

# JOURNAL OF THE FLORIDA SENATE

Beginning the Fourth Regular Session of the Legislature of Florida convened under the Florida Constitution of 1968, at the Capitol, in the City of Tallahassee, Florida, on Tuesday, the First day of February A.D., 1972, being the day fixed by Chapter 71-317, Laws of Florida.

Tuesday, February 1, 1972

The Senate was called to order by Senator Jerry Thomas, President of the Senate, at 10:30 a.m., the Secretary of the Senate, Elmer O. Friday and the Sergeant at Arms of the Senate, John Melton, being at their posts.

By direction of the President, the Secretary called the roll and the following Senators were recorded present:

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|---------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|
| Mr. President | Deeb           | Johnson (34th) | Reuter      |
| Arnold        | de la Parte    | Karl           | Saunders    |
| Barron        | Ducker         | Knopke         | Scarborough |
| Barrow        | Fincher        | Lane           | Stolzenburg |
| Beaufort      | Gong           | Lewis (33rd)   | Trask       |
| Bell          | Graham         | Lewis (43rd)   | Ware        |
| Bishop        | Gunter         | McClain        | Weber       |
| Boyd          | Haverfield     | Myers          | Weissenborn |
| Brantley      | Henderson      | Ott            | Williams    |
| Broxson       | Hollahan       | Plante         | Wilson      |
| Childers      | Horne          | Pope           |             |
| Daniel        | Johnson (29th) | Poston         |             |

46. A quorum present.

Excused: Senator Sayler for the morning session and Senator Brannen.

Prayer by Edwin G. Fraser, former member and Secretary of the Senate:

Most gracious and generous God, supreme architect of the universe, we thank thee for this beautiful day and the blessings which thou has given. We reveal gratitude, sincere and beyond measure, for our country, our state and our existence. We feel the privilege of being physical units in each and dedicate our talents towards amending those areas of activity which require strengthening.

Let the Holy Spirit reign among these servants in their legislative labors. Give to them knowledge to solve and wisdom to apply. Our state problems need stitches of repair and this we acknowledge. Let their activity herein result in a prescription of that which is good and right. In a fellowship of brotherly love and concern, we commit ourselves to thee for care and instruction. Amen.

The Senate pledged allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

On motion by Senator Karl that a committee be appointed to escort Mr. S. H. Stiles, Public Service Promotion Manager, St. Petersburg Times, to the rostrum, the President appointed Senators Deeb, Ware and Wilson. Mr. Stiles was escorted to the rostrum where he was received by the President and seated.

On motion by Senator Pope that a committee be appointed to escort Senator de la Parte to the rostrum, the President appointed Senators Knopke, Ott and McClain. Senator de la Parte was escorted to the rostrum.

On behalf of the St. Petersburg Times, the President presented a plaque to Senator de la Parte who was selected to receive the "Most Valuable Senator" award by legislative correspondents and daily newspaper editors on the basis of outstanding service to all of Florida as a member of the 1971 Florida Senate, and for personal and public integrity as well as ability and courage in promoting progressive legislation.

On motion by Senator Hollahan, the Senate proceeded to—

## MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*The Honorable Jerry Thomas*  
*President of the Senate*

February 1, 1972

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted—

By Representative Dubbin—

**HCR 1-ORG.**—A concurrent resolution convening the Legislature in Joint Session to receive the Message of the Governor.

WHEREAS, His Excellency, Governor Reubin O'D. Askew, has expressed a desire to address the Legislature in Joint Session, NOW, THEREFORE,

*Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate Concurring:*

That the Senate and the House of Representatives assemble in the Chamber of the House of Representatives on Tuesday, the 1st day of February, 1972, at 10:50 A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Message of the Governor on the state of the State.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

HCR 1-Org., contained in the above message, was read the first time in full. On motion by Senator Hollahan, by two-thirds vote, HCR 1-Org. was read the second time by title, unanimously adopted and certified to the House.

On motion by Senator Hollahan the Senate proceeded to—

## INTRODUCTION

By Senator Bell—

**SB 1**—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to sweepstake races; providing for sale of sweepstake race tickets; providing for state racing commission to administer this act; providing for licensees; providing for rules and regulations; providing for purses and prizes for winning tickets; providing for use of funds; providing when said act shall take effect.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Weissenborn—

**SB 2**—A bill to be entitled An act defining the rights of inhabitants of the State of Florida inducted or serving in the military forces of the United States; prohibiting inhabitants of the State from being required to serve outside the territorial limits of the United States in the conduct of armed hostilities not an emergency without a declaration of war.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Weissenborn—

**SB 3**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxes; providing in those counties having responsibility for

municipal tax assessment notice of tax adjustment proceedings shall be furnished to such municipality; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Weissenborn—

SB 4—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxes; amending Section 194.015, Florida Statutes, providing in counties having more than five (5) members on their governing body decisions of the Board of tax adjustment are to be reviewed by such governing body for the purpose of obtaining uniformity and avoiding conflicts; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 5—A bill to be entitled An act relating to campaign contributions; prohibiting contributions to members of the public service commission or candidates for election to the public service commission from a public utility or other entity regulated by the commission; prohibiting such contributions by the officers and directors of a public utility or other entity regulated by the commission; prohibiting an officer or director of a public utility or other entity regulated by the commission from coercing its employees to make such contributions; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senators Ware, Deeb, Fincher, Saylor and McClain—

SB 6—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the importation of drugs; creating §§398.035 and 404.035, Florida Statutes; providing that it shall be unlawful to bring into this state or cause to be brought into this state any drugs controlled by chapters 398 and 404, Florida Statutes; providing exceptions; providing that violations shall be felonies and providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senators Gunter and Saylor—

SB 7—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the auditor general; amending §11.45(6)(d), Florida Statutes, to require an official who has had his office audited to submit to the auditor general within twenty (20) days a written statement of explanation or rebuttal concerning all of the auditor's findings; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senators Ware, Deeb, Fincher and McClain—

SB 8—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consumer protection; prohibiting the unsolicited distribution of hazardous objects or substances for promotional or advertising purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Beaufort—

SB 9—A bill to be entitled An act relating to St. Augustine historical restoration and preservation commission; appropriating funds from the state general revenue fund to the St. Augustine historical restoration and preservation commission for the annual cross and sword pageant for fiscal years 1971-1972, 1972-1973, 1973-1974; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senators Ware, Deeb, Fincher and McClain—

SB 10—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of health and rehabilitative services; authorizing an institution for the criminally insane; directing planning; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senator Gunter—

SB 11—A bill to be entitled An act relating to obscene materials and privacy; authorizing a civil action for invasion of right of privacy; providing for damages and assessment of attorney's fees; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senators Gunter, Saylor and Knopke—

SB 12—A bill to be entitled An act relating to deposits of moneys in the state treasury; amending §18.101, Florida Statutes, to provide for special clearing accounts and special clearing funds and appropriations therefrom as to transfers and distributions required; providing for deposits of revolving funds; providing for pledge of collateral to be security for special clearing accounts and revolving fund accounts; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Lane—

SB 13—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legislative representation; amending sections 10.001, 10.011, 10.021, Florida Statutes; providing forty seats in Senate; designating districts and terms; providing one hundred twenty seats in House of Representatives; providing districts and terms; providing effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Reapportionment and Redistricting.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 14-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to the review of felony sentences.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senators Johnson (29th), Johnson (34th), Lewis (43rd), Lane and Myers—

SB 15—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consumer protection; making it unlawful for any retail food dealer to sell certain meats unless packaged in transparent containers; providing for enforcement by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Reuter—

SB 16—A bill to be entitled An act creating the small business investment company assistance fund; creating the counsel on small business investment company; providing for the administration of said fund by the division of commercial development, department of commerce; and providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 17—A bill to be entitled An act relating to service of process; creating §48.032, Florida Statutes; providing procedure whereby a sheriff or deputy may, in lieu of direct service of process, attach a copy of said process to the residence door of any person who is evading said service; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 18—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the jurisdiction of the juvenile courts; amending Section 39.02(6)(c), Florida Statutes, providing that if the juvenile judge shall deem that the child brought before the juvenile court would be charged with a violation of Florida law punishable by death or life imprisonment if the said child were an adult, the juvenile court shall be without jurisdiction over said child for a period of thirty (30) days after written notice is given the prosecuting officer of the court having jurisdiction over said offense; providing for a waiver by the prosecuting officer; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Deeb—

SCR 19—A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION authorizing a Senate-House Committee to study the office of the commissioner of education.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senators Saylor, Thomas, Knopke, Ware, Deeb and Henderson—

SB 20—A bill to be entitled An act relating to oil and gas wells; amending §377.24(6), Florida Statutes, prohibiting the drilling of oil and gas wells within the jurisdictional limits of the state seaward of the mean high tide lines, and submerged lands twelve (12) miles inland; repealing subsections (7) and (8) of §377.24, Florida Statutes, to conform with this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 21—A bill to be entitled An act relating to search warrants; amending section 933.02, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (5) to allow the issuance of a search warrant when evidence of any crime is contained therein; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 22—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the ownership of inventions, discoveries or works of art; adding section 286.041, Florida Statutes, providing that the ownership of an invention, discovery or work of art developed by an employee or agent of the state of Florida, incident to employment, is vested in the state of Florida; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 23—A bill to be entitled An act relating to perjury; adding section 837.021, Florida Statutes, to make perjury by contradictory statements under oath or affirmation a crime; providing that the question of whether a statement was material is to be determined by the court, that it is not necessary to prove which statement was not true, and that belief that statement was true is a defense; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 24—A bill to be entitled An act relating to carrying of concealed firearms by law enforcement officers; providing that full-time police officers, Florida highway patrolmen, agents of the Florida department of law enforcement and sheriffs' deputies may carry a concealed firearm, on or about their per-

sons, during off-duty hours with the approval of their superior officers; providing for filing said approval by the superior officers; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senators Poston and Thomas—

SB 25—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; providing for the issuance of non-revenue passes to certain persons; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 26—A bill to be entitled An act relating to search warrants; amending subsection (6) and (7) of section 933.18, Florida Statutes, to authorize the issuance of a search warrant for a private dwelling containing evidence of any crime or containing the means by which a misdemeanor has been committed; deleting requirement for sworn proof of a creditable witness; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 27—A bill to be entitled An act relating to occupational license taxes; adding subsection (3) to Chapter 205.071, Florida Statutes; providing that applications for occupational license taxes shall contain a provision notifying applicants of other such license taxes they may be required to pay; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 28—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sick and emergency leave for school teachers; amending §231.40(1)(b), Florida Statutes, providing for mandatory leave for school teachers for religious holidays and emergencies; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 29—A bill to be entitled An act relating to weapons and firearms; amending §790.22, Florida Statutes, to raise from sixteen (16) to seventeen (17) the age below which children are permitted to use firearms or BB guns only in the immediate presence and under the direct supervision of an adult; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senators Saylor, Deeb, Knopke, Thomas, Lewis (43rd), Lewis (33rd), Johnson (29th), Ducker, Ware, Haverfield, Wilson, Johnson (34th), Henderson and Gong—

SB 30—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the canal authority of the State of Florida; amending §374.031, Florida Statutes, to provide that the board of directors of the authority shall be the governor and the cabinet; amending §374.141, Florida Statutes, to provide that annual reports shall be made to the legislature; providing legislative intent; prohibiting expenditures for the acquisition, construction, promotion and operation of a canal as described in §374.051, Florida Statutes; providing that nothing in this act shall be construed to prohibit the State of Florida from making necessary expenditures to complete the termination process of the canal project; providing authorization for the State of Florida to seek and utilize federal funds for the termination process of the canal; repealing §374.151, Florida Statutes, relating to bonds and compensation of officers of the authority; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

