on Education, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on Education, and Appropriations*

CS/HB 1633 by the Committee on Education Innovation (LLC), Representative Attkisson and others

Student Assessment; revises provisions re designation of school performance grade categories; revises basis for such designations; revises provisions re statewide annual assessments; revises provisions re use of statistical system for assessment; provides DOE duties re identification of student learning gains, etc. Amends 229.57; reenacts 230.23(16)(c), 231.085(4), 231.17(15), 231.29(3)(a), 231.2905(4). Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

*Substituted for **CS/SB 988** (Sullivan) and read the second time on May 2, 2001*

CS/HB 277 by the Council for Lifelong Learning, Representative Atwater and others

Schools/Attendance/Learnfare Program; reestablishes Learnfare program; reduces temporary cash assistance based on failure to meet certain education participation requirements; requires conferences between Learnfare participants & school officials; requires development of electronic data transfer system; repeals specified provision re Learnfare program, etc. Creates 414.1251; amends 228.041, 230.23; repeals 414.125. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

*Substituted for **SB 1278** (Burt), read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001*

CS/SB 492 by the Committee on Criminal Justice, Senator Rossin and others

Firearm at School/Possession; requires that child found to have committed act of bringing firearm to school, to any school function, or onto any school-sponsored transportation be assigned to disciplinary program or second-chance school; requires that court retain jurisdiction over child during expulsion period; provides that sanctions pursuant to certain provision apply if child fails to comply with requirements of disciplinary program or second-chance school. Amends 230.235. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 872 by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity and Senator Garcia

Florida Retirement System; revises criteria for members employed as firefighters, emergency medical technicians, or paramedics; adds specified classes of members employed within correctional or forensic facility or institution; requires participation in Senior Management Service Class by assistant attorneys general; allows certain Special Risk Class members of FRS to purchase additional retirement credit, etc. Amends 122.0515, 121.052, .055, .4501. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/HB 245 by the Council for Healthy Communities, Representative Brummer and others

Parole Commission Reform Act of 2001; creates said act; deletes requirement that said commission have inspector general; requires DOC, rather than Parole Commission or Control Release Authority, to notify certain entities prior to inmate release; provides for deferral of conditional release supervision to probation or community control; clarifies requirement that commission impose restrictions re contact with children, etc. Amends Ch. 947, 20.055, 944.605; repeals 947.175, .177. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

*Substituted for **CS/SB 388** (Burt) and read the second time on May 2, 2001*

CS/CS/SB 1624 by the Committees on Appropriations, Commerce and Economic Opportunities and Senator King

Welfare Transition Trust Fund; creates said trust fund within Agency for Workforce Innovation; provides for sources of moneys & purposes; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

CS/CS/SB 2224 by the Committees on Appropriations, Banking and Insurance and Senator Clary

Labor & Employment Security; transfers Workers' Compensation Division from LES Dept. to Insurance Dept.; transfers various functions, powers, duties, personnel, & assets re workers' compensation to DOE, AHCA, & Insurance Dept.; provides for certain employees of division to be given hiring priority by DOI; provides pay & employment guidelines for such employees; creates Workers' Compensation Division in DOI, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

*Similar to **HB 1655** in the Committees on Banking and Insurance, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

CS/SB 1680 by the Committee on Children and Families and Senator Peadar

Sexually Violent Offenders; requires agency with jurisdiction over person convicted of sexually violent offense to provide earlier notice of offender's anticipated release; revises time for preparing assessment as to whether offender is sexually violent predator; requires CFS Dept. to detain sexually violent predators in secure facility segregated from other patients. Amends 394.913, .917. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 2012 by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Crist

Character Evidence/Child Molestation; revises provision of law governing character evidence to permit admission of certain evidence of defendant's commission of acts of child molestation under certain circumstances; provides definition. Amends 90.404. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

CS/HB 1385 by the Committee on State Administration (SGC), Representative Joyner and others

Public Meetings & Public Records; provides exemption from public meetings requirements for meetings or portions of meetings held by CFS Dept., Workforce Florida, Inc., a regional workforce board, or local committee at which personal identifying information contained in records re temporary cash assistance which identifies participant, participant's family, or participant's family or household member is discussed, etc. Creates 414.106, .295; amends 445.007. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

*Substituted for **CS/CS/SB 2178** (Peadar) and read the second time on May 2, 2001*

CS/CS/SB 738 by the Committees on Agriculture and Consumer Services, Transportation and Senator King

T. Mark Schmidt Off-Highway Vehicles; creates T. Mark Schmidt Off-Highway-Vehicle Safety & Recreation Act; provides for publication & distribution of guidebook; provides for repair, maintenance, & rehabilitation of areas, trails, & lands; prohibits use of all-terrain vehicles on public roadways in state; creates Fla. Off-Highway-Vehicle Titling & Registration Act; provides for noncriminal infractions, etc. Amends 316.2074, 375.315; creates Ch. 261. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/CS/SB 1092 by the Committees on Criminal Justice, Banking and Insurance, Senator Campbell and others

Insurance/Public Records Illegal Use; provides criminal penalty for use of certain report information for commercial solicitation; imposes registration requirements for certain clinics; authorizes Health Dept. to adopt rules for certain purposes; prohibits solicitation of specific persons involved in motor vehicle crashes; specifies certain charges as unlawful & unenforceable, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

SB 486 by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities

Public Records/Business Info./Taxes; abrogates scheduled repeal of public records exemption for specified business information received under qualified defense contractor & qualified target industry tax refund programs; makes listing of tax information covered by public records exemption consistent with program's terms & conditions; provides confidentiality for information concerning taxes paid by businesses while participating in programs, etc. Amends 288.1066. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

SB 1958 by Senator Latvala

Public Records/Judges/Comp. Claims; exempts from public record requirements certain information obtained by Administrative Hearings Div. in investigating complaints against judges of compensation claims; provides for applicability of confidentiality provisions; authorizes furnishing of information under certain conditions; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 440.45. Effective Date: Contingent.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

HB 1157 by Representative Miller and others

Department of State Registry; directs DCA & Dept. of State to conduct study of lighthouses in state; authorizes Dept. of State to waive certain advertising requirements; deletes requirement that certain law enforcement agencies notify Dept. of State of certain arrests & incarcerations; specifies Fla. Secured Transaction Registry as place for certain filings; establishes Fla. Secured Transaction Registry, etc. Amends 15.16, 288.809, .816, 679.401, 901.26; creates 679.4015. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

*Substituted for **SB 2126** (Garcia), read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001*

HB 387 by the Committee on State Administration (SGC), Representative Brummer and others

Sports-Related Industries/Records; amends certain provision which provides exemption from public records requirements for identity of donors & prospective donors to direct-support organization authorized to assist in promotion of sports-related industries; reenacts such exemption & removes October 2, 2001, repeal thereof scheduled under OGSR Act of 1995. Amends 288.12295. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

*Substituted for **SB 454** (Diaz de la Portilla) and read the second time on May 2, 2001*

CS/SB 2028 by the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Burt

Corporation/Production of Records; provides requirements for production of records by out-of-state corporation upon issuance of subpoena, court order, or search warrant pertaining to such records; provides requirements for said corporations seeking to quash subpoena or warrant; requires said corporations to verify authenticity of records such corporations are required to produce; provides requirements for production of certain records by certain Fla. corps., etc. Creates 92.605. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

CS/HB 1803 by the Council for Competitive Commerce, the Committee on Insurance (CCC), Representative Waters and others

Workers' Compensation; requires judge of compensation claims to consider interests of worker & worker's family when approving settlements of workers' compensation claims; requires appropriate recovery of any child support arrearage from such settlements; excludes certain sports officials from definition of "employee"; excludes certain work done by state prisoners & county inmates from definition of "employment", etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

*Substituted for **CS/SB 1926** (King), read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001*

SB 484 by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities

Public Records/Economic Development; expands definition of term "economic development agency" to include, for purposes of confidentiality of records, Fla. Commercial Space Financing Corp. & any public economic development agency of county or municipality; abrogates scheduled repeal of public records exemption for information concerning business location, relocation, or expansion plans; clarifies exception to confidentiality provided by such exemption, etc. Amends 288.075. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 822 by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity and Senator Dyer

Government Accountability; provides that property of state or monetary recovery made on behalf of state is not subject to lien; clarifies current requirement that contractor on certain state contracts must allow access to public records unless records are exempt; provides for injunctions without bond when sought by state or its agencies; authorizes Risk Management Division to enter into indemnification agreements for supersedeas bonds, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/CS/SB 856 by the Committees on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, Agriculture and Consumer Services, Senator Wasserman Schultz and others

Florida Infant Crib Safety Act; creates said act; prohibits commercial users from manufacturing, remanufacturing, retrofitting, selling, contracting to sell or resell, leasing, or subletting specified cribs determined to be unsafe for use by infants; prohibits transient public lodging establishments from offering or providing for use specified cribs determined to be unsafe for use by infants, etc. Creates 501.144, 402.3031; amends 509.221; reenacts 509.032. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/CS/SB 858 by the Committee on Appropriations and the Committee on Children and Families

Domestic Violence; requires CFS Dept. to provide training on domestic violence & child protection to specified professionals by specified date; requires dept. to collect & analyze data on effectiveness of domestic violence consultants; requires OPPAGA to conduct examination of batterer's intervention programs; specifies requirements of study, etc. Amends 39.903,.904, 741.30. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

HB 403 by the Committee on State Administration (SGC) and Representative Brummer

Public Record/Pawnbroker Transaction; amends provision which provides exemption from public records requirements for records re pawnbroker transactions delivered to appropriate law enforcement officials; reenacts such exemption & removes October 2, 2001, repeal thereof scheduled under OGSR Act of 1995. Amends 539.003. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

*Substituted for **SB 804** (Villalobos) and read the second time on May 2, 2001*

