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CALL TO ORDER

The Senate was called to order by President Gaetz at 10:00 a.m. A quorum present—35:

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Altman	Galvano	Richter
Bean	Gardiner	Ring
Benacquisto	Gibson	Sachs
Bradley	Grimsley	Simmons
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Detert	Legg	Thompson
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	Thrasher
Evers	Montford	

Excused: Senator Negron periodically for the purpose of working on Appropriations

PRAYER

The following prayer was offered by Senator Flores:

Today, we ask the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts with its holy gifts. Let our weakness be filled with your strength this very day, that we may fulfill the duties of our state and life conscientiously, that we may do what is right and just. Let my charity be such as to offend no one and hurt no one's feelings, so generous as to pardon sincerely any wrong done to me. Assist us in all the trials of life, enlighten us in our ignorance, advise us in our doubts, strengthen our weakness, help us in all needs and embarrassment, and console us in all afflictions. Graciously hear me, O Holy Spirit, and pour your light into my heart, my soul, and my mind. Assist us to live a holy life and to grow in goodness and grace. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

PLEDGE

Senate Pages, Zach Sundook of Wellington and Emma Boswell of DeLand, led the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

DOCTOR OF THE DAY

The President recognized Dr. C. Christopher Pittman of Tampa, sponsored by Senator Brandes, as the doctor of the day. Dr. Pittman specializes in venous medicine.

MOMENT OF SILENCE

At the request of Senator Bullard, the Senate observed a moment of silence honoring the lives affected by the tornadoes this week in Arkansas and Alabama.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE RELATING TO EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

APPOINTMENT REPORTS

The Honorable Don Gaetz
President, The Florida Senate
April 29, 2014

Dear President Gaetz:

The following executive appointments were referred to the Senate Committee on Ethics and Elections for action pursuant to Rule 12.7 of the Rules of the Florida Senate:

	<i>For Term Ending</i>
<i>Office and Appointment</i>	
Board of Accountancy Appointee: Lane, James M.	10/31/2017
Jacksonville Aviation Authority Appointee: Kilbane, Patrick J.	09/30/2017
Board of Architecture and Interior Design Appointees: Fernandez, Hector C. O'Doski, Ivette Arango	10/31/2017 10/31/2014
Florida Board of Auctioneers Appointee: Shearer, Donald L.	10/31/2017
Greater Orlando Aviation Authority Appointee: Kruppenbacher, Frank	04/16/2018
Florida State Boxing Commission Appointee: Martinez, Tirso P.	09/30/2017
Florida Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board Appointees: Jones, Peter W. McCormick, Robert S.	10/31/2017 10/31/2017
Florida Building Commission Appointees: Gilson, David R. Meyer, Elizabeth	01/06/2017 02/07/2017
Board of Chiropractic Medicine Appointee: Heagy, Danita Thomas	10/31/2016
Florida Citrus Commission Appointees: Garavaglia, Michael J., Jr. Hancock, Jonathan Ned Pines, Francisco J.	06/30/2016 06/30/2016 06/30/2016

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>	<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Hillsborough County Civil Service Board Appointee: Tennant, William S.	07/02/2017	Board of Trustees of St. Johns River State College Appointee: Keith, Brian E.	05/31/2017
Regulatory Council of Community Association Managers Appointee: Warren, Dawn	10/31/2017	Board of Trustees of Seminole State College Appointee: Lockhart, Amy L.	05/31/2017
Florida Communities Trust Appointee: Jones, Gregory	01/31/2017	Board of Trustees of Tallahassee Community College Appointee: Vaughn, G. Kevin	05/31/2017
Florida Commission on Community Service Appointees: Galvano, Julie Schultz, Kerry Anne Wihbey, Jean A.	09/14/2016 09/14/2015 09/14/2015	Board of Trustees of Valencia College Appointees: Crossman, John M. Grulich, Maria Maguire, Raymer F., III	05/31/2017 05/31/2017 05/31/2017
Board of Trustees of College of Central Florida Appointee: Balfour, Sandra	05/31/2017	State of Florida Correctional Medical Authority Appointee: Langston, Katherine E.	07/01/2016
Board of Trustees of Chipola College Appointee: Stuart, Virginia "Gina" C.	05/31/2017	Board of Dentistry Appointee: Pyle, Timothy S.	10/31/2016
Board of Trustees of Daytona State College Appointees: Escudero, Stanley T. Lubi, Garry R.	05/31/2015 05/31/2014	State Board of Education Appointee: Johnson, Marva Brown	12/31/2017
Board of Trustees of Edison State College Appointees: Loche, Eric C. Rhone, Braxton C. Vernon, Christopher T.	05/31/2014 05/31/2017 05/31/2017	Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board Appointees: Barr, Bruce D. Botknecht, David H.	10/31/2014 10/31/2017
Board of Trustees of Florida Keys Community College Appointee: Spottswood, Elena G.	05/31/2014	Board of Professional Engineers Appointees: Dove, Roland P. Hahn, Warren G. Rambo-Roddenberry, Michelle D.	10/31/2017 10/31/2017 10/31/2017
Board of Trustees of Gulf Coast State College Appointees: Crisp, Donald R. Warriner, David P.	05/31/2017 05/31/2017	Board of Directors, Enterprise Florida, Inc. Appointee: Beyrouti, Jay J.	09/30/2017
Board of Trustees of Indian River State College Appointees: Davis, Vicki Krischke, Sandra J.	05/31/2017 05/31/2017	Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission Appointee: Yablonski, Brian S.	01/05/2019
Board of Trustees of Florida Gateway College Appointees: McInnis, Kathryn Land Tepedino, Miguel J.	05/31/2017 05/31/2014	Board of Governors of the State University System Appointee: Doyle, Daniel M., Jr.	01/06/2017
Board of Trustees of Lake-Sumter State College Appointees: Butler, Marcia M. Jones, Bret Morris, Timothy "Tim" Wahl, Peter F.	05/31/2017 05/31/2017 05/31/2017 05/31/2015	Board of Hearing Aid Specialists Appointees: Fischer, John E. Moore, Douglas R. Pickard, Robert E.	10/31/2014 10/31/2016 10/31/2017
Board of Trustees of State College of Florida, Manatee-Sarasota Appointee: Wyatt, Robert A.	05/31/2017	Citrus County Hospital Board Appointees: Joseph, Krista K. Ressler, Deborah L.	07/11/2017 07/05/2017
Board of Trustees of Miami-Dade College Appointees: Bucelo, Armando J., Jr. Ferre, Helen A. Navarro, Bernardo	05/31/2017 05/31/2017 05/31/2017	Florida Housing Finance Corporation Appointee: Wheeler, Howard L., Jr.	11/13/2014
Board of Trustees of North Florida Community College Appointee: Lyons, Ricky	05/31/2017	Commission for Independent Education Appointee: Matos, Ilia Y.	06/30/2014
Board of Trustees of Palm Beach State College Appointee: Williams, Carolyn L.	05/31/2017	Governor's Mansion Commission Appointee: Vickers, Samuel H.	09/30/2017
Board of Trustees of Pasco-Hernando Community College Appointee: Musunuru, Rao	05/31/2017	Board of Massage Therapy Appointees: Davis, Guery L. Havard, Robyn Dohn Nixon, Lydia R.	10/31/2014 10/31/2016 10/31/2017
Board of Trustees of Pensacola State College Appointees: Carlan, Carol H. Simmons, Chip W. White, Frank Wilson, Stephania Stanley Woll, Herbert	05/31/2017 05/31/2014 05/31/2014 05/31/2014 05/31/2017	Board of Medicine Appointees: Goersch, Brigitte Rivera Lopez, Jorge	10/31/2017 10/31/2017
Board of Trustees of Polk State College Appointee: Garcia, Ricardo	05/31/2017	Board of Pilot Commissioners Appointees: Nielsen, Stephen Phipps, Cheryl A. Winegeart, James Perrow	10/31/2017 10/31/2016 10/31/2017
		Board of Podiatric Medicine Appointee: Koppel, Scott T.	10/31/2017

<p><i>Office and Appointment</i></p> <p>Tampa Port Authority Appointees: Allman, Patrick H., III Celestan, Gregory</p> <p>Board of Directors, Prison Rehabilitative Industries and Diversified Enterprises, Inc. Appointees: Hanas, Richard L. Reeves, James J.</p> <p>Florida Real Estate Appraisal Board Appointee: del Valle, Armando</p> <p>Apalachee Regional Planning Council, Region 2 Appointees: Brimmer, Edward E. Cutshaw, Steven Grant, Henry G. Miller, Lisa Stephens, Donald R.</p> <p>Tampa Bay Regional Planning Council, Region 8 Appointees: DiCeglie, Nick Sebesta, Robert A. Sheridan, Scott D.</p> <p>Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 9 Appointee: Graham, Suzanne T.</p> <p>Treasure Coast Regional Planning Council, Region 10 Appointee: Overdorf, Tobin R.</p> <p>South Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 11 Appointee: Hernandez, Nelson L.</p> <p>State Retirement Commission Appointees: Jackson, Priscilla Cheryl Smith, J. Layne Zacks, Paul H.</p> <p>Florida Transportation Commission Appointee: Ellington, Donald L.</p> <p>Governing Board of the St. Johns River Water Management District Appointees: Miklos, John A. Yetter, Carla E.</p> <p>Big Cypress Basin Board of the South Florida Water Management District Appointees: Farmer, David H. Kitchener, Marielle</p> <p>Governing Board of the Southwest Florida Water Management District Appointee: Babb, Michael A.</p> <p>Governing Board of the Suwannee River Water Management District Appointees: Alexander, Alphonas Williams, Guy N.</p> <p>The following executive appointments were referred to the Senate Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Ethics and Elections for action pursuant to Rule 12.7 of the Rules of the Florida Senate:</p> <p><i>Office and Appointment</i></p> <p>State Board of Education Appointee: Lipsey, Rebecca Fishman</p> <p>Board of Trustees, Florida A & M University Appointee: Moore, Kimberly Ann</p> <p>Board of Trustees, University of Florida Appointees: Heavener, James W. Rosenberg, Jason J. Scott, Steven M.</p>	<p><i>For Term Ending</i></p> <p>02/06/2018 11/25/2017</p> <p>09/30/2017 09/30/2015</p> <p>10/31/2017</p> <p>10/01/2015 10/01/2015 10/01/2015 10/01/2016 10/01/2015</p> <p>10/01/2015 10/01/2016 10/01/2016</p> <p>10/01/2015</p> <p>10/01/2014</p> <p>10/01/2016</p> <p>12/31/2017 12/31/2016 12/31/2015</p> <p>09/30/2017</p> <p>03/01/2018 03/01/2018</p> <p>03/01/2017 03/01/2017</p> <p>03/01/2018 03/01/2018</p> <p><i>For Term Ending</i></p> <p>12/31/2017</p> <p>01/06/2018</p> <p>01/06/2016 01/06/2016 01/06/2018</p>	<p>The following executive appointments were referred to the Senate Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation and the Senate Committee on Ethics and Elections for action pursuant to Rule 12.7 of the Rules of the Florida Senate:</p> <p><i>Office and Appointment</i></p> <p>Governing Board of the South Florida Water Management District Appointees: Barber, Frederick T., III Hutchcraft, Mitchel A. Powers, Kevin P.</p> <p>Executive Director of South Florida Water Management District Appointee: Guillory, Blake C.</p> <p>The following executive appointment was referred to the Senate Committee on Transportation and the Senate Committee on Ethics and Elections for action pursuant to Rule 12.7 of the Rules of the Florida Senate:</p> <p><i>Office and Appointment</i></p> <p>Florida Transportation Commission Appointee: Wright, Kenneth W.</p> <p>The following executive appointments were referred to the Senate Committee on Ethics and Elections for action pursuant to Rule 12.7 of the Rules of the Florida Senate. The Senate Committee on Ethics and Elections conducted an inquiry concerning the qualifications of the appointees; however, the Committee on Ethics and Elections did not hold a public hearing for the following appointees. Therefore, the Senate Committee on Ethics and Elections makes no recommendations and in accordance with s. 114.05(1)(c), Florida Statutes, respectfully submits for Senate consideration:</p> <p><i>Office and Appointment</i></p> <p>Jacksonville Aviation Authority Appointee: Carson, Giselle</p> <p>Florida Building Commission Appointee: Bassett, Steven C.</p> <p>Board of Chiropractic Medicine Appointee: Dougherty, Kenneth J.</p> <p>Board of Trustees of Edison State College Appointee: Donalds, Byron</p> <p>Board of Trustees of Tallahassee Community College Appointee: Kilpatrick, Jonathan A.</p> <p>Board of Dentistry Appointee: Tejera, Tinerfe J.</p> <p>Board of Hearing Aid Specialists Appointee: Hernandez, Maria G.</p> <p>Governor's Mansion Commission Appointee: Bear, Belle Y.</p> <p>Board of Medicine Appointee: Stringer, Merle P.</p> <p>Tampa Bay Regional Planning Council, Region 8 Appointee: Moore, Mike</p> <p>Governing Board of the Northwest Florida Water Management District Appointee: Roberts, George A.</p> <p>Except as specifically noted above, the committees caused to be conducted an inquiry into the qualifications, experience, and general suitability of the above-named appointees for appointment to the office in-</p>	<p><i>For Term Ending</i></p> <p>03/01/2015 03/01/2017 03/01/2017</p> <p>Pleasure of the Board</p> <p><i>For Term Ending</i></p> <p>09/30/2014</p> <p><i>For Term Ending</i></p> <p>09/30/2017 12/08/2017 10/31/2017 05/31/2017 05/31/2017 10/31/2017 10/31/2014 09/30/2014 10/31/2017 10/01/2015 03/01/2018</p>
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licated. In aid of such inquiry, the committees held a public hearing at which members of the public were invited to attend and offer evidence concerning the qualifications, experience, and general suitability of the appointees. After due consideration of the findings of such inquiry and the evidence adduced at the public hearings, the Committee on Ethics and Elections and other referenced committees respectfully advise and recommend that in accordance with s. 114.05(1)(c), Florida Statutes:

(1) the executive appointments of the above-named appointees, to the office and for the term indicated, be confirmed by the Senate;

(2) Senate action on said appointments be taken prior to the adjournment of the 2014 Regular Session; and

(3) there is no necessity known to the committees for the deliberations on said appointments to be held in executive session.

Respectfully submitted,
Jack Latvala, Chair

On motion by Senator Latvala, the report was adopted and the Senate confirmed the appointments identified in the foregoing report of the committee to the offices and for the terms indicated in accordance with the recommendation of the committee.

The vote was:

Yeas—30

Mr. President	Evers	Margolis
Altman	Flores	Richter
Bean	Galvano	Ring
Benacquisto	Gibson	Sachs
Bradley	Grimsley	Simmons
Braynon	Hays	Sobel
Bullard	Hukill	Soto
Clemens	Joyner	Stargel
Detert	Latvala	Thompson
Diaz de la Portilla	Legg	Thrasher

Nays—None

DISCLOSURE

Pursuant to Senate Rule 1.39, I am disclosing that certain provisions in the Executive Appointment of Julie Galvano provide a special private gain or loss to an immediate family member or business associate of mine. The nature of the interest and the persons or entities involved are specified below:

My spouse, Julie Galvano, was on the list of executive appointments to be considered for Senate confirmation on April 29, 2014. Julie was nominated as an appointee for the Commission on Community Service.

As permitted by Senate Rule, I may vote on this matter.

Senator Bill Galvano, 26th District

SUSPENSION REPORTS

The Honorable Don Gaetz
President of the Senate

April 29, 2014

Dear President Gaetz:

The following Notaries Public were suspended by Executive Order of the Governor. Those Executive Orders were referred to the Senate Committee on Ethics and Elections for action pursuant to Rule 12.7 of the Rules of the Florida Senate. Each of these individuals was advised of his or her right to a hearing and that failure to request a hearing within 30 days would constitute a waiver of the right to a hearing. Each of the individuals has waived his or her right to a hearing. The following is a

list of the Notaries Public:

Executive Order Number

EO 2013-138

EO 2013-181

EO 2013-183

EO 2013-185

EO 2013-214

EO 2013-252

EO 2013-255

EO 2013-258

EO 2013-260

EO 2013-273

EO 2013-275

EO 2013-288

EO 2013-291

EO 2013-292

EO 2013-293

EO 2013-296

EO 2013-298

EO 2013-329

EO 2013-364

EO 2014-27

EO 2014-53

EO 2014-56

EO 2014-57

EO 2014-58

EO 2014-59

EO 2014-60

EO 2014-61

EO 2014-62

EO 2014-70

EO 2014-73

EO 2014-76

EO 2014-77

EO 2014-78

EO 2014-79

Notary Public

Diaz Solis, Alma

Rodriguez, Ana

Correa, Barbara

Voytukhov, Svetlana

Faris, Carlos

Yera, Patricia

Romand, Jr., James P.