**SB 31**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; providing that members of all statutory retirement systems be entitled to pay in and receive retirement credit for actual war-time service in the amount and in the same manner as provided by §121.111, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, for members of the Florida retirement system; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Deeb—

**SB 32**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to district school boards; creating 233.0625, Florida Statutes; providing for one minute of silent meditation or prayer per day for all students who desire it; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

**SB 33**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement officers; creating §843.18, Florida Statutes; providing that any person who interferes or attempts to interfere with any law enforcement officer in the performance of his duty is guilty of a misdemeanor; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

**SB 34**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement officers; creating §843.17, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the unauthorized publishing or dissemination of the residence address or telephone number of any law enforcement officer with the intent to obstruct execution of the law or to intimidate said officer; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Beaufort—

**SB 35**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the legislature; creating Section 11.014, Florida Statutes, limiting the number of general bills which individual members may introduce per annum; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senators Sayler and Ware—

**SB 36-SF**—A proposal to be entitled An act relating to the inspection of food and related products.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Gunter—

**SB 37**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle licenses; amending §320.083(1), Florida Statutes, which provides for special license tags for amateur radio operators; providing that citizens' band radio station operators shall also be issued a special license tag; increasing the fee provided by said subsection; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

**SB 38**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to flag instruction in public schools; amending §233.061, Florida Statutes, to provide that proper flag instruction include the flag salute at the opening of each school day; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

**SB 39**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to municipal annexation; providing a procedure supplemental to all other laws for voluntary annexation of unincorporated area into a municipality upon petition of all owners of real property and adoption of annexation ordinance; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

**SB 40**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sheriffs; amending §30.09(4), Florida Statutes, to provide that the appointment of deputy sheriffs by sheriffs under certain circumstances may be made with full powers of arrest whenever the sheriff deems necessary; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Lewis (33rd)—

**SB 41**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to professional engineers; amending §471.26, Florida Statutes; providing for the revocation or suspension of a certificate of registration of a person adjudicated incompetent; excepting any person guilty of a felony or adjudicated incompetent from provisions requiring notice and hearing before his certificate is revoked or suspended or he is placed on probation; authorizing an appeal from a decision of the board for such persons; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Lewis (33rd)—

**SB 42**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending §§97.021(6)(d), 97.041(1), 97.062(1), 97.063(4), 97.102, 101.62(3) and 101.64(1)(c), Florida Statutes, to provide for a county residency period of sixty (60) days rather than six (6) months; providing for this residency change on absentee ballots for both armed service members and civilians; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Lewis (33rd)—

**SB 43**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the collection of municipal taxes; adding subsection (6) to §167.434, Florida Statutes, to allow municipalities, by ordinance, to collect taxes on property assessed by the county assessor; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Lewis (33rd)—

**SB 44**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jury duty; repealing §466.21, Florida Statutes, which provides jury duty exemption to dentists; repealing §470.27, Florida Statutes, which provides jury duty exemption to licensed funeral directors and licensed embalmers; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Lewis (33rd)—

**SB 45**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jurors; amending §40.24, Florida Statutes, to increase compensation and mileage paid to jurors; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

**SB 46**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporations; creating §608.615, Florida Statutes, to prohibit the use of the words "veteran" or "veterans" in the name of any corporation except upon prior approval of the veterans' affairs advisory

council; amending §608.67, Florida Statutes, to provide a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senators Sayler and Gunter—

SB 47-SF—A proposal to be entitled An act relating to the governor's council on criminal justice.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 48—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vagrancy; creating section 856.021, Florida Statutes, to prohibit loitering or prowling under circumstances warranting a justifiable and reasonable alarm or immediate concern for the safety of persons or property; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 49—A bill to be entitled An act relating to beverage licenses; repealing chapter 61-2532, Laws of Florida, relating to a limitation on certain alcoholic beverage licenses in Nassau County; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 50—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans and their dependents; adding subsection (4) to §240.052, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-51, Laws of Florida, to provide that such persons attending institutions in the state university system under the federal educational assistance acts shall have an extra sixty (60) days for payment of registration fees; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 51—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans; creating §295.14, Florida Statutes; providing that the state shall pay a portion of the expense of transporting the body of an indigent veteran who dies in this state for burial in a national cemetery in this state; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 52—A bill to be entitled An act relating to relief under the soldiers and sailors civil relief act; requiring representation by the state attorney's office to any person in service or going into service who desire relief under the same; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senators Gunter, Plante, Knopke, Ducker, Daniel, Boyd, Karl, Myers, Haverfield, Fincher, Beaufort, Pope, Trask, Lane and Broxson—

SB 53—A bill to be entitled An act relating to appropriations; providing an appropriation for restoration of the Oklawaha Basin; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SM 54—A Memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging Congress to amend the Constitution to provide that the Constitution shall not abridge the right of persons lawfully assembled, in any public building which is supported in whole or in part through the expenditure of public funds, to participate in nondenominational prayer.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Arnold—

SB 55-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to retirement systems; proposing a committee study; suggesting an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 56—A bill to be entitled An act relating to burglary; creating section 810.021, Florida Statutes, to make the penalty for a second offense of breaking and entering in certain cases a life sentence or a term of years; providing effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senators Barron, Sayler and Henderson—

SB 57—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legal jeopardy; providing that no person shall be placed in legal jeopardy for certain acts of self defense, protection of property or acts in aid of another in certain cases; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senators Deeb, Ware and Wilson—

SB 58—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Pasco County; authorizing the issuance of alcoholic beverage licenses to restaurants accommodating two hundred (200) patrons or more and occupying more than four thousand (4,000) square feet of floor space; repealing chapter 69-681, Laws of Florida, but providing that all alcoholic beverage licenses heretofore issued under authority of said chapter in Pasco County will remain in full force and effect; providing an effective date.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to SB 58.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Ware—

SB 59—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the division of mental health; creating section 394.035, Florida Statutes; authorizing the division to maintain separate facilities for the care and treatment of all patients under eighteen (18) years of age; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senators Horne and Haverfield—

SB 60—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to masseurs and masseuses; adding paragraph (c) to subsection (2) of §480.01, amending §480.02(4) and adding subsection (6) to said section, amending §§480.07(3) and adding subsection (5) to said section, amending §480.08, adding paragraph (1) to subsection (1) of §480.11, and amending §480.15(1), all Florida Statutes; establishing certain requirements for massage establishments and requiring approval by the Florida board of massage prior to issuance of an occupational license; increasing length of time for which apprentices' certificates may be issued; providing for reciprocity; increasing membership of the board of massage and providing for terms; providing for appointment and duties of administrative officer; requiring applicants for registration to furnish copy of fingerprints; increasing certificate renewal fee

and requiring additional fee for renewal of expired certificate; providing for duplicate certificate fee; requiring copies of fingerprints of registrants prior to issuance of renewal certificate; providing that any certificate not renewed within three (3) months of expiration shall lapse; prohibiting display of certificate in massage establishment unless registrant is actively practicing massage therein; providing for revocation of certificate displayed by registrant in a place of business he does not own or in which he is not employed; providing for salary of administrative officer and eliminating salary of secretary-treasurer; increasing compensation of board members; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

**SB 61-SF**—A proposal to be entitled An act relating to abortions; prohibiting abortions except to preserve the life of the mother or where there is medical certainty that the fetus will develop into a mentally retarded child.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Deeb—

**SB 62**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax collections, tax sales, tax liens; amending §§197.011, 197.015, 197.021, 197.065(3), 197.071, 197.081(1), (2), (4), 197.091, 197.095, 197.100, 197.180, 197.190, 197.205, 197.245, 197.250, 197.255, 197.265, 197.270, 197.365, 197.425, 197.430(1), (4), (5), 197.440, 197.460, 197.465, 197.480(1), (2), 197.485(1), 197.490, 197.495, 197.500, 197.505(1), 197.510, 197.520, 197.525, 197.535, 197.545(1), 197.550, 197.590, 197.600(1), (2), (3), 197.605, 197.650(1), (2), (3), (4), (6), (7), 197.675(1), 197.680, 197.700(1), (2), (5), all Florida Statutes; creating §§197.057 and 197.210, Florida Statutes; repealing §§197.025, 197.075, 197.110, 197.115, 197.120, 197.125, 197.130, 197.215, 197.220, 197.225, 197.260, 197.275, 197.280, 197.290, 197.295, 197.300, 197.320, 197.340, 197.345, 197.370, 197.395, 197.400, 197.405, 197.410, 197.415, 197.420, 197.470(2), 197.485(2), 197.545(2), 197.560, 197.565, 197.570, 197.575, 197.630, 197.685, all Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Lewis (33rd)—

**SB 63**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to professional engineers; adding subsection (6) to §471.05, Florida Statutes, to exempt registered land surveyors who take or contract for professional engineering services from the provisions of chapter 471, Florida Statutes; adding subsection (3) to §471.20, Florida Statutes, to provide a registration fee for engineers-in-training; amending §§471.38(1) and (2), 471.39, 471.40, 471.41 and 471.42, Florida Statutes, which relate to engineering scholarship loans, to provide for the award of scholarship loans for the study of land surveying and the procedures therefor; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Lewis (33rd)—

**SB 64**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to land surveyors; amending §472.08, Florida Statutes; exempting professional engineers from provisions of chapter 472, Florida Statutes; amending §472.10(3), Florida Statutes, authorizing the board of engineer examiners to revoke or suspend a certificate of registration because of an adjudication of mental incompetency or conviction of a felony; providing for procedural guarantees for a certificate holder before said revocation or suspension, and providing exceptions; providing that an aggrieved certificate holder may appeal to the circuit court, pursuant to §471.28, Florida Statutes; adding subsections (6) and (7) to §472.11, Florida Statutes; authorizing the issuance of a certificate of registration to corporations, partnerships, associations or persons practicing under fictitious names; requiring the approval of the board prior to incorporation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Barrow—

**SB 65**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dismissal of civil actions; creating §55.146, Florida Statutes, to provide for dismissal of civil actions abandoned for a period of four (4) years; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Poston—

**SB 66**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers of motor vehicles; requiring a prearrest chemical blood or breath test for drivers under certain circumstances; making violation a misdemeanor of the second degree; permitting further tests; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Poston—

**SB 67**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to blood tests for alcoholic content; requiring such tests on bodies of deceased drivers of motor vehicles and deceased pedestrians fifteen (15) years of age or over involved in a motor vehicle crash; prescribing the requirement for performance of such tests; providing for the monthly tabulation of the results; providing results of tests not admissible in evidence; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Poston—

**SB 68**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers of motor vehicles involved in crashes; providing for a blood or breath test for alcohol content of surviving drivers involved in a motor vehicle crash in which there is death or serious bodily injury to passengers or pedestrians; providing for collection, testing and report of data; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Wilson—

**SB 69**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles, repealing section 320.59 of Chapter 320, Florida Statutes, relating to the liability of an owner or operator of a motor vehicle to a guest or passenger transported without payment therefor; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

**SB 70**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the division of health, research aviaries; providing purpose, authorizing the division to establish and operate research aviaries in Indian River County; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

**SB 71**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the division of forestry; providing an appropriation for fire control units in Pasco, Brevard, Hendry, Martin, Hardee, DeSoto and Monroe Counties; conditioning expenditure upon entry into agreements between the department of agriculture and consumer services and each participating county; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

**SB 72**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health planning; providing for the creation and administration of a state

program of grants-in-aid to areawide comprehensive health planning councils; providing for the administration of grants by the department of health and rehabilitative services under advisory regulations promulgated by the Florida health planning council; providing for appropriations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

SCR 73—A concurrent resolution urging the governor and cabinet to establish a study conference group to evaluate continuing efforts toward eliminating barriers to post-secondary education for the disadvantaged.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Universities and Community Colleges.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

