# Ken Pruitt President of the Senate



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# **Senate Calendar**

Monday, March 19, 2007

(3<sup>rd</sup> week -- 46 days remaining)

THE SENATE WILL CONVENE ON Wednesday, March 21, 2007 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, or Upon the Call of the President

SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 19, 2007  [XXXX] = Policy and Calendar Committee Initials. See page 3 for Committee Groupings  (NM)* = Not Meeting and (MC)* = Meeting Cancelled				
MONDAY MARCH 19, 2007	TUESDAY MARCH 20, 2007	WEDNESDAY MARCH 21, 2007	THURSDAY MARCH 22, 2007	FRIDAY MARCH 23, 2007
10:00 a.m12:00 noon Select Subcommittee of Legislative Auditing Rm. 309(CB) 12:00 noon-2:00 p.m. [OPCC] Administrative Procedures (NM)	9:00-11:30 a.m. [EPCC] Regulated Industries Rm. 110(SB) Transportation Rm. 37(SB) 9:15-11:30 a.m. [EPCC] Banking and	9:00 a.m12:00 noon  SESSION  RPCC - 9:00 a.m. SPCC - to begin no later than 10:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m12:00 noon  SESSION  RPCC FPCC OPCC	
Florida Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations Rm. 17(HB) Joint Legislative Committee on Everglades	Insurance Rm. 412(KB) 9:30-11:30 a.m. [EPCC] Commerce Rm. 401(SB) Lunch and District Office	Lunch and District Office  1:00-3:30 p.m. [SPCC] Children, Families, and Elder	Lunch and District Office  1:00-3:30 p.m. [RPCC] Agriculture Rm. 37(SB) Communications	
Oversight (NM)* Legislative Auditing Rm. 309(CB) 2:15-4:45 p.m. [FPCC] Appropriations	1:00-3:30 p.m. [LPCC] Criminal Justice Rm. 401(SB) Judiciary (NM)*	Affairs Rm. 412(KB) Education Pre-K - 12 Rm. 110(SB) Health Policy Rm. 301(SB) Health Regulation Rm. 401(SB)	and Public Utilities Rm. 301(SB) Community Affairs Rm. 412(KB) Environmental Preservation and	
Committees: Criminal and Civil Justice (NM)* Education Pre-K - 12 (NM)*	Military Affairs and Domestic Security Rm. 301(SB) 1:30-3:30 p.m. [LPCC] Ethics and	Higher Education Rm. 37(SB) 3:45-5:00 p.m. [FPCC] Appropriations Committees: Criminal and	Conservation Rm. 401(SB) Governmental Operations Rm. 110(SB) 3:45-6:00 p.m. [FPCC] Appropriations Committees:	
Finance and Tax (NM)* General Government Rm. 401(SB) Health and Human Services (NM)*	Elections Rm. 412(KB) 3:45-5:15 p.m. [FPCC] Appropriations Committees: Criminal and Civil Justice Rm. 37(SB) Education	Civil Justice Rm. 37(SB) Education Pre-K - 12 Rm. 412(KB) Finance and Tax Rm. 301(SB)	Criminal and Civil Justice Rm. 37(SB) Education Pre-K - 12 Rm. 412(KB) Finance and	
Higher Education (NM)* Transportation & Economic Development (NM) 5:00-5:30 p.m.	Pre-K - 12 (NM)* Finance and Tax Rm. 301(SB) General Government Rm. 401(SB)	General Government Rm. 401(SB) Health and Human Services Rm. 110(SB) Higher Education Rm. 117(KB)	Tax Rm. 301(SB) General Government Rm. 401(SB) Health and Human Services Rm. 110(SB) Higher	
Responsible Regulation Policy and Calendar Committee Rm. 401(SB) 5:30-6:00 p.m.	Health and Human Services Rm. 110(SB) Higher Education (NM) Transportation & Economic	Transportation & Economic Development Rm. 309(CB)	Education Rm. 117(KB) Transportation & Economic Development	
Social Responsibility Policy and Calendar Committee Rm. 401(SB)	DevelopmentRm. 309(CB) 5:30-6:00 p.m. Responsible Regulation Policy and Calendar Committee (NM)*	5:00-6:00 p.m. [FPCC] Appropriations Education Facilities Rm. 412(KB)	Rm. 309(CB)	

SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 26, 2007  [XXXX] = Policy and Calendar Committee Initials. See page 3 for Committee Groupings  (NM)* = Not Meeting and (MC)* = Meeting Cancelled				
MONDAY MARCH 26, 2007	TUESDAY MARCH 27, 2007	WEDNESDAY MARCH 28, 2007	THURSDAY MARCH 29, 2007	FRIDAY MARCH 30, 2007
	8:30-11:00 a.m. [EPCC] Banking and Insurance Rm. 412(KB) Commerce Rm. 401(SB) Regulated Industries Rm. 110(SB) Transportation	8:30 a.m12:00 noon [FPCC] Appropriations Committees: Criminal and Civil Justice Rm. 37(SB) Education Pre-K - 12 Rm. 412(KB)	9:30 a.m12:00 noon SESSION	9:00 a.m12:00 noon Fiscal Policy and Calendar Committee Rm. 110(SB)
Lunch and District Office	Rm. 37(SB)  Lunch and District Office	Finance and Tax Rm. 301(SB) General Government Rm. 401(SB) Health and Human Services Rm. 110(SB) Higher Education Rm. 117(KB) Transportation & Economic	B) Finance and Tax Rm. 301(SB) General Government Rm. 401(SB) Health and Human Services Rm. 110(SB) Higher Education Rm. 117(KB) Transportation & Economic Development Rm. 309(CB) Treservation and Economic Rm. 309(CB) Environmental Preservation and Economic Rm. 309(CB) Environmental Preservation and Economic Rm. 309(CB) Environmental Economic Rm. 309(CB)	Lunch and District Office  1:00-3:00 p.m.
12:00 noon -3:00 p.m. Joint Legislative Auditing  3:00-4:00 p.m. Legislative Budget Commission	12:30-3:00 p.m. [LPCC] Criminal Justice Rm. 401(SB) Ethics and Elections Rm. 412(KB) Judiciary Rm. 110(SB) Military Affairs and Domestic			Agriculture Rm. 37(SB) Communications and Public Utilities Rm. 301(SB) Community Affairs Rm. 412(KB) Environmental
4:00-4:30 p.m. Economic Opportunities Policy and Calendar Committee Rm. 401(SB)	Security Rm. 301(SB)  3:15-5:45 p.m. [SPCC] Children, Families, and Elder Affairs Rm. 412(KB) Education		Rm. 401(SB) Governmental Operations Rm. 110(SB)	
	Pre-K - 12 Rm. 110(SB) Health Policy Rm. 301(SB) Health Regulation Rm. 401(SB) Higher Education Rm. 37(SB)	Lunch and District Office  2:00-4:30 p.m.  SESSION  EPCC		