CS/SB 1056 by the Committee on Children and Families and Senator Dawson

Relative Caregiver Program; amends provision re Relative Caregiver Program; revises list of eligible children to include otherwise eligible children for whom state is paying relative caregiver payment; amends provision re workforce development postsecondary student fees; exempts certain children in custody of relative from payment of postsecondary undergraduate fees, etc. Amends 39.5085, 230.2305, 239.117, 240.235,.35. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/CS/SB 1312 by the Committees on Judiciary, Health, Aging and Long-Term Care and Senator Saunders

Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term "physical handicap" with term "handicap"; revises provisions re pharmacy wholesaler permits; specifies that screenings for specified medical disorders must be performed by state Public Health Laboratory, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

*Similar to **CS/HB 475** in the Committees on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Judiciary, Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Appropriations*

CS/CS/SB 1204 by the Committees on Finance and Taxation, Agriculture and Consumer Services and Senator Bronson

Fish & Wildlife Conservation Comm.; recognizes Railroad Retirement Board for making certain disability determinations; renames depredation endorsements as depredation permits; provides for legislative appointments to Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Comm. & Gulf States Marine Fisheries Comm.; encourages release & feeding of certain quail; deletes requirements for use of certain fees to subsidize private landowner payment program, etc. Amends Chs. 370, 374, 372. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 1458 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Klein

Public Records/Insurer Receiverships; exempts certain records that come into possession of DOI pursuant to insurer receivership proceedings from inspection or disclosure as public records in order to protect privacy interests of insureds; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Creates 631.195. Effective Date: Contingent.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 1528 by the Committee on Judiciary, Senator Geller and others

Agric. Crops/Damage or Destruction; provides that certain agricultural growers or producers shall have right to recover damages as result of willful & knowing damage or destruction of specified agricultural products; provides considerations & limits in award of damages; provides for costs & attorney's fees; prohibits trespass upon specified legally posted agricultural sites; provides penalty, etc. Creates 604.60; amends 810.09; reenacts 260.0125(5)(b), 810.011(5)(b). Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 1542 by the Committee on Finance and Taxation and Senator Sebesta

Document Excise Tax/Exemption; exempts certain transfers of homestead real property that involve spouses & that create tenancy by entireties from tax on deeds & other instruments re real property or interests therein; provides that certificate of title issued by clerk of court in judicial sale of real property pursuant to foreclosure proceedings shall be subject to said tax, etc. Amends 201.02. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 1560 by the Committee on Natural Resources, Senator Peaden and others

Administrative Procedures; increases limitations on attorney's fees & costs; revises requirements for pleadings, motions, & other papers filed under Administrative Procedure Act; directs DEP & State Technology Office to establish pilot project to test cost-effectiveness of publications of notices on Internet in lieu of publication in Florida Administrative Weekly; directs Dept. of State to publish notice of pilot project, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 1466 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Sanderson

Public Records/Motor Vehicle Crashes; provides exemption from public-records requirements for motor vehicle crash reports that reveal specified information; provides that such reports may be made available to certain parties; provides for future review & repeal; provides penalties for unlawful disclosure of confidential information & for unlawfully obtaining or attempting to obtain confidential information; provides findings of public necessity. Amends 316.066. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

*Similar to **CS/HB 1805** in the Committees on Banking and Insurance, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations*

HB 1635 by Representative Goodlette

Environmental Control; grants DEP additional enforcement powers for aquatic plant control; revises judicial & administrative remedies for violations of environmental laws; provides for administrative penalties; requires DEP to report to Legislature; provides for legislative review; provides for membership on Manasota Basin Board & for resolution of tie votes. Amends Ch. 403, 369.25, 373.0693. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

*Substituted for **CS/CS/SB 1664** (Laurent) and read the second time on May 2, 2001*

CS/SB 1720 by the Committee on Appropriations and Senator King

Administrative Trust Fund; creates said trust fund within Agency for Workforce Innovation; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Creates 20.505. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

SB 1738 by Senator Bronson

One-Stop Permitting System/Internet; directs DEP & State Technology Office to establish pilot project to test cost-effectiveness of publication of notices on Internet in lieu of publication in Florida Administrative Weekly; directs Dept. of State to publish notice of pilot project; provides for role of State Technology Office in developing program for on-line procurement of commodities & contractual services, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

CS/SB 1750 by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, Senator Klein and others

Economic Development; creates "Florida Emerging & Strategic Technologies Act"; provides legislative findings re relationship between availability of capital & development of high-technology businesses; specifies that certain entities may operate project located in research & development park & financed under Fla. Industrial Development Financing Act; revises duties re Digital Media Education Coordination Group, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Read the second time and amended on May 2, 2001

HB 1429 by Representative Byrd and others

Cardiac Arrest Survival Act; creates said act; provides definitions; provides immunity from liability for certain persons who use automated external defibrillators under certain circumstances; provides exceptions; repeals provision re Good Samaritan Act, to delete reference to use of automatic external defibrillator in certain emergency situations; revises provision of law re said defibrillators to conform to act. Creates 768.1325; amends 401.2915; repeals 768.13(4). Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

*Substituted for **CS/CS/SB 1966** (Sullivan) and read the second time on May 2, 2001*

SB 514 by Senator Burt and others

Use of Public Record Information; provides that it is misdemeanor of first degree to use public record, or information obtained from public record, to facilitate commission of misdemeanor of first degree; provides that it is felony of third degree to use public record, or information obtained from public record, to facilitate commission of felony, etc. Creates 817.569; amends 921.0022. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Read the second time on May 2, 2001

SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR AS DETERMINED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND CALENDAR FOR THURSDAY, MAY 3, 2001

CS/SB 1188 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance

Insurance/Workers' Compensation; revises exemptions from requirement for employers to obtain workers' compensation coverage; specifies value of nonprofessional attendant care provided by family member that is reimbursable; revises procedures for resolving benefit disputes & filing petitions for benefits; repeals provision which creates Workers' Compensation Oversight Board; eliminates requirement that Chief Judge select judges to rotate as docketing judges, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations

SB 1906 by Senator Latvala

Insurance; provides additional exception to requirement that minimum of 2 months' premium be collected to issue policy or binder for motor vehicle insurance; authorizes insurers that finance premiums for certain policies to charge interest or service charge at specified rate on unpaid premiums on those policies. Amends 627.7295,.902. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Banking and Insurance

SB 1314 by Senator Saunders

Public Records/Parents ID/Newborns; provides exemption from public records requirements for information that identifies parents who leave newborn infants at emergency medical services stations; provides exception; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 383.51. Effective Date: Contingent.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and reported favorably, with two amendments, by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar

*Similar to **HB 477** in the Committees on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and Rules and Calendar*

CS/CS/SB 2214 by the Committees on Finance and Taxation, Judiciary and Senator Burt

Tobacco-Settlement Agreements; specifies procedures by which tobacco manufacturer may become participating manufacturer; provides for signatories to specified settlement agreement to be participating manufacturers; imposes supplemental permit fee on wholesale dealers; provides for calculation of fee; provides for deposit of proceeds of supplemental fee, etc. Amends 17.41, 20.435, 210.15,.20, 215.5601,.5602. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

With pending amendment # 1 by Senator Brown-Waite and pending substitute amendment # 2 by Senators Latvala and Brown-Waite (May 2, 2001)

CS/CS/SB 1470 by the Committees on Judiciary, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Senator Cowin and others

Judicial Nominating Commissions; revises procedures for appointment of members to each commission; prohibits judges from serving; restricts appointment of members & former members to judicial offices; requires Governor, in making appointments, to seek to ensure racial, ethnic, gender, & geographical diversity of membership; requires consideration of county representation on circuit judicial nominating commissions, etc. Creates 43.291; amends 112.3145; repeals 43.29. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

*Similar to **CS/HB 367** in the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Judiciary, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

HB 1737 by the Fiscal Responsibility Council and Representative Johnson

Growth Management; clarifies language; provides for compilation & transmittal by local govt. of list of persons who will receive information statement concerning state land planning agency's notice of intent to find comprehensive plan or plan amendment in compliance or not in compliance; revises requirements re publication by agency of its notice of intent; deletes requirement that notice be sent to certain persons, etc. Amends 163.3184,.3187. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations

SB 1710 by Senator Webster

Schools/Performance Reporting; requires designation & publication of district performance grades; revises minimum requirements of Fla. Education Finance Program to include minimum classroom expenditure requirements & associated reporting; authorizes Legislature to require school district that fails to meet minimum academic performance standards to meet district minimum classroom expenditure requirements, etc. Amends 229.57, 236.02, 237.041, .081; creates 236.08102. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Education and Appropriations Subcommittee on Education and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

Similar to **HB 1545** in Messages

CS/CS/SB 1276 by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Transportation and Senator Lee

Driver's Licenses/Co. Tax Collectors; provides legislative intent re delivery of driver's license services; authorizes county tax collectors to serve as exclusive agents of HSMV; provides application process for county tax collectors to serve as exclusive agents; creates Cost Determination & Allocation Task Force & establishes duties & responsibilities; provides for development of transition plans to transfer certain responsibilities to tax collectors. Amends 322.02, .135. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Transportation and Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

Similar to **CS/CS/HB 1121** in Messages

CS/SB 986 by the Committee on Education, Senator Sullivan and others

New College/Sarasota/USF; adds to State University System the New College in Sarasota; creates fiscally autonomous campus of University of South Florida in Sarasota; requires Campus Board of University of South Florida Sarasota/Manatee; authorizes separate accreditation; provides powers & duties of Campus Board & Campus Executive Officer; provides procedure for preparing budget request; provides for central-support-services contracts & letter of agreement. Amends 240.2011. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education reports the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation and withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar

CS/SB 1780 by the Committee on Appropriations and Senator Horne

Sharpening the Pencil Act; creates said act; provides legislative findings & intent; provides for school district assessment; directs Legislature to designate school districts to receive fully funded best financial management audit & education outcome assessment; provides for "Seal of Best Financial Management" for school districts using best financial management practices; provides process for creation of land acquisition & facilities advisory boards, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Education and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/SB 2096 by the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Sullivan