Firing, Kendall W.

Isenman, Jennifer

Cloutier, Kyle

De La Torre, Judith

Castro, Rebeca

Moran, Kimberly

Marte, Eulogia Y.

Poventud, Jose

Fennell, Gloria Evon

Entrekin, Jamie L.

Rua, Roesmel

Moreno, Joseph Allan

Urena, Ana Luisa

Collins, Ricky L.

Flores, Robert

Jopko, Wendy L.

Knowles, Carolyn Ann

Revels, Kimberly K.

Antich, Gary

Hardman, Mary Lou

Moura, Ronald

Johnson, Jerry

Pitts, Jeremy

Cribbs, Melissa G.

Teston, Stephanie

Ortiz, Natasha

Scarborough, Tammy

In light of the fact that each of the aforementioned Notaries Public waived his or her right to a hearing, it is my recommendation that, pursuant to Article IV, S. 7(b), of the State Constitution, the Senate vote to remove the foregoing Notaries Public.

Respectfully submitted,
Jack Latvala, Chair

On motion by Senator Latvala, the report was adopted and the Senate removed from office the Notaries Public contained in the foregoing report of the committee.

The vote was:

Yeas—37

Mr. President	Flores	Montford
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Smith
Braynon	Hays	Sobel
Bullard	Hukill	Soto
Clemens	Joyner	Stargel
Dean	Latvala	Thompson
Detert	Lee	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Legg	
Evers	Margolis	

Nays—None

The Honorable Don Gaetz
President of the Senate

April 29, 2014

Re: Suspension of:
PABON, Maria E.
Notary Public

Dear President Gaetz:

The Committee on Ethics and Elections submits this final report on the matter of the suspension of Maria E. Pabon.

By Executive Order Number 13-295 filed with the Secretary of State on October 14, 2013, and pursuant to Article IV, Section 7(a) of the Florida Constitution, the Honorable Rick Scott, Governor, suspended Maria E. Pabon as a Notary Public alleging that a complaint was filed against her which alleges that she committed notary misconduct by notarizing a document when the signer was not present, that she failed to complete a jurat or notarial certificate specifying the form of identification relied upon, and that she notarized a signature without satisfactory evidence of the signatory's identity in violation of ss. 117.107(9), 117.05(4)(f), and 117.05(5), Florida Statutes. The Executive Order also alleges that the Executive Office of the Governor attempted to contact her via mail on June 10, 2013, July 10, 2013, and July 31, 2013. Those letters required Ms. Pabon to provide a sworn, written response to the complaint. Ms. Pabon was also advised that she was required by the letter dated July 10, 2013, to update her address with the Department of State. The Executive Order alleges that she failed to do so in violation of s. 117.01(2), Florida Statutes. Ms. Pabon was also advised that she was required to cooperate with the investigation in the July 10, 2013, letter. The Executive Order alleges that she failed to cooperate with the investigation in violation of s. 117.01(4)(c), Florida Statutes. The Executive Order also alleges that the Governor's Office, via letter dated August 26, 2013, required Ms. Pabon's immediate resignation. According to the Executive Order, Ms. Pabon did not provide the required resignation.

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 7(b), Fla. Const., the Committee on Ethics and Elections met and conducted a hearing to determine whether to remove or reinstate Ms. Pabon on April 7, 2014. The Governor was represented by Thomas "Bo" Winokur, Esq. Ms. Pabon, representing herself, appeared by telephone. The following are the Committee's findings of fact and conclusions of law pertaining to each of the allegations.

Summary of the Evidence Presented

The Executive Order alleges that Ms. Pabon committed notary misconduct by notarizing a document when the signer was not present, by failing to complete a jurat or notarial certificate specifying the form of identification relied upon, and by notarizing a signature without satisfactory evidence of the signatory's identity in violation of ss.

117.107(9), 117.05(4)(f), and 117.05(5), Florida Statutes. The Executive Order alleges that she failed to update her address with the Department of State in violation of s. 117.01(2), Florida Statutes. Finally, the Executive Order alleges that she failed to cooperate with the investigation in violation of s. 117.01(4)(c), Florida Statutes.

At the hearing, Mr. Winokur presented the Notary Public Commission Application, Surety Bond, and the Notary Section Internet Complaint Form in which Mr. Miguel De Leon Olmeda alleges that Ms. Pabon notarized a Quit Claim Deed purporting to transfer his real property to his daughter and her husband. He further alleges that he never signed the deed and requests that Ms. Pabon be investigated for notarizing the deed without proper verification. Finally, he alleges that he did not go to Orlando during the year 2013. Mr. Winokur also presented a photocopy of the Quit Claim Deed indicating that Miguel De Leon, Grantor, conveyed the real property to Dalbi Ortiz. The Quit Claim Deed appears to have been signed by Miguel De Leon as Grantor, and was witnessed by Josue Vargas and Angel Fuentes. The Quit Claim Deed was notarized by Maria E. Pabon. The jurat does not specify what identification method was used to identify Mr. De Leon. It does indicate that the document was signed in Ms. Pabon's presence.

Mr. Winokur also presented copies of letters dated June 10, 2013; July 10, 2013; July 31, 2013; August 26, 2013; and September 18, 2013. The letters dated June 10, 2013, and July 10, 2013, advise Ms. Pabon that a complaint was received and that she was required to submit a sworn written response to the allegations pursuant to s. 117.01(4)(c), Florida Statutes. The letter dated July 31, 2013, informs Ms. Pabon that she has failed to cooperate with the investigation as required by law and that she was required to immediately resign as a notary. The letter dated August 26, 2013, outlines the attempts to notify her of the complaint, require a response, and require her resignation. That letter also notifies her that, pursuant to s. 117.01(2), Florida Statutes, she is required to update her change in address within 60 days. Again, that letter demanded her resignation, demanded a response to the allegations in the complaint by Mr. Miguel De Leon Olmeda, and provided that failure to respond within a specified period would be grounds for suspension. The letter dated September 18, 2013, again outlines the steps taken by the Governor to notify Ms. Pabon and warns her that failure to respond within 15 days will result in disciplinary action, up to and including the suspension of her notary commission. In the subject line of that letter, it includes, "Response Due By October 8, 2013." Mr. Winokur presented a return receipt from the U.S. Postal Service indicating that the letter dated September 18, 2013, was delivered to the correct address for Ms. Pabon on September 21, 2013.

Finally, Mr. Winokur presented the sworn written response from Maria E. Pabon dated October 2, 2013. In that response, Ms. Pabon states that her son, Josue Vargas, appeared at her house with Dalbi Ortiz. She states that she recognized Mr. Ortiz because he owns the garage shop where her son has worked for 5 years. They came with an older man that they said was Miguel De Leon, the father of Mr. Ortiz' ex-wife. Ms. Pabon states that she asked for his license, but he said that he left it in his vehicle and did not have it with him. According to Ms. Pabon, the three men arrived at her house in Mr. Ortiz' vehicle. She states, "I personally know Dalbi Ortiz and that this was satisfactory evidence that the person whose signature was to be notarized by me was who Dalbi Ortiz described him to be, his father-in-law Miguel De Leon." The Executive Office of the Governor stated that it did not receive correspondence until after the October 14, 2013, Executive Order suspending Ms. Pabon was entered. Mr. Winokur did not state when Ms. Pabon's letter dated October 2, 2013, was received. There is no stamp on that letter indicating when the Executive Office of the Governor received the letter.

Mr. Winokur did not provide any evidence as to whether the Quit Claim Deed was signed in the presence of Ms. Pabon. It appears that the Governor's only contentions concerning the notarization of the signature were that the jurat failed to specify the type of identification relied upon and that the person who signed the document was not Miguel De Leon Olmeda, the property owner.

Ms. Pabon, after being placed under oath, testified to the same facts that she laid out in her sworn written response to the complaint. Specifically, she testified that the person who identified himself as Miguel De Leon did not have his drivers license and that she relied upon the word of Mr. Dalbi Ortiz to establish that the person signing the document was Mr. De Leon. Ms. Pabon also testified that she did not receive

any notices until she received the September 18, 2013, letter. Ms. Pabon testified that she responded to that letter. The only letter by Ms. Pabon that was entered into the record was the letter dated October 2, 2013. Ms. Pabon did not provide any evidence as to when she sent the letter or when it was received by the Executive Office of the Governor. The only additional evidence concerning delivery of her letter dated October 2, 2013, is a copy of the letter that appears to show that Ms. Pabon unsuccessfully attempted to fax the letter to the Executive Office of the Governor. Ms. Pabon also testified that her failure to update her address with the Department of State was because she was very busy and was working a lot of hours and did not remember or realize that she needed to do so.

Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law

Article IV, Section 7(a), Fla. Const., provides that the Governor may suspend a notary public for malfeasance, misfeasance, neglect of duty, drunkenness, incompetence, permanent inability to perform official duties, or commission of a felony. Pursuant to Article IV, Section 7(b), Florida Constitution, the Senate may remove or reinstate the suspended official.

The Florida Statutes further illuminate what constitutes malfeasance, misfeasance, or neglect of duty by a notary public. Specifically, section 117.01, Florida Statutes, in pertinent part provides:

(4) The Governor may suspend a notary public for any of the grounds provided in s. 7, Art. IV of the State Constitution. Grounds constituting malfeasance, misfeasance, or neglect of duty include, but are not limited to, the following:

(c) Failure to cooperate or respond to an investigation by the Governor's office or the Department of State regarding a complaint.

(g) Failure to report a change in business or home address or telephone number, or failure to submit documentation to request an amended commission after a lawful name change, within the specified period of time.

Based upon the evidence presented, the Committee finds the following:

Mr. Winokur presented no evidence contradicting the statement in the jurat that the document was signed in Ms. Pabon's presence. Therefore, the Committee on Ethics and Elections concludes that the allegation that Ms. Pabon notarized a signature when the signatory was not present was NOT PROVED.

The Committee on Ethics and Elections concludes that Ms. Pabon may be removed from office based on any or all of the following grounds:

1) FAILURE TO SPECIFY WHAT TYPE OF IDENTIFICATION WAS USED TO ESTABLISH THE SIGNER'S IDENTITY.

Ms. Pabon did not contest the authenticity of the Quit Claim Deed. The jurat on that document contains no statement about what type of identification was used to establish the signer's identity. The Committee finds that the allegation that Ms. Pabon failed to provide a properly completed jurat that detailed the type of identification used to establish the signer's identity WAS PROVED.

Based upon competent and substantial evidence, the Committee has found that Ms. Pabon did not specify in the jurat the type of identification used to establish the signer's identity as required in s. 117.05(4)(f), Florida Statutes. Under the facts of this case, the failure to specify the type of identification in the jurat constitutes misfeasance. Therefore, Ms. Pabon may be removed for failing to specify in the jurat the type of identification used to establish the signer's identity.

2) NOTARIZING A DOCUMENT WITHOUT SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE OF THE SIGNATORY'S IDENTITY.

Ms. Pabon admitted, in writing and in her testimony, that she did not view Mr. De Leon's identification. While section 117.05(5), Florida Statutes, permits a person to rely upon an identification made by another person, those provisions require submission of a sworn written statement containing certain information. Ms. Pabon did not argue that she had such a sworn statement. Rather, she testified that she relied upon the identification made by Dalbi Ortiz. The allegation that Ms. Pabon

notarized the Quit Claim Deed without satisfactory evidence of the signatory's identity WAS PROVED.

Based upon competent and substantial evidence, the Committee has found that Ms. Pabon notarized the Quit Claim Deed without satisfactory evidence of the signatory's identity as required by s. 117.05(5), Florida Statutes. Under the facts of this case, the failure to obtain satisfactory evidence of the signatory's identity constitutes neglect of duty. Therefore, Ms. Pabon may be removed for failing to obtain satisfactory evidence of the signatory's identity.

3) FAILURE TO UPDATE ADDRESS

Mr. Winokur introduced letters informing Ms. Pabon that she was required to update her address. At the hearing, Ms. Pabon testified that she did not update her address. The allegation that Ms. Pabon did not update her address with the Department of State as required by s. 117.01(2), Florida Statutes, WAS PROVED.

Based on competent and substantial evidence, the Committee has found that Ms. Pabon did not update her address as required by s. 117.01(2), Florida Statutes. Section 117.01(4)(g), Florida Statutes, provides that failure to update her address constitutes neglect of duty. Having found that Ms. Pabon did not update her address as required by law, and that such failure or refusal constitutes neglect of duty, the Senate may remove Ms. Pabon for failing to update her address as required by law.

4) REFUSAL TO COOPERATE WITH AN INVESTIGATION

The Executive Order alleged that Ms. Pabon failed or refused to cooperate with an investigation. Several letters were introduced, most of which were sent to the correct mailing address for Ms. Pabon, that require a response. The final letter indicated that if a response was not received by October 8, 2013, Ms. Pabon would be suspended. Mr. Winokur stated that Ms. Pabon did not respond. The only evidence to the contrary offered was a sworn statement sent by Ms. Pabon dated October 2, 2013. Ms. Pabon introduced no evidence that that letter was successfully sent to the Executive Office of the Governor prior to October 2, 2013. The allegation that Ms. Pabon failed or refused to cooperate or respond to an investigation by the Executive Office of the Governor, as required by s. 117.01(4)(c), Florida Statutes, WAS PROVED.

Based on competent and substantial evidence, the Committee has found that Ms. Pabon refused to cooperate or respond to an investigation by the Executive Office of the Governor. Section 117.01(4)(c), Florida Statutes, specifically provides that refusal to cooperate or respond to an investigation by the Governor's Office constitutes neglect of duty. Having found that Ms. Pabon failed or refused to cooperate or respond to the investigation being conducted by the Executive Office of the Governor, and that such failure or refusal constitutes neglect of duty, the Senate may remove Ms. Pabon for failing or refusing to cooperate with the investigation.

Based on the foregoing, the Committee on Ethics and Elections advises and recommends that this report be presented to the Florida Senate in open session and be published in full in the Journal. The Committee further recommends that the Florida Senate, pursuant to Article IV, Section 7(b), Florida Constitution, section 112.45, Florida Statutes, and Senate Rule 12, MARIA E. PABON BE REMOVED FROM THE OFFICE OF NOTARY PUBLIC.

Sincerely,
Jack Latvala, Chair

On motion by Senator Latvala, the report was adopted and the Senate removed Maria E. Pabon from the office of Notary Public contained in the foregoing report of the committee.

The vote was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Bradley	Dean
Abruzzo	Brandes	Detert
Altman	Braynon	Diaz de la Portilla
Bean	Bullard	Evers
Benacquisto	Clemens	Flores

Galvano	Latvala	Simmons
Garcia	Lee	Simpson
Gardiner	Legg	Smith
Gibson	Margolis	Sobel
Grimsley	Montford	Soto
Hays	Richter	Stargel
Hukill	Ring	Thompson
Joyner	Sachs	Thrasher

Nays—None

MOTIONS RELATING TO COMMITTEE REFERENCE

On motion by Senator Thrasher, by two-thirds vote **CS for SB 598** and **SB 1084** were withdrawn from Appropriations; and **CS for CS for HB 851** was withdrawn from Education; Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations, and placed on the Special Order Calendar for Wednesday, April 30, 2014.

On motion by Senator Thrasher, by two-thirds vote **CS for SB 788**, **SB 1234**, and **CS for CS for SB 1594** were withdrawn from Appropriations and placed on the Special Order Calendar for Thursday, May 1, 2014.

