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CALL TO ORDER

The Senate was called to order by Senator Brodeur at 9:00 a.m. A quorum present—34:

Arrington	Grall	Polsky
Avila	Harrell	Rodriguez
Berman	Hooper	Rouson
Bernard	Jones	Sharief
Bracy Davis	Leek	Simon
Bradley	Martin	Smith
Brodeur	Massullo	Truenow
Burgess	Mayfield	Trumbull
Burton	McClain	Wright
Calatayud	Osgood	Yarborough
DiCeglie	Passidomo	
Gaetz	Pizzo	

Excused: Mr. President, Senators Boyd, Garcia, Gruters; Davis until 9:52 a.m.

PRAYER

The following prayer was offered by Pastor Eli Hendricks, LifeWay Church, Tallahassee:

Our most gracious Heavenly Father, we come to you today in the name, which is above every name, the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Father, we know that in you, we live, and we move, and we have our very being. You are the Great Jehovah, the giver of man's first breath, the sustainer of our lives, and the one who makes plans for our success. I thank you for these Senators, for the sacrifices that they are making, especially being away from their families.

So, Father, I pray for their families. I ask that you surround their families with your divine protection and peace. Strengthen their marriages, guard their hearts and minds, and grant wisdom to the parents as they lead their children in truth and with integrity. Let their homes be places of rest, renewal, and refuge amid the weight of their public responsibilities.

You promise us in your word that if we delight ourselves in you, you will give us the very desires of our heart. So, today, Father, we choose to delight ourselves in you, to honor you, to trust you, and to place our

confidence fully in your faithfulness. Father, you know the issues that are weighing heavy upon the hearts and these Senators. Nothing is hidden from you. You see the private battles, the unspoken concerns, and the decisions that keep them awake at night. And so, we ask, God, that you would go before them. Make crooked paths straight. Remove every obstacle they cannot move on their own, and fill them with your shalom, your peace.

We ask for divine turnarounds in areas of great conflict. Where there has been tension, Father, we ask that you bring them peace. Where there has been confusion, bring clarity. Where there has been weariness, bring fresh strength and renew their hope, Father. Restore what has been strained, heal what has been wounded, and let your grace abound in every home.

Father, remind them that you are the God who goes before us, who stands behind us, and who surrounds us on every side. Let your favor rest upon them, not only in this public service, but in their private lives. May they know today that you are near, that you are faithful, and that you are at work.

We trust you and are confident that you are able to exceed all that we could hope for or imagine. Lord, pour your vision out upon these Senators as they make decisions that affect the millions that call this great state home—the 67 counties, Father Lord—that the stress would be lifted off of them and that they would experience, Father, the refreshing of this great sunshine state. Your word tells us that if any of us lacks wisdom, God, we can ask of you. You will give it generously, so today we are asking. Grant them discernment beyond human reasoning, courage to stand for righteousness, and humility to seek your guidance above all else.

Father, we pray that righteousness would exalt our nation. May justice flow like a river, and may mercy temper every decision. Guard them from corruption, from fear, and from division, and lead them by your holy spirit into unity and truth. We pray for the spirit of unity to cross these aisles. Tear down every wall of division, every barrier of pride, and every spirit of offense that would seek to separate them that you desire, Father Lord, to bring together. Father Lord, let their hearts be willing to listen, their minds open to understanding, and their shared commitment to do what is right as well as just. Your Holy Bible promises us that where there is unity, there the blessing is commanded—life forevermore. So we ask that your commanded blessing rest upon this body and the great citizens of Florida. Let the spirit of unity release wisdom, clarity, and solutions that could never be reached on their own.

Father, teach us to value one another above ourselves. Let humility lead the way and let respect mark every conversation and every decision. May disagreements never turn to dishonor, and may truth always be spoken in love.

We invite the Holy Spirit to move freely in this place, to guard, to convict, and to heal. And as unity flows, may righteousness be established. May peace and strength and this nation and our great state be blessed.

Above all, we acknowledge that you alone are sovereign. We place our trust not in ourselves, nor in our government, nor in power, but in you—the King of Kings and the Lord of Lords. You alone are our source, our strength, and our hope. We thank you, Father, for hearing our prayer. We thank you for your faithfulness, your mercy, and your abiding presence. And we give you all the glory, we give you all the honor, and we give you all the praise. In the mighty and matchless name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen and Amen.

PLEDGE

Senate Pages, Harper Bell-Kimbrow of Jacksonville; Aiden Luce of Sarasota; and Toby Nortelus of Tallahassee, son of Senate staffer Sarah Nortelus, 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. Asha Padmanabhan of Boca Raton, sponsored by Senator Berman, as the doctor of the day. Dr. Padmanabhan specializes in anesthesiology.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

At the request of Senator Passidomo—

By Senator Passidomo—

SR 1770—A resolution recognizing the historic origins, public mission, academic excellence, and statewide contributions of Florida Gulf Coast University and designating January 27, 2026, as “Florida Gulf Coast University Day” in Florida.

WHEREAS, Florida Gulf Coast University (FGCU) has matured into a consequential and trusted institution of higher learning whose devotion to intellectual pursuits, civic engagement, environmental stewardship, and regional vitality has strengthened the culture and economy of Southwest Florida, thereby affirming the value of purposeful investment in education and the university’s rightful place in the civic and academic life of this state, and

WHEREAS, in May 1991, then-Governor Lawton Chiles, acting with foresight and a deliberate commitment to expanding educational opportunities in this state, signed into law the creation of Florida’s tenth public university in order to provide access to higher education and support workforce development in the rapidly growing but previously underserved region of Southwest Florida, and

WHEREAS, FGCU opened its doors to 2,584 students on August 25, 1997, and held its first commencement in May 1998 with 81 graduates, marking the beginning of its enduring role as a center of academic promise and public purpose, and

WHEREAS, through the years, FGCU has been shaped and strengthened by the leadership of five distinguished presidents: Dr. Roy E. McTarnaghan, Dr. William C. Merwin, Dr. Wilson G. Bradshaw, Dr. Michael V. Martin, and Dr. Aysegul Timur, each contributing to the university’s growth, character, and academic standing in the State University System, and

WHEREAS, under the current leadership of Dr. Timur and the FGCU Board of Trustees, the university continues to foster entrepreneurial thinking, civic responsibility, and environmental consciousness among its students as it prepares them for productive and meaningful professional lives, and

WHEREAS, FGCU has strategically expanded to an enrollment of more than 16,600 students and now offers 66 undergraduate, 28 graduate, and 7 doctoral degrees, as well as 19 academic certificates, thereby broadening educational access and meeting statewide workforce needs, and

WHEREAS, the pathways to student success at FGCU have yielded national recognition for service learning, with FGCU standing as one of the only public institutions to require service learning for all undergraduates, resulting in 5.3 million service hours contributed to the Southwest Florida community since 1997, and

WHEREAS, the university preserves half the land of its 800-acre campus as natural habitat, serving as a living laboratory for interdisciplinary learning, hands-on research, and student engagement guided by faculty expertise, and

WHEREAS, FGCU established The Water School, which opened in 2022, distinguishing the university at the center of one of the most complex freshwater and saltwater systems in the nation and enabling

research and teaching that addresses the health of waterways and their impact on surrounding ecosystems, regional and state economies, and the communities that rely on them, and

WHEREAS, FGCU continues to work collaboratively with the State University System to support and meet statewide and regional workforce demands by graduating career-ready students from the Marieb College School of Nursing, with its six programs having a 100-percent first-time passage rate on the required nursing licensure examinations in 2018, 2019, 2023, and 2024, and

WHEREAS, the FGCU Alumni Association has more than 48,000 members, with almost 70 percent of alumni working in their field of study and approximately 2,000 alumni-founded businesses contributing to the economic vitality of Southwest Florida, and

WHEREAS, FGCU has continued to advance economic diversification in the region it serves through innovation in agribusiness, construction management, environmental engineering, and other critical industries, and

WHEREAS, the university maintains strong collaboration with employers to ensure its programs align with community and regional workforce needs, thereby contributing to a more prosperous and thriving economic engine in Southwest Florida, and

WHEREAS, FGCU’s athletic programs continue to be a growing source of pride, as nine programs have earned top 25 national rankings, all while student athletes maintain exemplary academic standards, and

WHEREAS, the collegiate experience at FGCU enriches the lives of its students as they transition from high school to higher education to meaningful careers, fulfilling the university’s strategic vision of turning ideas into impact and reinforcing its longstanding commitment to public service, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That January 27, 2026, is designated as “Florida Gulf Coast University Day” in Florida, in recognition of the university’s enduring service to its students, its region, and the people of this state.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution, with the Seal of the Senate affixed, be presented to Dr. Aysegul Timur, President of Florida Gulf Coast University, as a tangible token of the high esteem in which the university is held and as an expression of the confidence of the Florida Senate in the continued growth, leadership, and public contributions of Florida Gulf Coast University.

—was introduced, read, and adopted by publication.

At the request of Senator Wright—

By Senator Wright—

SR 1772—A resolution recognizing January 28, 2026, as “Space Shuttle *Challenger* Remembrance Day” in Florida to honor the *Challenger* crew, reflect on Florida’s enduring role in space exploration, and reaffirm this state’s commitment to education, safety, innovation, and the peaceful exploration of space.

WHEREAS, January 28, 2026, marks the 40th anniversary of the Space Shuttle *Challenger* disaster, a defining moment in the history of American space exploration when seven astronauts lost their lives in service to discovery, innovation, and the advancement of human knowledge, and

WHEREAS, for generations, Florida has served as the nation’s primary gateway to space, and the legacy of the Space Shuttle Program is engrained in this state’s identity, workforce, and leadership in aerospace innovation, and

WHEREAS, the *Challenger* crew—Francis R. Scobee, Michael J. Smith, Judith A. Resnik, Ellison S. Onizuka, Ronald E. McNair, Gregory B. Jarvis, and Sharon Christa McAuliffe—exemplified courage and a shared commitment to exploration which continues to inspire the global space community, and

WHEREAS, Sharon Christa McAuliffe, selected as the first teacher in space, embodied the powerful connection between space exploration and education, inspiring students and educators to see science, engineering, and curiosity as engines of progress, and

WHEREAS, the lessons learned from the *Challenger* disaster led to lasting improvements in aerospace engineering, safety culture, and mission oversight, advances that continue to shape the way the space industry operates in Florida today, and

WHEREAS, the Challenger Learning Center of Tallahassee stands as a living tribute to the *Challenger* crew, inspiring students across Florida through hands-on education in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics and cultivating the next generation of scientists, engineers, and explorers who will carry Florida’s space legacy forward, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That January 28, 2026, is recognized as “Space Shuttle *Challenger* Remembrance Day” in Florida to honor the *Challenger* crew, reflect on Florida’s enduring role in space exploration, and reaffirm this state’s commitment to education, safety, innovation, and the peaceful exploration of space.