CPA/License Reinstatement; provides authority for reinstatement of certain licensees whose licenses have become void. Amends 473.313. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Regulated Industries and withdrawn from the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

SB 2114 by Senator Clary and others

Historic Preservation; eliminates general provisions re historic preservation boards of trustees & responsibilities of Dept. of State with respect thereto; eliminates Historic Pensacola Board of Trustees; provides powers & duties of Historical Resources Div.; requires employment of state archaeologist; requires employment of state historic preservation officer & other personnel; creates Florida Historical Commission, etc. Amends Chs. 266, 267, 607, 872. Effective Date: 01/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

Similar to **HB 1419** in the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations

CS/SB 1534 by the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Crist

Department of Corrections; revises requirements for dept. re calculating credit allowed to defendant for time served; provides for disciplinary hearing officer rather than disciplinary committee to determine forfeiture of gain-time; requires that dept.'s Inspector General review use of force by dept. employees; revises amount of surcharge paid to dept. by offenders placed on community control, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, reports the committee substitute favorably, with one amendment and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/CS/CS/SB's 310, 380 by the Committees on Appropriations, Finance and Taxation, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Senators Constantine and Carlton

Growth Management; (THIS BILL COMBINES S310,380) requires that membership of all local planning agencies or equivalent agencies that review comprehensive plan amendments & rezonings include nonvoting representative of district school board; provides legislative intent & findings re public educational facilities element; provides for levy of local government infrastructure surtax & school capital outlay surtax by supermajority vote, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committee on Natural Resources and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation and withdrawn from Rules and Calendar

CS/CS/SB 1374 by the Committees on Appropriations, Ethics and Elections, Senator Carlton and others

Elections; removes provisions re voting systems that use voting machines or paper ballots; requires supervisors of elections & Dept. of State to report on overvotes & undervotes following general election; revises deadlines for certification of election results; modifies information that must be included on absentee ballot; provides for design of statewide voter registration database & requirements for database, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Ethics and Elections, and Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation and withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar

CS/SB 386 by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Campbell

Uniform Commercial Code; cites act as Uniform Commercial Code-Secured Transactions; provides definitions & general concepts; provides for effectiveness & attachment of security agreements; provides for perfection & priority of security interests; prescribes rights of third parties; prescribes filing procedures for perfection of security interest, etc. Amends Chs. 671, 672, 674, 675, 677, 678, 679, 680. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary and withdrawn from the Committees on Banking and Insurance, Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Agriculture and Consumer Services, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations

*Similar to **HB 579** in the Committees on Judiciary, Banking and Insurance, Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Agriculture and Consumer Services, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

CS/SB 524 by the Committee on Criminal Justice, Senator Burt and others

Criminal Use of Personal Information; provides that willful & fraudulent use of personal identification information of another individual is felony of second degree if value of pecuniary benefit services received, payment sought to be avoided, or injury or fraud perpetrated is of specified amount or more; provides for reclassification of certain offenses involving criminal use of said information if offense was facilitated by use of public record, etc. Amends 817.568, 921.0022. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

*Similar to **HB 1845** in the Committees on Criminal Justice, Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations*

SB 1380 by Senator Laurent

Public Records/Agricultural Records; provides exemption from public records requirements for individual agricultural records that are reported to Agriculture & Consumer Services Dept.; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 403.067. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Agriculture and Consumer Services, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Appropriations, and Rules and Calendar

CS/SB 1330 by the Committee on Education, Senator Miller and others

Student Financial Assistance; creates Vocational Student Assistance Grant Program; authorizes alternative payment procedures for loan forgiveness program; extends & places limit upon eligibility period for Fla. Bright Futures Scholarship Program; provides conditions for awards to students in programs that confer post-baccalaureate degrees, etc. Amends Ch. 240, 231.621, 295.01,.02; repeals 240.465(5). Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education reports the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

*Similar to **CS/CS/HB 1509** in the Committees on Education, Appropriations Subcommittee on Education, and Appropriations*

SB 636 by Senator Pruitt and others

HS Letter Grades & Grade Points; alters required ranges of percentage grades that equate to letter grades & grade points. Amends 232.2463. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education and reported favorably, with two amendments, by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

SB 1948 by Senator Crist

Drivers' Licenses/Selective Service; provides for compliance with federal requirements by certain applicants for drivers' licenses or identification cards; directs HSMV to forward certain information to federal Selective Service System re certain applicants; provides described notice to applicants; directs dept. to include described statement on certain applications for drivers' licenses or identification cards. Creates 322.0515. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Transportation and Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

*Identical to **HB 635** in Messages*

CS/SB 2172 by the Committee on Appropriations, Senator Sullivan and others

State Universities; requires approval of certain student fee modifications, rather than just increases, by certain committees; provides for establishment of student governments at each state university with authority to establish certain procedures & to provide for election or removal of student government officers; provides for student governments at community colleges; conforms provisions, etc. Amends Ch. 240, 447.203, .301. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/SB 1010 by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs and Senator Garcia

Public Libraries; extends repeal date of provision authorizing operating grants; requires Division of Library & Information Services to facilitate extension of free library services through interlocal agreement; requires reports. Amends 257.17. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with two amendments, by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Governmental reports the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

*Identical to **CS/HB 337** in Messages*

CS/SB's 128, 1598 by the Committee on Finance and Taxation, Senators Lee, King and others

Tax on Intangible Personal Property; (THIS BILL COMBINES S128,1598) increases exemptions for taxpayers who are natural persons; creates exemptions for taxpayers who are not natural persons. Amends 199.185. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

HB 21 by Representatives Fasano, Kyle and others

Intangible Personal Property Taxes; reduces rate of annual tax; reduces rates of tax on securities in Florida's Future Investment Fund, to conform; increases exemptions for taxpayers who are natural persons; creates exemptions for taxpayers who are not natural persons. Amends 199.032, .033, .185. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 156 by the Committee on Finance and Taxation and Senator Cowin

Sales Tax/Clothing & School Supplies; specifies period during which sale of clothing & school supplies shall be exempt from such tax; defines terms "clothing" & "school supplies" for purposes of exemption; provides for rules. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

*Similar to **HB 251** in the Committees on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, Finance and Taxation, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

CS/SB 256 by the Committee on Transportation, Senator Mitchell and others

Transportation Disadvantaged TF; imposes fee for registration of certain trucks, trailers, & motorcycles & for tag transfers & temporary tags to be deposited into Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund. Amends 320.03. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably, with two amendments and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 1772 by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities and Senator Diaz de la Portilla

Black Business Investment Board; provides that board shall be not-for-profit corporation & not entity of state government; expresses legislative intent that board & black business investment corporations include minority business enterprises within scope of their duties, responsibilities & activities & report on their progress in assisting such business enterprises; provides intent re operation of board & return on investment, etc. Amends Ch. 288. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, and withdrawn from the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Rules and Calendar, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations

CS/SB 1816 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Klein

Insurer Rehabilitation & Liquidation; provides construction & purposes; specifies application to certain persons & entities; limits application of certain time restrictions; provides for tolling certain time limitations in certain actions; vests DOI with certain rights as receiver; includes certain costs & expenses of dept. in costs & expenses entitled to be recovered by receiver under certain circumstances, etc. Amends Ch. 631, 626.9541; creates 817.2341. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

HB 1707 by the Fiscal Responsibility Council and Representative Dockery

Energy Management; removes provisions which direct DMS to provide for energy management plan for state agencies, & which require state agencies to submit certain energy data to dept.; provides that dept. may develop such plan. Amends 255.257. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations

HB 1711 by the Fiscal Responsibility Council, Representative Dockery and others

DMS/Construction Management Services; eliminates authority of DMS to enter into contracts with nonstate entities for construction management services; repeals specified provision to conform. Repeals 255.31(3), 235.017(2)(e). Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations

HB 1717 by the Fiscal Responsibility Council and Representative Dockery

Dairy Industry Division; eliminates Dairy Industry Division within Agriculture & Consumer Services Dept.; repeals provisions re powers & duties of said division & qualifications & duties of director of division; amends provisions to conform; includes powers & duties of division within powers & duties assigned to Food Safety Div. of said dept.; renames Food Safety Div. to Dairy & Food Safety Div. Repeals 570.40,.41; amends 20.14, 570.18,.29,.50,.51. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations

HB 1719 by the Fiscal Responsibility Council, Representative Dockery and others

DMS/Motor Vehicles/Aircraft; revises language re powers & duties of DMS; authorizes department to contract for maintenance of motor vehicles; deletes reference to special purpose aircraft re annual report to Legislature. Amends 287.16. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations

HB 1741 by the Fiscal Responsibility Council, Representative Maygarden and others

Children & Family Services; adds Seminole Co. to list of counties whose sheriffs provide protective investigative services; modifies definition of "support coordinator" in provisions re developmental disabilities; adds another category of families eligible for cash assistance, for federal reporting purposes; provides for transfer of certain funds to CFS Dept. for prevention of domestic & sexual violence, etc. Amends Chs. 39, 393, 414, 938, 943; repeals 402.185. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Withdrawn from the Committee on Children and Families, and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

HB 1743 by the Fiscal Responsibility Council and Representative Ball

Juvenile Justice Advisory Board; repeals certain provisions which created Juvenile Justice Advisory Board; amends certain provisions to remove references to said board. Repeals 985.401; amends 20.316, 216.136, 985.227,.315,.317,.404. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Withdrawn from the Committee on Criminal Justice and reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations

SJR 124 by Senator Burt

Excessive Punishment; constitutional amendment to prohibit cruel & unusual punishment rather than cruel or unusual punishment, to provide that death penalty is authorized punishment for any capital crime designated by Legislature, to allow any method of execution not prohibited by Federal Constitution, to provide that Legislature may designate methods of execution, to authorize retroactive application of change in any method of execution, etc. Amends s. 17, Art. I.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar