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

Senator Thompson was recognized for a presentation portraying the life of Bessie “Queen Bess” Coleman and her contributions to the advancement of minorities and women. Bessie Coleman was the first black aviator in the world.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATOR GARDINER PRESIDING

On motion by Senator Thompson—

By Senator Thompson—

SR 1712—A resolution recognizing pioneering aviatrix Bessie “Queen Bess” Coleman as we celebrate the centennial of the world’s first scheduled commercial airline, the St. Petersburg-Tampa Airboat Line.

WHEREAS, on January 1, 1914, Tony Jannus made aviation history by flying the Benoist XIV on the inaugural 23-minute flight of the St. Petersburg-Tampa Airboat Line, the world’s first scheduled commercial airline, and

WHEREAS, the events of that day fostered an industry that has made worldwide travel not only possible, but practical, and

WHEREAS, that pioneering flight exemplifies the entrepreneurial spirit that has evolved into an industry that has an economic impact in this state of nearly \$100 billion and in the nation of more than \$1.3 trillion, and

WHEREAS, one of those who was inspired by that flight was a young African-American woman named Bessie Coleman, who had been regaled by her brothers with tales of French women flying airplanes during World War I, and

WHEREAS, while working as a manicurist in Chicago, Bessie Coleman met Robert S. Abbott, publisher of The Chicago Defender, who encouraged her to go to France to study flying and, later, joined others in sponsoring her in that effort, and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 1921, Bessie Coleman received her license from the prestigious Federation Aeronautique Internationale (FAI) and became the first African-American/Native-American female licensed pilot in the world, and

WHEREAS, in September 1921, Bessie Coleman returned to a segregated United States, but nevertheless became a media sensation,

performing in air shows across the country, but only at venues where the audience was desegregated and everyone attending used the same entrance gates, and

WHEREAS, wanting to make her living as a pilot, Bessie Coleman returned to Europe for advanced training in acrobatic flying, returning to the United States in 1922 and living for a time in Orlando, and

WHEREAS, after surviving a plane crash in February 1923, in which she sustained serious injuries, Bessie Coleman resumed flying and, the following year, flew in a Texas air show, and

WHEREAS, on April 30, 1926, while preparing for a May Day celebration air show in Jacksonville, Bessie Coleman fell from her plane 1,000 feet to her death after a loose wrench became wedged in the open gearbox, causing her mechanic, who was piloting the plane, to lose control, and

WHEREAS, after a well-attended memorial service in Jacksonville, a funeral was held in Orlando, and Bessie Coleman was buried in Chicago, where, each year on the anniversary of her death, African-American aviators, both men and women, fly in formation over Lincoln Cemetery and drop flowers on her grave, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That we recognize aviation pioneer Bessie “Queen Bess” Coleman as we celebrate the centennial of the world’s first scheduled commercial airline flight and remember Bessie Coleman’s contribution to the advancement of minorities and women on the occasion of the 88th anniversary of her tragic death and the 100th anniversary of passenger flight that originated in Florida.

— **SR 1712** was introduced out of order and read in full by publication. On motion by Senator Thompson, **SR 1712** was adopted.

SPECIAL GUESTS

Senator Gardiner introduced his son, Andrew Gardiner, who was present in the chamber and joined Senator Gardiner at the rostrum.

BILLS ON THIRD READING

THE PRESIDENT PRESIDING

Consideration of **CS for CS for SB 586** and **CS for CS for SB 764** was deferred.

SB 732—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Stanley G. Tate Florida Prepaid College Program; amending s. 1009.98, F.S.; redefining the term “tuition differential”; revising the purchase date of an advance payment contract as it relates to the amount paid by the Florida Prepaid College Board to a state university on behalf of a qualified beneficiary; prohibiting the amount of the aggregate sum of registration fees, the tuition differential fee, and local fees paid by the board to a state university on behalf of a qualified beneficiary of an advance payment contract from exceeding a certain percentage of the amount charged by the state university for the aggregate sum of those fees; prohibiting the amount of the dormitory fees paid for by the board to a state university on behalf of a qualified beneficiary of an advance payment contract from exceeding a certain percentage of the amount charged by the state university for those fees; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Galvano, **SB 732** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Mr. President	Benacquisto	Bullard
Abruzzo	Bradley	Clemens
Altman	Brandes	Dean
Bean	Braynon	Detert

Diaz de la Portilla	Hukill	Simmons
Evers	Joyner	Simpson
Flores	Latvala	Smith
Galvano	Legg	Sobel
Garcia	Margolis	Soto
Gardiner	Montford	Stargel
Gibson	Richter	Thompson
Grimsley	Ring	Thrasher
Hays	Sachs	

Nays—None

Consideration of **CS for CS for HB 7037** was deferred.

SB 592—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal justice; amending s. 944.70, F.S.; requiring the Department of Corrections to verify the authenticity of certain court orders before releasing a person from incarceration; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Evers, **SB 592** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—37

Mr. President	Evers	Richter
Abruzzo	Flores	Ring
Altman	Galvano	Sachs
Bean	Garcia	Simmons
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simpson
Bradley	Grimsley	Smith
Brandes	Hays	Sobel
Braynon	Hukill	Soto
Bullard	Joyner	Stargel
Clemens	Latvala	Thompson
Dean	Legg	Thrasher
Detert	Margolis	
Diaz de la Portilla	Montford	

Nays—None

HB 97—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dentists and dental hygienists; amending s. 766.1115, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “contract”; requiring that a contract with a governmental contractor for health care services include a provision allowing a voluntary contribution toward certain dental laboratory work; providing that the contribution may not exceed the actual amount of the dental laboratory charges; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 28 was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Hays, **HB 97** as amended was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—34

Mr. President	Flores	Ring
Abruzzo	Garcia	Sachs
Altman	Gibson	Simmons
Bean	Grimsley	Simpson
Benacquisto	Hays	Smith
Bradley	Hukill	Sobel
Brandes	Joyner	Soto
Braynon	Latvala	Stargel
Clemens	Lee	Thompson
Dean	Legg	Thrasher
Detert	Montford	
Evers	Richter	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Diaz de la Portilla, Galvano

CS for CS for HB 7037—A bill to be entitled An act relating to residential communities; amending s. 468.431, F.S.; revising the term “community association management”; creating s. 468.4334, F.S.; providing powers and duties of community association managers and community association management firms; authorizing the indemnification of a community association manager or community association management firm under certain conditions; amending s. 718.116, F.S.; requiring a release of lien to be in a specific form; requiring a pre-foreclosure notice to be in a specific form; amending s. 718.121, F.S.; requiring a pre-lien notice to be in a specific form; amending s. 719.108, F.S.; deleting a provision providing for the expiration of certain liens; revising notice requirements; requiring a pre-lien notice to be in a specific form; providing for execution and effect of lien; providing for the content of a recording notice; requiring a release of lien to be in a specific form; amending s. 720.3085, F.S.; requiring a release of lien to be in a specific form; requiring a pre-lien notice to be in a specific form; requiring a pre-foreclosure notice to be in a specific form; providing requirements for the execution of a claim of lien; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Lee, **CS for CS for HB 7037** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—36

Mr. President	Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis
Abruzzo	Evers	Montford
Altman	Flores	Richter
Bean	Galvano	Ring
Benacquisto	Garcia	Simmons
Bradley	Gardiner	Simpson
Brandes	Grimsley	Smith
Braynon	Hays	Sobel
Bullard	Hukill	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher

Nays—3

Gibson	Joyner	Sachs
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CS for CS for CS for HB 641—A bill to be entitled An act relating to computer crimes; amending s. 721.071, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 815.02, F.S.; revising legislative findings; amending s. 815.03, F.S.; revising and providing definitions; amending s. 815.04, F.S.; providing that a person who willfully, knowingly, and without authorization introduces a computer contaminant to a specified device or modifies, renders unavailable, or destroys data, programs, or supporting documentation residing or existing internal or external to a specified device commits an offense against intellectual property; providing that a person who willfully, knowingly, and without authorization discloses or takes data, programs, or supporting documentation that is a trade secret or is confidential as provided by law residing or existing internal or external to an electronic device commits an offense against intellectual property; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 815.06, F.S.; defining the term “user”; providing that a person who willfully, knowingly, and without authorization accesses an electronic device, disrupts the ability to transmit data to or from a user of a computer, computer system, computer network, or electronic device, damages an electronic device or equipment or supplies used by an electronic device, introduces a computer contaminant into an electronic device, or engages in the audio or video surveillance of an individual by accessing a computer, computer system, computer network, or electronic device commits an offense against users of computers, computer systems, computer networks, or electronic devices; providing criminal penalties; providing exceptions; providing that the Florida Computer Crimes Act does not impose liability on certain providers of specified services; creating s. 815.061, F.S.;

defining the term “public utility”; prohibiting a person from willfully, knowingly, and without authorization engaging in specified activities against a computer, computer system, computer network, or electronic device owned, operated, or used by a public utility; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; conforming provisions of the offense severity ranking chart to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Brandes, **CS for CS for CS for HB 641** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Evers	Montford
Abruzzo	Flores	Negron
Altman	Galvano	Richter
Bean	Garcia	Ring
Benacquisto	Gardiner	Sachs
Bradley	Gibson	Simmons
Brandes	Grimsley	Simpson
Braynon	Hays	Smith
Bullard	Hukill	Sobel
Clemens	Joyner	Soto
Dean	Latvala	Stargel
Detert	Legg	Thompson
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	Thrasher

Nays—None

CS for SB 408—A bill to be entitled An act relating to an infectious disease elimination pilot program; creating the “Miami-Dade Infectious Disease Elimination Act (IDEA)”; amending s. 381.0038, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to establish a sterile needle and syringe exchange pilot program in Miami-Dade County; providing for administration of the pilot program by the department or a designee; establishing pilot program criteria; providing that the distribution of needles and syringes under the pilot program is not a violation of the Florida Comprehensive Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act or any other law; providing conditions under which a pilot program staff member or participant may be prosecuted; prohibiting the collection of participant identifying information; providing for the pilot program to be funded through private grants and donations; providing for expiration of the pilot program; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to submit a report and recommendations regarding the pilot program to the Legislature; providing rulemaking authority; providing for severability; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 28 was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Braynon, **CS for SB 408** as amended was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—30

Abruzzo	Evers	Margolis
Altman	Flores	Montford
Bean	Galvano	Richter
Brandes	Garcia	Ring
Braynon	Gibson	Sachs
Bullard	Grimsley	Simmons
Clemens	Hays	Smith
Dean	Joyner	Sobel
Detert	Latvala	Soto
Diaz de la Portilla	Lee	Thompson

Nays—10

Mr. President	Hukill	Stargel
Benacquisto	Legg	Thrasher
Bradley	Negron	
Gardiner	Simpson	

CS for HB 225—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child safety devices in motor vehicles; amending s. 316.613, F.S.; revising child restraint requirements for children who are younger than a specified age; requiring the use of a separate carrier, integrated child seat, or child booster seat for such children; providing exceptions; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Flores, **CS for HB 225** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—36

Mr. President	Diaz de la Portilla	Negron
Abruzzo	Evers	Richter
Altman	Flores	Ring
Bean	Galvano	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gardiner	Simmons
Bradley	Gibson	Simpson
Brandes	Hukill	Smith
Braynon	Joyner	Sobel
Bullard	Latvala	Soto
Clemens	Lee	Stargel
Dean	Margolis	Thompson
Detert	Montford	Thrasher

Nays—3

Garcia	Grimsley	Legg
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Vote after roll call:

Yea—Hays

Nay to Yea—Garcia

HB 427—A bill to be entitled An act relating to traveling across county lines to commit felony offenses; creating s. 843.22, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting a person who resides in this state from crossing a county boundary with the intent to commit certain felony offenses in a county other than that of his or her residence; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 903.046, F.S.; providing that such an alleged violation may be considered as a factor in determining whether to release a defendant on bail or other conditions; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 28 was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Hukill, **HB 427** as amended was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—25

Mr. President	Flores	Legg
Altman	Galvano	Negron
Bean	Garcia	Richter
Benacquisto	Gardiner	Simmons
Brandes	Grimsley	Simpson
Dean	Hays	Stargel
Detert	Hukill	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Latvala	
Evers	Lee	

Nays—15

Abruzzo	Gibson	Sachs
Bradley	Joyner	Smith
Braynon	Margolis	Sobel
Bullard	Montford	Soto
Clemens	Ring	Thompson

CS for CS for HB 511—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cancer control and research; amending s. 1004.435, F.S.; revising definitions;

revising the membership of the Florida Cancer Control and Research Advisory Council and selection of the council chairperson; authorizing renewal of member terms; revising compensation of council members; renaming the Florida Cancer Plan; requiring the council to collaborate with the Florida Biomedical Research Advisory Council to formulate and review a statewide research plan; requiring the council to develop and review a statewide treatment plan; deleting council, Board of Governors, and State Surgeon General duties relating to the awarding of grants and contracts for cancer-related programs; deleting council duties relating to the development of written summaries of treatment alternatives; deleting financial aid provisions and the Florida Cancer Control and Research Fund; amending ss. 458.324, and 459.0125, F.S.; conforming provisions; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Sobel, **CS for CS for HB 511** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Mr. President	Evers	Negron
Abruzzo	Flores	Richter
Altman	Galvano	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Hays	Simpson
Brandes	Hukill	Smith
Braynon	Joyner	Sobel
Bullard	Latvala	Soto
Clemens	Lee	Stargel
Dean	Legg	Thompson
Detert	Margolis	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Montford	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Garcia

Vote preference:

April 30, 2014: Yea—Grimsley

SENATOR LEE PRESIDING

CS for CS for CS for HB 807—A bill to be entitled An act relating to residential properties; amending s. 509.013, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “public lodging establishment”; amending s. 509.032, F.S.; providing that timeshare projects are not subject to annual inspection requirements; amending s. 509.221, F.S.; providing nonapplicability of certain public lodging establishment requirements to timeshare projects; amending s. 509.241, F.S.; providing that a condominium association that does not own any units classified as timeshare projects is not required to apply for or receive a public lodging establishment license; amending s. 509.242, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “public lodging establishment” to include a “timeshare project”; deleting reference to the term “timeshare plan” in the definition of “vacation rental”; defining the term “timeshare project”; amending s. 509.251, F.S.; providing that timeshare projects within separate buildings or at separate locations but managed by one licensed agent may be combined in a single license application; amending s. 712.05, F.S.; clarifying existing law relating to notification for purposes of preserving marketable title; amending s. 718.111, F.S.; authorizing an association to inspect and repair abandoned condominium units; providing conditions to determine if a unit is abandoned; providing a mechanism for an association to recover costs associated with maintaining an abandoned unit; providing that in the absence of an insurable event, the association or unit owners are responsible for repairs; providing that an owner may consent in writing to the disclosure of certain contact information; requiring an outgoing condominium association board or committee member to relinquish all official records and property of the association within a specified time; providing a civil penalty for failing to relinquish such records and property; amending s. 718.112, F.S.; providing that a board

or committee member’s participation in a meeting via real-time videoconferencing, Internet-enabled videoconferencing, or similar electronic or video communication counts toward a quorum and that such member may vote as if physically present; prohibiting the board from voting via e-mail; amending s. 718.116, F.S.; defining the term “previous owner” for purposes of provisions relating to the liability of condominium unit owners for assessments; limiting the present owner’s liability for unpaid assessments under specified circumstances; amending s. 718.117, F.S.; prohibiting a new attempt to terminate a condominium from being proposed for a specified period if a plan of termination fails to receive the required approval; repealing s. 718.50151, F.S., relating to the Community Association Living Study Council and membership functions; amending s. 718.707, F.S.; extending the date by which a condominium parcel must be acquired in order for a person to be classified as a bulk assignee or bulk buyer; amending s. 719.104, F.S.; providing that an owner may consent in writing to the disclosure of certain contact information; requiring an outgoing cooperative association board or committee member to relinquish all official records and property of the association within a specified time; providing a civil penalty for failing to relinquish such records and property; providing dates by which financial reports for an association must be completed; specifying that members must receive copies of financial reports; requiring specific types of financial statements for associations of varying sizes; providing exceptions; providing a mechanism for waiving or increasing financial reporting requirements; amending s. 719.106, F.S.; providing for suspension from office of a director or officer who is charged with one or more of certain felony offenses; providing procedures for filling such vacancy or reinstating such member under specific circumstances; providing a mechanism for a person who is convicted of a felony to be eligible for board membership; creating s. 719.128, F.S.; providing emergency powers of a cooperative association; amending s. 720.303, F.S.; requiring a board meeting to be held at a location accessible to physically handicapped persons upon request of certain authorized persons; providing that an owner may consent in writing to the disclosure of certain contact information; amending s. 720.306, F.S.; requiring a meeting of the members to be held at a location accessible to physically handicapped persons upon request of certain authorized persons; providing for specified notice to members in lieu of copies of an amendment; creating s. 720.316, F.S.; providing emergency powers of a homeowners’ association; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Ring, **CS for CS for CS for HB 807** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Abruzzo	Flores	Montford
Altman	Galvano	Richter
Bean	Garcia	Ring
Benacquisto	Gardiner	Sachs
Bradley	Gibson	Simmons
Brandes	Grimsley	Simpson
Braynon	Hays	Smith
Bullard	Hukill	Sobel
Clemens	Joyner	Soto
Dean	Latvala	Stargel
Detert	Lee	Thompson
Diaz de la Portilla	Legg	Thrasher
Evers	Margolis	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Mr. President

CS for HB 863—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle crash reports; amending s. 316.066, F.S.; specifying that the required statement must be completed and sworn to for each confidential crash report requested; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Galvano, **CS for HB 863** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—36

Abruzzo	Flores	Montford
Altman	Galvano	Richter
Bean	Garcia	Ring
Benacquisto	Gardiner	Sachs
Bradley	Gibson	Simmons
Braynon	Grimsley	Simpson
Bullard	Hays	Smith
Clemens	Hukill	Sobel
Dean	Latvala	Soto
Detert	Lee	Stargel
Diaz de la Portilla	Legg	Thompson
Evers	Margolis	Thrasher

Nays—1

Joyner

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Mr. President, Brandes

Consideration of **CS for CS for HB 7051** was deferred.