SJR 74—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the State Constitution; providing for the appointment of the commissioner of education.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

SB 75—A bill to be entitled An act relating to comprehensive health planning; providing definitions; providing for the membership, appointment, responsibilities, purposes, regulation, reimbursement, and staffing of the Florida health planning council; providing for areawide comprehensive health planning councils; providing for the organization and responsibilities of said councils; providing for the relationship between the state comprehensive health planning program and council and the areawide health planning councils; providing for the establishment of the bureau of comprehensive health planning within the department of health and rehabilitative services and describing said department's responsibilities; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

SB 76—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Wing of the Civil Air Patrol; providing an annual appropriation for its support, operation and maintenance; authorizing purchase of state surplus materials; providing that the Wing Commander furnish surety bond; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

SB 77—A bill to be entitled An act relating to certification of school system personnel; amending §231.17(1), Florida Statutes; providing that persons seeking to be certified by the department of education as instructors must have satisfactorily completed a course in the history and government of Florida; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

SB 78—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the continual evaluation of the needs of children and youth, as initiated by the White House Conference on Children and Youth; creating the committee on children and youth; providing for the membership, duties, and powers of the committee; providing that members shall be paid travel and per diem expenses pursuant to §112.061, Florida Statutes; providing for a committee report; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 79—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the registration of motorboats; amending §371.051(2), Florida Statutes, to provide that the annual registration period for boats shall correspond to the annual registration period for motor vehicles; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senators McClain and Ware—

SB 80—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal procedure; amending §948.01(2), Florida Statutes, authorizing psychological evaluation as part of presentence investigation by the parole and probation commission; creating §944, Florida Statutes, requiring the psychological evaluation of each prisoner delivered into the custody of the division and prior to release; authorizing the use of community mental health services' personnel and facilities; authorizing the division of corrections to promulgate rules and regulations concerning prisoners having psychiatric disorders or who have been determined to be criminally insane; directing the division to institute commitment proceedings for certain prisoners prior to release; amending §948.03(1), Florida Statutes, establishing as a condition of probation participation in psychiatric rehabilitative programs; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Poston—

SB 81—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers' licenses; amending §322.18(2) and (4), Florida Statutes, to provide for an elective four (4) year driver's license upon examination; amending §322.21(1), Florida Statutes, to change the fees for drivers' licenses; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Poston—

SB 82—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers' licenses; amending §322.12(2), Florida Statutes, by adding a requirement to demonstrate the ability to operate a vehicle of the type or general class of vehicles to be licensed to drive; providing for examination to be given in county of residence or place adjacent thereto or reasonably convenient to applicant; further providing examination shall be given within thirty (30) days from date application is received; adding subsection (3) to §322.12, Florida Statutes, prescribing classifications; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Poston—

SB 83—A bill to be entitled An act relating to restricted drivers' licenses; amending §322.12(1), Florida Statutes, exempting holders of restricted licenses from paying an additional fee for taking their first driving test when having the restrictions lifted; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Gunter—

SB 84—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the district school system; prohibiting loitering by persons in, upon and in the vicinity of educational institutions of any district school system; making violation a misdemeanor of the second degree; providing for conflicts with the state school code; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senators Gunter and Beaufort—

SB 85—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jurors; amending §40.24, Florida Statutes, to increase compensation and mile-

age paid to jurors; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Karl—

SB 86—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposal of evidence; providing for the destruction or sale of certain items of physical evidence held in excess of ten (10) years in the custody of clerks of the circuit court or of any civil or criminal court of record; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Karl—

SB 87—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consumer deception, regulating the use in advertising of the term "FREE" and words of similar meaning and intent, providing for injunctions by the Commissioner of Agriculture or the Attorney General to prohibit violations, repealing Section 817.415, providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Karl—

SB 88—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida retirement system; providing that a county judge who is a member of the Florida retirement system and who has served as a city or municipal judge may claim retirement credit for such judicial service; providing procedures and requirements relating to evidence to be given and amounts to be paid to the Florida retirement system in order to obtain such retirement credit; providing that the creditable service granted shall be credited as provided in §121.091(1), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 89—A bill to be entitled An act relating to service of process; amending §48.031, Florida Statutes, to provide that refusal of the person being served to accept the process or witness subpoena in hand shall not invalidate the service; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 90—A bill to be entitled An act relating to search warrants; amending §933.06, Florida Statutes; providing that a search warrant may be applied for and testimony in support thereof may be given either orally or in writing; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

SB 91—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state, county, municipal, and all other public employees in the State of Florida; providing right to organize and bargain collectively as to terms and conditions of employment; providing method of bargaining procedure; creating and providing administration by the Florida Public Employees Relations Commission within the Department of Administration; defining rights of public employees and employers; providing payroll dues deduction; providing rules and procedures for registration, recognition, and certification of employee organizations and bargaining agents; providing payment of fees and expenses in collective bargaining process; providing grievance procedures; providing mediation and fact-finding procedures; establishing unlawful actions and practices; providing procedures to handle unlawful actions and practices, penalties and remedies; injunctive relief; providing effect on merit and civil service systems and state and local control of same; providing exemption from Section 286.011, Florida Statutes; providing repeal of Chapter 67-900 and 69-

665, Laws of Florida, Section 839.221, Florida Statutes, and any other laws, ordinances, rules or regulations, which conflict with this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senators Reuter and Johnson (29th)—

SB 92—A bill to be entitled An act relating to highways and bridges; providing that the highway constructed across the Indian and Banana Rivers in Brevard County be designated the Pineda Causeway; providing for the erection of plaques or markers; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senators Boyd, Barron, Barrow, Horne, Pope, Henderson, Ott, Lane, Poston, Knopke, Johnson (29th), Fincher, Haverfield, de la Parte, Sayler, Hollahan, Karl, Daniel, Williams, Beaufort, Trask, Gong, Stolzenburg, Lewis (33rd), Johnson (34th), Deeb, Weber, Ware, Broxson, Childers, Plante, Wilson, Brantley, Bishop and Arnold—

SJR 93—A joint resolution proposing a revision of Article V of the State Constitution relating to the judicial branch of the government.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Horne—

SJR 94—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 4, article VII of the constitution of the state of Florida, relating to assessments, providing that a level of assessments in any county between eighty percent (80%) and one hundred percent (100%) of value shall be deemed to be a just valuation for that county; prohibiting any adjustments in the distribution or expenditure of any funds to any county so deemed to be at a just valuation.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senators Horne and Weissenborn—

SB 95—A bill to be entitled An act relating to thrift institutions and savings and loan associations; substantially revising and amending section 665.031, F. S.; providing for the creation of thrift institutions; requiring an application for authority to organize; specifying the content of the application; providing for an application fee; providing for investigation of the application by the departments; setting forth the scope of the investigation; granting discretion of the department to approve or disapprove the application; setting forth guidelines for approval of application; providing for notice of decision by department; providing for form articles of incorporation and by-laws; providing for the filing of the articles of incorporation with the secretary of state; providing that corporate existence shall be perpetual; providing that savings associations may only be incorporated on a mutual basis with savings account capital; specifying the minimum amounts of capital; providing for an organization expense fund; prescribing the minimum amount of the organization expense fund; providing that organization expenses may be paid from the fund; providing that amounts paid from the fund may not be recoverable by the contributors; providing for authorization to commence business; setting forth conditions precedent to the issuance of certificate of authorization; requiring publication of certificate of authorization to begin business to be published in a newspaper of general circulation; providing for retention and repayment of organization expense fund; providing that the retained amount can be used to pay operating expenses for a period of time; providing that unexpended funds shall be paid earnings; providing that this fund shall be reimbursed for payment of operating expenses; providing for refund of retained organization expense fund to original contributors; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce and Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Horne—

SB 96—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dentistry, dental hygiene and dental laboratories; amending §466.20, Florida Statutes, providing for an increase in compensation to board members and modifying the procedure for payment of expenses; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Horne—

SB 97—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dentistry, dental hygiene and dental laboratories; amending §466.08(1), Florida Statutes, providing a salary range for the executive director of the Florida state board of dentistry; amending §466.17, Florida Statutes, providing for an increase in the fee for annual and conditioned renewal of licenses; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Saylor—

SJR 98—A joint resolution proposing a revision of Article V of the State Constitution relating to the judicial department of the government.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator McClain—

SB 99—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Sergio and Otilia De La Paz, parents of Diana De La Paz, deceased; making an appropriation to compensate them for the tragic death of their daughter; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 100—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the cigarette tax; amending §§210.025(2) and 210.20(2)(a), Florida Statutes, and §210.026(2), Florida Statutes, as created by chapter 71-364, Laws of Florida, to provide that the proceeds of the cigarette tax shall be distributed to each municipality in the state on the basis of population; repealing subsection (7) of §210.02, §210.03, paragraphs (b) and (c) of subsection (2) of §210.20, Florida Statutes, to delete the authorization for the separate municipal cigarette tax, the credit against the state tax for taxpayers paying such a municipal tax, and the provisions for distribution of a portion of the proceeds of the cigarette tax to the Inter-American Center Authority and to the respective boards of county commissioners; amending §§210.04(1) and 210.19, Florida Statutes, relating to the collection of such taxes, and the recording thereof, to conform with this act; providing for adjustment in proportionate distribution if necessary to cover debt service on certain municipal bonds; repealing sections 3 and 4 of chapter 71-364, Laws of Florida, relating to allocation and millage rollback provisions in regard to additional cigarette tax; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senators Knopke and Saylor—

SB 101-SF—A proposal to be entitled An act relating to taxation.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 102—A bill to be entitled An act relating to supervisors of elections; authorizing supervisors of elections to place deputy supervisors within any city or town hall within the county from time to time at their discretion; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 103—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor carriers; amending §323.29(5), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-83, Laws of Florida, to provide that motor carriers authorized to transport household goods may operate county-wide; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Pope—

SB 104—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public employees; authorizing the establishment of policies to provide terminal pay for accumulated sick leave; providing conditions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Pope—

SB 105—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida industrial development corporation; amending §289.031(4), Florida Statutes, authorizing the corporation to maintain and insure buildings on state-owned property; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Arnold—

SB 106—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the public service commission; amending §350.01, Florida Statutes; increasing the number of commissioners from three (3) to five (5); providing that each commissioner shall be elected from a certain district; providing that each commissioner must live in the district from which he is elected; providing for terms of office; providing public service commission groups for election purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 107—A bill to be entitled An act relating to travel expenses of public officers; amending §112.061(7)(a), Florida Statutes; providing that the requirement that public officers and employees travel by the most economical method for travel expense purposes shall not apply to the governor; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Poston—

SB 108—A bill to be entitled An act relating to shipment of motor vehicles; amending §§1 and 2 of chapter 70-289, Laws of Florida, appearing as §814.07, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement; prohibiting any person, vessel or aircraft from accepting at ports or airports in this state any motor vehicle for shipment to a point outside the United States without requiring the presentation of a certificate of possession; providing for application for such certificate; prescribing the requirements for and providing for the issuance of certificates of possession by the department of highway safety and motor vehicles; prohibiting certain acts relative to the falsification of such certificates; prescribing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Horne—

SB 109—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the career service system; amending section 110.051(2) (j), Florida Statutes, relating to exemption, by deleting the provision that the

department of administration may set the salary of officers and employees of the judicial branch of government; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Arnold—

SM 110—A memorial to the Congress of the United States relative to the federal interstate highway program.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senators McClain and Johnson (34th)—

SM 111—A Memorial to the Congress of the United States for the call of a Convention to propose a constitutional amendment relating to involuntary assignment of students;

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senators McClain and Johnson (34th)—

SCR 112—A Concurrent Resolution urging the Legislature of the State of Florida to begin a national effort to inform the American public of certain policies of the Federal government relating to school desegregation.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Bell—