*Similar to **HJR 951** in the Committees on Criminal Justice and Rules and Calendar*

CS/SB 812 by the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Crist

Death Sentence/Age Requirement; provides that only criminals who were 17 years of age or older at time crime was committed may be sentenced to death; amends provision to conform. Creates 921.1415; amends 775.082. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

SB 430 by Senator Dyer

Driving Under Influence; requires that certain license suspensions remain in effect for prescribed time period; provides for admission of certain minors into county addictions-receiving facilities under certain circumstances; clarifies blood-alcohol & breath-alcohol level that is unlawful; provides for temporary driving permit to become effective after specified period has elapsed following issuance of permit, etc. Amends 322.2616. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Transportation and Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

*Similar to **HB 29** in the Committees on Transportation, Criminal Justice, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

CS/SB 402 by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Burt

Probate; provides for right of inheritance re adoption; revises language re recovery of payments made on behalf of certain Medicaid-eligible persons; amends provisions re opening of decedent's safe-deposit box & re Florida Probate Code; adds protected homestead property as exclusion to elective estate; modifies formula for determining fair market value of assets re elective share, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

*Similar to **CS/HB 137** in the Committees on Judiciary, Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations*

CS/SB 678 by the Committee on Transportation, Senator Klein and others

Reckless Driving/Penalties; provides penalties for reckless driving resulting in damage to property or person or serious bodily injury; provides definition. Amends 316.192. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Criminal Justice reports the committee substitute favorably, with one amendment and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

SB 696 by Senator Campbell and others

Criminal Use of Personal Information; provides that willful & fraudulent use of personal identification information of another individual is felony of second degree if value of pecuniary benefit resulting from such use is of specified amount or more. Amends 817.568. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

CS/SB 1002 by the Committee on Appropriations and Senator Cowin

Department of Corrections; transfers Office for Certification & Monitoring of Batterers' Intervention Programs from DOC to CFS Dept.; transfers authority for certain fee assessment & collection from DOC to CFS Dept.; removes offenders under pretrial intervention from state employee status pursuant to specified provisions when participating in work program; provides for counties to supervise pretrial intervention offenders, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Withdrawn from the Committees on Criminal Justice and Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation and withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar

CS/SB's 1080, 950 by the Committee on Criminal Justice, Senators Villalobos, Smith and others

Burglary; (THIS BILL COMBINES S1080,950) provides legislative findings & intent; provides for retroactive operation; revises definition of burglary. Creates 810.015; amends 810.02; reenacts 943.325(1)(a). Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

*Identical to **HB 953** in Messages*

CS/SB 846 by the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Campbell

Felony Offenses; provides enhanced penalty for offense of fleeing or eluding law enforcement officer if, in course of violation, defendant causes serious bodily injury to another; ranks offense of aggravated fleeing or eluding; prohibits certain acts by movers involving shipper's household goods; provides penalty, etc. Amends 316.1935, 921.0022; creates 812.158; reenacts 318.17, 322.61. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

SB 1634 by Senator Burt

Unlawful Activities/Driver's License; prohibits person from knowingly selling, manufacturing, or delivering, or offering to sell, manufacture, or deliver, any blank, forged, stolen, fictitious, counterfeit, or unlawfully issued driver's license or identification card or any instrument in similitude of such license or such card; provides penalty; authorizes investigations of violations of this section. Amends 322.212. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Transportation and Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

CS/SB's 1708, 1626 by the Committee on Criminal Justice, Senators Bronson and Burt

DOC/Law Enforcement Officers; (THIS BILL COMBINES S1708,1626) authorizes secretary of DOC to designate as law enforcement officers employees of department's inspector general's office who are certified as law enforcement officers; prescribes powers & duties of employees so designated. Amends 944.31. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

CS/SB 1968 by the Committee on Appropriations and Senator Mitchell

Law Enforcement Radio Operating TF; creates State Law Enforcement Operating Trust Fund; provides for its purposes; transfers current trust fund balance; provides for review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Amends 282.1095. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 if enacted by 3/5ths vote of each house of legislature.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

SB 1980 by Senator Burt

Criminal Justice Programs; provides for deposit of certain court-cost proceeds into FDLE Operating Trust Fund; prescribes authorized uses of assets in such fund; transfers criminal justice program of DCA to FDLE; provides for latter dept. to adopt rules re program; transfers Prevention of Domestic & Sexual Violence Program from DCA to CFS Dept.; provides for funding for program. Amends 938.01, 943.25. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Criminal Justice, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

*Similar to **HB 1731** in the Committees on Criminal Justice, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Finance and Taxation, Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations*

CS/SB 682 by the Committee on Appropriations and Senator Mitchell

Mental Health Treatment/Adults; directs CFS Dept. to develop & implement pilot project to provide client-directed & choice-based mental health treatment & support services to certain adults; requires independent evaluation; provides evaluation criteria; requires reports; provides for expiration. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Children and Families, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

*Identical to **HB 421** in the Committees on Children and Families, Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Appropriations*

CS/CS/SB 792 by the Committees on Appropriations, Health, Aging and Long-Term Care and Senator Silver

Health Care Administration Agency; provides for agency to pay for health insurance premiums for certain Medicaid-eligible persons & for specified cancer treatment; provides Medicaid eligibility for certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; authorizes agency to pay for assistive-care services; requires Medicaid Pharmaceutical & Therapeutics Committee to recommend preferred drug formulary, etc. Amends Ch. 409. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Rules and Calendar, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Appropriations

CS/SB 904 by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Senator Garcia and others

Public Records/Drugs; provides exemption from public records law for certain records re supplemental drug rebates; provides exemption from public meetings law for certain portions of meetings of Medicaid Pharmaceutical & Therapeutics Committee; provides for future legislative review & repeal; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: Contingent.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, reports the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar

SB 1230 by Senator Peaden

Adoption & Medical Asst. Compact; creates Interstate Compact on Adoption & Medical Assistance; provides authority for CFS Dept. to enter into interstate agreements with other participating states for medical & other necessary services for special-needs children; establishes procedures for interstate delivery of adoption assistance & related services & benefits; prohibits expansion of state's financial commitment, etc. Creates 409.406, .407. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Children and Families, and reported favorably by the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/SB 1368 by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity and Senator Cowin

Adoption Benefits/State/WMD Employee; specifies employees of state or water management districts who are entitled to receive such benefits for adopting special-needs child; deletes references to water mgmt. employees; prescribes manner of establishing amount of such benefits; provides that rules for administering such adoption benefits may provide for application process, etc. Amends 110.152, .15201, 215.32; creates 373.6065. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 1734 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Rossin

Public Records/Personal/Medical; provides exemption from public-records requirements for specific information re financial or medical records of insureds & consumers which are in possession of DOI; provides for future review & expiration date; provides findings of public necessity. Creates 627.3111. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and Rules and Calendar

CS/CS/SB 1814 by the Committees on Criminal Justice, Judiciary and Senator Burt

Substance Abuse Treatment Programs; provides legislative intent re development of treatment-based drug courts; requires each judicial circuit to establish one or more said courts within any of divisions of circuit; creates Fla. Association of Drug Court Professionals; provides for defendant to be transferred to drug-treatment program in another county; provides pretrial substance abuse treatment & intervention program, etc. Amends 910.035, 948.08; creates 948.16. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Judiciary and Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

Similar to CS/HB 199 in the Committees on Criminal Justice, Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

CS/CS/SB's 1960, 1760 by the Committees on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Banking and Insurance, Senators Latvala and King

Health Care; (THIS BILL COMBINES S1960,1760) provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; revises grounds for disapproval of insurance policy forms; amends definitions used in Fla. Comprehensive Health Association Act & revises criteria for eligibility for coverage from association; revises coverage, benefits, covered expenses, premiums, & deductibles of association, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 641.31. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Appropriations

SB 2216 by Senator Lawson and others

Food Stamp Eligibility/Vehicles; provides methodology for valuing vehicles as assets for purposes of food stamp eligibility; provides rulemaking authority; provides deadline for implementation. Amends 414.31. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Children and Families, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Appropriations

CS/HB 415 by the Council for Smarter Government, Representatives Lynn, Byrd, Kyle and others

Adoption; removes authority of licensed child-placing agencies to file actions to terminate parental rights; provides additional requirements for petition for adoption; allows biological relatives to have communication or contact with adoptive child under certain conditions; provides for placement of minor pending adoption; specifies grounds upon which parental rights may be terminated; creates Paternity Registry, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

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

CS/SB 910 by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator King

Administrative Procedure; redefines term "small business party"; increases limitation on attorney's fees & costs; revises requirements for pleadings, motions, & other papers filed under Administrative Procedure Act; redefines term "improper purpose" for determining award of attorney's fees; provides that water management district orders resulting from certain evidentiary hearings are not subject to specified review, etc. Amends Ch. 120, 57.111, 373.114, 403.412. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with three amendments, by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/CS/SB 294 by the Committees on Judiciary, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Senator Sanderson and others

Fair Housing Act; allows Mortgage Revenue Bond Program to be included in federal fair housing definition of elder housing; includes housing for homeless in eligible housing under Fla. Affordable Housing Guarantee Program; provides that facility or community claiming exemption from said act re familial status for housing for older persons shall register with Fla. Commission on Human Relations, etc. Amends 420.503, .5088, .5092, 760.29, .31. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and Judiciary and withdrawn from the Committees on Finance and Taxation, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations

*Similar to **CS/HB 19** in the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Judiciary, Finance and Taxation, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

CS/SB 348 by the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Geller

Condominiums/Election; amends provision re alternative dispute resolution procedures to provide for expedited handling of any allegation of irregularity in election of any director of board of administration of condominium; revises provisions re declarations for creation of condominium; revises provisions re material alterations of common elements or association real property operated by multicondominium association, etc. Amends Ch. 718, 702.09. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Regulated Industries and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 2 by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Senator Burt and others