—was introduced, read, and adopted by publication.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Senator Wright recognized Alan Hanstein, Executive Director of the Challenger Learning Center, and Lindsay Pierce, Director of Government Relations and External Affairs, Space Florida, who were present in the gallery in support of SR 1772.

At the request of Senator Boyd—

By Senator Boyd—

SR 1774—A resolution recognizing and commending Moffitt Cancer Center on the occasion of its 40th anniversary.

WHEREAS, Moffitt Cancer Center was created by the Legislature in 1981, construction of the center began in Tampa in 1983, and Moffitt opened its doors in October 1986, and

WHEREAS, in 2001, Moffitt Cancer Center was the first such facility in Florida to earn the prestigious National Cancer Institute (NCI) designation as a Comprehensive Cancer Center and is this state’s longest-established NCI-designated cancer center, and

WHEREAS, NCI-designated Comprehensive Cancer Centers are recognized for their scientific excellence and leadership in the discovery and development of more effective approaches to cancer prevention, diagnosis, and treatment, which efforts attract top physicians and scientists from around the world to Moffitt Cancer Center, and

WHEREAS, Moffitt Cancer Center provides multidisciplinary care for the best outcomes to more than 100,000 unique patients with more than 700,000 outpatient visits from all 67 Florida counties, 50 states, and 133 countries, and

WHEREAS, to accommodate patient growth and fulfill a critical need for increased outpatient services, expansions have included the opening of the Moffitt Cancer Center at International Plaza in 2011, Moffitt McKinley Outpatient Center in 2015, Moffitt McKinley Hospital in 2023, Moffitt at SouthShore in 2024, and the Speros Outpatient Center in 2026 as part of the expanding Speros research and innovation campus in Pasco County, and

WHEREAS, Moffitt Cancer Center has grown from 400 employees to more than 10,000 over the span of 40 years, and today has an economic impact of nearly \$3 billion, and

WHEREAS, Moffitt Cancer Center annually trains more than 2,600 students, and

WHEREAS, Moffitt Cancer Center is a leader in breakthrough discoveries in basic, clinical, quantitative, and population science, and

WHEREAS, Moffitt Cancer Center is committed to providing education, screening, and innovative treatments to reduce the cancer burden through collaborative efforts with partner organizations, continued use of mobile screening, and research to advance care and treatment options for patients, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the Florida Senate recognizes and commends Moffitt Cancer Center on the occasion of its 40th anniversary and joins with Moffitt in its mission to contribute to the prevention and cure of cancer and to realize its vision to transform cancer care through cutting edge science, high quality clinical care, and novel partnerships.

—was introduced, read, and adopted by publication.

SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR

CS for SB 156—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal offenses against law enforcement officers and other personnel; providing a short title; amending s. 776.051, F.S.; revising a prohibition on the use or threatened use of force to resist arrest or detention; defining the term “acting in good faith”; amending s. 782.065, F.S.; providing for enhanced punishment for manslaughter when committed against specified officers; revising applicability; amending s. 784.07, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “law enforcement officer”; revising provisions concerning assault or battery upon specified officers and other personnel; amending s. 843.01, F.S.; revising a provision concerning resisting, obstructing, or opposing specified officers or legally authorized persons; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; increasing the level on the offense severity ranking chart for committing battery on law enforcement officers and other specified personnel; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Leek, by two-thirds vote, **CS for SB 156** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—31

Arrington	Grall	Pizzo
Avila	Harrell	Rodriguez
Bernard	Hooper	Rouson
Bradley	Jones	Sharief
Brodeur	Leek	Simon
Burgess	Martin	Truenow
Burton	Massullo	Trumbull
Calatayud	Mayfield	Wright
Davis	McClain	Yarborough
DiCeglie	Osgood	
Gaetz	Passidomo	

Nays—4

Berman	Bracy Davis	Polsky
Smith		

SB 168—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public nuisances; amending s. 893.138, F.S.; revising the list of places that may be declared a public nuisance to include the site of a gambling house; revising provisions relating to the assessment and collection of fines for public nuisances; defining the term “legal assistant”; deleting a limit on the total amount of fines that may be imposed on a public nuisance; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Truenow, by two-thirds vote, **SB 168** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—35

Arrington	Brodeur	Gaetz
Avila	Burgess	Grall
Berman	Burton	Harrell
Bernard	Calatayud	Hooper
Bracy Davis	Davis	Jones
Bradley	DiCeglie	Leek

Martin	Pizzo	Smith
Massullo	Polsky	Truenow
Mayfield	Rodriguez	Trumbull
McClain	Rouson	Wright
Osgood	Sharief	Yarborough
Passidomo	Simon	

Nays—None

SB 288—A bill to be entitled An act relating to rural electric cooperatives; amending s. 425.041, F.S.; prohibiting a cooperative that sells electricity at retail from adopting, enacting, or enforcing a fee meeting specified criteria; revising the applicability of such prohibition on the types or fuel sources of energy production which may be used, delivered, converted, or supplied by specified entities; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Rodriguez, by two-thirds vote, **SB 288** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—35

Arrington	Gaetz	Pizzo
Avila	Grall	Polsky
Berman	Harrell	Rodriguez
Bernard	Hooper	Rouson
Bracy Davis	Jones	Sharief
Bradley	Leek	Simon
Brodeur	Martin	Smith
Burgess	Massullo	Truenow
Burton	Mayfield	Trumbull
Calatayud	McClain	Wright
Davis	Osgood	Yarborough
DiCeglie	Passidomo	

Nays—None

SB 292—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; defining the term “appellate court clerk”; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current appellate court clerks and the spouses and children of such appellate court clerks; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for retroactive application; amending s. 744.21031, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Rouson, by two-thirds vote, **SB 292** was read the third time by title, passed by the required constitutional two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—34

Arrington	Grall	Polsky
Avila	Harrell	Rodriguez
Berman	Hooper	Rouson
Bernard	Jones	Sharief
Bracy Davis	Leek	Simon
Bradley	Martin	Smith
Brodeur	Massullo	Truenow
Burgess	Mayfield	Trumbull
Burton	McClain	Wright
Calatayud	Osgood	Yarborough
Davis	Passidomo	
DiCeglie	Pizzo	

Nays—1

Gaetz

CS for SB 296—A bill to be entitled An act relating to victims of domestic violence and dating violence; defining terms; requiring the Division of Telecommunications within the Department of Management Services to consult with certain entities to conduct a feasibility study regarding a specified alert system; providing requirements for such alert system; requiring the division to report to the Legislature the results of the feasibility study by a specified date; amending s. 741.401, F.S.; revising legislative findings to include victims of dating violence; reordering and amending s. 741.402, F.S.; defining the term “dating violence”; amending s. 741.403, F.S.; authorizing victims of dating violence to apply to participate in the Attorney General’s address confidentiality program; amending s. 741.408, F.S.; requiring the Attorney General to designate certain entities to assist victims of dating violence applying to be address confidentiality program participants; amending ss. 741.4651 and 960.001, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Berman, by two-thirds vote, **CS for SB 296** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—35

Arrington	Gaetz	Pizzo
Avila	Grall	Polsky
Berman	Harrell	Rodriguez
Bernard	Hooper	Rouson
Bracy Davis	Jones	Sharief
Bradley	Leek	Simon
Brodeur	Martin	Smith
Burgess	Massullo	Truenow
Burton	Mayfield	Trumbull
Calatayud	McClain	Wright
Davis	Osgood	Yarborough
DiCeglie	Passidomo	

Nays—None

CS for SB 298—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 741.465, F.S.; providing that certain identifying information of victims of dating violence who participate in the Address Confidentiality Program for Victims of Domestic and Dating Violence which are held by the Office of the Attorney General or contained in voter registration or voting records held by the supervisor of elections or the Department of State are exempt from public records requirements; providing for retroactive application; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing statements of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Berman, by two-thirds vote, **CS for SB 298** was read the third time by title, passed by the required constitutional two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—35

Arrington	Gaetz	Pizzo
Avila	Grall	Polsky
Berman	Harrell	Rodriguez
Bernard	Hooper	Rouson
Bracy Davis	Jones	Sharief
Bradley	Leek	Simon
Brodeur	Martin	Smith
Burgess	Massullo	Truenow
Burton	Mayfield	Trumbull
Calatayud	McClain	Wright
Davis	Osgood	Yarborough
DiCeglie	Passidomo	

Nays—None

CS for SB 364—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public accountancy; amending s. 473.301, F.S.; making a technical change regarding the purpose of ch. 473, F.S.; amending s. 473.302, F.S.; deleting the definition of the term “Uniform Accountancy Act”; amending s. 473.3035, F.S.; authorizing the Board of Accountancy to competitively procure contracted services with certain corporations not for profit for the performance of certain duties assigned to the Division of Certified Public Accounting of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; authorizing the board to rescind such contracted services at any time by a majority vote; amending s. 473.306, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; making a technical change; amending s. 473.308, F.S.; revising the education and work experience requirements for a certified public accountant license; directing the board to prescribe specified coursework for licensure; revising requirements for licensure by endorsement; revising requirements for licensure of international applicants; deleting obsolete language; amending s. 473.312, F.S.; revising requirements for the approval of providers who administer continuing education on ethics for certified public accountants; requiring the board to give preference to certain providers; amending s. 473.3141, F.S.; revising requirements for certified public accountants licensed in another state or a territory of the United States to practice in this state without obtaining a license; amending s. 473.309, F.S.; conforming cross-references; reenacting s. 473.311(1)(b), F.S., relating to renewal of license, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 473.312, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Rodriguez, by two-thirds vote, **CS for SB 364** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—35