CS for HB 1065—A bill to be entitled An act relating to licensed massage therapists; amending s. 456.0135, F.S.; requiring an applicant for licensure under chapter 480, F.S., to submit to certain fingerprinting requirements; requiring fingerprints to be enrolled in the national retained print arrest notification program and the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse; amending s. 456.074, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to issue an emergency order suspending the license of a massage therapist or establishment for certain offenses; amending s. 480.041, F.S.; requiring an applicant for a massage therapist license to submit to certain background screening requirements; requiring a massage therapist who was issued a license before a specified date to submit to certain background screening requirements by a specified date; requiring the Board of Massage Therapy to deny an application for a new or renewal massage therapy license for certain offenses; amending s. 480.043, F.S.; requiring a person with a specified interest in an establishment to submit to certain background screening requirements; authorizing the department to adopt rules related to corporate assets; requiring the department to deny an application for a new or renewal massage establishment license for certain offenses; requiring a person with a specified interest in a massage establishment that was issued a license before a specified date to submit to certain background screening requirements by a specified date; providing an exemption for certain licensed physicians; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 480.0465, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Latvala, **CS for HB 1065** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Abruzzo	Evers	Legg
Altman	Flores	Margolis
Bean	Galvano	Montford
Benacquisto	Garcia	Richter
Bradley	Gardiner	Ring
Brandes	Gibson	Sachs
Braynon	Grimsley	Simmons
Bullard	Hays	Simpson
Clemens	Hukill	Smith
Dean	Joyner	Sobel
Detert	Latvala	Soto
Diaz de la Portilla	Lee	Stargel

Thompson Thrasher

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Mr. President

CS for CS for HB 1131—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency allergy treatment; amending s. 381.88, F.S.; defining terms; expanding provisions to apply to all emergency allergy reactions, rather than to insect bites only; creating s. 381.885, F.S.; authorizing certain health care practitioners to prescribe epinephrine auto-injectors to an authorized entity; authorizing such entities to maintain a supply of epinephrine auto-injectors; authorizing certified individuals to use epinephrine auto-injectors; authorizing uncertified individuals to use epinephrine auto-injectors under certain circumstances; providing immunity from liability; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Bean, **CS for CS for HB 1131** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Abruzzo	Flores	Montford
Altman	Galvano	Richter
Bean	Garcia	Ring
Benacquisto	Gardiner	Sachs
Bradley	Gibson	Simmons
Brandes	Grimsley	Simpson
Braynon	Hays	Smith
Bullard	Hukill	Sobel
Clemens	Joyner	Soto
Dean	Latvala	Stargel
Detert	Lee	Thompson
Diaz de la Portilla	Legg	Thrasher
Evers	Margolis	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Mr. President

CS for CS for CS for HB 487—A bill to be entitled An act relating to agricultural industry certifications; amending s. 570.07, F.S.; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to annually provide to the State Board of Education and the Department of Education information and industry certifications for farm occupations to be considered for placement on industry certification funding lists; amending s. 1003.492, F.S.; defining industry certification as part of career education programs; requiring the state board to adopt rules for implementing an industry certification process for farm occupations; amending s. 1003.4935, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Montford, **CS for CS for CS for HB 487** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Abruzzo	Dean	Grimsley
Altman	Detert	Hays
Bean	Diaz de la Portilla	Hukill
Benacquisto	Evers	Joyner
Bradley	Flores	Latvala
Brandes	Galvano	Lee
Braynon	Garcia	Legg
Bullard	Gardiner	Margolis
Clemens	Gibson	Montford

Richter	Simpson	Stargel
Ring	Smith	Thompson
Sachs	Sobel	Thrasher
Simmons	Soto	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Mr. President

CS for CS for SB 1714—A bill to be entitled An act relating to malt beverages; amending s. 561.221, F.S.; clarifying three-tier system exceptions and application with respect to the manufacture, distribution, and sale of malt beverages; revising requirements for licensure and operation of manufacturers and vendors; defining the term “licensee”; providing legislative intent; amending s. 561.37, F.S.; revising bond requirements for brewers; reenacting s. 563.022(14), F.S., relating to prohibited interests between a manufacturer and a distributor of malt beverages, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 561.221(2), F.S., in a reference thereto; revising provisions relating to shipment of products to or between breweries; amending s. 563.06, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the sale of malt beverages at retail in containers of specified sizes, to conform to changes made by the act; creating s. 563.061, F.S.; defining the term “growler”; providing requirements for and limitations on the filling, refilling, and sale or distribution of growlers; reenacting s. 561.11(1), F.S., relating to authority of the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to adopt rules to implement the Beverage Law, to incorporate the amendments made to the Beverage Law by this act for such purposes; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 28 was read the third time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1(1), there being no objection, consideration of the following late-filed amendments was allowed:

Senator Stargel moved the following amendments which were adopted by two-thirds vote:

Amendment 1 (337160)—Delete line 55 and insert:

(2)(a) *Notwithstanding s. 561.22, s. 561.42, or any other*

Amendment 2 (684090)—Delete line 71 and insert:
s. 563.022(14)(d), *all malt beverages received from the*

On motion by Senator Stargel, **CS for CS for SB 1714** as amended was passed, ordered engrossed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—30

Mr. President	Gardiner	Ring
Abruzzo	Grimsley	Sachs
Benacquisto	Hays	Simmons
Bradley	Hukill	Simpson
Braynon	Lee	Smith
Diaz de la Portilla	Legg	Sobel
Evers	Margolis	Soto
Flores	Montford	Stargel
Galvano	Negron	Thompson
Garcia	Richter	Thrasher

Nays—10

Altman	Clemens	Joyner
Bean	Dean	Latvala
Brandes	Detert	
Bullard	Gibson	

CS for CS for SB 586—A bill to be entitled An act relating to brownfields; amending s. 376.78, F.S.; revising legislative intent with regard to community revitalization in certain areas; amending s. 376.80,

F.S.; revising procedures for designation of brownfield areas by local governments; providing procedures for adoption of a resolution; providing requirements for notice and public hearings; authorizing local governments to use a term other than “brownfield area” when naming such areas; amending s. 376.82, F.S.; providing an exemption from liability for property damage for entities that execute and implement certain brownfield site rehabilitation agreements; providing for applicability; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 11 was read the third time by title.

Senator Smith moved the following amendment:

Amendment 1 (588730) (with title amendment)—Between lines 239 and 240 insert:

Section 4. Subsection (5) is added to section 403.709, Florida Statutes, to read:

403.709 Solid Waste Management Trust Fund; use of waste tire fees.—There is created the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund, to be administered by the department.

(5)(a) *Notwithstanding subsection (1), a solid waste landfill closure account is established within the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund to provide funding for the closing and long-term care of solid waste management facilities. The department may use funds from the account to contract with a third party for the closing and long-term care of a solid waste management facility if:*

1. *The facility has or had a department permit to operate the facility;*
2. *The permittee provided proof of financial assurance for closure in the form of an insurance certificate;*
3. *The facility is deemed to be abandoned or was ordered to close by the department;*
4. *Closure is accomplished in substantial accordance with a closure plan approved by the department; and*
5. *The department has written documentation that the insurance company issuing the closure insurance policy will provide or reimburse the funds required to complete closing and long-term care of the facility.*

(b) *The department shall deposit the funds received from the insurance company as reimbursement for the costs of or long-term care of the facility into the solid waste landfill closure account.*

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 2-15 and insert: An act relating to waste; amending s. 376.78, F.S.; revising legislative intent with regard to community revitalization in certain areas; amending s. 376.80, F.S.; revising procedures for designation of brownfield areas by local governments; providing procedures for adoption of a resolution; providing requirements for notice and public hearings; authorizing local governments to use a term other than “brownfield area” when naming such areas; amending s. 376.82, F.S.; providing an exemption from liability for property damage for entities that execute and implement certain brownfield site rehabilitation agreements; providing for applicability; amending s. 403.709, F.S.; establishing a solid waste landfill closure account within the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to use funds to contract with certain parties; requiring the department to deposit certain funds into the solid waste landfill closure account; providing an effective date.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1(1), there being no objection, consideration of the following late-filed amendment was allowed:

Senator Smith moved the following substitute amendment:

Amendment 2 (506190) (with title amendment)—Between lines 239 and 240 insert:

Section 4. Subsection (5) is added to section 403.709, Florida Statutes, to read:

403.709 Solid Waste Management Trust Fund; use of waste tire fees.—There is created the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund, to be administered by the department.

(5)(a) *Notwithstanding subsection (1), a solid waste landfill closure account is established within the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund to provide funding for the closing and long-term care of solid waste management facilities. The department may use funds from the account to contract with a third party for the closing and long-term care of a solid waste management facility if:*

1. *The facility has or had a department permit to operate the facility;*
2. *The permittee provided proof of financial assurance for closure in the form of an insurance certificate;*
3. *The facility is deemed to be abandoned or was ordered to close by the department;*
4. *Closure is accomplished in substantial accordance with a closure plan approved by the department; and*
5. *The department has written documentation that the insurance company issuing the closure insurance policy will provide or reimburse the funds required to complete closing and long-term care of the facility.*

(b) *The department shall deposit the funds received from the insurance company as reimbursement for the costs of closing or long-term care of the facility into the solid waste landfill closure account.*

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 2-15 and insert: An act relating to waste; amending s. 376.78, F.S.; revising legislative intent with regard to community revitalization in certain areas; amending s. 376.80, F.S.; revising procedures for designation of brownfield areas by local governments; providing procedures for adoption of a resolution; providing requirements for notice and public hearings; authorizing local governments to use a term other than “brownfield area” when naming such areas; amending s. 376.82, F.S.; providing an exemption from liability for property damage for entities that execute and implement certain brownfield site rehabilitation agreements; providing for applicability; amending s. 403.709, F.S.; establishing a solid waste landfill closure account within the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to use funds to contract with certain parties; requiring the department to deposit certain funds into the solid waste landfill closure account; providing an effective date.

On motion by Senator Smith, substitute **Amendment 2 (506190)** was withdrawn. The question recurred on **Amendment 1 (588730)**, by Senator Smith, which was withdrawn.

Pending further consideration of **CS for CS for SB 586**, on motion by Senator Altman, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for CS for HB 325** was withdrawn from the Committees on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; Community Affairs; and Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Altman, by two-thirds vote—

CS for CS for CS for HB 325—A bill to be entitled An act relating to brownfields; amending s. 376.78, F.S.; revising legislative intent with regard to community revitalization in certain areas; amending s. 376.80, F.S.; revising procedures for designation of brownfield areas; authorizing local governments to use a term other than “brownfield area” when naming such areas; amending s. 376.82, F.S.; providing certain liability protection against claims of property damages; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **CS for CS for SB 586** as amended April 11 and read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Altman, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for CS for HB 325** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—37

Mr. President	Bean	Brandes
Abruzzo	Benacquisto	Braynon
Altman	Bradley	Bullard

Clemens	Grimsley	Sachs
Dean	Hays	Simmons
Detert	Hukill	Smith
Diaz de la Portilla	Joyner	Sobel
Evers	Latvala	Soto
Flores	Lee	Stargel
Galvano	Margolis	Thompson
Garcia	Montford	Thrasher
Gardiner	Richter	
Gibson	Ring	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Legg

CS for CS for HB 7051—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending s. 472.027, F.S.; directing the Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers to adopt rules establishing specified standards of practice; amending s. 493.6108, F.S.; revising conditions relating to the examination of fingerprint records for private investigative, security, and repossession service licenses; amending s. 493.6113, F.S.; providing conditions for renewal of certain firearm licenses; amending s. 493.6115, F.S.; authorizing certain firearms licensees to carry specified handguns; amending s. 493.6305, F.S.; providing conditions under which certain licensees are authorized to carry concealed firearms; amending s. 501.016, F.S.; providing for consumer claims against certain bonds posted by health studios; amending s. 501.059, F.S.; prohibiting telephone solicitation of certain donors; repealing s. 501.143, F.S., relating to the Dance Studio Act; amending s. 501.603, F.S.; defining the term “novelty payment”; amending s. 501.611, F.S.; providing for consumer claims against certain bonds posted by commercial telephone sellers; amending s. 501.616, F.S.; prohibiting commercial telephone sellers from accepting specified payments; amending s. 501.913, F.S.; providing for expiration of antifreeze registration certificates; amending s. 525.16, F.S.; revising administrative fine provisions for gasoline and oil proprietors; creating s. 526.015, F.S.; prohibiting the sale and distribution of certain lubricating oil; amending s. 526.50, F.S.; deleting the definition of the term “permit year”; amending s. 526.51, F.S.; revising provisions for issuance and renewal of permits to sell brake fluid; amending s. 539.001, F.S.; providing for consumer claims against certain bonds posted by pawnbroking licensees; revising administrative fine and civil penalty provisions for pawnbroker licensees; amending s. 559.929, F.S.; providing for consumer claims against certain bonds posted by sellers of travel; amending s. 943.059, F.S.; requiring the subject of a sealed criminal history record to provide such information when applying for a concealed weapon or concealed firearm permit; providing applicability; amending ss. 205.1969, 472.025, 501.015, 627.7842, and 718.104, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an appropriation; providing effective dates.

—was read the third time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1(1), there being an objection, consideration of late-filed **Amendment (593230)** failed to receive the required two-thirds vote.

On motion by Senator Detert, **CS for CS for HB 7051** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Detert	Joyner
Abruzzo	Diaz de la Portilla	Latvala
Altman	Evers	Lee
Bean	Flores	Legg
Benacquisto	Galvano	Margolis
Bradley	Garcia	Montford
Brandes	Gardiner	Richter
Braynon	Gibson	Ring
Bullard	Grimsley	Sachs
Clemens	Hays	Simmons
Dean	Hukill	Simpson

Smith	Soto	Thompson
Sobel	Stargel	Thrasher

Nays—None

RECESS

On motion by Senator Thrasher, the Senate recessed at 11:54 a.m. to reconvene at 2:00 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate was called to order by Senator Gardiner at 2:00 p.m. A quorum present—38:

Mr. President	Evers	Negron
Abruzzo	Flores	Richter
Altman	Galvano	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Lee	Stargel
Dean	Legg	Thompson
Detert	Margolis	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Montford	

LOCAL BILL CALENDAR**MOTION**

On motion by Senator Thrasher, the rules were waived and **HB 605**, **HB 809**, **HB 817**, **HB 885**, **CS for HB 911**, **HB 915**, **HB 919**, **CS for HB 929**, **HB 931**, **CS for HB 949**, **CS for HB 951**, **CS for HB 1023**, **CS for HB 1143**, **CS for HB 1145**, **HB 1199**, **HB 1297**, **HB 1335**, **CS for HB 1337**, **HB 1367**, **CS for CS for HB 1373**, **HB 1399**, **HB 1401**, **CS for HB 1441**, **CS for CS for HB 1443**, and **CS for CS for HB 1445** on the Local Bill Calendar were withdrawn from the Committee on Rules, read a second and third time by title, and passed this day.