FRS/Average Final Compensation; redefines term "average final compensation" re Fla. Retirement System; provides for repurchase of prior service credit for certain members of Special Risk Class or Special Risk Administrative Support Class of FRS who retired or terminated employment before July 1, 2000; provides for actuarial funding of benefits; provides declaration of important state interest. Amends 121.021, .091. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

HB 1821 by the Fiscal Responsibility Council, Representative Murman and others

State Retirement Contributions; changes contribution rates for specified classes & subclasses; changes employer contribution rates for participants in State University System optional retirement program, Community College optional retirement program, & Senior Management Service optional annuity program; provides legislative intent; recognizes excess actuarial assets to fund costs & rate reductions, etc. Amends 121.051, .052, .055, .071, .35, .40, 240.3195. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Appropriations

SB 432 by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs

Livable-Communities Certification; provides for livable-communities certification program; provides for certification criteria; eliminates state review of certain local comprehensive plan amendments within certified areas. Amends 163.3244. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with five amendments, by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/CS/SB 460 by the Committees on Finance and Taxation, Commerce and Economic Opportunities, Senator Clary and others

Economic Development; revises certain procedures & conditions re sales tax exemption for enterprise-zone building materials & business property; provides for reduction or waiver of certain financial match requirements in rural areas by Rural Economic Dev. Initiative agencies & organizations; removes December 31, 1999, deadline for creation of satellite enterprise zones by certain municipalities & authorizes creation of such zones, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, and Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

*Identical to **HB 1225** in the Committees on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, Finance and Taxation, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

SB 768 by Senator Sanderson

Public Records/Local Government/WMD; provides exemptions from public records requirements for specified identifying information re local government or water management district humanresource, labor relations, or employee relations directors, assistant directors, managers, or assistant managers & their spouses & children; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 119.07. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and Rules and Calendar

CS/SB 874 by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity and Senator Garcia

Information Technology; creates State Technology Office within DMS; provides that specified officers within said office are exempt from career service; provides that office shall set salaries & benefits for those positions in accordance with rules of Selected Exempt Service; provides that office shall be separate budget entity within DMS; eliminates provisions re special monitoring process for designated information resources management projects, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Appropriations, and Rules and Calendar

*Similar to **HB 1811** in the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

SB 1022 by Senator Cowin and others

Open Contracting Act; provides short title & purpose; prohibits state, & any political subdivision, agency, or instrumentality of state, from engaging in specified activities under certain procurement or contracting circumstances; authorizes challenge of certain procurement or contracting documents or agreements; provides for award of costs & attorney's fees under certain circumstances. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 876 by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity and Senator Garcia

State Technology Resource; requires State Technology Office to assess technological needs of agencies & to evaluate contracts; requires state agencies to participate in on-line procurement program; requires State Technology Office to determine criteria for exceptions to participation; authorizes collection of fees for use of procurement program; authorizes creation of State Strategic Information Technology Alliances, etc. Amends 287.042,.057,.0731. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Appropriations, and Rules and Calendar

SJR 1176 by Senator Horne

Economic Impact Statement/Voting; constitutional amendment to require Legislature to provide by general law for provision of economic impact statement to public prior to public voting on amendment or revision of Florida Constitution. Amends s. 5, Art. XI.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, and withdrawn from the Committees on Finance and Taxation, and Rules and Calendar

*Similar to **HB 571** in Messages*

CS/SB 1812 by the Committee on Appropriations and Senator Mitchell

Technology Enterprise Trust Fund; creates said trust fund within DMS; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for creation of reserve account; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Amends 282.20; creates 282.23. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

*Similar to **HB 1919** in the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

CS/SB 1896 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Constantine

Mortgage Brokers & Lenders; defines term "principal representative"; provides license renewal educational requirements for licensees & principal representatives; expands scope of mortgage business schools to include training for other persons; requires brokerage experience requirements for principal brokers; requires licensees to submit certification of completion of certain educational requirements by certain persons, etc. Amends Ch. 494. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

*Similar to **CS/HB 455** in Messages*

CS/SB 1914 by the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Smith

Juvenile Justice; revises juvenile justice continuum to include community-based residential commitment programs; provides legislative goals re educational services within Juvenile Justice Dept. programs; provides for prearrest, postarrest, or teen court diversion program expunction in certain circumstances; requires DNA analysis of persons who have committed certain offenses & who are transferred to state under Interstate Compact on Juveniles, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

*Compare to **CS/CS/HB 267** in Messages*

CS/CS/SB 2056 by the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Transportation and Senator Sebesta

Transportation Dept.; creates turnpike enterprise; increases debt-service cap on transfer of 7 percent of state transportation revenue to Right-of-Way Acquisition & Bridge Construction Trust Fund; authorizes certain entertainment expenditures for seaports; establishes Safe Paths to School program; creates process by which governmental entities & sign owners may enter into relocation & reconstruction agreements re outdoor advertising signs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Transportation and Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 2044 by the Committee on Transportation and Senator Burt

Wrecker Liens; prohibits issuance of license plates or revalidation stickers to persons against whom wrecker operator's lien has been filed; provides procedures for said operators to notify HSMV of existence of said lien & provides procedures for discharge of such liens; requires dept. to maintain list of persons against whom such liens are filed & prohibits issuance of license plates or revalidation stickers to such persons, etc. Amends 320.03, 713.78. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary reports the committee substitute favorably, with one amendment and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

*Similar to **HB 757** in the Committees on Transportation, Judiciary, Finance and Taxation, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

CS/SB 2074 by the Committee on Natural Resources and Senator Brown-Waite

Environmental Control; provides exemption from permitting requirements for removal of organic detrital material from certain freshwater rivers or lakes; provides exemption from permits for certain floating vessel platforms; requires DEP to adopt general permit by rule for such platforms after January 1, 2002, which meet certain conditions. Amends 403.813. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

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

SB 2004 by Senator Horne

Education; provides legislative intent for certain career & technical education programs within comprehensive programs of study in high schools; provides for industry-certification, for certain required courses & activities; requires certain programs & career-development activities to assist counselors; revises personnel classification title; provides for funding of certain programs, etc. Amends Chs. 228, 229, 236, 239. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Education and Commerce and Economic Opportunities, and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/SB 2124 by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs and Senator Garcia

Public Records/Archaeological/Culture; provides exemption from public records requirements for information identifying location of specified archaeological sites; provides expiration date; provides finding of public necessity. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, reports the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar

*Similar to **HB 1565** in the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and Rules and Calendar*

CS/SB 892 by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity and Senator Garcia

Public Records/Exemption; provides exemption from public-records requirements for identifying information re database for deferred presentment providers which is created & maintained by Banking & Finance Dept. under certain provision; provides exceptions; provides for future review & repeal; provides findings of public necessity. Effective Date: Contingent.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Appropriations, and Rules and Calendar

CS/SB 934 by the Committee on Education, Senator Clary and others

Fla. Academic Improvement TF/Grant; creates Florida Academic Improvement Trust Fund matching grant program; provides legislative intent; requires Education Commissioner to specify certain procedures; specifies uses of funds; provides for disbursement of funds; provides for administration of funds. Creates 236.1226. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education reports the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/SB 930 by the Committee on Education, Senator Clary and others

Florida Academic Improvement TF; creates Florida Academic Improvement Trust Fund within Education Dept.; provides sources of funds; specifies uses of funds; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Creates 236.12265. Effective Date: Contingent.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education reports the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/SB 978 by the Committee on Transportation and Senator Burt

Seaport Security; provides for minimum security standards for seaports; requires seaports to implement seaport security plans; requires DLE to adopt rules for specific security standards; provides requirements for such rules; provides requirements for criminal-history checks on applicants for employment or current employees of seaport; provides for seaport to request waiver or variance from particular standard, etc. Amends 311.12. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation and withdrawn from the Committees on Natural Resources, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Appropriations, and Rules and Calendar

CS/CS/CS/SB 1068 by the Committees on Finance and Taxation, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Transportation and Senator Sebesta

Hwy. Safety/Motor Vehicles/Vessels; allows certain energy-saving vehicles to travel in high-occupancy vehicle lanes; revises powers & duties of traffic crash investigation officers; authorizes HSMV to affix decal on rebuilt vehicles; revises provisions re filing of liens on motor vehicles & mobile homes; amends procedures to be followed when complaint of unfair cancellation of dealer agreement has been made by motor vehicle dealer against licensee, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Transportation, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 1246 by the Committee on Natural Resources and Senator King

North Florida State Reserve; establishes said reserve; directs Recreation & Parks Div. of DEP to develop multipurpose recreational opportunities & provide supervision of area; allows public hunting; authorizes State Lands Div. to acquire adjacent or contiguous property; requires State Lands Div. to notify persons with easements in area; requires report; authorizes & directs construction of certain facilities, subject to appropriations. Creates 258.166. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Natural Resources and the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, reports the committee substitute favorably, with one amendment and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

SB 1382 by Senator Laurent

Real Estate Brokers; expands definition of term "broker"; specifies additional actions for which Florida Real Estate Commission may institute disciplinary action; prohibits specified breach of fiduciary duties & provides penalties therefor, etc. Amends 475.01,.25,.42; reenacts 468.383(7), 475.25(1)(h),.274. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Regulated Industries and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 1234 by the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Sebesta

Florida State Boxing Commission; authorizes commission to require posting of bond or other form of security by concessionaires; requires one member of said commission to be licensed physician; increases penalty for participating in or promoting toughman or badman competition; authorizes commission to require submission of fingerprint cards; requires provision of urine samples by participants under specified circumstances, etc. Amends Ch. 548. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Regulated Industries and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