Arrington	Gaetz	Pizzo
Avila	Grall	Polsky
Berman	Harrell	Rodriguez
Bernard	Hooper	Rouson
Bracy Davis	Jones	Sharief
Bradley	Leek	Simon
Brodeur	Martin	Smith
Burgess	Massullo	Truenow
Burton	Mayfield	Trumbull
Calatayud	McClain	Wright
Davis	Osgood	Yarborough
DiCeglie	Passidomo	

Nays—None

SB 386—A bill to be entitled An act relating to farm equipment; amending s. 604.40, F.S.; defining the term “farm equipment”; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; authorizing a consumer to report farm equipment that is defective and does not conform to specified warranties to the manufacturer or its authorized service agent during a specified timeframe to allow the manufacturer or its authorized agent to conform such farm equipment to such warranty; requiring the manufacturer or its authorized agent to make such repairs to conform the farm equipment to the warranty upon receipt of such report; requiring that such repairs be at no cost to the consumer; requiring the manufacturer or its authorized agent to replace or accept the return of the defective farm equipment under certain circumstances; providing a presumption; providing for the nonapplicability of the presumption; providing affirmative defenses; providing civil remedies; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Trumbull, by two-thirds vote, **SB 386** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—35

Arrington	Brodeur	Gaetz
Avila	Burgess	Grall
Berman	Burton	Harrell
Bernard	Calatayud	Hooper
Bracy Davis	Davis	Jones
Bradley	DiCeglie	Leek

Martin	Pizzo	Smith
Massullo	Polsky	Truenow
Mayfield	Rodriguez	Trumbull
McClain	Rouson	Wright
Osgood	Sharief	Yarborough
Passidomo	Simon	

Nays—None

CS for SB 7000—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 252.385, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for the addresses and telephone numbers of persons provided public emergency shelter and held by the agency that provided the emergency shelter; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Wright, by two-thirds vote, **CS for SB 7000** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—33

Arrington	Grall	Pizzo
Avila	Harrell	Polsky
Bernard	Hooper	Rodriguez
Bracy Davis	Jones	Rouson
Bradley	Leek	Sharief
Brodeur	Martin	Simon
Burgess	Massullo	Smith
Burton	Mayfield	Truenow
Calatayud	McClain	Trumbull
Davis	Osgood	Wright
DiCeglie	Passidomo	Yarborough

Nays—2

Berman	Gaetz
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CS for SB 7002—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 119.0712, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by the Department of Military Affairs stored in a United States Department of Defense system of records, transmitted using a United States Department of Defense network or communications device, or pertaining to the United States Department of Defense; extending the scheduled repeal date of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Wright, by two-thirds vote, **CS for SB 7002** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—32

Arrington	Grall	Pizzo
Avila	Harrell	Polsky
Bernard	Hooper	Rodriguez
Bracy Davis	Jones	Rouson
Bradley	Leek	Sharief
Brodeur	Martin	Simon
Burgess	Massullo	Truenow
Burton	Mayfield	Trumbull
Calatayud	McClain	Wright
Davis	Osgood	Yarborough
DiCeglie	Passidomo	

Nays—3

Berman	Gaetz	Smith
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SB 7004—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 119.071, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain conviction integrity unit reinvestigation information; abrogating the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Martin, by two-thirds vote, **SB 7004** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—35

Arrington	Gaetz	Pizzo
Avila	Grall	Polsky
Berman	Harrell	Rodriguez
Bernard	Hooper	Rouson
Bracy Davis	Jones	Sharief
Bradley	Leek	Simon
Brodeur	Martin	Smith
Burgess	Massullo	Truenow
Burton	Mayfield	Trumbull
Calatayud	McClain	Wright
Davis	Osgood	Yarborough
DiCeglie	Passidomo	

Nays—None

SB 7006—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 350.01, F.S.; deleting the scheduled repeal of an exemption from public meeting requirements for portions of a hearing before the Florida Public Service Commission wherein certain proprietary confidential business information is discussed; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Bradley, by two-thirds vote, **SB 7006** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—32

Arrington	Gaetz	Passidomo
Avila	Grall	Polsky
Bernard	Harrell	Rodriguez
Bracy Davis	Hooper	Rouson
Bradley	Jones	Sharief
Brodeur	Leek	Simon
Burgess	Martin	Truenow
Burton	Massullo	Trumbull
Calatayud	Mayfield	Wright
Davis	McClain	Yarborough
DiCeglie	Osgood	

Nays—3

Berman	Pizzo	Smith
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SB 7008—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 16.716, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records and public meeting requirements for exempt or confidential and exempt information obtained by the Florida Gaming Control Commission; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Bradley, by two-thirds vote, **SB 7008** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—32

Arrington	Bradley	Calatayud
Avila	Brodeur	Davis
Bernard	Burgess	DiCeglie
Bracy Davis	Burton	Grall

Harrell	McClain	Sharief
Hooper	Osgood	Simon
Jones	Passidomo	Truenow
Leek	Pizzo	Trumbull
Martin	Polsky	Wright
Massullo	Rodriguez	Yarborough
Mayfield	Rouson	

Nays—3

Berman	Gaetz	Smith
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CS for SB 7012—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 319.1414, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for information received by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles as a result of an investigation or examination of a department-authorized private rebuilt inspection provider; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; amending ss. 319.25, 320.861, and 322.71, F.S., which provide exemptions from public records requirements for information received by the department as a result of an investigation or examination of a person suspected of having violated certain laws, rules, or orders; removing the scheduled repeal of such exemptions; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Massullo, by two-thirds vote, **CS for SB 7012** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—33

Arrington	Grall	Pizzo
Avila	Harrell	Polsky
Bernard	Hooper	Rodriguez
Bracy Davis	Jones	Rouson
Bradley	Leek	Sharief
Brodeur	Martin	Simon
Burgess	Massullo	Smith
Burton	Mayfield	Truenow
Calatayud	McClain	Trumbull
Davis	Osgood	Wright
DiCeglie	Passidomo	Yarborough

Nays—2

Berman	Gaetz
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CS for SB 7014—A bill to be entitled An act relating to review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 287.137, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain information received in investigations by the Attorney General or a law enforcement agency into social media platform activities; extending the scheduled repeal date of the exemption; amending s. 501.2041, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain information received in investigations by the Department of Legal Affairs or a law enforcement agency into violations by certain social media platforms; extending the scheduled repeal date of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Leek, by two-thirds vote, **CS for SB 7014** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—33

Arrington	Burgess	Hooper
Avila	Burton	Jones
Berman	Calatayud	Leek
Bernard	Davis	Martin
Bracy Davis	DiCeglie	Massullo
Bradley	Grall	Mayfield
Brodeur	Harrell	McClain

Osgood	Rodriguez	Truenow
Passidomo	Rouson	Trumbull
Pizzo	Sharief	Wright
Polsky	Simon	Yarborough

Nays—2

Gaetz	Smith
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SB 7016—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 288.075, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain information relating to the administration of small business loan programs held by an economic development agency; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Leek, by two-thirds vote, **SB 7016** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—31

Arrington	Grall	Polsky
Avila	Harrell	Rodriguez
Bernard	Hooper	Rouson
Bracy Davis	Jones	Sharief
Bradley	Leek	Simon
Brodeur	Martin	Truenow
Burgess	Massullo	Trumbull
Burton	Mayfield	Wright
Calatayud	McClain	Yarborough
Davis	Osgood	
DiCeglie	Passidomo	

Nays—4

Berman	Gaetz	Pizzo
Smith		

MOTIONS

On motion by Senator Passidomo, by two-thirds vote, all bills passed this day were ordered immediately certified to the House.

BILLS ON SPECIAL ORDERS

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 Thursday, January 29, 2026: CS for SB 156, SB 168, SB 288, SB 292, CS for SB 296, CS for SB 298, CS for SB 364, SB 386, CS for SB 7000, CS for SB 7002, SB 7004, SB 7006, SB 7008, CS for SB 7012, CS for SB 7014, SB 7016.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathleen Passidomo, Rules Chair
Jim Boyd, Majority Leader
Lori Berman, Minority Leader

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 962

The bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends the following pass: SB 1442

The bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 1286; SB 1668

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends the following pass: SB 1468; SB 1682

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends the following pass: SB 204; SB 1708

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government under the original reference.

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 132; SB 418; SB 646; SB 1332; SB 1734

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 820

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 recommends the following pass: SB 1340

The bill was referred to the Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Education Postsecondary recommends the following pass: SB 1570

The bill was referred to the Appropriations Committee on Higher Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 recommends the following pass: SB 1646; SB 1718

The bills were referred to the Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: SB 1112

The bill was referred to the Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 1000; SB 1500

The bills were referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 888

The bill was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Tourism under the original reference.

The Committee on Ethics and Elections recommends the following pass: SB 1622

The bill was referred to the Committee on Community Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 748

The bill was referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: SB 1672

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends the following pass: SB 1512

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Finance and Tax under the original reference.

The Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice recommends the following pass: CS for SB 656; SB 892

The Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development recommends the following pass: SB 246; CS for SB 382; SB 628; SB 880

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 1156

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends the following pass: SM 1714

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Fiscal Policy under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 984; SB 1612

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 1660

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 144

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends the following pass: SB 1656

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: SB 1338

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 218; SB 1434; SB 1444

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 442

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Judiciary under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 1594

The bill was referred to the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 936; SB 1020

The bills were referred to the Committee on Regulated Industries under the original reference.

The Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice recommends the following pass: SB 164

The Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development recommends the following pass: SB 696

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: CS for SB 1080

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends the following pass: SB 308; SB 7020

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 192; SB 620; SB 1396

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends the following pass: SM 1186

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Rules under the original reference.