SB 113—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle license plates for the wheelchair using veteran; amending Chapter 320, Florida Statutes, by adding section 320.0841; providing for veterans who are paraplegic to be issued upon request a free license plate similar to that issued other veterans, but having the "DV" designation replaced by the internationally accepted wheelchair symbol; provides for the department to issue a designation plate to be displayed on the front of the vehicle; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Bell—

SB 114—A bill to be entitled AN ACT relating to motor vehicle license plates for the paraplegic; amending Chapter 320, Florida Statutes, by adding section 320.0842; providing for the paraplegic to be issued a motor vehicle license plate stamped with the wheelchair user symbol; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Bell—

SB 115—A bill to be entitled An act relating to crime and criminal penalties; amending section 784.04, Florida Statutes, providing for the crime of aggravated assault to include an assault upon another with a vicious or dangerous animal or reptile; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Bell—

SB 116—A bill to be entitled AN ACT relating to dower; repealing sections 731.34 and 731.35, Florida Statutes, to abolish the right of a widow to elect the dower rights in her deceased husband's property as set forth in said sections; repealing sections 733.09, 733.10, 733.11, 733.12, 733.13, 733.14 and 733.25, Florida Statutes, of the Florida probate law, to conform to this act; directing the statutory revision service to conform other designated sections of the Florida Statutes to this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Bell—

SB 117—A bill to be entitled An act relating to service of process; amending section 48.021, Florida Statutes, permitting a licensed private investigator maintaining an office in a county to serve process on a person if said person is found within that county; providing for payment of fees for private investigator and person appointed under rule of court to serve process; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senators Bell, Wilson, Lane and Saylor—

SJR 118—A joint resolution proposing the repeal of Section 6 of Article VII of the State Constitution, providing for the repeal of homestead exemption on real property.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Bell—

SB 119—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead exemptions from taxation; amending §194.032(1), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-243, Laws of Florida; providing that the board of tax adjustment shall not entertain complaints relating to homestead exemptions; repealing §§196.031, 196.041, 196.051, 196.061, 196.071, 196.081, 196.091, 196.101, 196.111, 196.121, 196.131, 196.141, 196.151, 196.161, and 196.171, Florida Statutes, all relating to an exemption from ad valorem property taxation for real property designated a homestead; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Bell—

SJR 120—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to subsection (c) of section 6, article VII of the constitution of the State of Florida, relating to homestead exemption, to provide for the exemption to be increased or decreased by general law.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 121—A bill to be entitled An act relating to minors; amending §828.21, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-136, Laws of Florida, which provides that any person who causes a minor under eighteen (18) to become a delinquent or dependent child is guilty of a misdemeanor of the first degree, to exempt persons offering aid to a delinquent or dependent child where the child's health, safety, or welfare requires such aid from the provisions of said section; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 122—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alimony and support; authorizing county commissions to employ a court trustee; providing duties of said court trustee; providing legal, investigative, secretarial, and clerical assistance for the court trustee; requiring the state attorney to furnish legal assistance and advice in certain cases; authorizing the court trustee to assist needy parties seeking support from obligor in another state; providing that certain alimony and support payments be made through the office of the clerk of the circuit court; authorizing additional filing fees on civil cases filed in the circuit court to apply toward the expenses of the court trustee; authorizing the appropriation of county funds and the providing of office space for the salary, expenses and use of the court trustee and making such appropriation a county purpose; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senators Lewis (43rd), Weissenborn, Sayler and Wilson—

**SB 123**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mobile homes; providing grounds for which a mobile home park owner or operator may evict a mobile home owner; providing for posting of regulations; providing for additional eviction proceedings in leases; authorizing tenant to raise affirmative defenses; providing that no mobile home park owner or operator shall require a resident of the park to purchase certain equipment from the park, or charge an additional fee for certain interior installations and improvements in mobile homes; providing that mobile home park owners or operators shall disclose all fees, charges, assessments, rules and regulations to tenants; providing that undisclosed fees, charges, and assessments shall not be collectible; providing that mobile home park owners or operators shall not unreasonably restrict the sale of mobile homes within the park, require removal of a mobile home solely on the basis of such sale, or exact a fee for such sale unless the park owner or operator acted as agent for the mobile home owner in the sale pursuant to a written contract; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Bishop—

**SB 124**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to weights and measures; creating Section 531.36 through 531.54, Florida Statutes; providing definitions; providing for a system of weights and measures and for primary and secondary standards of weights and measures; providing for enforcement by the department of agriculture and consumer services and providing the powers and duties of the department relating thereto; providing special police powers of the department and providing penalties; providing requirements for labeling and pricing standards of commodities; providing penalties; providing for injunction; providing for salaries and expenses of enforcement; repealing Section 531.01 through 531.34, Florida Statutes, relating to weights, measures and standards, and regulations with respect thereto; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce and Ways and Means.

By Senator Bishop—

**SCR 125**—A concurrent resolution urging the United States Department of Agriculture to take certain steps relative to the exportation and importation of cattle.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Deeb—

**SB 126**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the board of regents; providing for periodic review of tenure; providing for criteria to be used in reviewing tenure status; providing for loss of tenure status; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Universities and Community Colleges.

By Senators McClain and Johnson (34th)—

**SM 127**—A Memorial to Congress for the approval of an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to busing or involuntary assignment of students;

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Deeb—

**SB 128**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public welfare; providing that benefits paid to recipients shall not be reduced due to any increase in social security or other retirement or pension plan payments; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Deeb—

**SB 129**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to campaign contributions; amending §99.161(2), Florida Statutes, as amend-

ed by chapter 70-267, Laws of Florida, to prohibit attorneys from making contributions to judicial candidates; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senators McClain and Johnson (34th)—

**SCR 130**—A Concurrent Resolution requesting the Legislatures to memorialize Congress to approve an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to busing; requesting them to memorialize Congress for the call of a Convention to propose a Constitutional amendment; requesting them to join with Florida in a nationwide effort to inform the American public of present policies relating to school desegregation.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senators Sayler, Gong, Knopke, Poston, Johnson (34th), Deeb, Lewis (43rd), Lewis (33rd), Ware, Bell and Beaufort—

**SB 131**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Intracoastal Waterway; adding subsections (16) and (17) to §371.021, Florida Statutes, providing definitions; creating §371.523, Florida Statutes, establishing a uniform system of navigational signs and boat regulations within the rights-of-way of such waterway; providing that the department of natural resources shall be the regulatory agency for the purposes of this act; providing penalties; amending §371.59, Florida Statutes, to prohibit regulation of boats along such waterway by local ordinances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senators Brantley and Beaufort—

**SB 132**—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Thomas J. Forsyth; providing compensation for losses suffered by Thomas J. Forsyth due to a fire in the house he occupied in Union County as an employee of the division of corrections; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senators Ware, Deeb, Fincher, Thomas, McClain, Knopke and Sayler—

**SB 133**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the acquisition of public beaches; authorizing the department of natural resources to give financial assistance to local governments for the purchase of waterfront beach property; providing conditions; expressing legislative intent with respect to the acquisition of public beaches in urban areas; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Barron—

**SCR 134**—A concurrent resolution designating the West Panama City Beach Wayside Park as the S. D. Hall Wayside Park.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

**SB 135**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the beverage law; amending §562.13, Florida Statutes; providing that minors under the age of twenty-one (21) years may be employed in bowling alleys which serve alcoholic beverages under certain conditions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Knopke—

**SB 136**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the game and fresh water fish commission, water hyacinth control; providing

an appropriation; providing reimbursement to the government of the United States for certain damages pursuant to §372.931, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 137-SF—A proposal to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of motorboat operators.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 138—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida game and fresh water fish commission, water hyacinth control; providing an appropriation; providing reimbursement to the government of the United States for certain damages, pursuant to §372.931, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 139—A bill to be entitled An act relating to well drilling; designating §§373.011 through 373.241, Florida Statutes, as part I of chapter 373, and creating §§373.400, 373.401, 373.405, 373.410, 373.420, 373.430, 373.440, and 373.450 as part II of said chapter to provide for regulations of well drillers; providing for regulation of construction of wells; providing for inventories of water resources; providing for civil actions; establishing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Weber—

SB 140—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cooperative apartment corporations and condominiums; amending sections 196.031(2) and 196.041, Florida Statutes, to provide for changing the minimum length of lease from ninety-eight (98) to fifty (50) years or more in order to be deemed the owner for purposes of homestead exemption; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator McClain—

SB 141—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to drug abuse; creating the drug education and rehabilitation division within the department of education; providing definitions; providing for the employment of a director and his duties; authorizing the employment of personnel; providing that the drug education and rehabilitation division shall administer a program of drug education and rehabilitation for students of community colleges, universities, and vocational-technical centers in the state; providing that the director submit a report to the legislature and the board of education on the effectiveness of this program; providing that all information relating to participants shall be confidential; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senator McClain—

SB 142—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the department of health and rehabilitative services; requiring the department to develop, establish and administer a group treatment program for dependent children; indicating legislative intent; providing for a report to the legislature; defining a dependent child; providing for cooperation with or utilization of present facilities and programs if possible; permitting the department to purchase care; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senators Haverfield and Horne—

SB 143—A bill to be entitled An act relating to judicial retirement; amending sections 123.09 and 123.20, Florida Statutes, to allow a justice or judge of the district court of appeal or of the circuit court to elect, prior to or after retirement, between the privilege of practicing law and the privilege of judicial assignment; providing for withdrawal of the election; and providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Gunter—

SB 144—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; amending subsection (29) of section 2 of chapter 70-112, Laws of Florida, appearing as §121.021(29), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement; removing the requirement that years of creditable service spent in the employ of the state be continuous in order to qualify for retirement benefits; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

SB 145—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public assistance; prohibiting the cashing or honoring of public assistance checks at any premise licensed to sell alcoholic beverages or at any licensed racetrack or jai alai fronton; making violation a misdemeanor; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Bishop—

SB 146—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus, orange stabilization act; providing that the remaining moneys collected pursuant to a certain marketing order be held intact until further instructions from the legislature; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 147-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to the compulsory attendance age of students.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 148-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to modern foreign language study in the elementary schools.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 149-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to state university facilities utilization.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Universities and Community Colleges.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 150-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to state junior college facilities utilization.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Universities and Community Colleges.