HB 605—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcoholic beverage licenses, Lake and Sumter Counties; amending chapter 2002-334, Laws of Florida; revising criteria for special alcoholic beverage licenses for certain entities operating within the Town of Lady Lake and certain entities operating within Sumter County; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Hays, by two-thirds vote **HB 605** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

HB 809—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Manatee County; repealing chapters 30957 (1955), 61-2455, 63-1581, 69-1283, 72-615, 79-506, 80-535, 91-395, and 96-511, Laws of Florida, relating to the Manatee County Law Library, certain license and court fees collected for use by the library, the Manatee County Law Library Committee, and the law librarian; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Galvano, by two-thirds vote **HB 809** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

HB 817—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Cocoa, Brevard County; providing for the municipal annexation of the Pinecrest Cemetery and Evergreen Memorial Park; providing boundaries; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Altman, by two-thirds vote **HB 817** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

HB 885—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Manatee County; repealing chapter 30961 (1955), Laws of Florida, relating to mandatory nonprofit use conditions in leases and conveyances; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Galvano, by two-thirds vote **HB 885** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Bean	Brandes
Abruzzo	Benacquisto	Braynon
Altman	Bradley	Bullard

Clemens	Hays	Sachs
Dean	Hukill	Simmons
Detert	Joyner	Simpson
Diaz de la Portilla	Latvala	Smith
Evers	Lee	Sobel
Flores	Legg	Soto
Galvano	Margolis	Stargel
Garcia	Montford	Thompson
Gardiner	Negron	Thrasher
Gibson	Richter	
Grimsley	Ring	

Nays—None

CS for HB 911—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Panama City, Bay County; designating boundaries of entertainment districts within the downtown area of the city; authorizing the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to make special allowances for existing bona fide licensees operating within such entertainment districts for the sale of certain alcoholic beverages for consumption off the premises at outdoor events on public rights-of-way and public park property; requiring that such events be declared by the city commission; providing that special allowances are in addition to certain other authorized temporary permits; requiring the bona fide licensees to comply with all other statutory requirements; providing an exemption from general law; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Gaetz, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 911** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

HB 915—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Board of Trustees of Bay Medical Center, Bay County; amending chapter 2005-343, Laws of Florida; providing for the removal of a certain board member; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Gaetz, by two-thirds vote **HB 915** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Dean	Hays
Abruzzo	Detert	Hukill
Altman	Diaz de la Portilla	Joyner
Bean	Evers	Latvala
Benacquisto	Flores	Lee
Bradley	Galvano	Legg
Brandes	Garcia	Margolis
Braynon	Gardiner	Montford
Bullard	Gibson	Negron
Clemens	Grimsley	Richter

Ring	Smith	Thompson
Sachs	Sobel	Thrasher
Simmons	Soto	
Simpson	Stargel	

Nays—None

HB 919—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Bay County Tourist Development Council, Bay County; revising membership of the council; providing an exception to general law; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Gaetz, by two-thirds vote **HB 919** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for HB 929—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Little Gasparilla Island, Charlotte County; providing an exception to general law; authorizing future modifications to certain single-family docks, multislip docks, and multifamily docks under certain circumstances; providing that applications filed pursuant to the requirements of the act are full and final settlement of specified claims; limiting the state's liability if a court makes certain determinations relating to such docks; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to take enforcement action against docks or owners of riparian parcels or upland interests associated with docks that do not meet specified criteria after a specified date; providing for applicability; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Benacquisto, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 929** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

HB 931—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County; amending chapter 24981 (1947), Laws of Florida, as amended; extending the period in which funds received under chapter 175, F.S., shall be used to reduce employee contributions to the West Palm Beach Firefighters Pension Fund; clarifying that such funds are not refundable as employee contributions; authorizing vested members to request refund of contributions in lieu of a benefit; requiring payment of certain benefits to a designated beneficiary; clarifying requirement for certain members to take a lump sum distribution of their entire lump sum accumulated sick leave and vacation leave within a specified time after their termination of employment in certain circumstances; reducing actuarial assumed rate of return; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Clemens, by two-thirds vote **HB 931** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for HB 949—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the East Naples Fire Control and Rescue District, Collier County; amending chapter 2000-444, Laws of Florida, as amended; revising boundaries of the district for purposes of annexing the Isles of Capri Fire and Rescue District into the district; requiring a referendum; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Richter, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 949** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for HB 951—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Collier County; merging the East Naples Fire Control and Rescue District and the Golden Gate Fire Control and Rescue District to create a new district; creating and establishing an independent special fire control district to be known as the Greater Naples Fire Rescue District; providing that the district is an independent special district; providing legislative intent;

providing for applicability of chapters 191 and 189, F.S., and other general laws; providing a district charter; providing boundaries; providing for a district board; providing an exception to general law; providing authority of the board; providing for staff; providing duties and powers of the board; providing for elections to the board; providing for salaries of board members; providing for removal of board members; providing a savings clause for the existing district authority to levy up to 1.5 mills; providing for bonds; providing for raising of revenue; providing for taxation; providing findings; providing for impact fees; providing for collection and disbursement of such fees; providing for deposit of taxes, assessments, and fees and authority to disburse funds; providing for immunity from tort liability; providing for liberal construction; providing for severability; providing that this act shall take precedence over any conflicting law to the extent of such conflict; providing for the determination of millage; repealing chapters 2000-392, 2012-231, 2004-433, and 2000-444, Laws of Florida, relating to the East Naples Fire Control and Rescue District and the Golden Gate Fire Control and Rescue District; transferring all assets and liabilities of the existing districts to the Greater Naples Fire Rescue District; requiring a referendum; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Richter, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 951** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for HB 1023—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Canaveral Port District, Brevard County; providing legislative intent; codifying, amending, repealing, and reenacting special acts relating to the district; providing severability; providing purpose and construction; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Altman, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 1023** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for HB 1143—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Acme Improvement District, Palm Beach County; amending chapter 2012-256, Laws of Florida; clarifying boundaries; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Abruzzo, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 1143** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for HB 1145—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County; amending chapter 24981 (1947), Laws of Florida, as amended, relating to the West Palm Beach Police Pension Fund; revising funding of share accounts, member contributions, and refunds; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Clemens, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 1145** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

HB 1199—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Orange County Civic Facilities Authority, Orange County; repealing chapter 2005-324, Laws of Florida; abolishing the authority; transferring assets and liabilities of the authority; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Thompson, by two-thirds vote **HB 1199** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Brandes	Diaz de la Portilla
Abruzzo	Braynon	Evers
Altman	Bullard	Flores
Bean	Clemens	Galvano
Benacquisto	Dean	Garcia
Bradley	Detert	Gardiner

Gibson	Margolis	Smith
Grimsley	Montford	Sobel
Hays	Negron	Soto
Hukill	Richter	Stargel
Joyner	Ring	Thompson
Latvala	Sachs	Thrasher
Lee	Simmons	
Legg	Simpson	

Nays—None

HB 1297—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Lealman Special Fire Control District, Pinellas County; amending chapter 2000-426, Laws of Florida, as amended; providing for future annexation of certain unincorporated territory; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Brandes, by two-thirds vote **HB 1297** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

HB 1335—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Loxahatchee Groves Water Control District, Palm Beach County; amending chapter 99-425, Laws of Florida, as amended; providing for the dedication of road right-of-way easements to the public; providing requirements for such dedication; providing for prima facie evidence of such public road right-of-way easements; exempting certain property of an electric utility; assigning continuing traffic control jurisdiction on all public roads within the district to the Town of Loxahatchee Groves; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Abruzzo, by two-thirds vote **HB 1335** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for HB 1337—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Loxahatchee Groves Water Control District, Palm Beach County; amending chapter 99-425, Laws of Florida, as amended; providing for the dedication of canal maintenance easements to the district; providing requirements for such dedication; providing for prima facie evidence of such maintenance easements; providing for the use of maintenance easements for recreational trail purposes by the public through district permits issued to the Town of Loxahatchee Groves; providing that any permit issued by the district to the town for perpetual use by the public for recreational trail purposes shall satisfy property control requirements for state grant purposes; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Abruzzo, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 1337** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

HB 1367—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Vero Beach, Indian River County; authorizing the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to issue up to a specified number of temporary permits to a nonprofit civic organization to sell alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises at outdoor events on public right-of-way and public park property in the downtown area of Vero Beach; providing that the permits authorized by the act are in addition to certain other authorized temporary permits; requiring the nonprofit civic organization to comply with certain statutory requirements in obtaining the permits authorized by the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Altman, by two-thirds vote **HB 1367** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for CS for HB 1373—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Lee County; creating the Village of Estero; providing a charter; providing

legislative intent; providing for a council-manager form of government; providing boundaries; providing municipal powers; providing for a village council and composition thereof; providing for eligibility, terms, duties, compensation, and reimbursement of expenses of council members; providing for a mayor and vice mayor; providing scheduling requirements of council meetings; prohibiting interference with village employees; providing for filling of vacancies and forfeiture of office; providing that the council is the sole judge of qualifications of its members; authorizing the council to investigate affairs relating to the village and the conduct of any village department, office, or agency; providing criminal penalties; providing for the appointment of a village manager, village attorney, and village clerk and the qualifications, removal, powers, and duties thereof; providing for the establishment of village departments, agencies, personnel, and boards; defining terms; providing for the adoption of ordinances and resolutions; providing for the adoption of an annual budget and appropriations; providing for supplemental and emergency appropriations and the reduction and transfer of appropriations; providing for the establishment of a 5-year capital program; providing for an annual independent audit; providing that the state is not liable for financial shortfalls of the village; providing for nonpartisan elections and matters relating thereto; providing for seven village council districts; providing for the recall of council members; providing for initiative and referendum; providing for a code of ethics; providing for future amendments to the charter; providing for severability; providing a village transition schedule and procedures for the first election; providing for first-year expenses; providing for adoption of transitional ordinances and resolutions, comprehensive plans, and land development regulations; providing for accelerated entitlement to state-shared revenues; providing for entitlement to all local revenue sources allowed by general law; providing for the sharing of communications services tax revenues; providing for receipt and distribution of local option gas tax revenues; providing for waiver of specified eligibility provisions; requiring a referendum; providing effective dates.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Richter, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for HB 1373** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

HB 1399—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Hillsborough County Aviation Authority, Hillsborough County; amending chapter 2012-234, Laws of Florida; increasing the threshold for the award of contracts by the governing body of the authority which are exempt from certain competitive procurement requirements; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Lee, by two-thirds vote **HB 1399** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Bradley	Dean
Abruzzo	Brandes	Detert
Altman	Braynon	Diaz de la Portilla
Bean	Bullard	Evers
Benacquisto	Clemens	Flores

Galvano	Lee	Simpson
Garcia	Legg	Smith
Gardiner	Margolis	Sobel
Gibson	Montford	Soto
Grimsley	Negron	Stargel
Hays	Richter	Thompson
Hukill	Ring	Thrasher
Joyner	Sachs	
Latvala	Simmons	

Nays—None

HB 1401—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Town of St. Leo, Pasco County; excluding specified municipal lands within the corporate limits of the Town of St. Leo; providing that the county is responsible for the excluded territory; providing applicability with respect to existing contracts; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Simpson, by two-thirds vote **HB 1401** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for HB 1441—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Key Largo Wastewater Treatment District, Monroe County; amending chapter 2002-337, Laws of Florida, as amended; providing that the district is authorized to prescribe, fix, and establish a special lower rate, fee, rental, or other charge on the residential account of any person who is 60 years of age or older or a disabled American veteran meeting low income standards; requiring a referendum; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Bullard, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 1441** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for CS for HB 1443—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Ocala, Marion County; defining the term “Ocala Downtown Area”; authorizing the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to issue to a bona fide nonprofit civic organization a specified number of additional temporary permits to sell alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises at certain events in the Ocala Downtown Area; providing requirements to obtain the temporary permit; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Dean, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for HB 1443** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

CS for CS for HB 1445—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Citrus County Hospital Board, Citrus County; amending chapter 2011-256, Laws of Florida; authorizing the board to create an irrevocable community foundation or trust to manage the proceeds of a lease of the hospital and its facilities to a private for-profit entity; authorizing the board to create and staff an irrevocable community foundation or trust to manage the proceeds of certain leases; providing that proceeds of certain leases may only be used for medically related needs of citizens and residents of Citrus County; providing for certain members of the governing body of the irrevocable community trust or foundation; requiring the Supervisor of Elections to conduct elections to select such members upon the request of the board; requiring the irrevocable community trust or foundation to comply with certain rules and laws applicable to governmental entities and their elected and appointed officials; providing that an irrevocable community trust or foundation created by the board is subject to the audit authority of the clerk of the court; authorizing the board to enter into leases or contracts with any Florida corporation, rather than only a Florida nonprofit corporation, for the purpose of operating or managing the hospital and its facilities; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Dean, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for HB 1445** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Flores	Negron
Abruzzo	Galvano	Richter
Altman	Garcia	Ring
Bean	Gardiner	Sachs
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Bradley	Grimsley	Simpson
Brandes	Hays	Smith
Braynon	Hukill	Sobel
Bullard	Joyner	Soto
Clemens	Latvala	Stargel
Dean	Lee	Thompson
Detert	Legg	Thrasher
Diaz de la Portilla	Margolis	
Evers	Montford	

Nays—None

SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR

THE PRESIDENT PRESIDING

Consideration of CS for CS for SB 790 and CS for SB 1702 was deferred.

CS for SB 1318—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; amending s. 287.05712, F.S.; defining the term “proprietary confidential business information”; creating an exemption from public records requirements for unsolicited proposals for a qualifying public-private project received by a responsible public entity for a specified period; providing that proprietary confidential business information in an unsolicited proposal remains confidential and exempt from public records requirements; creating an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of meetings at which confidential and exempt information is discussed; requiring a recording to be made of a closed portion of a meeting; providing for future repeal and legislative review of the exemptions; providing statements of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1(1), there being no objection, consideration of the following late-filed amendment was allowed:

Senator Evers moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 1 (639104) (with title amendment)—Delete lines 27-109 and insert:

(a) As used in this subsection, the term “competitive solicitation” has the same meaning as provided in s. 119.071(1).

(b)1. An unsolicited proposal received by a responsible public entity is exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution until such time as the responsible public entity provides notice of an intended decision for a qualifying project.

2. If the responsible public entity rejects all proposals submitted pursuant to a competitive solicitation for a qualifying project and such entity concurrently provides notice of its intent to seek additional proposals for such project, the unsolicited proposal remains exempt until the responsible public entity provides notice of an intended decision concerning the reissued competitive solicitation for the qualifying project or until the responsible public entity withdraws the reissued competitive solicitation for such project.

3. An unsolicited proposal is not exempt for longer than 90 days after the initial notice by the responsible public entity rejecting all proposals.

(c) If the responsible public entity does not issue a competitive solicitation for a qualifying project, the unsolicited proposal ceases to be exempt 180 days after receipt of the unsolicited proposal by such entity.

(d)1. Any portion of a board meeting during which an unsolicited proposal that is exempt is discussed is exempt from s. 286.011 and s. 24(b), Art. I of the State Constitution.

2.a. A complete recording must be made of any portion of an exempt meeting. No portion of the exempt meeting may be held off the record.

b. The recording of, and any records generated during, the exempt meeting are exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution until such time as the responsible public entity provides notice of an intended decision for a qualifying project or 180 days after receipt of the unsolicited proposal by the responsible public entity if such entity does not issue a competitive solicitation for the project.

c. If the responsible public entity rejects all proposals and concurrently provides notice of its intent to reissue a competitive solicitation, the recording and any records generated at the exempt meeting remain exempt from s. 119.07(1) and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution until such time as the responsible public entity provides notice of an intended decision concerning the reissued competitive solicitation or until the responsible public entity withdraws the reissued competitive solicitation for such project.

d. A recording and any records generated during an exempt meeting are not exempt for longer than 90 days after the initial notice by the responsible public entity rejecting all proposals.