The Committee on Fiscal Policy recommends the following pass: CS for SB 578

The Committee on Rules recommends the following pass: CS for SB 62; CS for SB 156; HB 167; SB 168; SB 288; SB 292; CS for SB 296; CS for SB 298; CS for SB 364; SB 386; SB 624; CS for SB 7000; CS for SB 7002; SB 7004; SB 7006; SB 7008; CS for SB 7012; CS for SB 7014; SB 7016

The bills were placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 474

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1756

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 1294; SB 1474

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 530; SB 980

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1582

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 682; SB 1742

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 1016; SB 1030; SB 1630

The Committee on Health Policy recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 1168; SB 1480

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Education Postsecondary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1376

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Appropriations Committee on Higher Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1062

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 694

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 1602; SB 1604

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1082

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance under the original reference.

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 558

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 658 and SB 608

The Committee on Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 706

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Community Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1224

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1628

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 680

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Finance and Tax under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 332

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1002

The Committee on Ethics and Elections recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1178

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 692; SB 1106

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Judiciary under the original reference.

The Committee on Agriculture recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 806

The Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 504

The Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 564

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 350; SB 572

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Rules under the original reference.

The Committee on Rules recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 48

The bill with committee substitute attached was placed on the Calendar.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES RELATING TO EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

The Appropriations Committee on Higher Education recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Board of Governors:

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Board of Trustees, University of Central Florida	
Appointees: Filburn, Mark C. Florez, Alan	01/06/2031 01/06/2031
Board of Trustees, Florida International University	
Appointee: Plana, Nestor	01/06/2031
Board of Trustees, University of North Florida	
Appointee: Moore, Clarence S.	01/06/2031
Board of Trustees, University of South Florida	
Appointees: Piccolo, Fredrick Watkins, Nancy Hemmingway	01/06/2030 01/06/2031
The Appropriations Committee on Higher Education recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointment made by the Governor:	
<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Board of Trustees of Miami-Dade College	
Appointee: Monreal, Ismare	05/31/2029

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Director, Agency for Persons with Disabilities	
Appointee: Asztalos, Robert P.	Pleasure of Governor
Juvenile Welfare Board of Pinellas County	
Appointees: Chiea, Renee	07/17/2028
Gnage, Kristen Arrojo	08/07/2028
McShea, Alicia S.	08/11/2026
Millican, James A.	08/11/2028

The Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointment made by the Governor:

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
State Board of Education	
Appointee: Collins, Layla	12/31/2028

The appointments were referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections under the original reference.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

FIRST READING

Senate Bills 7000-7020—Previously introduced.

By the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12—

SB 7022—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 1008.23, F.S.; deleting a duplicative exemption from public records requirements for certain examination and assessment instruments; expanding an exemption from public records requirements for examination and assessment instruments to include such instruments when held by certain entities; requiring the State Board of Education and the Board of Governors to adopt rules and regulations, respectively, governing the retention and disposal process for specified records; deleting a provision requiring the State Board of Education and the Board of Governors to adopt certain rules and regulations, respectively, governing access to records; authorizing specified entities to disclose exempt information to certain entities; requiring specified entities to disclose confidential and exempt information in certain circumstances; providing construction; extending the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

SB 7024—Previously introduced.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability—

SB 7026—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 119.0715, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for a trade secret held by an agency; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption; amending ss. 287.137, 288.075, 334.049, 408.185, 409.91196, 440.108, 497.172, 501.171, 501.1735, 501.2041, 501.722, 520.9965, 548.062, 559.5558, 569.215, 627.0628, and 1004.4472, F.S.;

conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules.

SB 7028—Previously introduced.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism—

SB 7030—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 501.9984, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for information held by the Department of Legal Affairs relating to notifications or investigations of certain companion chatbot violations; providing construction; authorizing the department to disclose such information during an active investigation for specified purposes; requiring that certain information remain confidential and exempt upon the completion or cessation of an investigation; defining the term “proprietary information”; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; amending s. 501.9985, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for information held by the department relating to notifications or investigations of certain bot-related consumer protection violations; providing construction; authorizing the department to disclose such information during an active investigation for specified purposes; requiring that certain information remain confidential and exempt upon the completion or cessation of an investigation; defining the term “proprietary information”; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; amending s. 501.9986, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for information held by the department relating to notifications or investigations of certain deidentified data-related consumer protection violations; providing construction; authorizing the department to disclose such information during an active investigation for specified purposes; requiring that certain information remain confidential and exempt upon the completion or cessation of an investigation; defining the term “proprietary information”; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability—

SB 7032—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fleet management; repealing s. 287.15, F.S., relating to the purchase or lease of motor vehicles, watercraft, or aircraft and prior approval of the Department of Management Services; amending s. 287.151, F.S.; authorizing state agencies to purchase vehicles from nonstate term contract vendors under a specified condition; amending s. 287.155, F.S.; deleting the requirement that the Department of Management Services approve the purchase of motor vehicles for certain departments and agencies; creating s. 287.156, F.S.; requiring state agencies to engage in certain powers, duties, and responsibilities relating to purchasing, leasing, acquiring, and disposing motor vehicles, watercraft, and aircraft; amending s. 287.16, F.S.; revising the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the department relating to motor vehicles, watercraft, and aircraft; amending s. 287.18, F.S.; authorizing the Secretary of Management Services to request, rather than require, certain departments and state agencies to repair aircraft and motor vehicles and store and distribute certain fuels; amending s. 287.19, F.S.; requiring that certain moneys designated or appropriated to agencies be transferred to the department upon services rendered; amending s. 273.055, F.S.; deleting the requirement of having approval from the department before disposing of motor vehicles, watercraft, and aircraft pursuant to specified provisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and the Committee on Appropriations.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

FIRST READING

By the Committee on Rules; the Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Senators Gaetz, Osgood, Pizzo, and Arrington—

CS for CS for SB 48—A bill to be entitled An act relating to housing; amending s. 163.31771, F.S.; defining the term “primary dwelling unit”; requiring local governments to adopt, by a specified date, an ordinance to allow accessory dwelling units to be approved in certain areas; requiring that such ordinances apply prospectively; providing that such ordinances may regulate specified actions; prohibiting the inclusion of certain requirements or prohibitions in such ordinances; providing an exception to the requirement that local governments adopt such ordinances; deleting a requirement that an application for a building permit to construct an accessory dwelling unit include a certain affidavit; revising the accessory dwelling units that apply toward satisfying a certain component of a local government’s comprehensive plan; prohibiting the denial of a homestead exemption for certain portions of property on a specified basis; requiring that a rented accessory dwelling unit be assessed separately from the homestead property and taxed according to its use; amending s. 420.615, F.S.; authorizing a local government to provide a density bonus incentive to landowners who make certain real property donations to assist in the provision of affordable housing for military families; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to evaluate the efficacy of using mezzanine finance and the potential of tiny homes for specified purposes; requiring the office to consult with certain entities; requiring the office to submit a certain report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Bradley—

CS for SB 332—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public meetings; creating s. 70.90, F.S.; providing that specified entities may meet in private with their attorneys to discuss certain claims concerning private property rights; specifying what may be discussed during such closed meetings; requiring that such meetings be transcribed; providing that such transcripts become public records at specified times; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Grall—

CS for SB 350—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; defining terms; expanding a public records exemption for crime victims to include the name and personal identification number of a victim and any other information that could be used to locate, intimidate, harass, or abuse the victim; providing that such exemption includes the portions of records generated by any agency that regularly generates or receives information from or concerning victims of crime; providing for a public records exemption for the identity of a victim’s family member, lawful representative, or next of kin and any other information that could be used to locate, intimidate, harass, or abuse these individuals; providing that such exemption includes the portions of records generated by any agency that regularly generates or receives information from or concerning victims of crime and that the record identifies the person as a family member, lawful representative, or next of kin of a person identified as a victim of crime in the record; providing that the name of a law enforcement officer in a public record which identifies him or her as a victim of crime in specified circumstances is confidential and exempt for 72 hours and providing that such information is exempt for 60 days thereafter; providing that such exemption includes the portions of records generated by any agency that regularly generates or receives information from or concerning victims of crime; providing applicability; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Wright—

CS for SB 474—A bill to be entitled An act relating to military affairs; amending s. 115.01, F.S.; revising the authorization to be granted a leave of absence for military service to include the Coast Guard; deleting the condition that such service be during war between the United States and a foreign government; amending s. 115.07, F.S.; revising the authorization to be granted a leave of absence for reserve or guard training to include members of the Florida State Guard; revising legislative intent; amending s. 115.08, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “active military service”; amending s. 115.09, F.S.; specifying that an authorization for a leave of absence for public officials to perform active military service for a specified timeframe is based on a single order; making a technical change; amending s. 115.14, F.S.; clarifying the applicable employing agencies subject to military leave requirements; specifying that an authorization for a leave of absence for all employees of the state and the counties, municipalities, and political subdivisions of the state to perform active military service for a specified timeframe is based on a single order; amending s. 121.055, F.S.; deleting a requirement that certain positions from the Department of Military Affairs participate in the Senior Management Service Class; providing that participation in such class for all other members employed with the Department of Military Affairs and the Florida State Guard be governed by a specified provision; amending s. 250.10, F.S.; deleting a requirement that the Adjutant General administer youth About Face programs and adult Forward March programs; deleting provisions governing the programs; amending s. 250.116, F.S.; revising eligibility for the Soldiers and Airmen Assistance Program to include traditional drilling guardsmen on state active duty or on Title 32 United States Code duty and their eligible beneficiaries experiencing valid financial need; defining the term “beneficiary”; revising the review process for requests for assistance to be reviewed, processed, and approved by the Florida National Guard Foundation’s board of directors; revising the criteria to review and evaluate requests for assistance; requiring an annual external audit of the program; requiring the board of directors to review annually the bylaws that govern the program; requiring the board of directors to provide a report to the Department of Military Affairs to be approved by the Adjutant General; reenacting s. 115.06, F.S., relating to resumption of duties for officers returning from the service of the United States, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 115.01, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Senator Burgess—

CS for SB 504—A bill to be entitled An act relating to code inspector body cameras; creating s. 162.41, F.S.; defining terms; requiring a governmental entity that permits its code inspectors to wear body cameras to establish certain policies and procedures; requiring such governmental entity to ensure that certain training occurs, to retain certain data in accordance with public records laws, and to perform a periodic review of actual body camera practices; providing that certain provisions relating to the interception of wire, electronic, and oral communications do not apply to body camera recordings made by code inspectors; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senators Simon and Pizzo—

