CS/CS/SB 366 — Retail of Smoking Pipes and Smoking Devices

by Criminal Justice Committee; Regulated Industries Committee; and Senator Wise

The bill provides that it is a first degree misdemeanor for any person to offer for sale at retail any item listed in the bill as a smoking pipe and smoking device (such as a bong) unless the person has a retail tobacco products dealer permit under s. 569.003, F.S., and:

- Derives at least 75 percent of its annual gross revenues from the retail sale of cigarettes, cigars, and other tobacco products; or
- Derives no more than 25 percent of its annual gross revenues from the retail sale of items listed as "smoking pipes and smoking devices."

If approved by the Governor, these provisions take effect July 1, 2010.

Vote: Senate 36-0; House 115-0