### **2007 SESSION DATES**

August	1, 2006	Deadline for filing claim bills (Rule 4.81)
January	26, 2007	5:00 p.m., deadline for submitting requests for drafts of general bills, including requests for companion bills
March	2, 2007	5:00 p.m., deadline for submitting final drafts of general bills, <u>including</u> <u>companion bills</u>
March	6, 2007	Regular Session convenes (Article III, section 3(b), Constitution)
March	6, 2007	12:00 noon, deadline for filing bills for introduction (Rule 3.7)
April	24, 2007	50th day—last day for regularly scheduled committee meetings (Rule 2.9)
April	30, 2007	All bills are immediately certified (Rule 6.8) Conference Committee Reports require only one reading (Rule 4.5)
May	4, 2007	60th day—last day of Regular Session (Article III, section 3(d), Constitution)

### SENATE COMMITTEE GROUPINGS

[XXXX] = Policy and Calendar Committee Initials

#### A. Economic Opportunities Policy and Calendar Committee [EPCC]

Banking and Insurance [EPCC] Commerce [EPCC] Regulated Industries [EPCC] Transportation [EPCC]

#### B. Fiscal Policy and Calendar Committee [FPCC]

Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations [FPCC]
Education Facilities Appropriations [FPCC]
Education Pre-K - 12 Appropriations [FPCC]
Finance and Tax [FPCC]
General Government Appropriations [FPCC]
Health and Human Services Appropriations [FPCC]
Higher Education Appropriations [FPCC]
Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations [FPCC]

#### C. Law and Justice Policy and Calendar Committee [LPCC]

Criminal Justice [LPCC]
Ethics and Elections [LPCC]
Judiciary [LPCC]
Military Affairs and Domestic Security [LPCC]

#### D. Oversight and Procedural Policy and Calendar Committee [OPCC]

Joint committees and commissions [OPCC] Rules [OPCC]

#### E. Responsible Regulation Policy and Calendar Committee [RPCC]

Agriculture [RPCC]
Communications and Public Utilities [RPCC]
Community Affairs [RPCC]
Environmental Preservation and Conservation [RPCC]
Governmental Operations [RPCC]

#### F. Social Responsibility Policy and Calendar Committee [SPCC]

Children, Families, and Elder Affairs [SPCC] Education Pre-K - 12 [SPCC] Health Policy [SPCC] Health Regulation [SPCC] Higher Education [SPCC]

### **SCHEDULED MEETINGS**

### **MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2007**

# OVERSIGHT AND PROCEDURAL POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [OPCC] GROUPING

10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

Select Subcommittee of the Joint Legislative Auditing Committee [OPCC]: 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Verle A. Pope Committee Room. 309 Capitol:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senators Ring and Wise)

The Select Subcommittee will conduct preliminary interviews of the three final candidates for the position of Auditor General. The members will also receive public testimony about the candidates.

Florida Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations (Group IV) [OPCC]: 12:00 noon—2:00 p.m., Morris Hall, Room, 17 House Office Building:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senator Hill, Alternating Chair; Senators Diaz de la Portilla, Oelrich, and Siplin)

Introductory Remarks - Representative Faye Culp, Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations Chair

Approval of Minutes from March 12, 2007 Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations Meeting

Continued Discussion and Approval of Draft Report on Improving Consistency and Predictability in Dock and Marina Permitting

Presentation of Draft Report on School Storage and Recovery in Florida

Presentation of Draft Report on The Emergency Management, Preparedness, and Assistance Trust Fund

Presentation of Survey of the Florida Department of Environmental Protection's Federal Grants Program Participation Report

Briefing on Recent Federal Activities in Washington, D.C.

Overview of Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations Interim Projects and Activities

Discussion on Possible Interim Projects for 2007-2008

Other Business

#### Legislative Auditing Committee [OPCC]:

12:00 noon—2:00 p.m., Verle A. Pope Committee Room, 309 Capitol:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senator Margolis, Chair; Senators Haridopolos, Ring, Storms, and Wise)

Response by Melissa P. Jaacks, CPA, Assistant Secretary for Administration, Department of Children and Families, to the March 12, 2007, Presentation by the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability of its Report No. 07-11, Improved Fiscal and Quality Oversight Is Needed for the Independent Living Program

Presentation by the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability of OPPAGA Report No. 06-18 The Legislature Has Several Options for Reducing the State's Road Right-Of-Way Costs

Tentative and preliminary report of Auditor General's findings regarding Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University

Other Committee Business

## FISCAL POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [FPCC] GROUPING

2:15 p.m.—4:45 p.m.