CS for SB 530—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state lotteries; amending s. 24.103, F.S.; defining the term “ball machine”; revising the definitions of the terms “major procurement” and “retailer”; amending s. 24.105, F.S.; revising the powers and duties of the Department of the Lottery; amending s. 24.108, F.S.; revising the schedule for the department to have a certain report produced and submitted to the Governor and the Legislature; amending s. 24.111, F.S.; revising the information required to be provided to the department by persons who submit a bid, a proposal, or an offer to negotiate a contract for major procurement; amending s. 24.112, F.S.; revising the bond amount a retailer may be required to post for the period within which the retailer is required to remit lottery funds to the department; revising certain requirements relating to lottery vending machines; amending s. 24.116, F.S.; authorizing the Division of Security’s sworn law enforcement officers to purchase and present lottery tickets to a lottery retailer to claim a prize under certain circumstances; amending s. 24.118, F.S.;

revising certain prohibitions and penalties relating to presenting a counterfeit or altered state lottery ticket; prohibiting certain false claims relating to state lottery tickets; prohibiting a lottery retailer or an employee thereof from using such position to knowingly facilitate, participate in, or otherwise assist in the theft of a lottery ticket from a retail establishment, patron, or customer; providing criminal penalties; defining the terms “patron” and “customer”; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources; and Senators Burgess and Sharief—

CS for SB 558—A bill to be entitled An act relating to standards for stormwater systems; creating ss. 125.5695 and 166.04815, F.S.; requiring stormwater systems owned by counties and municipalities, respectively, to comply with specified Department of Transportation standards; providing inspection requirements for such systems; specifying that certain local standards are superseded; providing a declaration of an important state interest; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12; and Senator Yarborough—

CS for SB 564—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student volunteers at polling locations; amending s. 97.0291, F.S.; providing that specified high school students who volunteer to assist poll workers are not subject to provisions prohibiting certain agencies and state and local officials from soliciting, accepting, or otherwise using private funds or certain personal services for election-related expenses; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Harrell—

CS for SB 572—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ethics for public officers and employees; amending s. 112.312, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “relative” to include foster parents and foster children; reenacting ss. 106.07(4)(a), 106.0702(4)(a), 348.0305, and 1001.421, F.S., relating to a campaign treasurer’s reports of campaign contributions, reports of campaign contributions to candidates for a position on a political party executive committee, ethical requirements for officers, employees, and consultants for the Greater Miami Expressway Agency, and gifts to district school board members, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 112.312, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senators Burgess and Smith—

CS for SB's 658 and 608—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water safety requirements for the rental of residential and vacation properties; amending s. 83.51, F.S.; requiring a landlord to equip certain rental properties with specified water safety features; providing criminal penalties; providing an exception; defining the terms “swimming pool” and “water body”; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 509.211, F.S.; requiring a public lodging establishment licensed as a vacation rental to equip certain rental units with specified water safety features; providing criminal penalties; providing an exception; defining terms; providing construction; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senator Mayfield—

CS for SB 680—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electric vehicle charging taxation; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; exempting certain electricity sold to owners or operators of an electric vehicle charging station from the sales and use tax; providing applicability; requiring owners or operators of electric vehicle charging stations to furnish a specified affidavit under certain circumstances; providing a presumption relating to the purpose and taxation of certain electricity; providing civil and criminal penalties; specifying that possession of a specified affidavit relieves electric utilities of certain responsibilities; requiring the Department of Revenue to look solely to owners or operators for recovery of the tax under certain circumstances; defining terms; requiring the de-

partment to adopt rules; authorizing the department to adopt emergency rules; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Calatayud and Berman—

CS for SB 682—A bill to be entitled An act relating to violent criminal offenses; providing a short title; amending s. 365.171, F.S.; requiring the emergency communications state plan to include a system or process to flag specified addresses; requiring that such system correspond between all emergency services; requiring that an address remain flagged for a specified period of time; providing that such period of time resets under certain circumstances; requiring a county to integrate such system or process in accordance with the county’s resources and availability; amending s. 401.27, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to establish by rule certain training criteria; requiring emergency medical technicians and paramedics to complete training in the subjects of domestic violence, dating violence, and strangulation for certification and recertification; providing requirements for such training; requiring emergency medical technicians and paramedics who are trained outside this state or in the military to provide proof of successful completion of such training; amending s. 633.408, F.S.; requiring the Division of State Fire Marshal within the Department of Financial Services to establish by rule certain training courses; requiring the division to provide training on the subjects of domestic violence, dating violence, and strangulation for the certification of career and volunteer firefighters; providing requirements for such training, beginning on a specified date; amending s. 741.28, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “domestic violence”; defining the terms “coercive control” and “electronic monitoring”; creating s. 741.2801, F.S.; authorizing the enhancement of criminal penalties for certain acts of domestic violence under certain circumstances; providing a burden of proof for a specified purpose; providing such enhancements; providing that certain felony offenses are ranked in a certain manner for the purposes of sentencing and determining incentive gain-time eligibility; amending s. 741.281, F.S.; authorizing, and in certain circumstances requiring, a court to order electronic monitoring supervision in domestic violence cases; creating s. 741.282, F.S.; authorizing a state attorney to enter into a written agreement with certain persons to participate in a domestic violence deferred sentencing program or an alternative treatment court program, under certain circumstances; providing eligibility requirements; requiring the Department of Corrections to supervise domestic violence deferred sentencing programs; requiring that specified conditions be included in a written deferred sentencing agreement and accepted by a person participating in such a program; providing requirements for a person participating in such a program; requiring a qualified professional to provide a treatment plan under certain circumstances; requiring a qualified professional to provide to the court weekly treatment progress reports; requiring a qualified professional to make a specified certification to the court; requiring the state attorney to permit a defendant to withdraw his or her plea upon successful completion of such program and enter a nolle prosequere; requiring the state attorney to notify the court, and the court to set the case for sentencing, under certain circumstances; requiring the collection of certain information; authorizing the state attorney to retain certain information; creating s. 741.285, F.S.; authorizing the reclassification of domestic violence offenses that occur during an active state of emergency in an affected area to increase criminal penalties; providing such reclassifications; amending s. 741.29, F.S.; revising the information a law enforcement officer is required to provide to a victim of an alleged incident of domestic violence; amending s. 741.30, F.S.; revising the information contained in a petition for injunction for protection against domestic violence; revising the information that a court must consider and evaluate when making a certain determination relating to such a petition; revising the name of a certain statewide verification system created within the Department of Law Enforcement; amending s. 741.31, F.S.; reclassifying a subsequent violation of an injunction for protection against domestic violence as a third degree felony offense, regardless of whether the violation is against the same victim; authorizing, and in certain circumstances requiring, a court to order electronic monitoring for a specified duration in domestic violence cases; requiring the respondent to pay for such electronic monitoring services; amending s. 784.046, F.S.; revising the information contained in a petition for injunction for protection against repeat violence, sexual violence, or dating violence; revising the information a law enforcement

officer must provide to a victim of an alleged incident of dating violence; requiring a law enforcement officer to administer a lethality assessment in an alleged incident of dating violence; amending s. 784.047, F.S.; reclassifying a subsequent violation of an injunction for protection against repeat violence, sexual violence, or dating violence as a third degree felony offense, regardless of whether the violation is against the same victim; authorizing, and in certain circumstances requiring, a court to order electronic monitoring supervision for a specified duration for violating an injunction for protection against repeat violence, sexual violence, or dating violence; requiring the respondent to pay for such electronic monitoring services; creating s. 784.0471, F.S.; authorizing reclassification of injunctions for protection against dating violence, repeat violence, and sexual violence that occur during an active state of emergency in an affected area to increase criminal penalties; providing such reclassifications; amending s. 960.198, F.S.; increasing the maximum payment amounts for relocation assistance for victims of domestic violence; amending ss. 921.0024, 943.0584, and 943.171, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Leek—

CS for SB 692—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cybersecurity standards and liability; amending s. 282.3185, F.S.; prohibiting local governments from imposing certain cybersecurity standards or processes on vendors; defining the term “vendor”; prohibiting local governments from adopting or enforcing certain cybersecurity standards or processes; creating s. 768.401, F.S.; defining terms; providing that a local government, a covered entity, or a third-party agent that complies with certain requirements is not liable in connection with a cybersecurity incident under certain circumstances; requiring covered entities and third-party agents to implement revised frameworks, standards, laws, or regulations within a specified timeframe in order to retain protection from liability; providing that a private cause of action is not established; providing that the fact that a specified defendant could have obtained a liability shield or a presumption against liability is not admissible as evidence of negligence, does not constitute negligence per se, and may not be used as evidence of fault; specifying that the defendant in certain actions has a certain burden of proof; providing applicability; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senators Bracy Davis, Smith, Osgood, Berman, Davis, Arrington, Bernard, Leek, Gaetz, Sharief, Mayfield, DiCeglie, Massullo, and Rouson—

CS for SB 694—A bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation of the descendants of Charles Greenlee, Walter Irvin, Samuel Shepherd, and Ernest Thomas; providing that certain facts are found and declared to be true; providing that a sum is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund to the Department of State for specified relief; requiring that a specified percentage of such relief be provided to certain individuals and estates; providing that specified persons are ineligible for further compensation; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senators Mayfield and Massullo—

CS for SB 706—A bill to be entitled An act relating to commercial service airports; amending s. 332.0075, F.S.; defining the term “major commercial service airport”; preempting the naming of major commercial service airports to the state; providing names for major commercial service airports; providing that renaming a specified airport is subject to approval of the Federal Aviation Administration and execution of a certain agreement; providing that such airport names continue to be valid under certain circumstances; requiring the Department of Transportation to annually review provisions naming major commercial service airports for a certain purpose; requiring the department to provide certain notice to the Legislature; providing requirements for such notice; requiring that certain government records created on or after a certain date use such airport names; specifying that airport names are branding designations; providing construction; defining the terms “political subdivision” and “timely commences”; providing that a

political subdivision is in compliance with certain provisions under specified circumstances; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Agriculture; and Senator Truenow—