(e) This subsection is subject to the Open Government Sunset Review Act in accordance with s. 119.15 and shall stand repealed on October 2, 2019, unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature.

Section 2. (1) The Legislature finds that it is a public necessity that an unsolicited proposal received by a responsible public entity pursuant to s. 287.05712, Florida Statutes, be made exempt from s. 119.07(1), Florida Statutes, and s. 24(a), Article I of the State Constitution until a time certain. Prohibiting the public release of unsolicited proposals until a time certain ensures the effective and efficient administration of the public-private partnership process established in s. 287.05712, Florida Statutes. Temporarily protecting unsolicited proposals protects the public-private partnership process by encouraging private entities to submit such proposals, which will facilitate the timely development and operation of a qualifying project. Protecting such information ensures that other private entities do not gain an unfair competitive advantage. The public records exemption preserves public oversight of the public-private partnership process by providing for disclosure of the unsolicited proposal when the responsible public entity provides notice of an intended decision; no longer than 90 days after the responsible public entity rejects all proposals received in a competitive solicitation for a qualifying project; or 180 days after receipt of an unsolicited proposal if such entity does not issue a competitive solicitation for a qualifying project related to the proposal.

(2) The Legislature further finds that it is a public necessity that any portion of a meeting of the responsible public entity during which an unsolicited proposal that is exempt from public records requirements is discussed be made exempt from s. 286.011, Florida Statutes, and s. 24(b), Article I of the State Constitution. The Legislature also finds that it is a public necessity that the recording of, and any records generated during, a closed meeting be made temporarily exempt from s. 119.07(1), Florida Statutes, and s. 24(a), Article I of the State Constitution. Failure to close any portion of a meeting during which such unsolicited proposal is discussed, and failure to protect the release of the recording and records generated during that closed meeting, would defeat the purpose of the public records exemption. In addition, the Legislature finds that public oversight is maintained because the public records exemption for the recording and records generated during any closed portion of a meeting of the responsible public entity are subject to public disclosure when such entity provides notice of an intended decision; no longer than 90 days after the responsible public entity rejects all proposals received in a competitive solicitation for a qualifying project; or 180 days after receipt of an unsolicited proposal if the responsible public entity does not issue a competitive solicitation for a qualifying project related to the proposal.

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 3-15 and insert: amending s. 287.05712, F.S., relating to qualifying public-private projects for public facilities and infrastructure; defining the term “competitive solicitation”; providing an exemption from public records requirements for unsolicited proposals received by a responsible public entity for a specified period; providing an exemption from public meeting requirements for any portion of a meeting of a responsible public entity during which exempt proposals are discussed; requiring a recording to be made of the closed meeting; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the recording of, and any records generated during, a closed meeting for a specified period; providing for

On motion by Senator Evers, by two-thirds vote **CS for SB 1318** as amended was read the third time by title, passed by the required constitutional two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, ordered engrossed and then certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Brandes	Diaz de la Portilla
Abruzzo	Braynon	Evers
Altman	Bullard	Flores
Bean	Clemens	Galvano
Benacquisto	Dean	Garcia
Bradley	Detert	Gardiner

Gibson	Legg	Simpson
Grimsley	Margolis	Smith
Hays	Montford	Sobel
Hukill	Richter	Soto
Joyner	Ring	Stargel
Latvala	Sachs	Thompson
Lee	Simmons	Thrasher

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Negron

Consideration of **CS for CS for SB 1260** and **CS for CS for SB 1216** was deferred.

CS for CS for CS for SB 972—A bill to be entitled An act relating to attorneys for dependent children with special needs; providing legislative findings and intent; creating s. 39.01305, F.S.; requiring appointment of an attorney to represent a dependent child who meets one or more specified criteria; requiring that, if one is available, an attorney who is willing to represent a child without additional compensation be appointed; requiring that the appointment be in writing; requiring that the appointment continue in effect until the attorney is allowed to withdraw or is discharged by the court or until the case is dismissed; requiring that an attorney not acting in a pro bono capacity be adequately compensated for his or her services and have access to funding for certain costs; providing for financial oversight by the Justice Administrative Commission; providing a limit on attorney fees; requiring the Department of Children and Families to develop procedures to identify dependent children who qualify for an attorney; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pending further consideration of **CS for CS for CS for SB 972**, on motion by Senator Galvano, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for HB 561** was withdrawn from the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

On motion by Senator Galvano—

CS for CS for HB 561—A bill to be entitled An act relating to attorneys for dependent children with special needs; creating s. 39.01305, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; defining the term “dependent child”; requiring appointment of an attorney to represent a dependent child who meets one or more specified criteria; requiring that, if one is available, an attorney who is willing to represent a child without additional compensation be appointed; requiring that the appointment be in writing; requiring that the appointment continue in effect until the attorney is allowed to withdraw or is discharged by the court or until the case is dismissed; requiring that an attorney not acting in a pro bono capacity be adequately compensated for his or her services and have access to funding for certain costs; providing for financial oversight by the Justice Administrative Commission; providing a limit on attorney fees; requiring the Department of Children and Families to develop procedures to identify dependent children who qualify for an attorney; providing rulemaking authority; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **CS for CS for CS for SB 972** and read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for CS for HB 561** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

SB 886—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Teachers Classroom Supply Assistance Program; amending s. 1012.71, F.S.; revising procedures for distributing program funds to classroom teachers; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pending further consideration of **SB 886**, on motion by Senator Montford, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 337** was withdrawn from the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

On motion by Senator Montford—

CS for HB 337—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Teachers Classroom Supply Assistance Program; amending s. 1012.71, F.S.; revising procedures for distributing program funds to classroom teachers; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **SB 886** and read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for HB 337** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

Consideration of **CS for SB 696** was deferred.

CS for SB 698—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual misconduct with students by authority figures; providing a short title; creating s. 775.0862, F.S.; providing definitions; providing for reclassification of specified sexual offenses committed against a student by an authority figure; providing for severity ranking of offenses; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; providing for application of the severity ranking chart of the Criminal Punishment Code; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pending further consideration of **CS for SB 698**, on motion by Senator Stargel, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 485** was withdrawn from the Committees on Criminal Justice; and Appropriations.

On motion by Senator Stargel—

CS for HB 485—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual offenses against students by authority figures; providing a short title; creating s. 775.0862, F.S.; providing definitions; providing for reclassification of specified sexual offenses committed against students by an authority figure of the school; providing for severity ranking of offenses; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; providing for application of the severity ranking chart of the Criminal Punishment Code; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **CS for SB 698** and read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for HB 485** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

CS for CS for SB 662—A bill to be entitled An act relating to non-resident sterile compounding permits; amending s. 465.003, F.S.; defining the terms “compounding,” “outsourcing facility,” and “compounded sterile product”; amending s. 465.0156, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; expanding penalties to apply to injury to a nonhuman animal; deleting a requirement that the Board of Pharmacy refer regulatory issues affecting a nonresident pharmacy to the state where the pharmacy is located; providing that a nonresident pharmacy is subject to certain health care fraud provisions; creating s. 465.0158, F.S.; requiring registered nonresident pharmacies and outsourcing facilities to obtain a permit in order to ship, mail, deliver, or dispense compounded sterile products into this state; requiring submission of an application and a nonrefundable fee; providing application requirements; authorizing the board to deny, revoke, or suspend a permit, or impose a fine or reprimand for certain actions; providing dates by which certain nonresident pharmacies must obtain a permit; authorizing the board to adopt rules; amending s. 465.017, F.S.; authorizing the department to inspect nonresident pharmacies and nonresident sterile compounding permittees; requiring such pharmacies and permittees to pay for the costs of such inspections; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pending further consideration of **CS for CS for SB 662**, on motion by Senator Bean, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 7077** was withdrawn from

the Committees on Health Policy; Regulated Industries; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

On motion by Senator Bean—

CS for HB 7077—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonresident sterile compounding permits; amending s. 465.003, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 465.0156, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; expanding penalties to apply to injury to a nonhuman animal; deleting a requirement that the Board of Pharmacy refer regulatory issues affecting a nonresident pharmacy to the state where the pharmacy is located; providing that a pharmacy is subject to certain health care fraud provisions; creating s. 465.0158, F.S.; requiring registered nonresident pharmacies and outsourcing facilities to obtain a permit in order to ship, mail, deliver, or dispense compounded sterile products into this state; requiring submission of an application and a nonrefundable fee; providing application requirements; authorizing the board to deny, revoke, or suspend a permit, or impose a fine or reprimand for certain actions; providing dates by which certain nonresident pharmacies must obtain a permit; authorizing the board to adopt rules; amending s. 465.017, F.S.; authorizing the department to inspect nonresident pharmacies and nonresident sterile compounding permittees; requiring such pharmacies and permittees to pay for the costs of such inspections; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **CS for CS for SB 662** and read the second time by title.

Senator Bean moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 1 (190170)—Delete lines 70-93 and insert:

(1) *In order to ship, mail, deliver, or dispense, in any manner, a compounded sterile product into this state, a nonresident pharmacy registered under s. 465.0156, or an outsourcing facility, must hold a nonresident sterile compounding permit.*

(2) *An application for a nonresident sterile compounding permit shall be submitted on a form furnished by the board. The board may require such information as it deems reasonably necessary to carry out the purposes of this section. The fee for an initial permit and biennial renewal of the permit shall be set by the board pursuant to s. 465.022(14).*

(3) *An applicant must submit the following to the board to obtain an initial permit, or to the department to renew a permit:*

(a) *Proof of registration as an outsourcing facility with the Secretary of the United States Department of Health and Human Services if the applicant is eligible for such registration pursuant to the federal Drug Quality and Security Act, Pub. L. No. 113-54.*

(b) *Proof of registration as a nonresident pharmacy, pursuant to s. 465.0156, unless the applicant is an outsourcing facility and not a pharmacy, in which case the application must include proof of an*

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for HB 7077** as amended was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

CS for CS for SB 654—A bill to be entitled An act relating to business organizations; amending s. 605.0112, F.S.; providing additional exceptions regarding the requirement that limited liability company names be distinguishable from the names of other entities or filings; specifying differences in names which are not considered distinguishable; designating part I of ch. 607, F.S., entitled “General Provisions”; amending s. 607.0101, F.S.; revising a provision to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 607.0401, F.S.; providing additional exceptions regarding the requirement that corporate names be distinguishable; specifying differences in corporate names which are not considered distinguishable; amending s. 607.1302, F.S.; providing that the amendment of articles of incorporation or the merger, conversion, or share exchange of a social purpose or benefit corporation entitles the shareholders to appraisal rights; creating part II of ch. 607, F.S., entitled “Social Purpose Corporations”; creating s. 607.501, F.S.; providing application and effect; creating s. 607.502, F.S.; providing definitions; creating s. 607.503, F.S.; establishing requirements for the formation of a social purpose corporation; creating s. 607.504, F.S.; providing procedures for an existing corporation to become a social purpose corporation;

creating s. 607.505, F.S.; providing procedures for the termination of a social purpose corporation status; creating s. 607.506, F.S.; requiring that the corporate purpose must be to create a public benefit; providing criteria; creating s. 607.507, F.S.; requiring that the directors of a social purpose corporation meet a standard of conduct; providing criteria for the standards; creating s. 607.508, F.S.; authorizing the articles of incorporation of a social purpose corporation to provide for a benefit director; providing powers and duties of a benefit director; creating s. 607.509, F.S.; requiring that the officers of a social purpose corporation meet a standard of conduct; providing criteria for the standards of conduct; creating s. 607.510, F.S.; authorizing a social purpose corporation to designate an officer as a benefit officer; providing for the powers and duties of a benefit officer; creating s. 607.511, F.S.; authorizing certain legal actions to be brought against a social purpose corporation, its officers, or its directors; creating s. 607.512, F.S.; requiring the board of directors to prepare an annual benefit report; providing criteria for the preparation of the report; creating s. 607.513, F.S.; establishing requirements for the availability and dissemination of the annual report; authorizing a court to order dissemination of the report; providing criteria; creating part III of ch. 607, F.S., entitled “Benefit Corporations”; creating s. 607.601, F.S.; providing for application and effect; creating s. 607.602, F.S.; providing definitions; creating s. 607.603, F.S.; establishing requirements for the formation of a benefit corporation; creating s. 607.604, F.S.; providing procedures for an existing corporation to become a benefit corporation; creating s. 607.605, F.S.; providing procedures for the termination of a benefit corporation status; creating s. 607.606, F.S.; requiring that the corporate purpose be to create a public benefit; providing criteria; creating s. 607.607, F.S.; requiring the directors of a benefit corporation to meet a standard of conduct; providing criteria for the standards; creating s. 607.608, F.S.; authorizing the articles of incorporation of a benefit corporation to provide for a benefit director; providing powers and duties of the benefit director; creating s. 607.609, F.S.; requiring the officers of a benefit corporation to meet a standard of conduct; providing criteria for the standards of conduct; creating s. 607.610, F.S.; authorizing a benefit corporation to designate an officer as a benefit officer; providing for the powers and duties of the benefit officer; creating s. 607.611, F.S.; authorizing certain legal actions to be brought against a benefit corporation, its officers, or its directors; creating s. 607.612, F.S.; requiring the board of directors to prepare an annual benefit report; providing criteria for the preparation of the report; creating s. 607.613, F.S.; establishing requirements for the availability and dissemination of the annual report; authorizing a court to order dissemination of the report; amending ss. 617.0401 and 620.1108, F.S.; providing additional exceptions regarding the requirement that the names of entities be distinguishable; specifying differences in names which are not considered distinguishable; amending ss. 48.091, 215.555, 243.54, 310.171, 310.181, 329.10, 339.412, 420.101, 420.111, 420.161, 440.02, 440.386, 609.08, 617.1908, 618.221, 619.04, 624.430, 624.462, 624.489, 628.041, 631.262, 636.204, 641.2015, 655.0201, 658.23, 658.2953, 658.30, 658.36, 663.03, 663.04, 663.301, 663.306, 663.313, 718.111, 719.104, 720.302, 720.306, 766.101, and 865.09, F.S.; conforming cross-references to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pending further consideration of **CS for CS for SB 654**, on motion by Senator Clemens, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for HB 685** was withdrawn from the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Judiciary; and Rules.