By Senator Horne—

SB 151—A bill to be entitled An act relating to governmental reorganization; amending sections 20.12 and 20.21, Florida Statutes, transferring the powers, duties, and functions of the documentary stamp tax bureau of the department of revenue under

chapter 201, Florida Statutes, to the department of banking and finance; deleting that portion which transferred all powers, duties and functions of the comptroller relative to the documentary stamp tax under chapter 201, Florida Statutes, to the department of revenue; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Horne—

SB 152—A bill to be entitled An act relating to governmental reorganization; amending sections 20.12 and 20.21, Florida Statutes, transferring the powers, duties and functions of the inheritance and estate tax bureau of the department of revenue under chapter 198, Florida Statutes, to the department of banking and finance; deleting that portion which transferred all powers, duties and functions of the comptroller relative to the inheritance and estate tax under chapter 198, Florida Statutes, to the department of revenue; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator McClain—

SB 153—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal penalties; amending section 775.082, Florida Statutes, creating new subsections (2) and (3) of section 775.082, Florida Statutes, providing that if the courts declare the death penalty unconstitutional, then those persons to be sentenced or those previously sentenced to death shall be sentenced to life imprisonment; renumbering subsections (2), (3), and (4) of section 775.082, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Brantley—

SCR 154—A concurrent resolution establishing an interim committee to study the needs of veterans in Florida; providing for the duties and expenses of the committee.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 155—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the establishment of a joint legislative committee on population and environment; providing that said committee shall be advisory to the governor and the legislature; providing for membership, duties, expenses, and necessary personnel of the committee; prescribing a report; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Arnold—

SB 156—A bill to be entitled An act to authorize the donation of state-owned land to the Federal Government to assist Congress in establishing the Florida Frontier Rivers National Cultural Park; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Natural Resources and Conservation.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

SB 157—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state, county, municipal, and all other public employees in the State of Florida; providing right to organize and bargain collectively as to terms and conditions of employment; providing separate methods of bargaining procedure as between state employees and local government employees; creating and providing administration by the Florida Public Employees Relations Commission within the Department of Administration; defining rights of public employees and employers; providing payroll dues deductions; providing rules and procedures for registration, recognition, and certification of employee organizations and bargaining agents; providing payment of fees and expenses in collective bargaining process; providing grievance proce-

dures; providing mediation and fact-finding procedures for state collective bargaining; providing advisory arbitration procedure for local collective bargaining; establishing unlawful actions and practices; providing procedures to handle unlawful actions and practices, penalties, and remedies; injunctive relief; providing effect of merit and civil service systems and state and local control of same; providing exemption from Section 286.011, Florida Statutes; providing repeal of Chapter 67-900 and 69-665, Laws of Florida, Section 839.221, Florida Statutes, and any other laws, ordinances, rules or regulations, collective bargaining agreements, or memoranda of agreement which conflict with this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Sayler—

SB 158—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the military code; amending §250.28, Florida Statutes, to provide that the lieutenant governor may call out certain troops in an emergency if the governor is unavailable; amending §250.31, Florida Statutes, providing a procedure for defending any action brought against an individual in his capacity as a member of the organized militia and the right to a change of venue; amending §250.32, Florida Statutes, to provide for the disbanding of large gatherings; repealing §250.15, Florida Statutes, relating to honorary membership in the Florida national guard; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Ware—

SB 159—A bill to be entitled An act relating to notary seals; amending §117.07, Florida Statutes, to provide that seals may be of the rubber-stamp or impression type; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Sayler—

SB 160—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; prohibiting discrimination because of race, creed, color, or national origin; prohibiting transporting of students to achieve racial balance in schools; providing for a unitary system of schools in this state; providing a definition of a unitary school system; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Sayler—

SB 161—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the division of health; amending §381.291, Florida Statutes; providing that the division shall issue orders requiring correction of any system of water supply, sewerage, refuse or sewage disposal constituting a menace to the public health; providing that the provisions of said section shall apply to migrant labor camps; amending §381.422, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-377, Laws of Florida, and §§381.432, 381.452 and 381.462, Florida Statutes; providing that the definition of migrant labor camp shall apply to such camp housing one (1) or more persons; eliminating the exemption of forestry or tobacco farm operation; requiring that any migrant labor camp operating without a valid license must be closed; providing for inspections of such camps as a condition to license validity; providing for license fees; providing that the license of any such camp shall be revoked if certain provisions of law, rule or regulation are violated; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Sayler—

SB 162—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxation and exemption therefrom; amending §196.199(1)(b), Florida Statutes, as created by chapter 71-133, Laws of Florida;

providing that property of the state used for governmental purposes shall be exempt from ad valorem taxation; providing that all general or special laws authorizing payment of ad valorem taxes on such property are superseded and declared void as against public policy; repealing §196.23, Florida Statutes, relating to the taxation of certain state prison farm lands; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Bishop—

SM 163—A memorial to the Congress of the United States requesting that all imported agricultural products be labeled to show point of origin.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator McClain—

SB 164—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bail; adding subsection (3) to §903.03, Florida Statutes, as amended by §21, chapter 70-339, Laws of Florida; providing no release on recognizance be granted if there is a previous felony conviction; providing a minimum and maximum bail for persons arrested for commission of felonies who have previous felony convictions; providing that bail not be granted for persons arrested for commission of felonies who have four (4) or more previous felony convictions; providing that the Supreme Court of Florida may establish a uniform bail bond schedule; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Myers—

SB 165—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the medical practice act, amending section 458.05 (3), Florida Statutes, to provide that under specified conditions, a graduate of a foreign medical school licensed in another state need not present an educational council for foreign medical graduates certificate or take the American medical qualification examination for foreign medical graduates in order to qualify to take the Florida board of medical examiner's examination; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Gunter—

SB 166—A bill to be entitled An act relating to credit unions; creating §657.24, Florida Statutes, authorizing officials of the state and political subdivisions thereof to provide office space to credit unions where space is available; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senators Lane, Bell, Stolzenburg and Weber—

SM 167—A memorial to the Congress of the United States requesting a constitutional convention for the purpose of proposing, or the proposal by Congress, of Amendment XXVII to the United States Constitution to prohibit certain government activity in competition with private enterprise, to repeal Amendment XVI, and to prohibit federal income, estate, and gift taxes.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Gunter—

SB 168—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of legal affairs; creating a division of utility rate review within the department; requiring the division to appear on behalf of the public at all hearings upon requests for increases in utility rates; allowing the division to make certain other appearances and take certain initiatives for the purpose of representing the consuming public in public utility matters at ad-

ministrative and judicial forums; requiring reports; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Stolzenburg—

SB 169—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle, trailer, and semitrailer registration license plates; amending §§320.06, 320.061, 320.13(3), 320.26(1), and 320.271, Florida Statutes; amending §§320.061 and 320.261, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-136, Laws of Florida; providing for certificates of registration, three (3) year reflectorized license plates, revalidation stickers, and for certain fees; providing for the transfer of license plates and for a transfer fee; providing that the changing or altering of revalidation stickers shall be unlawful; providing for an increase in reflectorization fee; providing a fee for duplicate certificates of registration or registration license plates or revalidation stickers; providing for annual renewal of registration; providing registration taxes; prohibiting the counterfeiting of revalidation stickers; making it a misdemeanor to attach to a motor vehicle license plates or revalidation stickers not assigned or transferred to said vehicle; providing for removal of registration license plates from used motor vehicles; providing for automobile dealers to register motor vehicles, trailers, or semitrailers; authorizing a prepayment by the department of highway safety and motor vehicles to division of corrections for manufacture of license plates; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Stolzenburg—

SB 170—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; method of fixing millage; creating §§200.031, 200.041 and 200.051, Florida Statutes, to provide that the governing and budget-making authorities of counties, tax districts and other tax levying agencies shall decrease the millage required of such county or district in proportion to the increase of the general level of assessed valuation of property; authorizing a ten percent (10%) increase in millage; providing for further millage increases in emergencies subject to limitations and review by a county budget commission or a county review commission; providing for verification of budgets and millage increases; authorizing the creation of a county review commission in certain counties and providing for performance of duties by the county officers constituting such review commission; specifying millages to be excluded from the reductions required by this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Plante—

SB 171—A bill to be entitled An act relating to employees' right to work; creating §447.17, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the requiring of union membership as a condition of employment; prohibiting such agreements between employers and labor organizations; restricting conditions for payroll deductions for union dues; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Stolzenburg—

SB 172—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of highway safety and motor vehicles; providing for personalized prestige automobile license plates; providing for application, fees, and issuance; providing for right of rejection of certain applications and recall of certain plates and return of fee; prohibiting duplicate plates; providing for transfer of plate to a replacement automobile with fee; defining prestige plates; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Poston—

SB 173—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reinspection of motor vehicles; adding paragraph (c) to §316.066(3), Florida

Statutes, as created by chapter 71-135, Laws of Florida; requiring an officer investigating an accident to affix on the windshield of a damaged motor vehicle a certificate requiring reinspection when such motor vehicle has any damaged parts subject to motor vehicle inspection; amending §325.23, Florida Statutes, requiring the department of highway safety and motor vehicles to adopt rules and regulations for the issuance of said certificates which require reinspection; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Poston—

SB 174—A bill to be entitled An act relating to title certificates for motor vehicles; amending §319.23(5), Florida Statutes, by increasing ten (10) day delinquency fee to twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for failure to apply for transfer of ownership of a motor vehicle; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Poston—

SCR 175—A concurrent resolution providing for joint meeting of the Florida congressional delegation with members of the Florida legislature for the purpose of planning Florida's legislative needs; and providing for appointment of fourteen (14) state legislators to the meeting; and providing a date for such meeting.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 176—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bulkhead lines in certain counties, repealing subsection 253.135 (3), Florida Statutes to delete exception provided therein.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Stolzenburg—

SCR 177—A concurrent resolution designating an appropriate wayside park within the State of Florida as the W. Guy Stovall Wayside Park.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Reuter—

SB 178—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending §98.051(1), Florida Statutes, to provide additional times the office of the supervisor of elections may be open; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 179—A bill to be entitled An act relating to felony cases; establishing a board of sentence review in each judicial circuit; providing mandatory review of sentencing of all felony cases; providing that the board shall be composed of at least three members, appointed by the chief justice of the supreme court; providing for the members' terms; providing for authority and scope of the board; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary—Criminal and Ways and Means.

By Senators Lewis (43rd) and Weber—

SB 180—A bill to be entitled An act relating to revolving credit accounts; amending section 520.35(3), Florida Statutes, to provide that finance charges on such accounts be computed

on the unpaid balance at the end of the billing period and that credit be given for payments made during the period; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senators Broxson and Ducker—

SB 181—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending section 236.04, Florida Statutes; providing 400 instruction units for salaries for elementary school guidance counselors; providing a minimum of one unit per district; providing that remaining units be allocated according to elementary school average daily attendance with fraction units allowed; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 182—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the oil spill prevention and pollution control act; amending §2(4) and (5), §3(7) and (13), §4, §6(1),(2),(6),(7) and (8), §7(1) and (2) (h), §8(2), §9, §11(1),(3),(5),(b),(c) and (6), §14, §16 and §21 of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing respectively as §§376.021(4) and (5), 376.031(7) and (13), 376.041, 376.06(1),(2),(6),(7) and (8), 376.07(1) and (2)(g), 376.09(2), 376.10, 376.11(1),(3),(5)(b),(c) and (6), 376.14, 376.16 and 376.21, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement; amending §3(9) of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing as §376.031(9), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, as amended by chapter 71-243, Laws of Florida; amending §12 of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing as §376.12, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, as amended by chapter 71-136, Laws of Florida; adding a new subsection (2) to §7 of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing as §376.07, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement; and creating §§376.125 and 376.145, Florida Statutes; clarifying certain provisions relating to legislative intent, definitions, and pollution of waters; providing penalties for operation of terminal facility without a license; requiring compliance with financial responsibility provisions for licensing; exempting terminal facilities with capacity of one hundred (100) barrels or less from registration, licensing and financial responsibility provisions; providing penalties for violation of regulations of department of natural resources; providing for revocation of suspension of license by department; deleting references to the Federal Water Quality Improvement Act of 1970; permitting the department to consult with other state departments; providing for credit of certain funds to the Florida coastal protection fund and deleting provision relating to waiver of right to reimbursement to said fund; providing for annual registration and inspection certificate and fees therefor; providing a formula for license fees; clarifying provisions relating to liabilities of terminal facility and vessel owners and operators and providing limitation and exceptions; adding specific provisions relating to evidence of financial responsibility of vessels and of terminal facilities; authorizing fees; clarifying language relating to penalty provisions for violation of chapter 376, Florida Statutes; deleting the provision that failure to report a discharge is a felony of the third degree and providing an additional alternative penalty for said offense; providing investigative and arrest powers of the department; repealing §6(4) and (5) of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing as §376.06(4) and (5), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, §7(2)(a),(b),(d),(e),(f),(g) and (j) of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing as §376.07(2)(a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f) and (h), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, §7(b), (c) and (i) of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing as §376.08, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, §8(5) of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing as §376.09(5), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, §13 of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing as §376.13, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, §15 of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing as §376.15, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, and §19 of chapter 70-244, Laws of Florida, appearing as §376.19, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, relating to certain vessels included within a terminal facility license, to fee for processing applications, to certain specific regulatory powers of the department, to duties of port manager, to powers of the governor relating to emergency proclamation, to derelict vessels and to limitation of county and municipal powers; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senators Bell, Weber and Lane—