CS for SB 806—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consumers’ right to repair certain equipment; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; creating s. 559.971, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 559.972, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 559.973, F.S.; requiring portable wireless device manufacturers to make certain items available to device owners and independent repair providers; prohibiting certain manufacturers from requiring authorized repair providers to continue purchasing certain information in a proprietary format; providing an exception; creating s. 559.974, F.S.; providing for enforcement; providing for damages; providing that a complaint may be filed in circuit court under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such complaint; providing that a violation is a deceptive and unfair trade practice; creating s. 559.975, F.S.; providing construction; creating s. 559.976, F.S.; providing applicability; creating s. 686.35, F.S.; defining terms; requiring original equipment manufacturers of agricultural equipment to make certain diagnostic and repair information available for no charge and in a certain manner to independent repair providers and owners; prohibiting original equipment manufacturers from excluding certain information concerning security-related functions; providing construction; providing civil liability; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senator Calatayud—

CS for SB 980—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nicotine dispensing devices; creating a short title; reordering and amending s. 569.31, F.S.; defining the term “non-FDA-authorized nicotine dispensing device”; amending s. 569.33, F.S.; requiring an applicant for a retail nicotine products dealer permit to consent to inspections and searches of the licensed premises by the Department of Law Enforcement for specified purposes; requiring the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to conduct regular inspections of licensed premises of dealers that sell non-FDA-authorized nicotine dispensing devices to ensure compliance; amending s. 569.35, F.S.; providing civil and criminal penalties for retail tobacco products dealers that sell or advertise, promote, or display for sale non-FDA-authorized nicotine dispensing devices; requiring the division to deposit all fines collected into the Alcoholic Beverage and Tobacco Trust Fund; requiring the division and the Department of Law Enforcement to use the administrative fines assessed for specified purposes; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 569.37, F.S.; prohibiting certain dealers that sell non-FDA-authorized nicotine dispensing devices from advertising, promoting, or displaying such devices if such dealers do not prohibit persons younger than 21 years of age on the licensed premises; providing applicability; conforming cross-references; amending s. 569.39, F.S.; revising the rules to be adopted by the division; amending s. 569.44, F.S.; revising the requirements of the division’s annual report to the Legislature and the Governor; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Gaetz—

CS for SB 1002—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “harm” to provide that exposure of a child to a controlled substance may be established by evidence of acute or chronic use of a controlled substance by a parent to a specified extent; revising the definition of the term “neglect” to provide that neglect occurs when there is evidence of acute or chronic use of a controlled substance by a parent to a specified extent; reenacting ss. 39.521(1)(c), 39.6012(1)(c), 39.806(1)(k), 61.13(2)(c), 61.401, 61.402(3), 390.01114(2)(b), 744.309(3), 984.03(24), and 1001.42(8)(c), F.S., relating to disposition hearings and powers of disposition; case plan tasks and services; grounds for termination of parental rights; support of children, parenting and time-sharing, and powers of the court; appointment of guardian ad litem; qualifications of guardians ad litem; the Parental Notice of and Consent for Abortion Act; who may be appointed guardian of a resident ward; definitions; and powers and duties of district school board, respectively, to incorporate

the amendment made to s. 39.01, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Bradley—

CS for SB 1016—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical assistance eligibility for working persons with disabilities; creating s. 409.9041, F.S.; defining the term “department”; creating the Working People with Disabilities program within the Agency for Health Care Administration; providing the purpose of the program; specifying eligibility requirements; specifying income and asset requirements for eligibility in the program; requiring the Department of Children and Families to provide a written notice of specified information to eligible adults upon their initial enrollment in certain Medicaid waiver programs, and at least annually thereafter; requiring the agency to identify certain Medicaid recipients and share such information with the department for a specified purpose; requiring the department to provide the initial written notice to currently eligible enrollees within a specified timeframe; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senators Gruters and Rouson—

CS for SB 1030—A bill to be entitled An act relating to substance abuse services; amending s. 397.407, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “transfer”; requiring the Department of Children and Families to issue a regular license to substance abuse service providers after the department receives a complete application from certain existing licensed service providers that are seeking to add licensed services or one or more additional levels of care at an existing licensed location or at one or more new locations within a specified timeframe, if certain requirements are met; prohibiting the imposition of additional requirements upon such service providers; amending s. 397.487, F.S.; prohibiting a credentialing entity from requesting or obtaining certain records when determining whether to suspend or revoke a licensed service provider’s certificate to serve as a recovery residence; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education Pre-K - 12; and Senators Brodeur, Burgess, and Gaetz—

CS for SB 1062—A bill to be entitled An act relating to speech and debate education; providing a short title; creating s. 265.0042, F.S.; creating the Florida Speech and Debate Hall of Fame; requiring the Department of Management Services to set aside an area on a specified level in the Capitol Building; requiring the department to consult with the Florida Education Foundation and the Commissioner of Education for a certain purpose; providing the duties of the hall of fame; requiring the hall of fame to convene a committee for specified purposes; requiring the committee to include at least one member or his or her designee from the Florida Debate Initiative, Inc; creating s. 683.221, F.S.; designating Florida Speech and Debate Week annually in February; providing purposes for the annual observance; authorizing specified entities to observe Florida Speech and Debate Week; creating s. 1000.09, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; designating the Florida Debate Initiative, Inc., (FDI) as the official statewide speech and debate organization; providing the duties of FDI; providing construction; authorizing FDI to establish and maintain certain partnerships; requiring FDI to implement and maintain specified statewide programs; providing authorized uses of funds for FDI; requiring FDI to publish online and submit annually by a specified date to the Department of Education a specified report; specifying requirements for the report; authorizing a certified teacher to earn an endorsement in speech and debate; specifying requirements for the endorsement; requiring the department to collaborate with FDI to establish regional traveling debate teams; requiring that teams be accessible to students at specified schools; requiring teams to provide certain training and coaching; providing for coverage of travel costs; authorizing a school district to use school buses to transport students to and from speech and debate competitions; creating the Debate Across the Curriculum Pilot Program within the department, in collaboration with FDI; providing the purpose of the pilot program; requiring the pilot program to include certain elements; providing an appropriation; providing for expiration of the pilot pro-

gram; requiring FDI to establish and operate a charter school for a certain purpose; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; requiring each district school board to annually publish online and submit to the department a report; specifying requirements for the report; amending s. 1002.37, F.S.; requiring the Florida Virtual School to establish the Institute for Speech and Debate Innovation; providing duties of the institute; requiring the institute to enter into a formal partnership with FDI; amending s. 1003.4282, F.S.; requiring that students complete at least one-half credit in speech and debate as a requirement for high school graduation, beginning in a specified school year; creating s. 1004.0983, F.S.; requiring the Board of Governors of the State University System and the State Board of Education to develop specified undergraduate and graduate coursework, certificates, and micro-credentials; authorizing the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education to collaborate with FDI to develop coursework; requiring the department to approve specified dual enrollment courses; providing appropriations; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senators Grall and Gaetz—

CS for SB 1082—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the statewide provider and health plan claim dispute resolution program; amending s. 408.7057, F.S.; specifying additional circumstances under which a disputed claim is not subject to review under the statewide provider and health plan claim dispute resolution program; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Massullo—

CS for SB 1106—A bill to be entitled An act relating to recognizing Judea and Samaria; providing a short title; creating s. 1.016, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining terms; prohibiting state agencies from using the term “West Bank” in official government materials; prohibiting state agencies from using moneys to create official government materials using such term; requiring instructional materials and library media center collections adopted by certain entities on or after a specified date to refer to a certain area as Judea and Samaria; prohibiting instructional materials and library media center collections adopted by certain entities on or after a specified date from using the term “West Bank”; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Grall—

CS for SB 1168—A bill to be entitled An act relating to background screenings; amending s. 435.04, F.S.; specifying additional disqualifying offenses under the background screening requirements for certain persons; amending s. 435.12, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration, beginning on a specified date or as soon as practicable thereafter, to review and determine eligibility for all criminal history checks submitted to the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse by specified agencies; requiring the clearinghouse to share eligibility determinations with specified agencies; requiring specified agencies and qualified entities to process exemptions from disqualification pursuant to a specified provision; requiring the implementation of a specified provision of the act by a specified date, or as soon as practicable thereafter as determined by the agency; amending s. 943.0438, F.S.; making a technical change; providing that, beginning on a specified date, an independent sanctioning authority is considered a qualified entity for the purpose of participating in the clearinghouse; authorizing a person who has not undergone certain background screening to act as an athletic coach if he or she is under the direct supervision of an athletic coach who meets certain background screening requirements; reenacting and amending s. 943.0542, F.S.; requiring qualified entities conducting background criminal history checks to designate a user administrator for a specified purpose; authorizing such qualified entities to designate additional authorized users with certain delegated authority; authorizing the clearinghouse, beginning on a specified date, to provide national criminal history record information to qualified entities, rather than only under certain circumstances; amending ss. 943.0585 and 943.059, F.S.; prohibiting certain persons from denying or failing to acknowledge certain criminal history records that have been expunged or sealed, respectively; amending ss. 44.407

and 501.9741, F.S.; conforming cross-references; reenacting ss. 397.487(6) and (8)(d), 397.4871(5) and (6)(b), 409.913(13), 435.03(2), 1012.22(1)(j), 1012.315(1), 1012.797, and 1012.799(2), F.S., relating to voluntary certification of recovery residences; recovery residence administrator certification; oversight of the integrity of the Medicaid program; level 1 screening standards; public school personnel and powers and duties of the district school board; screening standards; notification of certain charges against employees; and reporting and self-reporting certain offenses, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 435.04, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Ethics and Elections; and Senators Grall and Avila—

