# Ken Pruitt President of the Senate



# Lisa Carlton President Pro Tempore

# **Senate Calendar**

Monday, March 3, 2008

(1st week -- 60 days remaining)

### THE SENATE WILL CONVENE ON

Tuesday, March 4, 2008 11:00 a.m.—until completion of agenda &

5:30 p.m.—until completion of agenda, Joint Session

# SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 3 - 7, 2008 [XXXX] = Policy and Calendar Committee Initials. See page 3 for Committee Groupings (NM)\* = Not Meeting and (MC)\* = Meeting Cancelled

9:00-11:00 a.m. Joint Legislative Sunset Committee Rm. 37(SB)  11:30 a.m1:30 p.m. [FPCC] Appropriations Committees: Education Pre-K - 12 Rm. 412(KB) 11:30 a.m3:45 p.m. [FPCC] Appropriations Committees: Criminal and Civil Justice Rm. 37(SB) Health and Human Services Rm. 110(SB) Transportation and Economic  11:00 a.i. agenda  SES:  Lunc  1:10 a.i. agenda  11:00 a.i. age	TUESDAY MARCH 4, 2008  a.muntil completion of la  SSION  unch and District Office	WEDNESDAY MARCH 5, 2008  9:00-11:30 a.m. [LPCC] Criminal Justice Rm. 40° Ethics and Elections ( Judiciary Rm. 110 Military Affairs and Domestic Security Rm. 30°  Lunch and District Office	NM)* 0(SB) (SB)	### THURSDAY MARCH 6, 2008    8:00-9:15 a.m. [FPCC]     Finance and Tax   Rm. 301(SB)   9:30 a.m2:30 p.m.     SESSION     FPCC     OPCC	FRIDAY MARCH 7, 2008  10:00 a.muntil completion of agenda SESSION
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### **2008 SESSION DATES**

August	1, 2007	Deadline for filing claim bills (Rule 4.81)
January	25, 2008	5:00 p.m., deadline for submitting requests for drafts of general bills, including requests for companion bills
February	29, 2008	5:00 p.m., deadline for submitting final drafts of general bills, <u>including</u> <u>companion bills</u>
March	4, 2008	Regular Session convenes (Article III, section 3(b), Constitution)
March	4, 2008	12:00 noon, deadline for filing bills for introduction (Rule 3.7)
April	22, 2008	50th day—last day for regularly scheduled committee meetings (Rule 2.9)
April	28, 2008	All bills are immediately certified (Rule 6.8) Conference Committee Reports require only one reading (Rule 4.5)
May	2, 2008	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 3, 2008

#### OTHER LEGISLATIVE ENTITIES

9:00-11:00 a.m.

Joint Legislative Sunset Committee: 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senator Gaetz, Co Chair; Senators Jones, Lawson, Ring, and Storms)

Presentation of the Sunset Memorandum of the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability pertaining to the Conservation Land Management Options for Legislative Consideration

Consider previous recommendations for final approval

## FISCAL POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [FPCC] GROUPING

11:30 a.m.—1:30 p.m.

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

11:30 a.m.—1:30 p.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room,* 412 Knott Building:

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

Consideration of proposed committee bill making special appropriations for Fiscal Year 2007-2008:

SPB 7064 (CA)—Special Appropriations

SB 1744 (CA) by Senator Wise—Implementing 2007-2008 General Appropriations Act (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 Friday, February 29, 2008 at 11:30 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### 11:30 a.m.—3:45 p.m.