#### **General Government Appropriations [FPCC]:**

2:15-4:45 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Alexander, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Baker, Bennett, and Jones)

Review and discussion of Fiscal Year 2007-2008 funding issues for the following agencies:

Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

Department of Business and Professional Regulation

Department of Citrus

Department of Environmental Protection

Department of Financial Services

Department of Lottery

Department of Management Services

Department of Revenue

Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission

Public Service Commission

#### 5:00-5:30 p.m.

### Responsible Regulation Policy and Calendar Committee

[RPCC]: 5:00—5:30 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Constantine, Chair; Senators Alexander, Aronberg, Bennett, Bullard, Garcia, Hill, Lawson, Posey, Rich, and Saunders)

To set the Special Order Calendar

5:30-6:00 p.m.

### Social Responsibility Policy and Calendar Committee

[SPCC]: 5:30—6:00 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Saunders, Chair; Senators Atwater, Crist, Dawson, Gaetz, Margolis, Oelrich, Ring, Siplin, Storms, and Wilson)

To set the special Order Calendar

### TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 2007

# ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [EPCC] GROUPING

9:00—11:30 a.m.

**Regulated Industries [EPCC]:** 9:00—11:30 a.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Jones, Chair; Senator Geller, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Aronberg, Fasano, Haridopolos, Hill, King, Rich, and Wise)

SB 1786 (CA) by Senator Posey—Auctioneering/Licensure SB 920 (CA) by Senator Wise—Cosmetology

SB 1954 (CA) by the Committee on Regulated Industries—Alcoholic Beverages

Update from Representative on the Day Cruise Industry

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 19, 2007 at 9:00 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

**Transportation [EPCC]:** 9:00—11:30 a.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Baker, Chair; Senator Bullard, Vice-Chair; Senators Constantine, Dockery, Joyner, Margolis, Villalobos, and Webster)

SB 606 (CA) by Senator Geller—S. Fla. Reg. Transportation Auth.

SB 608 (CA) by Senator Geller—Pub. Rec./Land Acquisition SB 1006 (CA) by Senator Diaz de la

Portilla—Recovering/Towing/Vehicles & Vessels

SB 1616 (CA) by Senator Aronberg—Driving/Boating Under the Influence

SB 1792 (CA) by the Committee on Criminal Justice—Department of Corrections

SB 1928 (CA) by the Committee on

Transportation—Transportation/M.P.O.'s (A proposed committee substitute is expected to be filed prior to the amendment deadline.)

SB 2014 (CA) by Senator Dockery—Transportation Projects/Work Program

SB 1722 (CA) by Senator Baker—Motor Vehicle Dealers SB 2804 (CA) by Senator Baker—Transportation

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 19, 2007 at 9:00 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

9:15-11:30 a.m.

**Banking and Insurance [EPCC]:** 9:15—11:30 a.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room*, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Posey, Chair; Senator Deutch, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Atwater, Bennett, Dawson, Gaetz, Lawson, Peaden, Storms, and Wilson)

SB 110 (CA) by Senator Hill and others—Health Ins./Prostate Cancer Coverage

SJR 262 (CA) by Senator Geller—Cabinet/Insurance Commissioner SB 264 (CA) by Senator Geller—Dept. of Insurance/Commissioner SB 266 (CA) by Senator Baker—Medicare Supplement Policy

SB 746 (CA) by Senator Alexander—Workers' Comp./First Responders

SB 1638 (CA) by Senator Constantine and others—Unclaimed Property/Disposition

SB 1678 (CA) by Senator Haridopolos—Licenses/Travel Protection Insurance

SB 1748 (CA) by Senator Gaetz and others—Insurance Contracts/Workers' Comp.

SB 1782 (CA) by Senator Baker—Marine Insurance/Disputed Claims

SB 1824 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Mortgage Brokering & Lending

Update from the Office of Insurance Regulation on the presumed factor rate filings and mitigation credit filings by residential property insurers.

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 19, 2007 at 9:15 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### 9:30-11:30 a.m.

**Commerce [EPCC]:** 9:30—11:30 a.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Diaz de la Portilla, Chair; Senator Justice, Vice-Chair; Senators Crist, Garcia, Lynn, Oelrich, Ring, Saunders, and Siplin)

SB 432 (CA) by Senator King—Transportation

CS/SB 1178 (CA) by the Committee on Community Affairs and Senator Rich—Local Business Tax Receipts (IF RECEIVED)

SB 1644 (CA) by Senator Gaetz—Retail Theft/Enhanced Penalties

SB 1726 (CA) by Senator Baker—Offers of Settlement/Defendant

SB 1862 (CA) by Senator Bennett and others—Chamber of Commerce/Use of Term

SB 96 (CA) by Senator Saunders—Entertainment Industry/Economic Dev.

SB 612 (CA) by Senator Crist—Wrecker Services

SB 2420 (CA) by Senator Ring—SURE Venture Capital Act

SB 2422 (CA) by Senator Ring—Pub. Rec./SURE Venture Capital Fund

SB 2424 (CA) by Senator Ring—Inst. for Commercialization of Public Research TF

SB 2426 (CA) by Senator Ring—SURE Venture Capital Trust Fund SB 870 (CA) by Senator Diaz de la Portilla—Workforce

Development (A proposed committee substitute is expected to be filed prior to the amendment deadline.)

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 19, 2007 at 9:30 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### LAW AND JUSTICE POLICY AND **CALENDAR COMMITTEE [LPCC] GROUPING**

1:00—3:30 p.m.