On motion by Senator Clemens—

CS for CS for HB 685—A bill to be entitled An act relating to business organizations; amending s. 605.0112, F.S.; providing additional exceptions regarding the requirement that limited liability company names be distinguishable from the names of other entities or filings; specifying differences in names which are not considered distinguishable; designating part I of ch. 607, F.S., entitled “General Provisions”; amending s. 607.0101, F.S.; revising a provision to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 607.0401, F.S.; providing additional exceptions regarding the requirement that corporate names be distinguishable; specifying differences in corporate names which are not considered distinguishable; amending s. 607.1302, F.S.; providing that the amendment of articles of incorporation or the merger, conversion, or share exchange of a social purpose or benefit corporation entitles the shareholders to appraisal rights; creating part II of ch. 607, F.S., entitled “Social Purpose Corporations”; creating s. 607.501, F.S.; providing ap-

plication and effect; creating s. 607.502, F.S.; providing definitions; creating s. 607.503, F.S.; establishing requirements for the formation of a social purpose corporation; creating s. 607.504, F.S.; providing procedures for an existing corporation to become a social purpose corporation; creating s. 607.505, F.S.; providing procedures for the termination of a social purpose corporation status; creating s. 607.506, F.S.; requiring that the corporate purpose must be to create a public benefit; providing criteria; creating s. 607.507, F.S.; requiring that the directors of a social purpose corporation meet a standard of conduct; providing criteria for the standards; creating s. 607.508, F.S.; authorizing the articles of incorporation of a social purpose corporation to provide for a benefit director; providing powers and duties of a benefit director; creating s. 607.509, F.S.; requiring that the officers of a social purpose corporation meet a standard of conduct; providing criteria for the standards of conduct; creating s. 607.510, F.S.; authorizing a social purpose corporation to designate an officer as a benefit officer; providing for the powers and duties of a benefit officer; creating s. 607.511, F.S.; authorizing certain legal actions to be brought against a social purpose corporation, its officers, or its directors; creating s. 607.512, F.S.; requiring the board of directors to prepare an annual benefit report; providing criteria for the preparation of the report; creating s. 607.513, F.S.; establishing requirements for the availability and dissemination of the annual report; authorizing a court to order dissemination of the report; providing criteria; creating part III of ch. 607, F.S., entitled "Benefit Corporations"; creating s. 607.601, F.S.; providing for application and effect; creating s. 607.602, F.S.; providing definitions; creating s. 607.603, F.S.; establishing requirements for the formation of a benefit corporation; creating s. 607.604, F.S.; providing procedures for an existing corporation to become a benefit corporation; creating s. 607.605, F.S.; providing procedures for the termination of a benefit corporation status; creating s. 607.606, F.S.; requiring that the corporate purpose be to create a public benefit; providing criteria; creating s. 607.607, F.S.; requiring the directors of a benefit corporation to meet a standard of conduct; providing criteria for the standards; creating s. 607.608, F.S.; authorizing the articles of incorporation of a benefit corporation to provide for a benefit director; providing powers and duties of the benefit director; creating s. 607.609, F.S.; requiring the officers of a benefit corporation to meet a standard of conduct; providing criteria for the standards of conduct; creating s. 607.610, F.S.; authorizing a benefit corporation to designate an officer as a benefit officer; providing for the powers and duties of the benefit officer; creating s. 607.611, F.S.; authorizing certain legal actions to be brought against a benefit corporation, its officers, or its directors; creating s. 607.612, F.S.; requiring the board of directors to prepare an annual benefit report; providing criteria for the preparation of the report; creating s. 607.613, F.S.; establishing requirements for the availability and dissemination of the annual report; authorizing a court to order dissemination of the report; amending ss. 617.0401 and 620.1108, F.S.; providing additional exceptions regarding the requirement that the names of entities be distinguishable; specifying differences in names which are not considered distinguishable; amending ss. 48.091, 215.555, 243.54, 310.171, 310.181, 329.10, 339.412, 420.101, 420.111, 420.161, 440.02, 440.386, 609.08, 617.1908, 618.221, 619.04, 624.430, 624.462, 624.489, 628.041, 631.262, 636.204, 641.2015, 655.0201, 658.23, 658.2953, 658.30, 658.36, 663.03, 663.04, 663.301, 663.306, 663.313, 718.111, 719.104, 720.302, 720.306, 766.101, and 865.09, F.S.; conforming cross-references to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **CS for CS for SB 654** and read the second time by title.

On motion by Senator Clemens, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for HB 685** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Mr. President	Dean	Grimsley
Abruzzo	Detert	Hays
Altman	Diaz de la Portilla	Hukill
Bean	Evers	Joyner
Bradley	Flores	Latvala
Brandes	Galvano	Lee
Braynon	Garcia	Legg
Bullard	Gardiner	Margolis
Clemens	Gibson	Montford

Negron	Simpson	Stargel
Ring	Smith	Thompson
Sachs	Sobel	Thrasher
Simmons	Soto	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Benacquisto, Richter

SB 640—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public health trusts; amending s. 154.11, F.S.; authorizing public health trusts to lease certain real property; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pending further consideration of **SB 640**, on motion by Senator Braynon, by two-thirds vote **HB 531** was withdrawn from the Committees on Health Policy; Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

On motion by Senator Braynon—

HB 531—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public health trusts; amending s. 154.11, F.S.; authorizing public health trusts to lease certain real property; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **SB 640** and read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **HB 531** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

CS for CS for SB 638—A bill to be entitled An act relating to charities; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; excluding charitable organizations or sponsors disqualified by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services from receiving certain tax exemptions; amending s. 212.084, F.S.; requiring the Department of Revenue to revoke or deny a sales tax exemption to charitable organizations or sponsors disqualified by the department; providing for a limited appeal of the denial or revocation of the sales tax exemption; amending s. 496.403, F.S.; revising the applicability of the Solicitation of Contributions Act; amending s. 496.404, F.S.; defining terms; redefining the term "professional solicitor"; amending s. 496.405, F.S.; revising the timeframe within which a charitable organization or sponsor must report changes to certain information provided to the department on an initial or renewal registration statement; providing for the automatic expiration of a registration for failure to file a renewal or financial statement by a certain date; deleting a provision to extend the time to file a renewal statement; deleting a requirement that the renewal statement be filed subsequent to the financial statement; specifying the information that must be submitted by a parent organization on a consolidated financial statement; requiring a parent organization to attach certain Internal Revenue Service forms and schedules to a consolidated financial statement; extending the time allowed for the department to review certain initial or renewal registration statements; providing that failure of a charitable organization or sponsor to make certain disclosures in a registration statement results in the automatic suspension of an active registration for a specified period; prohibiting the officers, directors, trustees, or employees of a charitable organization or sponsor from allowing certain persons to solicit contributions on behalf of the charitable organization or sponsor; specifying that the prohibition against certain persons soliciting contributions on behalf of a charitable organization or sponsor due to the commission of certain felonies includes those felonies committed in any state as well as any misdemeanor in another state which constitutes a disqualifying felony in this state; authorizing the department to deny or revoke the registration of a charitable organization or sponsor under certain circumstances; requiring a charitable organization or sponsor that has ended solicitation activities in this state to notify the department in writing; making technical changes; creating s. 496.4055, F.S.; defining the term "conflict of interest transaction"; requiring the board of directors of a charitable organization or sponsor, or an authorized committee thereof, to adopt a policy regarding conflict of interest transactions; specifying certain requirements of the policy; requiring a charitable organization or sponsor to provide the department

with a copy of the policy; amending s. 496.407, F.S.; requiring that the financial statements of certain charitable organizations or sponsors be audited or reviewed; specifying requirements and standards for the audit or review of a financial statement; requiring that an alternative financial statement submitted by certain charitable organizations or sponsors be prepared by a certified public accountant or other professional; authorizing the department to require an audit or review of any financial statement and to extend the time to file a financial statement under certain circumstances; providing that the registration of a charitable organization or sponsor be suspended upon its failure to file a financial statement within an extension period; making technical changes; creating s. 496.4071, F.S.; requiring certain charitable organizations or sponsors to report specified supplemental financial information to the department by a certain date; creating s. 496.4072, F.S.; requiring certain charitable organizations or sponsors who solicit contributions for a specific disaster relief effort to submit quarterly financial statements to the department; specifying information to be included in the quarterly financial statement and the length of the required reporting period; requiring the department to post notice of specific disaster relief efforts subject the reporting requirements; amending ss. 496.409 and 496.410, F.S.; prohibiting a professional fundraising consultant or professional solicitor from entering into a contract or agreement with a charitable organization or sponsor that has not complied with certain requirements; extending the time that the department may review initial or renewal registration statements of professional fundraising consultants or professional solicitors which contain certain disclosures; providing that the failure of a professional fundraising consultant or professional solicitor to make certain disclosures in an initial or renewal registration statement results in automatic suspension of an active registration; prohibiting the officers, trustees, directors, or employees of a professional fundraising consultant or a professional solicitor from allowing certain persons to solicit contributions on behalf of the professional fundraising consultant or professional solicitor; specifying that the prohibition against acting as a professional solicitor or the employment of certain persons by a professional solicitor due to the commission of certain felonies includes those felonies committed in any state as well as any misdemeanor in another state which constitutes a disqualifying felony in this state; authorizing the department to deny or revoke the registration of a professional fundraising consultant or professional solicitor under certain circumstances; revising required information in the initial or renewal application of a professional solicitor; deleting a provision authorizing the payment of a single registration fee for certain professional solicitors; requiring a professional solicitor to provide additional specified information to the department in a solicitation notice; creating s. 496.4101, F.S.; requiring each officer, director, trustee, or owner of a professional solicitor and any employee of a professional solicitor that conducts certain telephonic solicitations to obtain a solicitor license from the department; specifying application information and the application procedure for a solicitor license; requiring that each applicant for a solicitor license submit a complete set of their fingerprints to certain agencies, entities, or vendors; requiring that the applicant's fingerprints be submitted to the Department of Law Enforcement for state processing; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to forward the applicant's fingerprints to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for national processing; providing that fees for fingerprint processing and retention be borne by the applicant; providing for retention of the fingerprints; requiring the department to notify the Department of Law Enforcement of individuals who are no longer licensed; requiring that a solicitor license be renewed annually or expire automatically upon nonrenewal; requiring that an applicant for a solicitor license pay certain licensing fees; providing that licensing fees be deposited into the General Inspection Trust Fund; requiring that an applicant for a solicitor license report changes in information submitted to the department in a specified manner along with a processing fee; specifying violations; requiring the department to adopt rules allowing applicants to engage in solicitation activities without a solicitor license on an interim basis; authorizing the department to deny or revoke a solicitor license under specified circumstances; requiring that certain administrative proceedings be conducted pursuant to chapter 120; amending ss. 496.411 and 496.412, F.S.; expanding and revising required solicitation disclosures of charitable organizations, sponsors, and professional solicitors; requiring that certain exempt charitable organizations or sponsors also provide such solicitation disclosures; requiring that such solicitation disclosures be placed online under certain circumstances; creating s. 496.4121, F.S.; defining the term "collection receptacle"; requiring that collection receptacles display permanent signs or labels; specifying requirements for the physical appearance of such

labels or signs and the information displayed thereon; requiring that a charitable organization or sponsor using a collection receptacle provide certain information to a donor upon request; amending s. 496.415, F.S.; providing that the submission of false, misleading, or inaccurate information in a document connected with a solicitation or sales promotion is unlawful; providing that the failure to remit specified funds to a charitable organization or sponsor is unlawful; amending s. 496.419, F.S.; increasing administrative fines for violations of the Solicitation of Contributions Act; creating s. 496.4191, F.S.; requiring the department to immediately suspend a registration or processing of an application for registration for a specified period if the registrant, applicant, or any officer or director thereof is criminally charged with certain offenses; creating s. 496.430, F.S.; requiring the department to disqualify a charitable organization or sponsor from receiving a sales tax exemption under specified circumstances; providing that a charitable organization or sponsor may appeal a disqualification order; specifying appeal procedure; providing that a disqualification order remains effective for a specified period; requiring the department to provide a final disqualification order to the Department of Revenue within a specified period; providing that a final disqualification order is conclusive as to a charitable organization or sponsor's right to a sales tax exemption; requiring the Department of Revenue to revoke or deny a sales tax exemption to a charitable organization or sponsor subject to a final disqualification order within a specified period; prohibiting a charitable organization or sponsor from appealing or challenging the revocation or denial of a sales tax exemption certificate under certain circumstances; creating s. 496.431, F.S.; providing for severability; amending s. 741.0305, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an appropriation and authorizing positions; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Amendments were considered and adopted to conform **CS for CS for SB 638** to **CS for CS for HB 629**.

Pending further consideration of **CS for CS for SB 638** as amended, on motion by Senator Brandes, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for HB 629** was withdrawn from the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

On motion by Senator Brandes—

CS for CS for HB 629—A bill to be entitled An act relating to charities; providing legislative findings and declarations; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; revising an exemption from the sales and use tax to exclude from eligibility charitable organizations subject to a final disqualification order issued by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending s. 212.084, F.S.; requiring the Department of Revenue to revoke a sales tax exemption certificate of, or refuse to grant a sales tax exemption certificate to, certain charitable organizations; providing for appeal; amending s. 496.403, F.S.; exempting blood establishments from the Solicitation of Contributions Act; amending s. 496.404, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 496.405, F.S.; revising requirements and procedures for the filing of registration statements of charitable organizations and sponsors; specifying the information that each chapter, branch, or affiliate of a parent organization must include in, and attach to, a consolidated financial statement; revising the period within which the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services must review certain initial registration statements and annual renewal statements; providing for the automatic suspension of a charitable organization or sponsor's registration for failure to disclose specified information; prohibiting officers, directors, trustees, or employees of a charitable organization or sponsor from allowing certain persons to solicit contributions on behalf of the charitable organization or sponsor; authorizing the department to deny or revoke the registration of a charitable organization or sponsor under certain circumstances; requiring a charitable organization or sponsor that has ended solicitation activities in this state to notify the department in writing; creating s. 496.4055, F.S.; defining the term "conflict of interest transaction"; requiring the board of directors of a charitable organization or sponsor, or an authorized committee thereof, to adopt a policy regarding conflict of interest transactions; amending s. 496.407, F.S.; requiring the financial statements of certain charitable organizations or sponsors to be audited or reviewed; providing requirements and standards for such audit or review; authorizing charitable organizations and sponsors to redact specified information from certain Internal Revenue Service Forms submitted in lieu of a financial statement; requiring such forms submitted by certain charitable organizations or sponsors to be prepared by

a certified public accountant; authorizing the department to provide an extension for filing a financial statement; authorizing the department to require an audit or review for a financial statement submitted by a charitable organization or sponsor under certain circumstances; creating s. 496.4071, F.S.; requiring certain charitable organizations or sponsors to report specified supplemental financial information to the department by a certain date; creating s. 496.4072, F.S.; requiring certain charitable organizations or sponsors that solicit contributions for a specific disaster relief effort to submit quarterly financial statements to the department; providing requirements and procedures for the filing of such quarterly statements; exempting certain charitable organizations and sponsors from filing such quarterly statements; amending s. 496.409, F.S.; authorizing a professional fundraising consultant to enter into a contract or agreement only with certain charitable organizations or sponsors; revising the procedures and requirements for reviewing professional fundraising consultant registration statements and renewal applications; prohibiting certain officers, trustees, directors, or employees of professional fundraising consultants from allowing certain persons to solicit contributions on behalf of the professional fundraising consultant; authorizing the department to deny or revoke the registration of a professional fundraising consultant under certain circumstances; amending s. 496.410, F.S.; revising the information that must be included in a professional solicitor application for registration or renewal of registration; revising procedures and requirements for reviewing professional solicitor registration statements and renewal applications; revising the information that must be included in a solicitation notice filed by a professional solicitor; authorizing a professional solicitor to enter into a contract or agreement only with certain charitable organizations or sponsors; prohibiting certain officers, trustees, directors, or employees of a professional solicitor from soliciting for compensation or allowing certain persons to solicit for compensation on behalf of the professional solicitor; authorizing the department to deny or revoke the registration of a professional solicitor under certain circumstances; creating s. 496.4101, F.S.; requiring each officer, director, trustee, or owner of a professional solicitor and certain employees of a professional solicitor to obtain a solicitor license from the department; defining the term "personal financial information"; providing application requirements and procedures; requiring applicants to submit a complete set of fingerprints and pay a fee for fingerprint processing and retention; requiring a solicitor license to be renewed annually; providing an initial application and renewal fee for a solicitor license; requiring material changes in applications or renewal applications to be reported to the department within a specified period; providing a fee for reporting material changes; providing violations; requiring the department to adopt rules to allow applicants to engage in solicitation activities on a temporary basis; authorizing the department to deny or revoke a solicitor license under certain circumstances; requiring certain administrative proceedings to be conducted in accordance with chapter 120, F.S.; amending s. 496.411, F.S.; revising disclosure requirements for charitable organizations and sponsors; amending s. 496.412, F.S.; revising disclosure requirements for professional solicitors; creating s. 496.4121, F.S.; defining the term "collection receptacle"; requiring collection receptacles to display permanent signs or labels; providing requirements for such signs or labels; requiring a charitable organization or sponsor using a collection receptacle to provide certain information to a donor upon request; amending s. 496.415, F.S.; prohibiting the submission of false, misleading, or inaccurate information in a document in connection with a solicitation or sales promotion; prohibiting the failure to remit specified funds to a charitable organization or sponsor; amending s. 496.419, F.S.; increasing administrative fine amounts the department is authorized to impose for specified violations of the Solicitation of Contributions Act; creating s. 496.4191, F.S.; requiring the department to immediately suspend a registration or processing of an application for registration if the registrant, applicant, or any officer or director thereof is charged with certain criminal offenses; creating s. 496.430, F.S.; authorizing the department to issue an order to disqualify a charitable organization or sponsor from receiving a sales tax exemption certificate under certain circumstances; authorizing a charitable organization or sponsor to appeal a disqualification order within a specified period; providing that a disqualification order remains effective for a specified period; authorizing a charitable organization or sponsor to apply to the Department of Revenue for a sales tax exemption certificate after expiration of a final disqualification order; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to provide a final disqualification order to the Department of Revenue within a specified period; requiring the Department of Revenue to revoke a sales tax exemption certificate of, or refuse to grant a sales tax exemption certificate to, charitable organizations or

sponsors subject to a final disqualification order; prohibiting a charitable organization or sponsor from appealing or challenging the revocation or denial of a sales tax exemption certificate under certain circumstances; amending s. 741.0305, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing severability; providing an appropriation and authorizing positions; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **CS for CS for SB 638** as amended and read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1(1), there being no objection, consideration of the following late-filed amendment was allowed:

Senator Brandes moved the following amendment:

Amendment 1 (297520) (with title amendment)—Delete lines 1213-1268 and insert:

(d) For any renewal of the applicant's license, the department shall request the Department of Law Enforcement to forward the retained fingerprints of the applicant to the Federal Bureau of Investigation unless the applicant is enrolled in the national retained print arrest notification program described in paragraph (c). The fee for the national criminal history check shall be paid directly to the Department of Law Enforcement by the applicant. If the applicant's fingerprints are retained in the national retained print arrest notification program, the applicant shall pay the state and national retention fee to the Department of Law Enforcement.