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

11:30 a.m.—3:45 p.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

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

Consideration of proposed committee bill making special appropriations for Fiscal Year 2007-2008:

SPB 7068 (CA)—Special Appropriations

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Friday, February 29, 2008 at 11:30 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

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

11:30 a.m.—3:45 p.m., *Toni Jennings Committee Room*, 110 Senate Office Building:

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

Consideration of proposed committee bill making special appropriations for Fiscal Year 2007-2008:

SPB 7072 (CA)—Special Appropriations

SB 1852 (CA) by Senator Peaden—Health Care (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 Friday, February 29, 2008 at 11:30 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

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

**Appropriations [FPCC]:** 11:30 a.m.—3:45 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)

Consideration of proposed committee bill making special appropriations for Fiscal Year 2007-2008:

SPB 7074 (CA)—Special Appropriations

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Friday, February 29, 2008 at 11:30 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### 1:30-3:45 p.m.

**Higher Education Appropriations [FPCC]:** 1:30—3:45 p.m., Room 117, Knott Building:

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

Consideration of proposed committee bill making special appropriations for Fiscal Year 2007-2008:

SPB 7066 (CA)—Special Appropriations

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Friday, February 29, 2008 at 1:30 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### 2:00-3:45 p.m.

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

2:00-3:45 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

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

Consideration of proposed committee bill making special appropriations for Fiscal Year 2007-2008:

SPB 7070 (CA)—Special Appropriations

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Friday, February 29, 2008 at 11:30 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

### **TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 2008**

Session: 11:00 a.m.—until completion of agenda and Joint Session: 5:30 p.m.—until completion of agenda

1:15-2:00 p.m.

Fiscal Policy and Calendar Committee: 1:15—2:00 p.m., Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Carlton, Chair; Senators Alexander, Crist, Deutch, Fasano, Geller, Haridopolos, Joyner, King, Lawson, Lynn, Margolis, Peaden, Rich, Ring, Siplin, and Wise)

Consideration for introduction - proposed committee bill making special appropriations for Fiscal Year 2007-2008:

SPB 7076 (CA)—Special Appropriations

Consideration for introduction - proposed committee bill implementing special appropriations for Fiscal Year 2007-2008:

SPB 7078 (CA)—Implementing 2007-2008 Special Appropriations

To Set the Special Order Calendar for Thursday, March 6, 2008

## ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [EPCC] GROUPING

2:15-4:30 p.m.

Banking and Insurance [EPCC]: 2:15—4:30 p.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 164 (CA) by Senator Crist—Insurance/Mental & Substance-related Disorders

SB 644 (CA) by Senator Justice and others—My Safe Florida Home Program/Grant Eligibility (A proposed committee substitute is expected to be filed prior to the amendment deadline.)

SB 656 (CA) by Senator Joyner—Judicial and Execution Sales of Property

SB 818 (CA) by Senator Bennett—Financial Services SB 966 (CA) by Senator Alexander—Automated Teller Machine Transactions

SB 1078 (CA) by Senator Wise—Personal Property Title Insurance

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 3, 2008 at 2:15 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

**Commerce [EPCC]:** 2:15—4:30 p.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)

Discussion of issues related to Interim Project 2008-107 (Examination of Automobile Dealers' Documentation Fees)

A public hearing for consideration of the confirmation of the below-named executive appointment to the office indicated.(All persons wishing to be heard on this appointment are requested to notify the committee administrative assistant at (850) 487-5815 on the day preceding the hearing.)

Mortlake Nembhard, Florida Black Business Investment Board, Inc., TERM ENDING DATE: 06/30/2010

SB 428 (CA) by Senator Bennett—Regional Workforce Board/One-stop Operator

SB 694 (CA) by Senator Aronberg—Caller ID Anti-spoofing Act SB 854 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Unemployment Compensation/Day Laborer

SB 1026 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Unemployment Compensation Benefits

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 3, 2008 at 2:15 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

**Regulated Industries [EPCC]:** 2:15—4:30 p.m., *Toni Jennings Committee Room*, 110 Senate Office Building:

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

Continuation of discussion on Arcade Amusement Centers and discussion of Electronic Sweepstakes Games (Discussion only)

SB 996 (CA) by Senator Wise—Cosmetology SB 1206 (CA) by Senator Jones—Public Accountancy