CS for SB 1178—A bill to be entitled An act relating to foreign influence; providing a short title; creating s. 106.031, F.S.; defining terms; requiring agents of foreign countries of concern and foreign-supported political organizations to register with the Division of Elections; providing registration requirements; requiring periodic updates by such agents and organizations; requiring foreign-supported political organizations to register with the division on a specified form created by the division within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for such forms; providing penalties; amending s. 112.313, F.S.; defining the terms “designated foreign terrorist organization” and “foreign country of concern”; prohibiting specified persons from soliciting or accepting anything of value from a designated foreign terrorist organization or a foreign country of concern; amending s. 112.3142, F.S.; requiring the Commission on Ethics to adopt certain rules by a specified date; amending s. 287.138, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “foreign country of concern”; defining the term “foreign source of concern”; prohibiting a governmental entity from entering into certain contracts with certain entities owned or partially owned by foreign sources of concern or affiliated with a foreign country of concern; prohibiting governmental entities from extending and renewing certain contracts beginning on a specified date; prohibiting governmental entities from accepting a bid on, a proposal for, or a reply to, or entering into, contracts involving information technology or providing access to an individual’s personal identifying information unless a certain affidavit signed by an officer or representative is provided to the governmental entity; amending s. 288.816, F.S.; prohibiting certain activities encouraging affiliations with foreign countries of concern; requiring the Department of Commerce to publish and update certain information on its website; amending s. 288.8175, F.S.; deleting the Florida-China Institute from the list of linkage institutes; deleting an exemption for linkage institutes; prohibiting a linkage institute from entering into an agreement or participating in an activity with a foreign country of concern; amending s. 288.860, F.S.; requiring that certain agreements be terminated by a specified date; amending s. 496.404, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “foreign source of concern”; amending s. 692.201, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “foreign country of concern”; creating s. 692.21, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting governmental entities and business entities with access to critical infrastructure facilities from entering into certain contracts with foreign sources of concern; requiring business entities to register with the department by a specified date; requiring the department to adopt registration forms; providing requirements for such forms; providing civil and criminal penalties; requiring certain business entities to provide a signed affidavit to the department attesting that the buyer or transferee of a critical infrastructure facility is not a foreign source of concern; prohibiting information technology from a foreign source of concern from being used in critical infrastructure facilities; requiring the department to adopt rules; creating s. 775.08255, F.S.; defining terms; providing for the reclassification of criminal penalties under certain circumstances; providing a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment; creating s. 775.36, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting enforcement of certain laws of a foreign government; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 316.0078, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Rodriguez—

CS for SB 1224—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fraudulent entry of residential dwellings; creating s. 817.537, F.S.; creating the crime of fraudulent entry of a residential dwelling unit; prohibiting a

person from entering into and taking possession of a residential dwelling unit under specified circumstances; providing a criminal penalty; amending s. 83.56, F.S.; providing that fraudulent entry of a residential dwelling unit is an act of noncompliance for which a landlord may terminate a rental agreement; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources; and Senator Bradley—

CS for SB 1294—A bill to be entitled An act relating to biosolids management; amending s. 403.0855, F.S.; prohibiting the land application of bulk Class AA biosolids fertilizer and compost products from exceeding the appropriate agronomic rate; requiring the land application site operator to maintain application records; requiring the University of Florida’s Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences to publish and make publicly available recommended agronomic rates for the reuse of bulk Class AA biosolids fertilizer and compost products, based on certain criteria; authorizing bulk Class AA biosolids or biosolids products to be distributed or marketed as fertilizer and land applied if specified requirements are met; defining the term “bona fide sale”; authorizing bulk Class AA biosolids compost products to be distributed or marketed as soil amendments and land applied if specified requirements are met; providing that class AA biosolids compost products are not required to be distributed or marketed as a fertilizer or soil amendment under certain circumstances; requiring that certain bulk Class AA biosolids compost and fertilizer products be land applied only at land application sites approved by the Department of Environmental Protection; providing applicability; requiring that certain bulk Class AA products that are land applied on certain lands meet certain requirements before land application; providing applicability; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Education Postsecondary; and Senators Burgess, Sharief, and Berman—

CS for SB 1376—A bill to be entitled An act relating to grants for genetic counseling education; creating s. 1009.8963, F.S.; creating the Genetic Counseling Education Enhancement Grant Program within the State University System; providing the purpose of the program; requiring the Board of Governors, subject to legislative appropriation, to award grant funds to state universities for specified purposes; requiring the program to reward excellence among genetic counseling programs based on specified criteria; providing authorized uses of grant funds; prohibiting such funds from being used for specified purposes; requiring state universities participating in the program to maintain specified records; requiring such state universities to submit an annual report; requiring the Board of Governors to submit an annual summary of such reports to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; requiring the Board of Governors to adopt regulations; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources; and Senator Gaetz—

CS for SB 1474—A bill to be entitled An act relating to biosolids management; amending s. 403.0855, F.S.; prohibiting the Department of Environmental Protection from issuing or renewing a permit for certain biosolids land application sites if there is a permitted wastewater treatment facility that accepts septage for higher levels of treatment and which meets specified requirements; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Burton—

CS for SB 1480—A bill to be entitled An act relating to temporary certificates for practice in areas of critical need; amending ss. 458.315, 459.0076, and 464.0121, F.S.; revising the conditions under which the Board of Medicine, the Board of Osteopathic Medicine, and the Board of Nursing, respectively, are authorized to issue temporary certificates for practice in areas of critical need; authorizing certificateholders to continue primary care services after such areas lose their critical need designation under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senator Yarborough—

CS for SB 1582—A bill to be entitled An act relating to statewide data sharing of secondhand dealer and pawnbroker transactions; amending ss. 538.04, 538.19, 538.32, and 539.001, F.S.; revising the recordkeeping, transaction, and reporting requirements of certain secondhand dealers and pawnbrokers to be shared with the Department of Law Enforcement for the purpose of statewide data sharing of such records, transactions, and reports; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; and Senator Wright—

CS for SB 1602—A bill to be entitled An act relating to housing for veterans; creating s. 83.684, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; establishing the Homes for Veterans Property Management Incentive Pilot Program in certain counties for a specified purpose; providing that implementation of the pilot program is subject to annual legislative appropriations; requiring the Florida Housing Finance Corporation, in consultation with other entities and persons, to oversee the pilot program; authorizing certain landlords to apply to the corporation to receive funding from the Vacancy Relief Trust Fund and the Risk Mitigation Trust Fund under certain circumstances; providing the purpose of such trust funds; requiring a landlord to submit to the corporation specified documentation within a specified timeframe to apply for either trust fund; requiring certain case managers to assist the corporation; authorizing a landlord to apply for up to a specified dollar amount from the Risk Mitigation Trust Fund; providing a requirement to apply for the Risk Mitigation Trust Fund; providing that funding is awarded on a first-come, first-served basis; requiring the corporation to adopt rules; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; and Senator Wright—

CS for SB 1604—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 420.56, F.S.; creating the Vacancy Relief Trust Fund and the Risk Mitigation Trust Fund within the Florida Housing Finance Corporation for a specified purpose; authorizing any unexpended balance in either trust fund at a specified time to revert and be reappropriated for a certain purpose; providing for future review and termination or re-creation of the trust funds; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources; and Senator Avila—

CS for SB 1628—A bill to be entitled An act relating to net-zero policies by governmental entities; creating s. 377.817, F.S.; defining terms; providing legislative findings; providing a declaration of state policy; prohibiting governmental entities from adopting or requiring the adoption of net-zero policies; prohibiting governmental entities from expending government funds to support, implement, or advance net-zero policies; specifying prohibited expenditures; prohibiting governmental entities from imposing taxes, fees, penalties, charges, offsets, or assessments to advance net-zero policies; prohibiting governmental entities from implementing, administering, or enforcing a program that functions as a cap-and-trade program or has such effect; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to require a specified annual affidavit from all governmental entities; providing applicability; amending ss. 125.01, 166.021, and 166.201, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Grall—

CS for SB 1630—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aging and disability services; amending s. 409.979, F.S.; requiring the Department of Elderly Affairs to maintain a statewide pre-enrollment list, rather than a wait list, for certain services; deleting expired requirements for Medicaid recipients to receive an offer for enrollment for long-term care services; requiring aging and disability resource center personnel to place on and release certain clients from the pre-enrollment lists; requiring certain staff to administer a rescreening under certain cir-

cumstances; deleting a requirement for the Comprehensive Assessment and Review for Long-term Care Services (CARES) program to conduct prerelease assessments; requiring an aging and disability resource center to conduct a prerelease assessment; authorizing individuals who meet financial and medical eligibility criteria to enroll in the long-term care managed care program; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.983, F.S.; requiring the CARES program to review or perform the initial assessment of an enrollee's level of care; amending s. 430.03, F.S.; revising the purposes of the department to include the provision of services for certain programs only under certain circumstances; amending s. 430.04, F.S.; making a technical change; creating s. 430.09, F.S.; providing procurement requirements for area agencies on aging; prohibiting an administrative employee of an area agency on aging from receiving a specified salary amount; providing construction; amending s. 430.203, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 430.204, F.S.; deleting certain funding responsibilities of the department and certain entities; prohibiting the area agency on aging from directly providing core services; providing exceptions; deleting the responsibility of provider agencies to collect and assess fees for certain services; amending s. 430.205, F.S.; deleting certain funding responsibilities of the department; deleting a provision providing construction; revising frequency of inservice training for certain providers; requiring that high-risk vulnerable adults be given priority consideration for receiving community-care-for-the-elderly services; replacing the term "primary consideration" with "priority consideration"; amending s. 430.2053, F.S.; renaming aging resource centers as aging and disability resource centers; revising the purposes and duties of such centers; authorizing aging and disability resource centers to place on and release certain individuals from pre-enrollment lists; deleting a requirement for a work group to be convened; deleting a requirement to provide enrollment and coverage information to certain individuals; requiring the aging and disability resource center to receive a waiver from the department to be the provider of certain direct services; revising the services for which the department and an area agency on aging may not make payments; deleting an eligibility requirement for an area agency on aging to transition to an aging resource center; revising with whom the department may consult to develop capitation rates; revising construction; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 430.503, F.S.; deleting the responsibility of provider agencies to collect and assess fees for certain purposes; amending s. 430.605, F.S.; revising certain subsidy payments to include food and nutritional supplements; creating s. 430.72, F.S.; providing the purpose of and legislative intent for the Florida Alzheimer's Center of Excellence; encouraging certain actions related to innovative and efficient program development; defining terms; providing powers and duties of the center; requiring the center to work with specified entities to ensure full use of state infrastructure; authorizing the center to provide direct services or contract for the provision of services; providing eligibility criteria for services; authorizing the center to provide assistance to persons meeting such criteria, subject to availability of funds and resources; amending s. 430.901, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 744.2003, F.S.; revising professional and public guardians' continuing education requirements to include Alzheimer's disease and related dementias; amending ss. 744.2004 and 744.20041, F.S.; revising certain disciplinary actions and penalties; amending s. 744.2104, F.S.; authorizing the Office of Public and Professional Guardians to issue certain subpoenas to certain entities to compel the production of records in conducting certain investigations; authorizing the office to petition the court for a certain purpose under certain circumstances; reenacting s. 110.501(4), F.S., relating to definitions, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 430.204, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 430.504, F.S., relating to confidentiality of information, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 430.503, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 430.603, F.S., relating to home care for the elderly and rules, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 430.605, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Martin—