SB 183—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; providing for uniform annual testing to determine achievement of basic reading fundamentals and skills of pupils in grades three and five; providing for the use of uniform annual testing of fundamental skills for each grade; prescribing tests of standardized use; providing for results of the testing to be supplied to each district school board and each county school superintendent; providing for exemptions; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senators Bell, Weber and Lane—

SJR 184—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Article IX, sections 1 and 4 of the State Constitution, to reserve exclusive jurisdiction of the public school system to the state, its school boards and courts, and to authorize the legislature to provide for the division of any county or counties into school districts.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senators Bell, Weber and Lane—

SB 185—A bill to be entitled An act relating to district school boards; creating Section 230.062, Florida Statutes, providing for existing school districts to be subdivided into new school districts; providing election and other procedure; providing for the apportionment of debt and distribution of funds; amending Section 230.19, Florida Statutes, relating to school board vacancies, to conform to this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Gunter—

SB 186—A bill to be entitled An act relating to adoption; amending §63.071(4), Florida Statutes, to prohibit filing of a petition of adoption unless the child is sought to be adopted by his stepparent, a blood relative, or is received by the proposed adopting parent or parents from a licensed child placement agency or by the Division of Family Services or if from an agency without the State of Florida with the written consent of the Division of Family Services; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 187—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the game and fresh water fish commission; creating §372.135, Florida Statutes; providing for the acquisition of wildlife sanctuary easements; providing definition; providing rules and regulations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator McClain—

SB 188—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to drug abuse; amending section 233.067, Florida Statutes, creating the drug education and rehabilitation act of 1972; providing definitions; providing the inclusion of community colleges, universities, and vocational-technical centers; providing that the department of education shall administer a program of drug education and rehabilitation for students in k through 12 and community colleges, universities, and vocational-technical centers in the state; providing cooperation with the drug abuse program of the department of health and rehabilitative services; providing that all information relating to participants shall be confidential; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 189—A bill to be entitled An act providing for review of sentences imposed by trial courts other than municipal; creating a sentence review board; providing the procedures for review; providing the powers, duties, staff, salaries and related matters with reference to the sentence review board; providing for appeals from errors of procedure or legality with respect to acts of the sentence review board; providing for jury mercy trials for death penalty cases; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary—Criminal and Ways and Means.

By Senator Henderson—

SCR 190—Memorializing the President of the United States that the United States Post Office issue a commemorative stamp honoring the United Spanish War Veterans.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Brantley—

SB 191—A bill to be entitled An act amending chapter 320.131 (1), Florida Statutes, changing the duration of temporary tags for motor vehicles from five (5) to twenty (20) days; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator McClain—

SB 192—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of judges; amending section 105.011, Florida Statutes, to provide for the nonpartisan election of claims court judges, small claims court judges, county court judges, small claims - magistrates court judges, and certain justices of the peace and magistrates; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Plante—

SJR 193—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 2, Article IX of the State Constitution relating to the state board of education.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Deeb—

SM 194—A Memorial to the Congress of the United States requesting a constitutional convention for the purpose of proposing, or the proposal by Congress, of Amendment XXVII to the United States Constitution to guarantee that the rights of students to attend the school nearest their place of residency shall not be denied or abridged for reasons of race, color, national origin, religion or sex, and to give Congress the power of enforcement by appropriate legislation.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 195—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the issuance of marriage licenses; amending Section 741.04, Florida Statutes, to permit the custodian with whom the minor is living to grant written consent to the marriage of such minor; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 196-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to the interest rate structure in the State of Florida.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 197—A bill to be entitled An act relating to abortion; repealing section 797.02, Florida Statutes, which makes it unlawful for anyone knowingly to advertise or cause to be advertised information or knowledge for the purpose of causing or procuring the miscarriage of any woman pregnant with child, and which provides penalties for such advertising; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 198—A bill to be entitled An act relating to flood control; creating §378.152, Florida Statutes, to prescribe penalties for violation of chapter 378, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 199—A bill to be entitled An act relating to flood control, recreational planning and development; amending §378.16(3), Florida Statutes, by deleting certain restrictions on the power of eminent domain; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 200—A bill to be entitled An act relating to eminent domain, attorneys' fees; creating §73.092, Florida Statutes, prescribing a formula for determining a median amount; establishing criteria for adjusting such amount; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 201—A bill to be entitled An act relating to flood control, flood hazard areas; creating §378.162, Florida Statutes, authorizing delineation and regulation of flood hazard areas; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator McClain—

SM 202—A Memorial to Congress for the approval of an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to prayer in public buildings;

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Daniel—

SB 203—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dressed poultry inspections; repealing subsection (4) of section 583.18, Florida Statutes; removing the inspection fee on all dressed poultry sold in this state or used in the preparation of food served to the public; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Daniel—

SB 204—A bill to be entitled An act relating to egg inspection fees; repealing section 583.07, Florida Statutes; removing the inspection fee collected by the department of agriculture and consumer services; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator McClain—

SB 205—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to supreme Court justices, district courts of appeal judges and circuit judges retirement system; amending section 123.10, Florida

Statutes, providing repayment of contributions upon reassignment of office; and providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Plante—

SB 206—A bill to be entitled An act relating to gambling; amending §849.25(2), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-136, Laws of Florida, to change the penalty for bookmaking from a misdemeanor to a felony; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator McClain—

SB 207—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the election of judges; amending section 105.011, Florida Statutes, to provide for the nonpartisan election of claims court judges, small claims court judges, county court judges, small claims - magistrates court judges, and certain justices of the peace and magistrates; amending section 105.071 prohibiting a judge from campaigning as a member of a political party; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senators Saylor, Ware, Deeb and Wilson—

SB 208—A bill to be entitled An act naming that portion of U. S. Highway 19, being in Pinellas County and running from the Pasco County line to the William Ennels Dean, Jr., Bridge, "Eisenhower Boulevard"; authorizing the department of transportation, in cooperation with the board of county commissions of Pinellas County, to erect appropriate markers designating "Eisenhower Boulevard"; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senators Saylor and Ware—

SB 209—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elected public officers; creating §111.012, Florida Statutes; restricting said officers from accepting money, services, materials or supplies for the financing of the performance of their official duties; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senators Saylor and Ware—

SB 210—A bill to be entitled An act relating to candidates' campaign contributions and reports; amending §99.161(4),(8), as amended by chapter 70-133, Laws of Florida, and (15), Florida Statutes, providing that the cutoff time for receiving contributions be changed from five (5) days to ten (10) days prior to the election; providing that five (5) days prior to the election a complete final report of contributions received shall be filed by the campaign depository and others for each candidate; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senators Saylor and Ware—

SB 211—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections, campaign contributions; amending §99.021(1)(a) and (b), as amended by chapter 70-269, Laws of Florida; amending §99.161(2), as amended by chapter 70-133, Laws of Florida; amending §99.161(6), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-267, Laws of Florida; providing that candidates for election or nomination to public office shall include within the candidate oath a statement affirming that he has no outstanding debts incurred during a prior campaign; providing that campaign contributions in excess of twenty dollars (\$20) must be in the form of a check; providing that no person shall accept any contributions to pay any debts incurred during a previous campaign; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Saylor—

**SB 212**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of pollution control; prohibiting the intentional dumping of any material inimical to human health and welfare, animal and aquatic life, ecological systems, economic potentialities, recreation and property, or transporting or causing to be transported such material through the air, the water or on the lands of this state for the purpose of dumping, or causing such material to be dumped into inland, coastal or international waters; providing exceptions; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; providing that the department must issue permits for the dumping of certain material; providing that the department shall, through appropriate rules and regulations, determine substances that may be disposed of without a permit; providing that the department shall issue appropriate rules and regulations necessary for assuring compliance with provisions of this act; providing that violation of a provision of this act shall be punished as provided in section 403.161, Florida Statutes; providing for liberal construction of the act; providing a savings clause; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Saylor—

**SB 213-SF**—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to the departments of pollution control, natural resources, health and rehabilitative services, game and fresh water fish commission, the internal improvement fund and the various water management and flood control districts.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Saylor—

**SJR 214**—A joint resolution of apportionment; providing for the reapportionment of the legislature into a senate of thirty-nine members and a house of representatives of one hundred seventeen members.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Knopke—

**SB 215**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to flood control; creating §378.152, Florida Statutes, to authorize the payment of rewards for information concerning unlawful acts on flood control district properties or works; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Knopke—

**SB 216**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state parks; authorizing the Department of Natural Resources to acquire Peanut Island in Palm Beach County; authorizing the development of such island as a state park; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A—

**SJR 217**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 3 of Article III of the State Constitution to provide that regular sessions of the legislature shall convene annually as provided by law.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A—

**SJR 218**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Sections 6 and 7 of Article IV of the State Constitution, relating

to the appointment and removal of department heads and to the suspension from office of certain public officials; limiting the authority of the legislature to require removals to be approved by the senate or three members of the cabinet to officers who have been designated as department heads; removing the limitation that only municipal officers indicted for crime are subject to gubernatorial suspension.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A—

**SM 219**—A memorial to the Congress of the United States requesting Congress to call a convention for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States pertaining to eight-year terms for judges of the Supreme Court and inferior courts thereof.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Haverfield—

**SB 220**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the official state flag; amending section 256.031, Florida Statutes, to provide secretary of state authority to disburse limited amount of said flags; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Arnold—

**SB 221**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to casualty insurance; adding subsections (8), (9) and (10) to §627.351, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-234, Laws of Florida; providing that casualty insurance be afforded applicants who are unable to procure such insurance through ordinary methods and who are in good faith entitled to such insurance protection against losses resulting from certain acts; providing for implementation by the department of insurance; providing a definition of casualty insurance as used in this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator McClain—

**SM 222**—A Memorial to Congress for the initiation of an amendment to the United States Constitution providing that each justice of the United States Supreme Court, each judge of the various Circuit Courts of Appeal, and each judge of the Federal District Court be appointed for a term of six (6) years;

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Daniel—

**SB 223**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to governmental boards and agencies of state, county and municipal governments; prohibiting abstention from voting by members of such boards and agencies in matters requiring votes; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Myers—

**SB 224**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to an interstate agreement on detainers; providing procedures whereby a prisoner in one state can request to be brought to trial within one hundred eighty (180) days in another jurisdiction in order to determine the final disposition of all pending untried indictments, informations or complaints on the basis of which a detainer has been lodged against him; providing procedures whereby prosecuting authorities shall secure prisoners incarcerated in other jurisdictions for trial prior to the expiration of their sentences; providing for the promulgation of rules and regulations concerning the operation of this interstate agreement by the director of the division of corrections of the de-

partment of health and rehabilitative services; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Poston—

SB 225—A bill to be entitled An act relating to miscellaneous crimes, ambulance safety; amending section 877.07(3), Florida Statutes; providing qualifications for ambulance drivers and attendants; providing site for examination; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Horne—

SB 226—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the highway patrol; amending chapter 321, Florida Statutes, by adding section 321.211, providing for a uniform upon retirement or death; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Thomas—

SM 227—A Memorial to the Congress of the United States making application to Congress to call a convention for the sole and exclusive purpose of proposing to the several states a constitutional amendment relating to the choosing of a presiding officer of the Senate.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 228—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending section 230.23, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapters 71-164 and 71-193, Laws of Florida, by adding subsection (19) authorizing the district school boards to appoint student advisory members; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Gunter—