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 3, 2008 at 2:15 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

Transportation [EPCC]: 2:15—4:30 p.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

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

- SB 1030 (CA) by Senator Gaetz—Highway Safety SB 1076 (CA) by Senator King and others—Motor Vehicles and Mobile Homes/Destruction
- SB 1008 (CA) by Senator Storms—Failure to Redeliver Hired
- SB 920 (CA) by Senator Fasano and others—Driver's License Fees
- SB 788 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Transportation Disadvantaged/Services
- SB 630 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Vehicle Registration/Family First Contribution
- SB 282 (CA) by Senator Lynn—Drivers' License Restrictions/Person Under 18 Yrs.

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, March 3, 2008 at 2:15 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

### **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 2008**

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

9:00—11:30 a.m.

Criminal Justice [LPCC]: 9:00—11:30 a.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

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

SB 116 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Electronic Monitoring/Lost Persons

SB 220 (CA) by Senator Wise—Change of Name/Petition SB 268 (CA) by Senator Villalobos and others—Truth in Government Act/Legislature

CS/SB 300 (CA) by the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Crist—Service of Process

SB 528 (CA) by Senator Aronberg—Sexual Battery Involving Minor Victims/Prosecution

SB 614 (CA) by Senator Dean—Public Defenders/Classification and Pay Plans

SB 1064 (CA) by Senator Dockery—Murder of Law Enforcement Officers

SB 1442 (CA) by Senator Dockery—Exploited Children

Presentation by the Department of Juvenile Justice on the Findings and Recommendations of the Blueprint Commission

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 4, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

Judiciary [LPCC]: 9:00—11:30 a.m., Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Villalobos, Chair; Senator Joyner, Vice Chair; Senators Baker, Deutch, Diaz de la Portilla, Fasano, Gaetz, Geller, Ring, Saunders, and Webster)

CS/SB 242 (CA) by the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 and Senator Wise—Schools/Single-gender Classes

CS/SB 564 (CA) by the Committee on Health Regulation, Senator Constantine and others—Automated External Defibrillators CS/SB 686 (CA) by the Committee on Health Regulation and

CS/SB 686 (CA) by the Committee on Health Regulation and Senator Bennett—Nursing Facilities

CS/SB 76 (CA) by the Committee on Criminal Justice, Senator Atwater and others—Criminal Activity/Criminal Gangs

SB 1042 (CA) by the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs—OGSR/Putative Father Registry/Department of Health SB 1046 (CA) by the Committee on Children Families, and Elder

SB 1046 (CA) by the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs—OGSR/Foster Parents/DCFS

SB 472 (CA) by Senator Dean—DNA Testing

SB 766 (CA) by Senator Rich—Pub. Rec./Judicial Officials

SB 716 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Clinical Laboratories

Presentation by Judge Cindy Lederman, 11th Judicial Circuit, on addressing issues of family violence and child maltreatment through the state courts system

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 4, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

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

9:00—11:30 a.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

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

SB 470 (CA) by Senator Hill—Seaport Security Standards Advisory Council

CS/SB 682 (CA) by the Committee on Transportation and Senator Bullard—Interstate 95/Alternative Routes Study

Presentation on Implementation of HB 7121 Disaster Preparedness Response from 2006 session (Chapter Law 2006-71):

Craig Fugate, Director, Division of Emergency Management, Department of Community Affairs

Presentation on Interim Project 2008-145 Domestic Security - Florida Veterans' Healthcare Facilities and Outreach Services

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 4, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

#### 12:00 noon-1:30 p.m.

**CAUCUS NOTICE:** The Democratic Caucus will meet from 12:00 noon—1:30 p.m., in Room 228, Senate Office Building.

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

2:00-4:30 p.m.