Criminal Justice [LPCC]: 1:00—3:30 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Argenziano, Chair; Senator Aronberg, Vice-Chair; Senators Bennett, Crist, Dawson, King, Lynn, Wilson, and Wise)

- SB 1604 (CA) by Senator Argenziano—Sexual Offenders & **Predators**
- SB 1794 (CA) by the Committee on Criminal Justice—Probation
- SB 1030 (CA) by Senator Argenziano and others—Court Costs
- SB 1978 (CA) by the Committee on Criminal Justice—Crimes/Use of Minor to Facilitate
- SB 474 (CA) by Senator Hill-Rosa Parks Act
- SB 690 (CA) by Senator Haridopolos—Correctional/Law **Enforcement Officer**
- SB 732 (CA) by Senator Dawson and others—Lachele Nance Child Abduction Act
- SB 1544 (CA) by Senator Argenziano—Corrections (A proposed committee substitute is expected to be filed prior to the amendment deadline.)

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 19, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### Military Affairs and Domestic Security [LPCC]:

1:00-3:30 p.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Dockery, Chair; Senator Hill, Vice-Chair; Senators Bullard, Garcia, Haridopolos, Lawson, Peaden, Siplin, and Storms)

- SB 278 (CA) by Senator Margolis—Nursing Homes/Emergency Power System
- SB 1448 (CA) by the Committee on Military Affairs and Domestic Security—Service Members/Dependent Assistance
- SB 1614 (CA) by Senator Aronberg—FRS/Military Wartime Service SB 1630 (CA) by Senator Dockery and others—Department of Veterans' Affairs (A proposed committee substitute is expected to be filed prior to the amendment deadline.)

Presentation on State and Federal Veterans' Medical facilities in Florida

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 19, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Ethics and Elections [LPCC]: 1:30—3:30 p.m., Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Constantine, Chair; Senator Justice, Vice-Chair: Senators Alexander, Atwater, Jones, Margolis, Oelrich, Posey, and Rich)

SB 524 (CA) by Senator Fasano—State Public Officials SB 734 (CA) by Senator Justice—Campaign Financing/Local Government

SB 2166 (CA) by the Committee on Ethics and Elections and others—Public Officers & Employees/Ethics

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 19, 2007 at 1:30 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### **FISCAL POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [FPCC] GROUPING**

3:45-5:15 p.m.

### **Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations [FPCC]:**

3:45—5:15 p.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Crist, Chair; Senator Joyner, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Dawson, and Villalobos)

Review of Chairman's Budget Proposal for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations by staff

Finance and Tax [FPCC]: 3:45—5:15 p.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Haridopolos, Chair; Senator Deutch, Vice-Chair; Senators Atwater, Geller, and Storms)

SB 90 (CA) by Senator King-Motor Fuel Taxes/Commercial Aviation

SB 92 (CA) by Senator Baker and others—Hurricane Preparedness/Sales Tax

SB 160 (CA) by Senator Geller—Tribal-State Compacts/Gaming SB 1456 (CA) by Senator Webster and others—Sales Tax/School Supplies & Clothing

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 19, 2007 at 3:45 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### **General Government Appropriations [FPCC]:**

3:45-5:15 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Alexander, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Baker, Bennett, and Jones)

Review and discussion of Fiscal Year 2007-2008 funding issues for the following agencies:

Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

Department of Business and Professional Regulation

Department of Citrus

Department of Environmental Protection

Department of Financial Services

Department of Lottery

Department of Management Services

Department of Revenue

Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission

**Public Service Commission** 

Review of proposed proviso language for Fiscal Year 2007-2008

Review of proposed implementing bill language for Fiscal Year 2007-2008

Any item not completed at this meeting may be carried over to tomorrow's meeting.

#### Health and Human Services Appropriations [FPCC]:

3:45—5:15 p.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Peaden, Chair; Senator Rich, Vice-Chair; Senators Gaetz, Saunders, and Wilson)

Presentation on the Florida KidCare Program

Review of Domestic Security Funding Recommendations for the Department of Health

Review of Agency Information Technology Requests

Review and Discussion of Fiscal Year 2007-2008 Funding Issues for the Following Agencies:

Agency for Health Care Administration Agency for Persons with Disabilities Department of Children and Family Services Department of Elder Affairs Department of Health Department of Veterans' Affairs

#### **Transportation and Economic Development**

**Appropriations [FPCC]:** 3:45—5:15 p.m., *Verle A. Pope Committee Room*, 309 Capitol:

(MEMBERS: Senator Fasano, Chair; Senator Margolis, Vice-Chair; Senators Diaz de la Portilla, Hill, and Webster)

**Budget Work Session** 

Review and discussion of Fiscal Year 2007-2008 funding issues:

Office of Tourism, Trade and Economic Development Department of State Division of Emergency Management Department of Community Affairs Department of Transportation Department of Military Affairs Agency for Workforce Innovation

Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 2007

#### SESSION: 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, or upon the Call of the President

## SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [SPCC] GROUPING

1:00-3:30 p.m.

#### Children, Families, and Elder Affairs [SPCC]:

1:00—3:30 p.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room,* 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Storms, Chair; Senator Margolis, Vice-Chair; Senators Baker, Haridopolos, Hill, Lynn, Rich, and Villalobos)

SB 390 (CA) by Senator Wilson—Child Welfare Professionals' Day SB 402 (CA) by Senator Fasano and others—Developmental Disabilities Inst.

SB 894 (CA) by Senator Joyner—Female Genital Mutilation CS/SB 154 (CA) by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Geller—Parent-child Privilege

SB 434 (CA) by Senator Jones—Caregivers for Adults

SB 564 (CA) by Senator Rich and others—Children & Youth Cabinet Act

SB 542 (CA) by Senator Margolis and others—Forensic Mental Health

SB 2868 (CA) by the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs—Mental Health & Substance Abuse Svcs.