CS for SB 1742—A bill to be entitled An act relating to indecent exposure of sexual organs to minors; repealing s. 800.02, F.S., relating to unnatural and lascivious acts; creating s. 800.035, F.S.; prohibiting a person from intentionally exposing or exhibiting his or her sexual organs in a lewd or lascivious manner for a specified purpose while viewing a person who is younger than 16 years of age or performing specified sexual acts for a specified purpose while viewing a person who

is younger than 16 years of age; defining the term “viewing”; providing a criminal penalty; providing exceptions; amending ss. 914.16 and 933.18, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Yarborough—

CS for SB 1756—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical freedom; providing a short title; amending s. 381.00315, F.S.; providing construction; amending s. 456.0575, F.S.; requiring certain health care practitioners and paramedics to, before administering a vaccine to a minor child, inform the parent or legal guardian of certain information using materials approved and adopted by joint rule of the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine; requiring such practitioners and paramedics to obtain the signature of a minor child’s parent or guardian acknowledging receipt of such information; requiring health care practitioners to discuss certain information with a minor child’s parent or guardian when more than one vaccine is to be administered; authorizing a health care practitioner, at the request of the parent or guardian, to administer the vaccines to the minor child over multiple encounters; providing that specified amendments made by the act to s. 456.0575, F.S., take effect within a specified timeframe after the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine adopt certain materials by joint rule; requiring the boards to immediately notify the Division of Law Revision of their adoption of such materials; creating ss. 458.3351, 459.0156, and 464.0181, F.S.; providing certain health care practitioners immunity from civil and criminal liability and disciplinary action for prescribing or administering ivermectin to adults under certain circumstances; creating s. 465.1897, F.S.; authorizing pharmacists to provide ivermectin to adults without a prescription as a behind-the-counter medication until the United States Food and Drug Administration approves it for over-the-counter sale; requiring pharmacists to provide specified information before providing the ivermectin; providing pharmacists acting in good faith with immunity from civil and criminal liability and disciplinary action for providing ivermectin to adults; authorizing the Board of Pharmacy to adopt rules; amending s. 1003.22, F.S.; revising exemptions from school-entry immunization requirements; requiring the Department of Health to make the immunization exemption form for religious or conscience-based exemptions publicly available on its website; specifying procedures and requirements for receiving such exemptions; revising requirements and procedures for declarations of a communicable disease emergency; providing an effective date.

**REFERENCE CHANGES
PURSUANT TO RULE 4.7(2)**

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Gaetz—

CS for SB 1002—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “harm” to provide that exposure of a child to a controlled substance may be established by evidence of acute or chronic use of a controlled substance by a parent to a specified extent; revising the definition of the term “neglect” to provide that neglect occurs when there is evidence of acute or chronic use of a controlled substance by a parent to a specified extent; reenacting ss. 39.521(1)(c), 39.6012(1)(c), 39.806(1)(k), 61.13(2)(c), 61.401, 61.402(3), 390.01114(2)(b), 744.309(3), 984.03(24), and 1001.42(8)(c), F.S., relating to disposition hearings and powers of disposition; case plan tasks and services; grounds for termination of parental rights; support of children, parenting and time-sharing, and powers of the court; appointment of guardian ad litem; qualifications of guardians ad litem; the Parental Notice of and Consent for Abortion Act; who may be appointed guardian of a resident ward; definitions; and powers and duties of district school board, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 39.01, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; and the Committee on Rules.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

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:

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Governing Board of the South Florida Water Management District	
Appointee: Spottswood, Robert A., Jr., Key West	03/01/2030

Referred to the Committees on Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Ethics and Elections.

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Board of Trustees of Chipola College	
Appointees: Campbell, Christopher, Bristol	05/31/2027
Paul, Joel F., Jr., Ponce De Leon	05/31/2027
Reiff, Robert A., Marianna	05/31/2027
Ryals, Daniel E., III, Altha	05/31/2029
Shuler, Joseph, Hosford	05/31/2029
Board of Trustees of Palm Beach State College	
Appointees: Epstein, Daniel, Boca Raton	05/31/2029
Plean, Stacy L., Boynton Beach	05/31/2026
Board of Trustees of Pasco-Hernando State College	
Appointees: Pearson-Adams, Marilyn, Brooksville	05/31/2029
Zetzsche, Toni, Confidential	05/31/2029
	pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.
Board of Trustees of Pensacola State College	
Appointee: Tippett, Troy, Pensacola	05/31/2026
Board of Trustees of St. Petersburg College	
Appointee: Franz, Richard B., III, Clearwater	05/31/2026
Board of Trustees of Tallahassee State College	
Appointee: Moore, Karen B., Tallahassee	05/31/2026
Board of Trustees, Florida A & M University	
Appointees: Harris, Roderick, Confidential	pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.
Vazquez, Raphael, Tallahassee	01/06/2031
Young, Victor, Tampa	01/06/2031
Board of Trustees, Florida Atlantic University	
Appointees: Mersch, Thomas F., Jr., Boca Raton	01/06/2031
Stoch, Linda, Palm Beach Gardens	01/06/2031
Board of Trustees, Florida Gulf Coast University	
Appointees: Drzymala, James, Confidential	pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.
Fogg, Joseph G., III, Naples	01/06/2031
Rommel, Robert G., Naples	01/06/2031
VanOort, Douglas M., Naples	01/06/2031
Board of Trustees, Florida International University	
Appointees: McDowell, W. Patrick, Miami Beach	01/06/2031
Voccola, Fred, Miami-Dade	01/06/2028
Board of Trustees, Florida Polytechnic University	
Appointees: Bassett, Christine, Confidential	pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.
Beelaert, Jeffrey, Boise	06/30/2029
Shapiro, Ilya, Falls Church	06/30/2030
Board of Trustees, University of North Florida	
Appointee: Shelton, Allison, Jacksonville	01/06/2030

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>	Referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Ethics and Elections.	
Board of Trustees, University of South Florida Appointee: Williams, Andrea Gonzmart, Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.	01/06/2031	<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Board of Trustees, University of West Florida Appointee: Fleming, Edward P., Pensacola	01/06/2031	Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy, and Mental Health Counseling Appointee: Reed, Stacey L., Santa Rosa Beach	10/31/2028
Referred to the Committees on Appropriations Committee on Higher Education; and Ethics and Elections.		Board of Dentistry Appointees: Cherry, Bradley, Ponte Vedra Beach Mallah, Jessica, Odessa Marshall, Chadwick Justin, Fort Walton Beach Traverso, Elizabeth K., Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S. White, Nicholas, Winter Park	10/31/2027 10/31/2026 10/31/2027 10/31/2028 10/31/2029
<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>	Board of Nursing Appointees: Roster, Fidelia Herrera, Palm Coast Schafer, Patricia P., Ocala Wolf, Lindsay, Julington Creek	10/31/2028 10/31/2028 10/31/2028
Board of Supervisors of the Central Florida Tourism Oversight District Appointees: Ravenscroft, Thomas Matthew, Orlando Woods, David, Orlando	02/26/2027 02/26/2029	Board of Osteopathic Medicine Appointees: Reid-Paul, Theresa S., Fort Lauderdale Rooney, Derek Patrick, Jr., Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.	10/31/2028 10/31/2027
Referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; and Ethics and Elections.		Referred to the Committees on Health Policy; and Ethics and Elections.	
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Board of Governors of the State University System Appointees: Okaty, Michael A., Maitland Perry, W. Keith, Gainesville	01/06/2033 01/06/2031	Florida Athletic Commission Appointees: Suskey, Alan J., Tallahassee Vanlandingham, Cody, Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.	09/30/2028 09/30/2029
Referred to the Committees on Education Postsecondary; and Ethics and Elections.		Board of Cosmetology Appointee: Bonyng, Mayra, Orlando	10/31/2027
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State Board of Education Appointee: Fritz-Ochs, Erika Dawn, Tallahassee	12/31/2029	Board of Professional Engineers Appointees: Forehand, Christopher B., Panama City Mulock, Jeb, Bradenton Shrader, Brock, Orlando Temple, Richard J.A., Tampa	10/31/2028 10/31/2029 10/31/2029 10/31/2026
Education Practices Commission Appointee: Stanley, Joseph, Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.	09/30/2029	Florida Gaming Control Commission Appointees: Brown, Julie I., Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S. Cuderman, Peter, Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S. D'Aquila, John M., Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S. Spicola, William N., Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.	01/01/2028 01/01/2030 01/01/2029 01/01/2030
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<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>	<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission Appointee: Jennings, Gary, Windermere	09/04/2028	Jacksonville Aviation Authority Appointee: Acosta-Rua, Fernando, Jacksonville	09/30/2029
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Appointee: Carrere, Christopher M., Tampa		11/15/2027
Florida Transportation Commission		
Appointees: Howse, Ronald S., Cocoa		09/30/2029
Nash, Thomas C., II, Clearwater		09/30/2029
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Senator Berman withdrew as co-introducer of CS for CS for SB 54.

Referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Ethics and Elections.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Senator Passidomo, the Senate adjourned at 10:47 a.m. for the purpose of holding committee meetings and conducting other Senate business to reconvene at 8:30 a.m., Wednesday, February 4 or upon call of the President.

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

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The Journal of January 22 was corrected and approved.

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