Children, Families, and Elder Affairs [SPCC]: 2:00—4:30 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 1092 (CA) by the Committee on Health Policy—Alzheimer's Disease/Medicaid Waiver Program

SB 370 (CA) by Senator Wise—Personal Care Attendant Program SB 1152 (CA) by Senator Storms—Children (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 Tuesday, March 4, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

Education Pre-K - 12 [SPCC]: 2:00—4:30 p.m., Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Office Building:

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

SJR 2308 (CA) by Senator Carlton—Commissioner of Education SB 1652 (CA) by the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12—Charter Schools/Charter Technical Career Centers

SB 1712 (CA) by the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 and others—Ethics in Education Act

SM 1742 (CA) by Senator Carlton and others—Educator Ethics

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 4, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

**Health Policy [SPCC]:** 2:00—4:30 p.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

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

SB 130 (CA) by Senator Wilson—School-based Health Centers SB 262 (CA) by Senator Wilson—Indigent Care/Hospital Reimbursement

SB 1106 (CA) by Senator Saunders—Physician Assistants/Prescriptions/Formulary

Presentation by the Department of Health on HIV/AIDS advertising activities

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 4, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

**Health Regulation [SPCC]:** 2:00—4:30 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

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

SB 1318 (CA) by Senator Gaetz—Onsite Sewage Treatment and Disposal Systems

Status report by the Department of Health on rule promulgation for the administration of influenza virus immunizations by pharmacists

SB 1360 (CA) by Senator Peaden—Pharmacy Technicians SB 1370 (CA) by the Committee on Health Regulation—Florida Patient Safety Corporation

SB 1374 (CA) by the Committee on Health Regulation—Home Health Agencies

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Tuesday, March 4, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

### **BILLS ON THE CALENDAR**

## SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

#### FIRST PUBLICATION ON SECOND READING

## ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES POLICY AND CALENDAR COMMITTEE [EPCC] GROUPING

SB 154 (2R) by Senator Fasano-

**Pedestrian Safety/Driver Requirements**; Requires a driver to stop at intersections with traffic control signals, or crosswalks so indicated with signage, to allow a pedestrian to cross a roadway when the pedestrian is in the crosswalk. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation

CS/SB 276 (2R) by the Committee on Judiciary, Senator Rich and others—

Food Donation by Public Food Service Establishment;

Designates this act as the "Jack Davis Florida Restaurant Lending a Helping Hand Act." Amends provisions regarding liability for canned or perishable food distributed free of charge. Expands the definition of "perishable food" to include foods that have been prepared at licensed public food service establishments, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

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

CS/SB 296 (2R) by the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Fasano—

Bingo/Electronic Verification of Numbers; Authorizes verification of numbers drawn at bingo games by electronics or other technology in lieu of vocal verification. Revises the definition of "organization" to include chambers of commerce. Exempts chambers of commerce from provisions prohibiting drawings by chance. Authorizes an organization to place signs at a bingo game event disclosing certain required information, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Regulated Industries

SB 458 (2R) by Senator Wise-

Pugilistic Matches/Fraternal Order of Police; Exempts amateur matches that are conducted or sponsored by the Fraternal Order of Police and that are held in conjunction with acharitable event from provisions regulating pugilistic contests and exhibitions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Regulated Industries

CS/CS/SB 1380 (2R) by the Committees on Finance and Tax, Regulated Industries, Senator Jones and others—

Electronic Gaming Machines; Provides that any electronic gaming machine licensee may possess and operate electronic gaming machines at an eligible facility where the licensee is authorized to conduct pari-mutuel wagering activities pursuant to pari-mutuel provisions. Prohibits a person who has not attained 21 years of age from operating or playing an electronic gaming machine or having access to the designated machine area, etc. 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 Finance and Tax

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

CS/SB 322 (2R) by the Committee on Governmental Operations, Senator Constantine and others—

Political Subdivision/Officer & Employee Conduct; Specifies standards of conduct for officers and employees of entities serving as the chief administrative officer of political subdivisions. Provides for penalties to be imposed against persons other than lobbyists or public officers and employers. Provides for the Commission on Ethics to report to the Governor violations involving persons other than lobbyists or public officers and employees, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Operations