SB 1408 by Senator Brown-Waite and others

Citrus/Hernando Waterways Council; creates Citrus/Hernando Waterways Restoration Council; provides for membership, powers, & duties; provides for separate county task forces; provides for report to Legislature; provides for advisory group to council; requires SWFWMD to provide staff for council; provides for award of contracts subject to appropriation of funds; provides for Citrus/Hernando Waterways restoration program; provides for demonstration restoration projects. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with three amendments, by the Committee on Natural Resources and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations

*Similar to **CS/HB 161** in the Committee on Natural Resources*

CS/SB 1410 by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity and Senator Posey

Abolishment of Boards/Other Entities; abolishes State Lottery Commission, State Retirement Commission & deletes provisions re its duties, Asbestos Oversight Program Team, Task Force on Privacy & Technology created by State Technology Office, Creek Indian Council, Cardiac Advisory Council, Medical Advisory Council under Fla. State Boxing Commission, Agriculture & Livestock Fair Council, & other entities. Amends FS. Effective Date: 06/30/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Appropriations, and Rules and Calendar

*Similar to **CS/HB 501** in the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Appropriations, and Rules and Calendar*

CS/SB 1342 by the Committee on Education, Senator Klein and others

Public Student Assistance Grant; creates Florida Public Student Assistance Grant program for part-time students; provides for rulemaking by State Board of Education; provides purpose; provides eligibility criteria; requires participating institutions to report certain information to DOE; requires department to allocate to public postsecondary institutions funds to be distributed under this program. Creates 240.401. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education reports the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

SB 1616 by Senator Latvala and others

Lighthouses/Study; directs DCA & Dept. of State to conduct study of lighthouses in state; provides requirements of study; provides for planning & funding responsibilities; directs each department to make budget request for funding purposes. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations

CS/CS/SB 2066 by the Committees on Judiciary, Regulated Industries, Senator King and others

Athlete Agents; revises licensure requirements; provides for service of process on nonresident agents; provides for temporary licenses; revises contract requirements; provides for cancellation of contracts; revises provisions re civil remedies available to colleges & universities for violations of athlete agent regulations; repeals provision re authority to require continuing education by athlete agents, etc. Amends Ch. 468. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Regulated Industries and Judiciary and withdrawn from the Committees on Finance and Taxation, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations

SB 1648 by Senator Mitchell

Onsite Sewage Treatment & Disposal; provides for regulation by Health Dept. of maintenance entities for performance-based treatment systems & aerobic treatment unit systems; requires such systems to contract with permitted maintenance entity; provides duties of such entities; reduces operating permit fee for aerobic treatment units & provides operating permit & maintenance entity permit fees for performance-based treatment systems, etc. Amends 381.0065,.0066. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Appropriations

*Similar to **HB 1863** in Messages*

SB 1620 by Senator Sanderson

Dept. of State/Filing Fee; authorizes department to discount filing fee in amount equal to convenience charge imposed for electronic record filing by way of contractor; waives charge for late filings of supplemental corporate fees when business entity did not receive uniform business report prescribed by department. Amends 15.16, 607.193. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, and withdrawn from the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 1670 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Constantine

Security for Public Deposits; revises general provisions re collateral for public deposits; prescribes requirements for Federal Reserve Bank agreements; specifies grounds for suspending or disqualifying qualified public depository; provides for deposit into Public Deposits Trust Fund of draw on letters of credit held as collateral; provides collateral requirements for letters of credit issued by Federal Home Loan Bank, etc. Amends Ch. 280; creates 280.071. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, reports the committee substitute favorably, with three amendments and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

*Similar to **HB 625** in the Committees on Banking and Insurance, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

SB 254 by Senator Saunders

Public Medical Assistance; reduces annual assessment on hospital outpatient services to fund public medical assistance; reduces annual assessment on certain other health care entities to fund public medical assistance; provides for annual appropriations to replace funds lost due to such reductions. Amends 395.701, .7015. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with two amendments, by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and withdrawn from the Committees on Finance and Taxation, Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Appropriations

*Similar to **CS/HB 55** in the Committees on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Finance and Taxation, Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Appropriations*

CS/SB 2210 by the Committee on Regulated Industries, Senator Campbell and others

Business & Professional Regulation; renames Fla. Land Sales, Condominiums, & Mobile Homes Div. as Condominiums, Timeshare, & Mobile Homes Div.; provides for registration of talent agencies in lieu of licensure; abolishes Barbers' Board & Board of Cosmetology; revises provisions re licensure as electrical or alarm system contractor; revises provisions re civil remedies available to colleges & universities for violations of athlete agent regulations, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Regulated Industries and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations

CS/CS/SB 1612 by the Committees on Education, Banking and Insurance, Senator Latvala and others

Hurricane Loss Mitigation Program; specifies amount of funds to be used to inspect & improve tie-downs for manufactured/mobile homes; requires DCA to contract with administrative entity; revises process for establishing advisory council; provides for annual report; extends future repeal of section. Amends 215.559. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 1310 by the Committee on Agriculture and Consumer Services, Senator Klein and others

Animal Fighting or Baiting; prohibits additional acts associated with animal fighting or baiting; provides for seizure, impoundment, & euthanasia of animals under certain conditions; provides penalties. Amends 828.122. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Agriculture and Consumer Services, and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, reports the committee substitute favorably, with one amendment and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/SB 1902 by the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Constantine

Food Service Employee Training; revises provisions re food service employee training programs; provides for audits & revocation of training program approval; provides rulemaking authority; repeals provision re special transfer restrictions & transfer fees pertaining to alcoholic beverage licenses issued after specified date. Amends 509.049; repeals 561.32(6). Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Regulated Industries and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

SB 22 by Senator Silver

Relief/Joseph Arvay/Vero Beach; provides for relief of Joseph Arvay; directs City of Vero Beach to compensate Mr. Arvay for injuries caused by negligence of city police officer. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 20 by Senator Villalobos

Relief/Calderons/Miami-Dade Co.; provides for relief of Jessica Ann Calderon, Sean Ryan Calderon, & Lily Ann Calderon; authorizes & directs Miami-Dade Co. to compensate them for death of Roberto Luis Calderon which was caused by negligence of Miami-Dade Co. employee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 50 by Senator Diaz de la Portilla

Relief/Oscar Ortiz/Miami; provides for relief of Oscar Ortiz for injuries & damages sustained as result of negligence of City of Miami. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Criminal Justice and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

*Similar to **HB 821** in the Committees on The Special Master on Claim Bills, Criminal Justice, and Finance and Taxation*

CS/SB 1614 by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs and Senator Latvala

Local Govt. Utilities Assistance Act; cites act as "Local Government Utilities Assistance Act"; establishes pilot program; provides for administration by DEP; provides for criteria for acquiring certain private water-wastewater utilities; provides for transfer of certain moneys from Solid Waste Management Trust Fund to program; provides for distribution of such moneys for certain purposes; requires DEP to submit report on pilot program to Governor & Legislature, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Natural Resources and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

*Identical to **CS/HB 589** in the Committees on Natural Resources, Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations*

**RESOLUTIONS TO BE
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SR 2384 by Senator King

Friends of our Nation's Heroes; acknowledges & honors efforts of "Friends of our Nation's Heroes" to pay well-deserved tribute to all of America's armed services veterans, past, present, & future.

SR 2390 by Senator Dawson

Orr, Dr. Dorothy Jackson; congratulates Dr. Dorothy Jackson Orr on her outstanding achievements.

**SENATE BILLS ON
SECOND READING**

CS/SB 6 by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care and Senator Campbell

Relief/Minouche, Jean, & Flora Noel; provides for relief of Minouche Noel, minor, & her parents & natural guardians, Jean & Flora Noel, for injuries sustained due to negligence of Children's Medical Services of Dept. of Health & Rehabilitative Services; provides for use of such funds; provides for reversion to state. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably, with one amendment

SB 8 by Senator Clary

Relief/McIntires/DOT; provides for relief of Billie Jo McIntire, Sarah McIntire, & Christian McIntire for wrongful death of Jeffrey McIntire due to negligence of DOT. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Transportation and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 32 by Senator Rossin

Relief/Jones & Fergusons; provides for relief of Kharmlia Ferguson, minor, & for relief of Angela Jones & Raymond Ferguson, individually & as natural parents & guardians of Kharmlia Ferguson; authorizes & directs Palm Beach Co. Sheriff's Office to compensate them for injuries they suffered as result of negligence of employee of sheriff's office. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with three amendments, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with three amendments, by the Committee on Criminal Justice and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 36 by Senator Campbell

Relief/Steven Mitchell/Volusia Co.; provides for relief of Steven Mitchell; authorizes & directs Halifax Hospital Medical Center, special taxing district in Volusia Co. d/b/a Halifax Medical Center to compensate Mr. Mitchell for personal injuries that he suffered while at Halifax Medical Center. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 40 by Senator Campbell

Relief/Laura D. Strazza; compensates Laura D. Strazza for injuries she sustained as result of negligence of employee of Agric. & Consumer Services Dept. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably by the Committee on Agriculture and Consumer Services, and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 42 by the Committee on Finance and Taxation, Senator Campbell and others

Relief/Kimberly Godwin/CFS Dept.; compensates Kimberly Godwin for injuries she sustained as result of negligence of Children & Family Services Dept.; specifies use of funds; requires reversion of funds to state. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with two amendments, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with two amendments, by the Committee on Children and Families, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 56 by Senator Campbell

Relief/Lawrence Bigney; provides for relief of Lawrence Douglas Bigney; authorizes & directs Sheriff's Office of Palm Beach Co. to compensate him for personal injuries suffered due to unlawful acts of employee of sheriff's office. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably by the Committees on Criminal Justice and Finance and Taxation

SB 62 by Senator Dyer

Relief/Alana Kelly & Richard Taylor; provides for relief of Alana Kelly & Richard F. Taylor, Sr.; compensates them for death of their son, Richard F. Taylor, Jr., caused by negligence of Hillsborough County School Board employee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Education and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 68 by Senator Jones