SJR 229—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 3 of Article XI of the State Constitution; providing that the revision or amendment of any portion of the Constitution on one subject may be proposed by initiative of the people and providing procedure with respect thereto.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Saylor—

SJR 230—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 6 of Article VII of the State Constitution, providing a cut-off date of January 1, 1973, on the establishment of homestead exemptions except for persons residing in the state on such date or persons born in the state and providing for the continuance of exemptions then established.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Saunders—

SB 231—A bill to be entitled An act relating to outdoor advertising, amending section 479.11, Florida Statutes, relating to the prohibition of certain outdoor advertising; adding section 479.23, Florida Statutes, providing for removal of signs; adding section 479.24, Florida Statutes, providing for compensation for removal of signs; adding section 479.25, Florida Statutes, providing that the State of Florida shall not be held responsible for the cost of removal of all signs installed after the effective date of act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Knopke—

SB 232—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental protection; providing implementation of the provisions of Section 7, Article II of the State Constitution as the policy of the state, which provisions are not self-executing; declaring legislatively the policy of the state regarding environmental protection; providing for liberal construction of such policy; requiring consideration of the impact of state action on the environment and a record thereof; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Gunter—

SJR 233—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Article III and to Sections 1, 2, and 5 of Article XI of the State Constitution providing for a unicameral legislature and altering the composition of the constitution revision commission; adding a new section to the schedule, Article XII, to provide an effective date.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator McClain—

SM 234—A Memorial to Congress for the approval of an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the involuntary assignment of students;

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Plante—

SB 235—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the district school system; amending §231.29, Florida Statutes, and §232.14, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-136, Laws of Florida; providing that no school or attendance unit shall maintain records of students or employees indicating race, color, creed or national origin; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Graham—

SB 236—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to capital outlay appropriations for building construction; providing for the conduct of an advance project analysis by the department of general services as a condition precedent to any request for capital outlay funds; providing authority for the promulgation of necessary rules and regulations by the department of general services; providing for an advance project analysis prior to allocation of appropriated funds by the state university system; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Hollahan—

SM 237—A Memorial to the Congress of the United States to provide for the designation of the Flagler Monument and Island in Biscayne Bay as a national monument and park, and to provide for the reclamation thereof.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Saunders—

SB 238—A bill to be entitled AN ACT relating to pollution control; creating a division of environmental services within the department of pollution control; establishing the powers of the division of environmental services; authorizing statewide waste purification and disposal services; providing for service regions for projects of wastewater purification and solid waste disposal; authorizing the issuance and sale of revenue bonds; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senators Broxson, Ducker and Graham—

**SB 239**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending section 236.04, Florida Statutes; providing 233 instruction units for elementary school counselors; providing a minimum of one unit per district; providing that remaining units be allocated according to elementary school average daily attendance for the prior year with fraction units allowed; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senator Myers—

**SB 240**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; amending section 121.101 (4), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, by removing the three percent (3%) limit on the cost of living adjustment; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

**SB 241**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to shrimp preserves; amending subsections 370.15(6), 370.151(6), (7) and 370.152(8), Florida Statutes, making a second conviction for unauthorized shrimping in closed areas therein described a felony; providing penalties; amending chapter 370, Florida Statutes, by adding section 370.153, providing for revocation of, and ineligibility to apply for, a shrimp permit in the event of such unauthorized shrimping; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

**SB 242**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the employment of relatives by certain public officials; amending section 116.11, Florida Statutes, providing that any public official who violates section 116.111, Florida Statutes, shall be deemed guilty of misfeasance and malfeasance in office and shall be also deemed guilty of a misdemeanor; providing penalties; repealing section 116.10, Florida Statutes, relating to the prohibition of nepotism; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Arnold—

**SB 243**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to air pollution control; providing that it shall be unlawful to operate a motor vehicle which discharges a certain amount of visible emissions into the atmosphere; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Weissenborn—

**SB 244**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to interest on rent security deposits; amending subsection (2) of §83.261, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-360, Laws of Florida, and subsection (4) of said section, to provide for the payment of six percent (6%) interest on all such deposits over one hundred dollars (\$100); providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Sayler—

**SB 245**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the expenditure of public money; providing that no officer or employee of a state agency may be reimbursed for or charge to a state agency expenses for entertainment, promotional, or professional

activities unless specifically authorized in the appropriations bill; providing definitions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Karl—

**SB 246**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public business; adding subsection (4) to §286.011, Florida Statutes, to provide for the suspension from office of any public officer convicted of violating the provisions of said section; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Karl—

**SB 247**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public food establishments; amending Chapter 381, Florida Statutes, by adding section 381.51 to require public food service establishments to open their kitchens for inspection by the public; to post in a conspicuous place a sign inviting the public to inspect the kitchen, providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Lewis (33rd)—

**SB 248**—A bill to be entitled An act amending Sections 506.19, 506.20, 506.24, 506.25, 506.26, 506.27, and 506.28, Florida Statutes, relating to protecting owners of marked or branded field boxes or receptacles, by including pallets within the items protected; providing penalties; and providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Bishop—

**SB 249**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to attorney's fees in class actions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By the Committee on Transportation—

**SB 250**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the control of junkyards or scrap metal processing facilities adjacent to public highways; providing definitions; prohibiting the operation of junkyards or scrap metal processing facilities within one thousand (1,000) feet of the right-of-way, unless screened from public view; providing exceptions; providing for requirements for fences; providing the department of transportation shall have powers of eminent domain over certain lands; providing for enforcement by the department; providing a penalty; repealing §§861.13, 861.14, 861.15, 861.16, 861.17, and 861.18, Florida Statutes, and chapter 71-338, Laws of Florida, relating to control of junkyards and scrap metal processing plants adjacent to public highways; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Judiciary—Civil A.

By the Committee on Transportation—

**SB 251**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to outdoor advertising; amending §479.01, Florida Statutes, relating to definitions; amending §479.02, Florida Statutes, pertaining to enforcement of provisions by the department of transportation; creating §479.025, Florida Statutes, providing for execution of agreement; amending §479.03, Florida Statutes, relating to territory to which act applies; amending §479.11(1), Florida Statutes, prohibiting the erection of outdoor signs in certain areas; creating §479.111, Florida Statutes, permitting certain advertising signs; amending §479.16(12), Florida Statutes, excepting certain advertisements; creating §479.23, Florida Statutes, providing for removal of signs; creating §479.24, Florida Statutes, providing for compensation for removal of signs and use of power of eminent domain; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Haverfield—

SB 252—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the board of regents; providing for improved security in the state university system; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senator Gunter—

SB 253—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public education; amending §228.21, Florida Statutes, relating to trespass on grounds of educational institutions, to include within the terms of the crime trespass on the grounds of public schools; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Barrow—

SB 254—A bill to be entitled An act relating to game and fresh water fish; amending section 372.57(4)(a), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-26, Laws of Florida, exempting certain state residents from obtaining fishing licenses when fishing with poles for noncommercial purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Barrow—

SB 255—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the senate; providing for apportionment of the state into forty single member senatorial districts without overlapping territory; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Barrow—

SB 256—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sales and use taxes; amending subsection 212.02 (12), Florida Statutes, to remove the term electric power or energy from the definition of tangible personal property; amending subsection 212.05 (5), Florida Statutes, to exempt electric power or energy from taxation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Barrow—

SB 257—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government replacement revenues; authorizing a program of grants to municipalities and counties to be administered by the department of revenue; designating the method of apportioning replacement revenue grants; designating replacement revenues as general funds of municipalities and counties; making an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senators Ducker and Plante—

SR 258—A resolution relating to recycled paper; directing all agencies under the authority of the Senate of the State of Florida to use recycled paper whenever possible in the interests of environmental conservation and pollution control, and further requesting other public agencies to adopt a similar policy.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 259—A bill to be entitled An act relating to municipal water supplies; requiring an affirmative vote of the people if such municipal water supply is fluoridated; providing for petition from registered voters on the fluoridation question; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senators Sayler and Horne—

SB 260—A bill to be entitled An act relating to official court reporters; amending chapter 29.01, Florida Statutes, to provide that court reporters shall be appointed by a majority of the circuit judges within a judicial circuit; authorizing an official court reporter for each circuit judge; providing for term of office for official court reporters; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Sayler—

SB 261—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of pollution control; creating part II, chapter 403, Florida Statutes, to be known as the emergency water pollution clean-up, prevention and research act; declaring the intent of the legislature to establish a fund to be administered by the department of pollution control, whereby emergency water pollution situations may be contained and cleaned up, pollution prevention studies in healthy bodies of water may be conducted and continuous research may be conducted into the causes of water pollution which creates emergency situations; providing definitions; establishing the emergency water pollution clean-up, prevention, and research fund; providing for uses of the fund; providing emergency powers for the governor; providing for the powers and duties of the department; providing such powers shall be supplemental to chapter 403, Florida Statutes; providing an appropriation; providing that nothing in this act shall be in contravention of chapter 376, Florida Statutes, or any applicable federal law, rule or regulation; providing for liberal construction of the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Arnold—

SB 262—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the physically handicapped; amending §255.21, Florida Statutes, to require that certain public buildings afford facilities for the physically handicapped; providing for implementation of the act by the department of general services; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Ducker—

SB 263—A bill to be entitled An act relating to intangible personal property taxation: repealing all provisions of said chapter; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senators Barrow and Bishop—

SB 264—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of pollution control; amending subsection 20.26(1), Florida Statutes, placing the control of the department of pollution control and the pollution control board in the governor and cabinet; providing that any provision of chapter 403, Florida Statutes, in conflict with the provision hereof are superseded hereby; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator McClain—

SB 265—A bill to be entitled An act relating to habitual offenders of the motor vehicle safety code; providing legislative intent; providing the definition of an habitual offender; providing for the computation of the number of convictions; providing for procedure and prosecution; providing for prohibition of issuance of a driver's license; providing for procedure for restoration of license; providing for appeals; providing a penalty for violation; providing a saving clause for existing laws; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Barrow—

SB 266—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Ethlyn M. Anderson; providing that the division of personnel and retirement shall credit the late Sheriff Howard Anderson with additional service credit and that surviving spouse benefits shall be paid to Mrs. Ethlyn M. Anderson; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senator Scarborough—

SJR 267—A joint resolution proposing revision of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Florida, abolishing the office, duties and powers of the lieutenant governor, providing for the succession to the office of governor upon vacancy and for an acting governor under certain circumstances, and renumbering certain sections of Article IV.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Trask—

SB 268—A bill to be entitled An act relating to professional engineers; amending §471.21, Florida Statutes, requiring that the applicant be a graduate from an approved course in engineering or engineering related sciences; providing an exception; removing the time limitation on an engineer-in-training certification; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 269—A bill to be entitled An act relating to discriminatory practices based on sex; amending sections 13.201(2), 13.211(3) and 13.251, Florida Statutes, and section 409.026(5), 509.141(1), and 509.142, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, to add discrimination based on sex to discriminatory practices prohibited therein; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 270—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle licenses; creating §320.021, Florida Statutes; providing that confidential motor vehicle licenses be issued only to law enforcement agencies of the state, county, municipal, or federal governments; providing for written applications; providing certain state owned and operated motor vehicles display a distinctive license plate; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator McClain—

SB 271—A bill to be entitled An act relating to textbook councils; repealing section 233.10, F.S., providing confidential findings of council; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Bishop—

SB 272—A bill to be entitled An act relating to time; establishing a statewide beginning and ending date for daylight saving time; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 273—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the gas safety law; amending section 368.03, Florida Statutes, provid-

ing for property line jurisdiction of the public service commission; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Thomas—