SB 2866 (CA) by the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs—Sexually Violent Predators

SB 2870 (CA) by the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs—Child Support Enforcement

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{WORKSHOP}}$  — Discussion and testimony only on the following (no vote to be taken):

SB 1826 (CA) by Senator Gaetz—Home/Community-Based Waiver Project

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

## Education Pre-K - 12 [SPCC]: 1:00—3:30 p.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Gaetz, Chair; Senator Wilson, Vice-Chair; Senators Bullard, Carlton, Deutch, Diaz de la Portilla, and Wise)

SB 660 (CA) by Senator Fasano and others—Human Papillomavirus (HPV)/Schools

CS/SB 988 (CA) by the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Argenziano—High-risk Offenders

A proposed committee substitute combining the following 2 bills (SB 336 and SB 416) will be considered:

SB 336 (CA) by Senator Wilson—9th-grade Students/Required Info. (A proposed committee substitute is expected to be filed prior to the amendment deadline.)

SB 416 (CA) by Senator Wilson—School Attendance/Termination (A proposed committee substitute is expected to be filed prior to the amendment deadline.)

SB 1234 (CA) by Senator Gaetz—Education (A proposed committee substitute is expected to be filed prior to the amendment deadline.)

SB 1750 (CA) by Senator Gaetz—District School Taxes SB 2092 (CA) by Senator Deutch—Charter Schools/Pilot Program CS/SB 418 (CA) by the Committee on Health Policy and Senator Wilson—One School, One Nurse Act

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

## **Health Policy [SPCC]:** 1:00—3:30 p.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Dawson, Chair; Senator Crist, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Dockery, Garcia, Joyner, and Saunders)

SB 1732 (CA) by Senator Webster and others—Primary Care Access Network

SB 2260 (CA) by Senator Peaden—Department of Health/State Surgeon General

SB 212 (CA) by Senator Lynn and others—Florida 211 Network SB 922 (CA) by Senator Wise—Personal Care Attendant Program

SB 370 (CA) by Senator Wilson—Inmate Testing for HIV Infection SB 284 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Biomedical Research/Botanical Drugs

SB 1734 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Medicaid Services/Nutrition/Smoking

SB 1828 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Medicaid Managed Care Pilot Program

SB 1172 (CA) by Senator Joyner and others—Breast Cancer Treatment

SB 2120 (CA) by Senator Joyner and others—Infant Mortality SB 934 (CA) by Senator Dawson—Medicaid (A proposed committee substitute is expected to be filed prior to the amendment deadline.)

SB 938 (CA) by Senator Dawson-HIV/AIDS

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

**Health Regulation [SPCC]:** 1:00—3:30 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Atwater, Chair; Senator Siplin, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Aronberg, Fasano, Jones, Lawson, and Peaden)

SB 590 (CA) by Senator Saunders and others—HMO Contract/New Subscriber's Rights

SB 1462 (CA) by Senator Crist—Food Service/Toilets/Inspection

SB 1938 (CA) by Senator Joyner—Cardiology Services

SB 2022 (CA) by Senator Bennett and others—Immunization Services/Pharmacist

SB 424 (CA) by Senator Peaden—Rural Health Care

SB 1836 (CA) by Senator Jones—Antiepilepsy Drugs

SB 2358 (CA) by Senator Peaden—Osteopathic Physicians Licensing

SB 1756 (CA) by Senator Posey—Health Care Provider/Patient Fees

SB 2220 (CA) by Senator Posey—Implanted Microchips

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

**Higher Education [SPCC]:** 1:00—3:30 p.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Oelrich, Chair; Senator Ring, Vice-Chair; Senators Bennett, Constantine, Justice, and King)

SB 1160 (CA) by Senator Dockery—University of Fla./Designations SB 1648 (CA) by Senator Gaetz—UWF/M.S.

Degree/Nursing/Social Work

SB 1924 (CA) by the Committee on Higher Education—Teacher Education

SB 2414 (CA) by Senator Ring—Sure Ventures Commercialization Program

SB 2416 (CA) by Senator Ring—Pub. Rec./Sure Ventures Commercialization. Inc.

SB 2418 (CA) by Senator Ring—Sure Ventures Commercialization
Trust Fund

SB 1710 (CA) by Senator Oelrich and others—State University Student Fees

SB 2012 (CA) by Senator Oelrich—Postsecondary Education

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

## FISCAL POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [FPCC] GROUPING

3:45-5:00 p.m.

#### **Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations [FPCC]:**

3:45—5:00 p.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Crist, Chair; Senator Joyner, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Dawson, and Villalobos)

Review Proposed Language for Implementing General Appropriations

Review Proposed Language for Due Process Proposal

Review Proposed Proviso for Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2007-2008

Review Chairman's Budget Proposal for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations

#### Education Pre-K - 12 Appropriations [FPCC]:

3:45—5:00 p.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room,* 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Wise, Chair; Senator Siplin, Vice-Chair; Senators Bullard, Constantine, Dockery, and Garcia)

**Budget Workshop** 

Finance and Tax [FPCC]: 3:45—5:00 p.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Haridopolos, Chair; Senator Deutch, Vice-Chair; Senators Atwater, Geller, and Storms)

Property Tax Reform Alternatives — Workshop

#### **General Government Appropriations [FPCC]:**

3:45-5:00 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Alexander, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Baker, Bennett, and Jones)

Review and discussion of Fiscal Year 2007-2008 funding issues for the following agencies:

Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

Department of Business and Professional Regulation Department of Citrus

Department of Environmental Protection

Department of Financial Services

Department of Lottery

Department of Management Services

Department of Revenue

Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission

**Public Service Commission** 

Review of proposed proviso language for Fiscal Year 2007-2008

Review of proposed implementing bill language for Fiscal Year 2007-2008

Review of proposed conforming bill language related to securities dealers and agents fees

Any item not completed at this meeting may be carried over to tomorrow's meeting

#### Health and Human Services Appropriations [FPCC]:

3:45—5:00 p.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Peaden, Chair; Senator Rich, Vice-Chair; Senators Gaetz, Saunders, and Wilson)