Relief/Hilda De Paz/Miami-Dade Co.; provides for relief of Hilda De Paz; authorizes & directs Miami-Dade Co. to compensate Hilda De Paz for personal injuries she suffered due to negligence of county employees. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 74 by Senator Pruitt

Relief/James Torrence; provides for relief of James Torrence; authorizes & directs Palm Beach Co. Health Care District to compensate him for personal injuries resulting from surgery negligently performed by health care district employee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 76 by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Campbell

Relief/Margaret B. Helm/Martin Co.; provides for relief of Margaret B. Helm for injuries & damages sustained as result of negligence of Martin Co. Volunteer Fire Dept.; specifies use of funds appropriated; provides for reimbursement of Medicaid & Brain & Spinal Cord Injury Program expenditures. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably

SB 78 by Senator Campbell

Relief/Hopkins & Bowman; provides for relief of Towanna Denise Hopkins, incompetent, by & through Willie Lee Hopkins, her father & legally appointed guardian, & of Robert Keith Bowman, Jr., her son; authorizes & directs Board of Regents, University of South Florida, & USF Health Sciences Center Insurance Company to compensate them for injuries & damages caused by employees or agents of University of South Florida; specifies use of funds. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 156 by the Committee on Finance and Taxation and Senator Cowin

Sales Tax/Clothing & School Supplies; specifies period during which sale of clothing & school supplies shall be exempt from such tax; defines terms "clothing" & "school supplies" for purposes of exemption; provides for rules. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

Similar to <sb123>HB 251<eb123> in the Committees on Commerce and Economic Opportunities, Finance and Taxation, Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, and Appropriations

CS/CS/SB 170 by the Committees on Appropriations, Agriculture and Consumer Services, Senator Geller and others

Citrus Canker Eradication; requires Agriculture & Consumer Services Dept. to administer residential citrus canker compensation program; provides for sources of funds; provides for homeowners to receive compensation for citrus trees removed on or after specified date as part of citrus canker eradication program; provides eligibility criteria for receiving compensation; requires that dept. notify homeowners of program & develop dispute-resolution process, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Agriculture and Consumer Services, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/CS/SB 180 by the Committees on Judiciary, Criminal Justice and Senator Silver

Computer & Computer-related Crimes; provides definitions; repeals provision which provides definitions; prescribes offenses against computer equipment or supplies, computers, computer systems, & computer networks; provides penalties; adds violations of computer & computer-related crimes under Computer-Related Crimes law; expands subject-matter jurisdiction of statewide grand jury to include violations of said crimes, etc. Amends Ch. 815, 16.56, 905.34. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

CS/SB 200 by the Committee on Ethics and Elections and Senator King

Military & Overseas Voter Protection; creates "Military & Overseas Voter Protection Act"; states legislative intent; provides for registration of certain recently discharged or separated military personnel & family members; provides for absentee ballots for overseas voters; provides for absentee ballot requests & voting via electronic transmission by overseas voters under certain circumstances; extends deadline for submission of county returns, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Appropriations, and Rules and Calendar

SB 244 by Senator Lawson

Relief/Patsy & Valentino Baucco; compensates them for injuries & damages they sustained as result of negligence of DOT employee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Transportation and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 316 by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Senator Campbell and others

Sovereign Immunity/Self-Insurance; provides that state, agency, or subdivision thereof may settle judgement or claim within limits of self-insurance fund; clarifies that any defense of sovereign immunity is not waived as result of providing specified risk-management program. Amends 768.28. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and Finance and Taxation, report the committee substitute favorably and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

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

CS/SB 448 by the Committee on Ethics and Elections and others

Absentee Ballots; redefines term "absent elector"; modifies information on absentee ballot requests; modifies absentee ballot certificates; modifies instructions to absent electors & modifies information that must be included on such ballot; repeals provision re returning absentee ballots; deletes prohibition against persons witnessing more than five ballots & prohibition against returning more than two ballots in election, etc. Amends Ch. 101, 97.021, 104.047. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, and withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar

CS/CS/SJR 488 by the Committees on Rules and Calendar, Ethics and Elections and Senator Rossin

Terms of Office/Legislators; constitutional amendment, effective January 1, 2006, to increase terms of office for Florida Senators from 4 years to 6 years & for Florida Representatives from 2 years to 4 years; increases, from 8 years to 12 years, number of consecutive years during which Florida Representative & Florida Senator may hold office. Amends s. 15, Art. III, s. 4, Art. VI.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, and withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Rules and Calendar

SB 506 by Senator Diaz de la Portilla

Economic Development/Airport Auth.; expresses legislative intent to authorize creation of airport authority in charter county in order to enhance movement of passengers & cargo in support of economic development; specifies that creation of such authority shall be subject to approval by referendum. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Transportation and withdrawn from the Committees on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, Finance and Taxation, and Rules and Calendar

CS/SB 620 by the Committee on Judiciary, Senator Meek and others

Discrimination/Treatment of Persons; provides for Attorney General to investigate violations of rights secured by state law; authorizes Attorney General to intervene in certain civil actions to enforce compliance with certain provisions & to commence civil action to obtain damages or other relief for violation of rights secured by State Constitution or state law; provides for civil penalty, attorney's fees & costs, etc. Amends Ch. 760, 16.57. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and Appropriations

SB 622 by Senator Saunders and others

Florida Healthy Kids Corporation; eliminates local-match requirement under Healthy Kids Corporation under specified conditions; allows voluntary contributions. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

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/CS/SB 792 by the Committees on Appropriations, Health, Aging and Long-Term Care and Senator Silver

Health Care Administration Agency; provides for agency to pay for health insurance premiums for certain Medicaid-eligible persons & for specified cancer treatment; provides Medicaid eligibility for certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; authorizes agency to pay for assistive-care services; requires Medicaid Pharmaceutical & Therapeutics Committee to recommend preferred drug formulary, etc. Amends Ch. 409. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Rules and Calendar, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Appropriations

SB 844 by Senator Campbell

Taxation; provides for venue & jurisdiction of taxpayer actions in circuit court; redefines term "intangible personal property"; revises exemptions from intangible personal property tax; provides for methods of determining overpayments by persons paying tax on sales, use, & other transactions; revises process for review of taxpayer's liability for tax & interest; provides for tax classification of specified entities, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 848 by Senator Burt

County Law Enforcement Officers; includes such officers under provisions for firefighters & state law enforcement officers which provide special presumptions re disability resulting from certain diseases. Amends 112.18. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

SB 868 by Senator Webster and others

Disability in Line of Duty; expands provisions of law re disability in line of duty to include all law enforcement officers & certain correctional officers. Amends 112.18. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with two amendments, by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

SB 940 by Senator Pruitt

Tuition/Residency/National Guard; provides that active members of Florida National Guard are residents of this state for tuition purposes. Amends 240.1201. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/SB 954 by the Committee on Criminal Justice, Senator Dawson and others

Testing of Inmates for HIV; defines term "HIV test"; requires DOC to perform HIV test before inmate is released if inmates's HIV status is unknown; requires that DOC notify county health department where inmate plans to reside following release if inmate is HIV positive; requires department to provide special transitional assistance to inmate who is HIV positive, etc. Creates 944.355; amends 945.10, 381.004, 944.704; reenacts 945.10(1)(a). Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, reports the committee substitute favorably, with three amendments and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/SB 1082 by the Committee on Judiciary, Senator Villalobos and others

Driver Lic. Div./Exclusionary Rule; provides legislative findings re Driver License & Motor Vehicles Divisions of HSMV; provides legislative findings re records maintained by divisions; provides legislative findings re missions of divisions & dept. & re application of exclusionary rule; prohibits exclusion of evidence in certain circumstances; provides that certain records shall not be considered law enforcement functions, etc. Creates 90.959; amends 322.20, 320.05. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Criminal Justice and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary

CS/SB 1116 by the Committee on Ethics and Elections and others

Certification of Election Results; revises deadlines for certification of election results; requires acceptance of late-filed election returns in certain circumstances; increases fine for filing late-filed election returns; amends provision to conform; revises date that candidate for Governor must designate Lieutenant Governor as running mate; modifies deadline for requesting manual recount. Amends 99.063, 102.111,.112,.166. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Appropriations, and Rules and Calendar

CS/SB 1120 by the Committee on Ethics and Elections and others

Voting Systems; modifies specifications for ballots; eliminates references to punchcard ballots & devices; prohibits use of punchcard voting systems; requires supervisors of elections & Dept. of State to report on overvotes & undervotes following general election; requires Elections Division to review voting systems certification standards to ensure that new technologies are available & appropriately certified for use, etc. Amends Ch. 101, 97.021, 103.101. Effective Date: 01/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government reports the committee substitute favorably, with one amendment and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation and withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar

CS/SB 1122 by the Committee on Ethics and Elections and others

Election Recounts; defines terms "overvote" & "undervote"; clarifies standard for counting votes on spoiled ballots; clarifies timing of official election returns; modifies deadlines for submitting unofficial returns; revises requirements for automatic machine recount; substantially modifies standards & procedures for manual recounts. Amends 97.021, 101.5614, 102.141, 166. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, Appropriations, and Rules and Calendar

SB 1146 by Senator Constantine

Robbery; provides that certain enhanced penalties apply to offense of robbery if, in course of committing robbery, offender used firearm, deadly weapon, or other weapon; provides that robbery is second-degree felony if firearm, deadly weapon, or other weapon is not used in course of committing robbery. Amends 812.13. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

SB 1150 by Senator Peaden

Absentee Ballots; deletes requirement that person requesting said ballot disclose his or her social security number & last four digits of elector's said number; revises voter's certificate & instructions to absent electors to delete requirement that absent elector provide last four digits of elector's said number; deletes requirement that last four digits of elector's said number be provided for absentee ballot to be considered legal. Amends Ch. 101. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, and withdrawn from the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