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

SB 1676 (2R) by Senator King-

Official Florida Statutes; Adopts the Florida Statutes 2008 and designates the portions thereof that are to constitute the official law of the state. Provides that the Florida Statutes 2008 shall be effective immediately upon publication. Provides that general laws enacted during the June 12-14, 2007, special session and prior thereto and not included in the Florida Statutes 2008 are repealed, etc. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Rules

### CS/SB 1678 (2R) by the Committee on Rules and Senator King—

Florida Statutes; 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 and citations. Corrects grammatical, typographical, and like errors. Removes inconsistencies, redundancies, and unnecessary repetition in the statutes. Improves the clarity of the statutes and facilitates their correct interpretation, etc. Effective Date: 60 days from sine die.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Rules

#### SB 1680 (2R) by Senator King-

Florida Statutes; Repeals provisions which have become inoperative by noncurrent repeal or expiration and may be omitted from the 2008 Florida Statutes only through a reviser's bill duly enacted by the Legislature, etc. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Rules

#### SB 1682 (2R) by Senator King-

**Florida Statutes**; Amends various provisions pursuant to the directive of the Legislature to redesignate the Secretary of Health as the State Surgeon General wherever the term appears in the Florida Statutes, etc. Effective Date: 60 days after sine die.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Rules

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

#### SB 784 (2R) by Senator Bennett-

**Local Telecommunications Services**; Repeals the provisions relating to procedures for seeking a stay from the Florida Public Service Commission of a price reduction for basic local telecommunications services, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Communications and Public Utilities

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

#### SB 78 (2R) by Senator Wilson-

Child Welfare Professionals Recognition Day; Designates the second Monday in May as "Child Welfare Professionals Recognition Day" to recognize all professionals who work with abused children and dysfunctional families. Encourages the Department of Children and Family Services, local governments, and other agencies to sponsor events promoting the awareness of the child welfare system, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs, and reported favorably by the Committee on Governmental Operations

#### SB 286 (2R) by Senator Wise and others-

#### **Educators Teaching English/Inservice Requirements;**

Requires that educators of English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) have inservice requirements that will ensure a conducive learning environment and the use of appropriate teaching strategies for students with limited English. Requires that primary English instructors have 300 inservice hours or the equivalent, that instructors in basic subject areas have 60 inservice hours or the equivalent, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

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

#### SB 302 (2R) by Senator Siplin-

**Public School Dress Requirements;** Prohibits students from wearing and exposing below-waist underwear in a specified manner while on the grounds of a public school, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2008.

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

### CS/SB 508 (2R) by the Committee on Health Regulation and Senator Fasano—

Hospitalized Patients/Safe Lifting Policies; Requires that hospitals, ambulatory surgical centers, and mobile surgical facilities establish a policy concerning the safe lifting of patients by their employees. Provides criteria concerning the policy to include, but not be limited to, using data to evaluate the risk of injuries to patients and employees and determining the appropriateness of alternative strategies for lifting and handling patients. Requires an ongoing evaluation process, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2008.

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

### CS/SB 736 (2R) by the Committee on Health Regulation and Senator Saunders—

Clinical Nurse Specialists/Certification; Revises the requirements for obtaining certification as a clinical nurse specialist. Requires an applicant to submit proof to the Department of health that he or she has the required academic and clinical experience to be certified as a clinical nurse specialist, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2008.

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

# **Bill Index by Bill Number**

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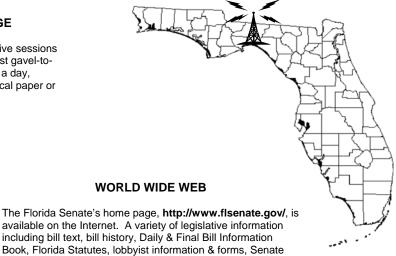
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