Review and Discussion of Fiscal Year 2007-2008 Funding Issues for the Following Agencies:

Agency for Health Care Administration Agency for Persons with Disabilities Department of Children and Family Services Department of Elder Affairs Department of Health Department of Veterans' Affairs

Review Proposed Proviso for Fiscal Year 2007-2008

#### **Higher Education Appropriations [FPCC]:**

3:45—5:00 p.m., Room 117 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Lynn, Chair; Senator Ring, Vice-Chair; Senators Justice, King, and Oelrich)

**Budget Workshop** 

#### **Transportation and Economic Development**

**Appropriations [FPCC]:** 3:45—5:00 p.m., *Verle A. Pope Committee Room*, 309 Capitol:

(MEMBERS: Senator Fasano, Chair; Senator Margolis, Vice-Chair; Senators Diaz de la Portilla, Hill, and Webster)

CS/SB 1454 (CA) by the Committee on Community Affairs, Senator Webster and others—Florida Transportation Commission SB 1964 (CA) by Senator Webster—Enhanced Bridge Program/DOT

**Budget Work Session** 

Review and discussion of Fiscal Year 2007-2008 funding issues:

Office of Tourism, Trade and Economic Development
Department of State
Division of Emergency Management
Department of Community Affairs
Department of Transportation
Department of Military Affairs
Agency for Workforce Innovation
Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at 3:45 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### 5:00-6:00 p.m.

#### **Education Facilities Appropriations [FPCC]:**

5:00—6:00 p.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room,* 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator King, Chair; Senator Geller, Vice-Chair; Senators Carlton, Peaden, and Webster)

Review Proposed Language for conforming bills relating to educational facilities

## **OTHER MEETINGS**

### FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 2007

#### 10:00 a.m.—until completion of agenda

Florida Energy Commission: 10:00 a.m.—until completion of agenda, Intercontinental Ballroom, Section 1, Hyatt Airport Hotel, Orlando International Airport, 9300 Airport Blvd, Orlando:

A more detailed agenda will be available prior to the meeting

For further information or if an accommodation is needed for a disability (notification must be within 48 hours of the meeting date), please contact: Traci L. Arnold, Florida Energy Commission, 850-922-0999

### **BILLS ON THE CALENDAR**

# SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

# ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [EPCC] GROUPING

CS/SB 124 (2R) by the Committee on Transportation and Senator Posey—

**Custom Vehicles & Street Rods**; provides definitions; provides for registration of custom vehicles & street rods; provides registration & equipment requirements for such vehicles; exempts such vehicles from certain equipment & inspection requirements. Amends 320.0863. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation

CS/SB 136 (2R) by the Committee on Transportation and Senator Bullard—

**Live the Dream License Plates**; revises use of funds received from sale of plates. Amends 320.08058. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation

#### SB 282 (2R) by Senator Fasano-

**Designated Drivers**; prohibits licensed retail alcohol beverage establishment open to public from denying service to designated driver. Amends 562.51. Effective Date: 10/01/2007.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Regulated Industries and reported favorably by the Committee on Commerce

CS/CS/SB 396 (2R) by the Committees on Judiciary, Regulated Industries, Senator Margolis and others—

Community Associations; specifies that requirements re acquisition & maintenance of adequate insurance apply to all residential condominiums; provides that common expenses include costs of certain insurance or self-insurance; requires notice of special assessments for certain insurance; requires additional disclosures in contracts for sale or lease of residential units; revises certain requirements for reserve accounts, etc. Amends Ch. 718, 719, 720. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Regulated Industries and reported favorably as acommittee substitute by the Committee on Judiciary

#### SB 562 (2R) by Senator Fasano-

**Ownership or Transfer of Securities**; revises provisions authorizing domestic insurers' ownership or transfer of certain securities without physical delivery of certificates. Amends 628.511. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Banking and Insurance, and Judiciary

#### SB 640 (2R) by Senator Haridopolos—

**Public Accountancy/Licensure**; removes condition for waiver of certain certified public accountant licensure requirements. Amends 473.308. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Regulated Industries

#### SB 666 (2R) by Senator Fasano—

**Fiscal Intermediary Svc./Health Care**; redefines term "fiscal intermediary services organization" for purposes of provisions governing organizations that manage business affairs of health care professionals; revises compliance requirements for registration as fiscal intermediary services organization. Amends 641.316. Effective Date: 10/01/2007.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Banking and Insurance, and Health Regulation

## CS/SB 1870 (2R) by the Committee on Banking and Insurance and Senator Posey—

Florida Building Code; provides that internal design option of Florida Building Code remains in effect until specified date for building permit application made before that date, notwithstanding provisions of ch. 2007-1, Laws of Florida; provides effective date & for retroactive application; applies act to any actions taken re building permit affected by such prior act. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

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

# FISCAL POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [FPCC] GROUPING

SB 1014 (2R) by Senator Haridopolos—

**2007 Internal Revenue Code Adoption**; provides for adoption of 2007 version of Internal Revenue Code re corporate income tax; provides for retroactivity. Amends 220.03. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Tax

#### SB 1308 (2R) by Senator Fasano-

Cooperative Agreement Trust Fund; redesignates said trust fund within Department of Military Affairs; amends provision re trust funds within department; conforms provisions to changes made by act; terminates specified trust fund within Department of Transportation; provides for disposition of balances in trust fund; prescribes procedures for termination of trust fund. Amends 250.175. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

#### SB 1310 (2R) by Senator Fasano-

Emergency Response Trust Fund; re-creates said trust fund within Department of Military Affairs; reenacts & amends provision re said trust fund; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund; provides for annual carryforward of funds. Amends 250.175(2). Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

#### SB 1312 (2R) by Senator Crist-

**Operating Trust Fund/DLA;** creates said trust fund within Department of Legal Affairs; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations

#### SB 1314 (2R) by Senator Crist-

**Federal Grants Trust Fund/DLA**; creates said trust fund within Department of Legal Affairs; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations

#### SB 1316 (2R) by Senator Crist-

**Federal Grants Trust Fund/DJJ**; creates said trust fund within Department of Juvenile Justice; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations

#### SB 1318 (2R) by Senator Peaden—

**Trusts Funds/FDVA/DOH**; terminates specified trust fund within Department of Veterans' Affairs; provides for disposition of balances in & revenues of such trust fund; prescribes procedures for termination of trust fund; amends provision re investments of trust fund moneys to delete obsolete provisions; removes provisions providing for future repeal of Biomedical Research Trust Fund. Amends 17.61, 20.435. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health and Human Services Appropriations

## CS/SB 1320 (2R) by the Committee on General Government Appropriations and Senator Alexander—

Trust Funds/DOR/DFS; terminates specified trust funds within DOR; provides for disposition of balances in & revenues of such trust funds; prescribes procedures for termination of such trust funds; redesignates Federal Equitable Sharing TF within Department of Financial Services; amends provision re service charge on income of trust funds; amends provisions re deposit of registration fees from secondhand dealers & secondary metals recyclers, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2007 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on General Government Appropriations

#### SB 1322 (2R) by Senator Alexander—

**Operations Trust Fund/DOR;** creates said trust fund within Department of Revenue; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on General Government Appropriations

#### SB 1324 (2R) by Senator Alexander—

**Federal Grants Trust Fund/DOR**; creates said trust fund within Department of Revenue; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on General Government Appropriations

#### SB 1326 (2R) by Senator Lynn-

University Concurrency TF/DOE; re-creates said trust fund within Department of Education without modification; carries forward current balances & continues current sources & uses thereof; abrogates provisions re termination of trust fund, to conform. Repeals 1013.63(4). Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Higher Education Appropriations

## CS/SB 1328 (2R) by the Committee on Higher Education Appropriations and Senator Lynn—

Trust Funds/State University System; terminates specified trust funds within Board of Governors of State University System; provides for disposition of balances in & revenues of such trust funds; prescribes procedures for termination of such trust funds; redesignates Trust Fund for University Major Gifts as "University Major Gifts Program"; modifies specified trust funds within Board of Governors of State University System, etc. Amends 1011.94. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Higher Education Appropriations

## CS/SB 1330 (2R) by the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 Appropriations and Senator Wise—

DOE Trust Funds/Termination; terminates specified trust funds within Department of Education; provides for disposition of balances in & revenues of such trust funds; prescribes procedures for termination of such trust funds; renames Educational Aids TF within department; repeals provisions re Dale Hickam Excellent Teaching Program TF, Educational Aids TF, & Projects, Contracts, & Grants TF within department, etc. Amends 1002.335; repeals 1010.72,76,78, 1012.72(5). Effective Date: 07/01/2007 except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 Appropriations

#### SB 1332 (2R) by Senator Wise-

**Operating Trust Fund/DOE**; creates said trust fund within Department of Education; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Creates 1001.281. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 Appropriations

#### SB 1334 (2R) by Senator Wise-

Administrative Trust Fund/DOE; creates said trust fund within Department of Education; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Creates 1001.282, Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 Appropriations

#### SB 1428 (2R) by Senator Fasano-

**Administrative Trust Fund/DOT**; creates said trust fund within Department of Transportation; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

CS/SB 1430 (2R) by the Committee on Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations and Senator Fasano—

**Federal Grants Trust Fund/HSMV**; creates said trust fund within HSMV; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

#### SB 2388 (2R) by Senator Alexander—

**Federal Grants Trust Fund/DEP**; creates said trust fund within DEP; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on General Government Appropriations

#### SB 2394 (2R) by Senator Alexander—

**Audit & Warrant Clearing Trust Fund/DOR**; creates said trust fund within DOR; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably by the Committee on General Government Appropriations

# LAW AND JUSTICE POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [LPCC] GROUPING

CS/SB 116 (2R) by the Committee on Commerce and Senator Atwater—

**Armed Forces Member/Use of Name;** prohibits person from using name or image of member of armed forces; provides exceptions; defines term "member of armed forces"; provides criminal penalties. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Military Affairs and Domestic Security, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Commerce CS/CS/SB 156 (2R) by the Committees on Governmental Operations, Military Affairs and Domestic Security and Senator Geller—

**Veterans Defined/Wartime Service;** redefines term "veteran" for purposes of construing Florida Statutes to include person who served in active military, naval, or air service in Operation Enduring Freedom or Operation Iraqi Freedom. Amends 1.01. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Military Affairs and Domestic Security, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Operations

## OVERSIGHT AND PROCEDURAL POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [OPCC] GROUPING

#### SB 2284 (2R) by Senator King-

**Florida Statutes**; repeals specified provisions all of which have become inoperative by noncurrent repeal or expiration & pursuant to specified provision may be omitted from 2007 Fla. Statutes only through reviser's bill duly enacted by Legislature; amends provisions to conform to repeal of specified provisions. Amends FS. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Rules

#### SB 2286 (2R) by Senator King-

Official Florida Statutes; adopts Florida Statutes 2007 & designates portions thereof that are to constitute official law of state; provides that Fla. Statutes 2007 shall be effective immediately upon publication; provides that general laws enacted during 2006 regular session prior thereto & not included in Fla. Statutes 2007 are repealed, etc. Amends 11.2421,.2422,.2424,.2425. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Rules

#### SB 2288 (2R) by Senator King-

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

Reported favorably by the Committee on Rules

## CS/SCR 2396 (2R) by the Committee on Rules and Senator King—

**Joint Rules of Legislature**; adopts Joint Rules of Florida Legislature & amends Joint Rule One, re lobbyist registration & compensation reporting, & Joint Rule Seven, re organization & duties of Legislative Budget Commission.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Rules