CS/CS/SB 1208 by the Committees on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Banking and Insurance and Senator Latvala

Health Insurance; amends definitions used in Fla. Comprehensive Health Association Act; revises criteria for eligibility for coverage from association; authorizes association to place individual with case manager who determines health care system or provider; requires insurers to be members of association & to be subject to assessments for operating expenses; makes legislative finding that provisions of this act fulfill important state interest, etc. Amends Ch. 627. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably

CS/SB 1232 by the Committee on Finance and Taxation and Senator Sebesta

Motor Vehicle License Plates; provides for issuance, without payment of license tax, of Pearl Harbor Survivor license plates or Purple Heart license plates to certain disabled veterans. Amends 320.089. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

SB 1266 by Senator Mitchell

Assessment of Agricultural Property; provides that, for purposes of income methodology approach to such assessment, certain litter containment & animal waste nutrient containment structures shall be considered part of average yields per acre & have no separately assessable contributory value. Amends 193.461. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Agriculture and Consumer Services, and Finance and Taxation

CS/CS/SB 1272 by the Committees on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Regulated Industries, Senator Burt and others

Consumer Services; authorizes DBPR to seek restitution in civil action for injured consumer; prohibits employment agencies & assistance referral services from charging advance fees & not providing promised services; prohibits unconscionable pricing during ordered evacuation as well as declared state of emergency; prohibits credit service organizations from accepting money in advance of performing services, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Regulated Industries and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

CS/SB 1288 by the Committee on Transportation and Senator Carlton

Safety Belts; creates "Dori Slosberg Act of 2001"; revises provisions re safety belt usage; prohibits searches of vehicles or occupants because of safety belt violation. Amends 316.614. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation and withdrawn from the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs

CS/SB 1348 by the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Crist

Youthful Offenders; provides that court may not sentence as youthful offenders certain offenders who have pled nolo contendere or guilty to, or been found guilty of, capital felonies, life felonies, first-degree felonies, or second-degree felonies involving use or threatened use of force or violence; revises sanctions for youthful offender in basic training program who becomes unmanageable, etc. Amends Ch. 958, 951.231. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

SB 1430 by Senator Crist

Juvenile Offenders/Prior Record; redefines term "prior record" to extend time during which disposition of certain juvenile offenses are included in offender's record. Amends 921.0021. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

SB 1450 by Senator Villalobos

Criminal Mischief; requires person or minor who commits said mischief to pay additional fines & perform community service; provides for parent or legal guardian of minor to be liable for payment of fine; authorizes court to decline to order payment of fine if court finds that person subject to payment of fine is indigent; deletes requirement that court impose penalty prescribed by municipal or county ordinance under certain circumstances, etc. Amends 806.13. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Criminal Justice

CS/CS/SB 1456 by the Committees on Appropriations, Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Senator Saunders and others

Florida Alzheimer's Training Act; creates said act; prescribes training standards for employees of nursing homes, home health agencies, adult day care centers, & adult family-care homes, respectively, that provide care for persons with Alzheimer's disease or related disorders; prescribes duties of Elderly Affairs Dept.; requires dementia-specific care providers to be included in community care service systems, etc. Creates 400.1755,.4786,.55715,.626. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, and Appropriations

SB 1498 by Senator Garcia and others

Job Training; deletes time-period limitation for "Jobs for Florida's Graduates" school-to-work program; deletes provisions re endowment fund; revises certain provisions re members of board of directors of Florida Endowment Foundation for Florida Graduates; revises criteria for certain outcome goals; deletes provisions re distribution of earnings on endowment fund; repeals specified provision re temporary pilot apprenticeship program, etc. Amends 446.609. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Education and Commerce and Economic Opportunities, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education and Appropriations

CS/SB 1514 by the Committee on Transportation and Senator Bronson

Florida Panther License Plates; deletes distribution of proceeds to Florida Communities Trust Fund. Amends 320.08058. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Natural Resources and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation

SB 1544 by Senator Sebesta

Ad Valorem Taxation; provides exception to requirement for assessing taxes to current owner of property that has previously escaped taxation; provides waiver of penalty & interest in specified instances wherein taxpayer erroneously receives homestead tax exemption; revises procedure by which property appraiser may correct error in notices of proposed taxes. Amends 193.092, 196.161, 200.065. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning, Local and Military Affairs, and withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 1566 by the Committee on Transportation and Senator Sebesta

Tampa-Hillsborough Co. Expressway; authorizes finance of specified project through issuance of revenue bonds; provides mitigation requirements on certain expressway authorities; provides exemption to Florida Expressway Authority Act; expands use of bond financing; authorizes refinancing with bonds; authorizes issuance of bonds; provides section does not repeal, rescind, or modify specified provision. Amends Ch. 348, 373.4137. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

SB 1596 by Senator Sebesta and others

State University System; creates fiscally autonomous campus of University of South Florida; requires Campus Board of University of South Florida St. Petersburg; requires separate accreditation; provides powers & duties of Campus Board & Campus Executive Officer; provides procedure for preparing budget request; provides for central support services contracts & letter of agreement; excludes certain entities from certain provisions. Amends 240.2011,.527. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

CS/SB 1628 by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Bronson

Civil Actions for Libel; creates "Media Accuracy & Fairness Act"; provides circumstances under which person may maintain civil action for defamation; provides criteria for adequacy of correction or clarification; provides procedure re disclosure of evidence or falsity re alleged defamatory statement; provides requirements & procedure re offer to correct or clarify prior to trial, etc. Creates 770.011; repeals 770.01,.02. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary

SB 1658 by Senator Smith

Jurors; provides for jurors to be taken from registered electors, rather than from persons possessing driver's license or identification card; deletes provisions requiring HSMV to send lists of persons in departmental database to clerks of court; provides for voter lists to be used for jury selection; deletes requirement that department provide certain information to courts, etc. Amends 40.01,.011,.022, 98.095, 322.20. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary

CS/CS/CS/SB 1758 by the Committees on Finance and Taxation, Agriculture and Consumer Services, Natural Resources, Senator Laurent and others

Rural & Family Lands Protection Act; creates said act; provides for purchase of rural-lands-protection easements by Agriculture & Consumer Services Dept.; provides for resource conservation agreements & agricultural protection agreements; prescribes allowable land uses; provides for application process; provides for sale of easement; requires dept. to adopt rules; authorizes use of specified funds, etc. Creates 570.70,.71. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committees on Natural Resources, Agriculture and Consumer Services, and Finance and Taxation, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

SB 1810 by Senator Burt

State Agencies/Victim of Crimes/FDLE; requires that state agency notify department if agency suspects that it is, may be, or has been victim of certain crimes that involve misappropriation of agency's name or authority, misuse of technology used by agency, or misappropriation or illegal use of agency or state records; requires department to evaluate such reports; authorizes department to refer report to another agency for appropriate action. Amends 943.03. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary, and Appropriations

SB 1868 by Senator Latvala

Insurance; transfers & renumbers provision re assets of insurers & reporting requirements. Amends 624.4435. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 1874 by the Committee on Education and Senator Sullivan

Postsecondary Education/Work Product; authorizes Board of Regents & State Board of Community Colleges, in implementing single, statewide computer-assisted student advising system, to secure & enforce patents on work products, enter into various agreements, & sell work products; provides for any or all of proceeds derived from such activities to be used to develop & maintain computer-assisted student advising system; requires review & comment by legislative leaders. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education reports the committee substitute favorably, with one amendment and withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations with subcommittee recommendation

SB 1912 by Senator Laurent

Citrus Archive; designates official citrus archive of Florida. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Agriculture and Consumer Services, and withdrawn from the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

SB 2022 by Senator Sanderson

Legislative Oversight; authorizes Legislative Auditing Committee to direct Auditor General & OPPAGA to conduct audits, reviews, & exams of certain entities; revises requirements to become Auditor General; deletes requirement that OPPAGA identify & comment upon certain alternatives in conducting performance audit; requires certain officers to provide OPPAGA with information; deletes provision that OPPAGA is unit of Auditor General, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with five amendments, by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and withdrawn from the Committees on Rules and Calendar, Appropriations Subcommittee on Education, and Appropriations

CS/SB 2036 by the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Bronson

Criminal Justice Standards Comm.; revises powers & duties of Criminal Justice Standards & Training Commission re certification of training schools & instructors; allows employee physicals to be performed by physician assistants; limits circumstances under which officers may be registered & hold concurrent certification; requires commission to establish specialized training program, etc. Amends Ch. 943, 316.640. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, Appropriations Subcommittee on Education, and Appropriations

CS/SB 2098 by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, Senator Jones and others

Elections/Voter's Bill Of Rights; provides for Voter's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities; provides responsibilities of supervisors of elections. Amends 101.031. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

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

SB 2204 by Senator Sebesta

St. Petersburg Parkway; designates portion of I-275 in Pinellas County as "St. Petersburg Parkway"; directs DOT to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Transportation and withdrawn from the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and Appropriations

CS/SB 2218 by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Rossin

Public Records/Insurers; exempts workpapers re examinations & investigations of insurers from public records requirements; provides for future legislative review & repeal; provides exemptions from public records law for specified records of Fla. Windstorm Underwriting Association; provides for future legislative review & repeal; provides findings of public necessity. Amends 624.319, 627.351. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, and withdrawn from the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Productivity, and Rules and Calendar

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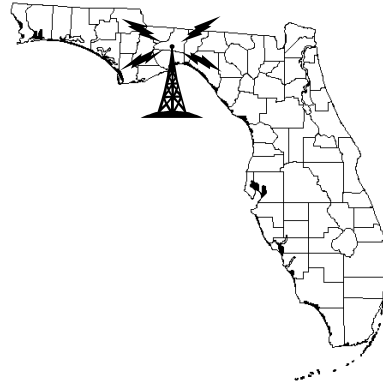
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