(e) The department shall notify the Department of Law Enforcement regarding any person whose fingerprints have been retained but who is no longer licensed under this chapter.

(f) The department shall screen background results to determine whether an applicant meets licensure requirements.

(4) A solicitor license must be renewed annually by the submission of a renewal application. A solicitor license that is not renewed expires without further action by the department.

(5) Any material change to the information submitted to the department in the initial application or renewal application for a solicitor license shall be reported to the department by the applicant or licensee within 10 days after the change occurs.

(6) It is a violation of this chapter:

(a) For an applicant to provide inaccurate or incomplete information to the department in the initial or renewal application for a solicitor license.

(b) For a person specified in subsection (1) to fail to maintain a solicitor license as required by this section.

(c) For a professional solicitor to allow, require, permit, or authorize an employee without an active solicitor license issued under this section to conduct telephonic solicitations.

(7) The department shall adopt rules that allow applicants to engage in solicitation activities on a temporary basis until such time as a solicitor license is granted or denied.

(8) The department may deny or revoke a solicitor license if the applicant or licensee has had the right to solicit contributions revoked in any state, has been ordered by a court or governmental agency to cease soliciting contributions within any state, or is subject to any disqualification specified in s. 496.410(14).

(9) Any administrative proceeding that could result in entry of an order under this section shall be conducted in accordance with chapter 120.

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 106-111 and insert: renewed annually; requiring material changes in applications or renewal applications to be reported to the department within a specified period; providing violations; requiring the

Pursuant to Rule 7.1(1), there being no objection, consideration of the following late-filed amendment was allowed:

Senator Brandes moved the following amendment to **Amendment 1 (297520)** which was adopted:

Amendment 1A (849902)—Delete lines 10-15 and insert: *described in paragraph (c). The fee for the national criminal history check shall be paid as part of the renewal process to the department and forwarded by the department to the Department of Law Enforcement. If the applicant's fingerprints are retained in the national retained print arrest notification program, the applicant shall pay the state and national retention fee to the department, which shall forward the fee to the Department of Law Enforcement.*

Amendment 1 (297520) as amended was adopted.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1(1), there being no objection, consideration of the following late-filed amendment was allowed:

Senator Brandes moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 2 (882116)—Delete line 1541 and insert: *from General Revenue are appropriated to the*

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for CS for HB 629** as amended was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

CS for SB 444—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workers' compensation; amending s. 440.107, F.S.; revising powers of the Department of Financial Services relating to compliance with and enforcement of workers' compensation coverage requirements; providing for stop-work order information to be available on the Division of Workers' Compensation website; revising requirements for the release of stop-work orders; revising penalties; amending ss. 440.15 and 440.16, F.S.; revising rate formulas related to the determination of compensation for disability and death; amending s. 440.49, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the assessment rate of the Special Disability Trust Fund; reducing the assessment rate limitation; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pending further consideration of **CS for SB 444**, on motion by Senator Galvano, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for HB 271** was withdrawn from the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; and Appropriations.

On motion by Senator Galvano—

CS for CS for HB 271—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workers' compensation; amending s. 440.107, F.S.; revising powers of the Department of Financial Services relating to compliance with and enforcement of workers' compensation coverage requirements; providing for stop-work order information to be available on the Division of Workers' Compensation's website; revising requirements for the release of stop-work orders; revising penalties; amending ss. 440.15 and 440.16, F.S.; revising rate formulas related to the determination of compensation for disability and death; amending s. 440.49, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the assessment rate of the Special Disability Trust Fund; reducing the assessment rate limitation; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **CS for SB 444** and read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for CS for HB 271** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Simpson—

CS for CS for SB 312—A bill to be entitled An act relating to agriculture; amending s. 193.461, F.S.; authorizing a property appraiser to grant an agricultural classification after the application deadline upon a showing of extenuating circumstances; providing that participation in certain dispersed water storage programs does not change a land's agricultural classification for assessment purposes; amending s. 212.08,

F.S.; expanding the exemption for certain farm equipment from the sales and use tax imposed under ch. 212, F.S., to include irrigation equipment, replacement parts and accessories for irrigation equipment, and repairs of irrigation equipment; amending s. 373.4591, F.S.; authorizing agricultural landowners to establish baseline wetland and surface water conditions before implementing certain best management practice implementation agreements; requiring establishment of a process for review of proposed baseline condition determinations; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for CS for SB 312** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

Consideration of **CS for CS for SB 1276** was deferred.

CS for SB 1090—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homelessness; amending s. 420.606, F.S.; revising legislative findings; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to provide training and technical assistance to certain designated lead agencies of homeless assistance continuums of care; requiring that the provision of such training and assistance be delegated to certain nonprofit entities; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 420.622, F.S.; requiring the department to establish award levels for "Challenge Grants"; specifying criteria to determine award levels; requiring the department, after consultation with the Council on Homelessness, to specify a grant award level in the notice of solicitation of grant applications; revising qualifications for the grant; specifying authorized uses of grant funds; requiring a lead agency that receives a grant to submit a report to the department; amending s. 420.9073, F.S.; requiring the Florida Housing Finance Corporation to distribute to the department and the Department of Children and Families certain funds from the Local Government Housing Trust Fund for the purpose of providing support, training, and technical assistance to designated lead agencies of continuums of care; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pending further consideration of **CS for SB 1090**, on motion by Senator Latvala, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for HB 979** was withdrawn from the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Appropriations.

On motion by Senator Latvala—

CS for CS for HB 979—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homelessness; amending s. 420.606, F.S.; revising legislative findings; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to provide training and technical assistance to certain designated lead agencies of homeless assistance continuums of care; requiring that the provision of such training and assistance be delegated to certain nonprofit entities; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 420.622, F.S.; requiring the department to establish award levels for "Challenge Grants"; specifying criteria to determine award levels; requiring the department, after consultation with the Council on Homelessness, to specify a grant award level in the notice of solicitation of grant applications; revising qualifications for the grant; specifying authorized uses of grant funds; requiring a lead agency that receives a grant to submit a report to the department; providing for contingent effect; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **CS for SB 1090** and read the second time by title.

Senator Latvala moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 1 (540440) (with title amendment)—Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Subsections (1) through (3) of section 420.606, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

420.606 Training and technical assistance program.—

(1) **LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS.**—In addition to the legislative findings set forth in s. 420.6015, the Legislature finds and declares that:

(a) Housing in economically declining or distressed areas is frequently substandard and is often unaffordable or unavailable to homeless persons, very-low-income persons, and low-income persons;

(b) Community-based organizations often have limited experience in development of quality housing for homeless persons, very-low-income persons, and low-income persons in economically declining or distressed areas; and

(c) The staffs and board members of community-based organizations need additional training in housing development as well as technical support to assist them in gaining the experience they need to better serve their communities; and-

(d) The staffs of state agencies and local governments, whether directly involved in the production of affordable or available housing or acting in a supportive role, can better serve the goals of state and local governments if their expertise in housing development is expanded.

(2) PURPOSE.—The purpose of this section is to provide community-based organizations, and staff of state and local governments, and designated lead agencies of homeless assistance continuums of care with the necessary training and technical assistance to meet the needs of homeless persons, very-low-income persons, low-income persons, and moderate-income persons for standard, affordable housing.

(3) TRAINING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.—The Department of Economic Opportunity shall be responsible for securing the necessary expertise to provide training and technical assistance to:

(a) Staff of local governments, to staff of state agencies, as appropriate, and to community-based organizations, and to persons forming such organizations, which are formed for the purpose of developing new housing and rehabilitating existing housing that which is affordable for very-low-income persons, low-income persons, and moderate-income persons.

1.(a) The training component of the program shall be designed to build the housing development capacity of community-based organizations and local governments as a permanent resource for the benefit of communities in this state.

a.1- The scope of training must shall include, but need not be limited to, real estate development skills related to affordable housing, including the construction process and property management and disposition, the development of public-private partnerships to reduce housing costs, model housing projects, and management and board responsibilities of community-based organizations.

b.2- Training activities may include, but are not limited to, materials for self-instruction, workshops, seminars, internships, coursework, and special programs developed in conjunction with state universities and community colleges.

2.(b) The technical assistance component of the program shall be designed to assist applicants for state-administered programs in developing applications and in expediting project implementation. Technical assistance activities for the staffs of community-based organizations and local governments who are directly involved in the production of affordable housing may include, but are not limited to, workshops for program applicants, onsite visits, guidance in achieving project completion, and a newsletter to community-based organizations and local governments.

(b) Designated lead agencies of homeless assistance continuums of care which receive operating or other support under s. 420.9073(7) from the Department of Children and Families to provide or secure housing, programs, and other services for homeless persons. Such training and technical assistance must be provided by a nonprofit entity that meets the requirements for providing training and technical assistance under s. 420.531.

Section 2. Subsection (4) of section 420.622, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

420.622 State Office on Homelessness; Council on Homelessness.—

(4) Not less than 120 days after the effective date of this act, The State Office on Homelessness, with the concurrence of the Council on

Homelessness, may accept and administer moneys appropriated to it to provide annual “Challenge Grants” annually to lead agencies of for homeless assistance continuums of care designated by the State Office on Homelessness pursuant to s. 420.624. The department shall establish varying levels of grant awards A lead agency may be a local homeless coalition, municipal or county government, or other public agency or private, not for profit corporation. Such grants may be up to \$500,000 per lead agency. Award levels shall be based upon the total population within the continuum of care catchment area and reflect the differing degrees of homelessness in the catchment planning areas. The department, in consultation with the Council on Homelessness, shall specify a grant award level in the notice of the solicitation of grant applications.

(a) To qualify for the grant, a lead agency must develop and implement a local homeless assistance continuum of care plan for its designated catchment area. The continuum of care plan must implement a coordinated assessment or central intake system to screen, assess, and refer persons seeking assistance to the appropriate service provider. The lead agency shall also document the commitment of local government and private organizations to provide matching funds or in-kind support in an amount equal to the grant requested.

(b) Preference must be given to those lead agencies that have demonstrated the ability of their continuum of care to provide quality services to homeless persons and the ability to leverage federal homeless-assistance funding under the Stewart B. McKinney Act and private funding for the provision of services to homeless persons.

(c) Preference must be given to lead agencies in catchment areas with the greatest need for the provision of housing and services to the homeless, relative to the population of the catchment area.

(d) The grant may be used to fund any of the housing, program, or service needs included in the local homeless assistance continuum of care plan. The lead agency may allocate the grant to programs, services, or housing providers that implement the local homeless assistance continuum of care plan. The lead agency may provide subgrants to a local agency to implement programs or services or provide housing identified for funding in the lead agency’s application to the department. A lead agency may spend a maximum of 8 percent of its funding on administrative costs.

(e) The lead agency shall submit a final report to the department documenting the outcomes achieved by the grant in enabling persons who are homeless to return to permanent housing thereby ending such persons’ episodes of homelessness.

Section 3. Present subsection (7) of section 420.9073, Florida Statutes, is redesignated as subsection (8), and a new subsection (7) is added to that section, to read:

420.9073 Local housing distributions.—

(7) Notwithstanding subsections (1)-(4), the corporation shall first distribute 4 percent of the total amount to be distributed each fiscal year from the Local Government Housing Trust Fund to the Department of Children and Families and the Department of Economic Opportunity as follows:

(a) The Department of Children and Families shall receive 95 percent of such amount to provide operating and other support to the designated lead agency in each continuum of care for the benefit of the designated catchment area as described in s. 420.624.

(b) The Department of Economic Opportunity shall receive 5 percent of such amount to provide training and technical assistance to lead agencies receiving operating and other support under paragraph (a) in accordance with s. 420.606(3). Training and technical assistance funded by this distribution shall be provided by a nonprofit entity that meets the requirements for providing training and technical assistance under s. 420.531.

Section 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014.

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete everything before the enacting clause and insert: A bill to be entitled An act relating to homelessness; amending s. 420.606, F.S.; revising legislative findings; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to provide training and technical assistance to certain designated lead agencies of homeless assistance continuums of care; requiring that the provision of such training and assistance be delegated to

certain nonprofit entities; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 420.622, F.S.; requiring the department to establish award levels for "Challenge Grants"; specifying criteria to determine award levels; requiring the department, after consultation with the Council on Homelessness, to specify a grant award level in the notice of solicitation of grant applications; revising qualifications for the grant; specifying authorized uses of grant funds; requiring a lead agency that receives a grant to submit a report to the department; amending s. 420.9073, F.S.; requiring the Florida Housing Finance Corporation to distribute to the department and the Department of Children and Families certain funds from the Local Government Housing Trust Fund for the purpose of providing support, training, and technical assistance to designated lead agencies of continuums of care; providing an effective date.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for CS for HB 979** as amended was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

Consideration of **CS for SB 758** was deferred.

MOTIONS

On motion by Senator Thrasher, the rules were waived and a deadline of one hour after the availability of engrossed bills was set for filing amendments to Bills on Third Reading to be considered Wednesday, April 30, 2014.

On motion by Senator Thrasher, the rules were waived and the bills remaining on the Special Order Calendar this day were retained on the Special Order Calendar.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Pursuant to Rule 4.17(1), the Rules Chair, Majority Leader, and Minority Leader submit the following bills to be placed on the Special Order Calendar for Tuesday, April 29, 2014: CS for SB 312, SB 444, CS for SB 638, SB 640, CS for CS for SB 654, CS for SB 662, CS for SB 698, SB 886, CS for CS for SB 972, CS for CS for SB 1216, CS for SB 1260, CS for SB 1318, SB 1702.

Respectfully submitted,
John Thrasher, Rules Chair
Lizbeth Benacquisto, Majority Leader
Christopher L. Smith, Minority Leader

Pursuant to Rule 4.18 the Rules Chair submits the following bills to be placed on the Local Bill Calendar for Tuesday, April 29, 2014: HB 605, HB 809, HB 817, HB 885, CS for HB 911, HB 915, HB 919, CS for HB 929, HB 931, CS for HB 949, CS for HB 951, CS for HB 1023, CS for HB 1143, CS for HB 1145, HB 1199, HB 1297, HB 1335, CS for HB 1337, HB 1367, CS for CS for HB 1373, HB 1399, HB 1401, CS for HB 1441, CS for CS for HB 1443, CS for CS for HB 1445.

Respectfully submitted,
John Thrasher, Rules Chair

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION BY THE SENATE:

The Secretary of State has certified that pursuant to the provisions of section 114.05, Florida Statutes, certificates subject to confirmation by the Senate have been prepared for the following:

Office and Appointment

*For Term
Ending*

Board of Hearing Aid Specialists

Appointee: Ellsworth, Randy M., Clermont 10/31/2016

Referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections.

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

The Journal of April 28 was corrected and approved.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Senator Thrasher, the Senate adjourned at 2:44 p.m. for the purpose of holding committee meetings and conducting other Senate business to reconvene at 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 30 or upon call of the President.