## RESPONSIBLE REGULATION POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [RPCC] GROUPING

#### SB 1024 (2R) by Senator Haridopolos-

Homestead Exemption/Age 65 & Older; increase maximum amount of additional homestead exemption that may be granted by county or municipality; provides procedures for implementing increased exemption for 2007 tax year. Amends 196.075. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committees on Community Affairs and Finance and Tax

## CS/CS/SB 1026 (2R) by the Committees on Finance and Tax, Community Affairs, Senator Haridopolos and others—

Ad Valorem Tax/Disabled Veterans; implements s. (6) (g), Art. VII of State Constitution; provides that certain disabled veterans must receive discount from amount of ad valorem tax levied on their homestead property; provides conditions under which discount applies; provides application procedures; authorizes governing body of county to waive requirement that annual application be made for veteran's disability discount, etc. Creates 196.082, amends 196.011. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Community Affairs and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Finance and Tax

#### SR 1860 (2R) by Senator Bennett-

**Renewable Energy/Agriculture**; supports vision of "25 by '25," & encourages production of renewable energy & fuels by farms & ranches to help meet future energy needs.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Agriculture

# SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [SPCC] GROUPING

CS/SB 246 (2R) by the Committee on Health Regulation, Senator Wise and others—

Cardiac Catheterization Services; revises provisions re compliance with certain criteria imposed on any hospital seeking to provide diagnostic cardiac catheterization Level II services. Amends 408.0361. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Health Regulation

#### SB 992 (2R) by the Committee on Health Regulation-

**Health Care Providers Licensure**; provides applicability of licensure requirements of health care providers under part II of chapter 408, Florida Statutes. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health Regulation

#### SB 1700 (2R) by Senator Aronberg-

**Physician Assistants/Paramedic Cert.**; authorizes physician assistants who meet specified criteria to be certified as paramedics. Amends 401.27. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health Regulation

#### FIRST PUBLICATION ON SECOND READING

# ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [EPCC] GROUPING

CS/SB 404 (2R) by the Committee on Community Affairs, Senator Baker and others—

Construction & Housing Industry/Regulation; provides additional eligibility requirements for person to take examination for certification as building code inspector or plans examiner; provides for application of building code enforcement officials' bill of rights to certain disciplinary investigations & proceedings; authorizes placement of residential manufactured bldgs. that are certified by DCA on certain mobile home lots, etc. Amends 468.609,.617,.619,.621,.627, 489.115; creates 553.382. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Regulated Industries and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Community Affairs

# FISCAL POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [FPCC] GROUPING

CS/CS/SB 1226 (2R) by the Committees on Education Pre-K - 12 Appropriations, Education Pre-K - 12, Senator Gaetz and others—

Compensation for District School Board Employees; establishes Merit Award Program for instructional personnel & school-based administrators; requires that district school board adopt Merit Award Program plan in order to receive funding under program; provides for reversion of funds that are not distributed when district or charter school chooses not to adopt plan; requires school districts to be able to administer end-of-course examinations with certain exceptions, etc. Amends Ch. 1012, 447.403. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 and reported favorably as acommittee substitute by the Committee on Education Pre-K -12 Appropriations

CS/CS/SB 1232 (2R) by the Committees on Education Pre-K - 12 Appropriations, Education Pre-K - 12 and Senator Gaetz—

Career & Professional Education; creates Fla. Career & Professional Education Act for purpose of improving academic performance & responds to state's workforce needs; requires that district school boards develop strategic plans to address & meet local & regional workforce needs; provides for coordination between career & professional academies & industry; repeals provisions re Career High-Skill Occupational Initiative for Career Educ.(CHOICE) academies, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 and reported favorably as acommittee substitute by the Committee on Education Pre-K -12 Appropriations

## RESPONSIBLE REGULATION POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [RPCC] GROUPING

CS/CS/SB 392 (2R) by the Committees on General Government Appropriations, Environmental Preservation and Conservation, Senator Saunders and others—

Watershed Restoration; provides for expanded uses of bonds issued for Everglades restoration; provides certain requirements before release of funds; creates Caloosahatchee & St. Lucie River Watershed Protection Program; creates St. Lucie River Watershed Protection Plan; expands authorized uses of funds deposited into Save Our Everglades TF; extends period of time in which funds may be deposited into trust fund, etc. Amends Ch. 373, 215.619. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on General Government Appropriations

CS/CS/SB 1372 (2R) by the Committees on General Government Appropriations, Commerce, the Committee on Agriculture and others—

Agriculture & Consumer Services; revises registration requirements for brands of pesticide distributed or sold in state; updates references for purposes of provisions governing sale of bottled water & operation of bottled water plants; revises permitting requirements for certain milk plants; repeals provision re designation, marking, & cutting of seed trees; authorizes Fruit & Vegetables Div. to perform food safety inspections re tomatoes, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Agriculture and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Commerce and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on General Government Appropriations

## CS/SB 1970 (2R) by the Committee on Governmental Operations—

Administrative Procedures/Exemptions; clarifies that certain emergency rules re operation of lottery games & adopted by DOL are exempt from provisions restricting duration of said rules; provides procedures for administrative hearings involving allegations of sexual misconduct by licensed professional; amends provision re regulation of funeral, cemetery, & consumer services by DFS & provision re regulation of pugilistic exhibitions by Fla. State Boxing Commission, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2007.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Operations and the Committee on General Government Appropriations reports the committee substitute favorably

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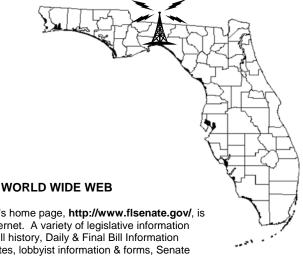
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