SB 274—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the auditor general; amending section 11.45(3)(a), Florida Statutes, to provide for payment of cost of audits by the unit being audited; amending section 11.45(3), Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (d), to provide authorization for the auditor general to contract with private certified public accountants to conduct audits; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Haverfield—

SB 275—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the powers and duties of public officers; amending section 116.111(1)(a), Florida Statutes, relating to restrictions on employment of relatives; deleting institutions under the division of universities, district school boards and junior college districts as exceptions from the definition of "agency"; providing that persons employed on the effective date of this act shall not be affected; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 276—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida retirement system; providing that a member of the Florida retirement system who has served as a municipal judge may claim retirement credit for such judicial service; providing procedures and requirements relating to the evidence to be given and the amounts to be paid to the Florida retirement system in order to obtain such retirement credit; providing that creditable service granted shall be credited as provided in section 121.091(1), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senator Haverfield—

SB 277—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the board of regents; amending section 239.58, Florida Statutes, relating to university police officers; providing limitations on arrest jurisdiction; providing for authority to execute legal process, warrants or subpoenas when requested to do so; providing authority to arrest where warrants have been issued; clarifying arrest authority; providing authority to bear arms; providing for delivery of persons arrested to proper authority; providing for minimum standards and surety bonds on university police; providing for protection and immunities afforded other law enforcement officers; providing authority to promulgate rules and policies through a policy manual; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 278—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle licenses; amending section 320.083, Florida Statutes, by adding new subsection to provide that citizens' band radio station operators shall be issued a special license tag; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senators Haverfield and Myers—

SB 279—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the first accredited medical school; amending section 242.62 (1) and (3),

Florida Statutes; increasing the yearly payment by the state for each student admitted and enrolled; increasing number of students in first accredited medical school; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senator Wilson—

SB 280—A bill to be entitled An act relating to inventories of estates, wards and decedents; amending section 193.052(7), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, as created by section 11, chapter 70-243, Laws of Florida, to eliminate the requirements of filing annual or final accountings with the tax assessor; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senators Weissenborn and Lewis (33rd)—

SB 281—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to farm labor; amending sub-section (3) of section 5, chapter 71-234, Laws of Florida, providing that the payment of the required twenty-five dollar (\$25.00) registration fee from the farm labor contractor to the farm labor and rural manpower service shall be deposited in a trust fund in the state treasury and utilized for administration of the act.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senators Weissenborn and Lewis (43rd)—

SB 282—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Florida presidential preference primary; amending section 103.101, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-236, Laws of Florida; providing for presidential candidates to submit affidavits signed by them stating their desire to be placed on the Florida presidential preference ballot, stating their party affiliation and affirming that they shall not campaign for the presidency under a different party designation or as an independent; dissolving the presidential candidate selection committee; repealing subsection (4) providing for the withdrawal of a candidate and re-numbering remaining subsections appropriately; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Karl—

SB 283—A bill to be entitled An act relating to newspapers; repealing section 104.38, Florida Statutes, which provide newspaper assailing candidate in an election must give space for a reply or be guilty upon conviction of a misdemeanor; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senators Myers, Wilson, Lane, Beaufort, Johnson (29th), Knopke, Saylor, Poston, Ott, McClain, Gong, Boyd, Bell, Horne and Henderson—

SB 284—A bill to be entitled An act relating to abortion; stating findings and legislative intent; providing definitions; prohibiting abortions in this state unless performed under certain requirements and conditions; providing a residency requirement; providing for consent and physician's certification and requirement that abortion be performed in an approved medical facility; providing penalties for the performance of an unlawful abortion; providing specifically for the voluntary nature of the act; providing a severability clause; repealing sections 782.10, 797.01, and section 458.12 (1) (i), Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions—

SB 285—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the licensing of child care facilities; establishing legislative intent; provid-

ing definitions; establishing licensing standards; requiring licenses for child care facilities and providing for issuance, fees, renewals, exemptions and revocations of such licenses; providing for provisional licenses and hearings upon revocation of licenses; providing a penalty; providing for inspection by the department; providing exemptions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions—

SB 286—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the licensing of health care facilities; authorizing the division of health of the department of health and rehabilitative services to consider need as a factor in the licensing of such facilities; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; requiring health facilities to make application for an advisory need study to an approved areawide planning council or, in its absence, to the bureau of community medical facilities; providing for an advisory certificate of need study by the areawide planning council; providing for issuance of certificates of need; providing for exemptions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Reuter—

SB 287-SF—A proposal entitled An act relating to elections, proposing an amendment to section 98.031(1), Florida Statutes, suggesting an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 288—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to dissolution of marriages; amending section 61.052, Florida Statutes, as it appears in Chapter 71-241, Laws of Florida, by adding subsection 5; providing for court authority to partition property in dissolution of marriage proceedings; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Ott—

SB 289—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sodomy; amending §800.01, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-136, Laws of Florida; providing a definition; providing penalties; creating §800.025, Florida Statutes, providing for the crime of bestiality; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Hollahan—

SB 290—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of state; creating part III of chapter 493, Florida Statutes, consisting of Sections 493.60, 493.61, 493.62, 493.63, 493.64, 493.65, 493.66, 493.67, 493.68, 493.69, 493.70, 493.71, 493.72, 493.73, 493.74, 493.75, 493.76, 493.77, 493.78, 493.79, 493.80, 493.81, 493.82, 493.83 and 493.84; providing for regulation of collection agencies; providing definitions; providing for licensing, fees, and bonding of collection agencies; providing for the issuance of identification cards to certain employees of collection agencies; providing standards governing the issuance of licenses and cards; providing for prohibited practices applicable to persons generally; providing a penalty; providing a civil remedy; providing requirements and prohibitions applicable to collection agencies, card holders, licensees and creditors; providing for the use of injunctions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Bell—

SB 291—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jurors; amending Section 40.08, Florida Statutes, as amended by Chapter 70-138, Laws of Florida, to exempt osteopathic physicians,

chiropractors, and all medical physicians from jury duty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senators Weissenborn and Graham—

SJR 292—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Article XII, Section 9(a), of the State Constitution to delete the prohibition against the issuance of revenue bonds under the authority of Article IX, Section 17, of the Constitution of 1885, as amended; providing that revenue bonds, revenue certificates, or other evidences of indebtedness hereafter issued thereunder may be issued by the agency of the state authorized to do so by law.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committees on Judiciary—Civil A and Ways and Means.

By Senators Myers, Fincher and de la Parte—

SB 293—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dentistry; amending section 466.13, Florida Statutes, providing requirements for licensure of applicants who are graduates of foreign dental colleges or schools; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Hollahan—

SB 294—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bingo; creating part II of chapter 496, Florida Statutes, requiring the licensing by the department of state of organizations intending to operate the game of bingo and of persons intending to lease premises to such licensed organizations for use in the conduct of such games; prescribing the procedure and fees for such licensing; providing for the conduct of such games and the leasing of premises therefor; providing for suspension or revocation of licenses; providing for enforcement; providing penalties; amending section 849.093, Florida Statutes; exempting from the provisions of chapter 849, Florida Statutes, the holding or conduct of games of bingo by certain nonprofit organizations, subject to said organizations being licensed by the department of state pursuant to part II, chapter 496, Florida Statutes, and to their compliance with the provisions of said law; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce and Ways and Means.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 295—A bill to be entitled An act for relief of Sunco Wholesale and Distributing Company, Inc.; providing for an appropriation to compensate it for the value of unused Florida cigarette tax stamps contained in Pitney-Bowes cigarette tax stamp meter No. 41630, which was stolen from the company on April 21, 1971; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Reuter—

SB 296—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending §101.65(2), Florida Statutes, providing authority for United States postal superintendent, United States postal superintendent of mails, and postal clerk in charge to act as an attesting witness on the certificate of an absent elector; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Stolzenburg—

SB 297—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxes; providing for freezing tax millages at 1971 levels for all local taxing bodies in the state; providing for exceptions; providing for an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Weber—

SB 298—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the legislature or any state, county, district, or municipal board or commission; providing a limitation on eligibility for increases in compensation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Myers—

SB 299—A bill to be entitled An act relating to executive clemency; amending section 940.05, Florida Statutes, providing for restoration of civil rights under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 300—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certification of speech pathologists and audiologists; amending section 468.145, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection 468.145(4); providing for the department of education to waive examination and educational requirements for applicants who are certified to teach speech pathology and audiology and were so certified on July 9, 1969; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Barrow—

SB 301—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement benefits; providing for the eligibility of the surviving spouse of an elected official to receive state retirement system benefits if the elected official died in office prior to the completion of ten (10) years creditable service in said system and would have completed ten (10) years creditable service had he lived to complete the term of office; providing for additional contributions to the state retirement system by the surviving spouse; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senator Plante—

SB 302—A bill to be entitled An act relating to auditing of drainage district records; amending §298.65, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-136, Laws of Florida, providing for an annual audit of drainage district records by the auditor general; providing for a special audit to be made by the auditor general upon request of five percent of the land owners; providing for payment of the expenses of the audits; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Myers—

SB 303—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of health and rehabilitative services, division of health, repealing Section 401.04, Florida Statutes, abolishing the hospital services for the indigent advisory committee created thereby for the division of health, and providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Myers—

SB 304—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of health and rehabilitative services, division of corrections, repealing Section 945.05, Florida Statutes, and amending Section 945.06, Florida Statutes, to abolish the advisory council on adult corrections, and providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Brantley—

**SB 305**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulation of traffic on highways; amending §316.065, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, as created by chapter 71-135, Laws of Florida, by adding subsections (3) through (6) thereto; providing for the issuance of a "damage release sticker" as a prerequisite for having a vehicle involved in an accident repaired; providing that a report be made to authorities of any vehicle lacking such a sticker when it is evident that the vehicle has been involved in an accident, struck by a bullet or involved in the commission of a crime; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator McClain—

**SB 306**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation for innocent victims of violent crimes; providing definitions; setting forth elements of recovery; providing restrictions on who may recover; providing time limits; providing certain amounts of compensation; providing for attorney's fees; providing that certain charges shall be subject to penalties; establishing a crimes compensation commission; providing its membership, duties, powers, and compensation; providing for hearings; providing for judicial review; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary—Criminal and Ways and Means.

By Senator McClain—

**SB 307**—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to minors; providing a waiver of parental consent for emergency medical care or treatment of minors; providing for inspection of hospital records; providing immunity from prosecution for rendering said treatment; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Lane—

**SB 308**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hotels and restaurants, amending section 509.221 (9), Florida Statutes, to provide health certificates required by this section to be filed by physicians licensed under either chapter 458 or 459, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Lane—

**SB 309**—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to workmen's compensation law, amending section 440.13(1), Florida Statutes, to limit payments of practitioners licensed under chapter 460, Florida Statutes, to services related to the musculo-skeletal system; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senators Lane, Weber, Bell and Stolzenburg—

**SB 310**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to racetracks in any county in the state having a population of not less than six hundred thousand (600,000) and not more than eight hundred seventy-five thousand (875,000), according to the latest official census; authorizing an extra day of racing operations; providing that all profits from such day shall be paid to the Broward County Unit of the American Cancer Society for research and educational programs; providing that such extra day shall be in addition to any other additional days; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Daniel—

**SB 311**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of general services; amending section 272.161, Florida Statutes; providing penalties for wrongfully parked vehicles; providing for authority to tow away wrongfully parked vehicles; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Lane—

**SB 312**—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to circuit courts; providing for appointment by governor of a census committee pursuant to section 26.011, Florida Statutes, to determine population of the seventeenth judicial circuit; providing for the expenditure of county funds for the conduct of such census; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary—Civil A and Ways and Means.

By Senator Horne—

**SB 313**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement benefits for certain state officers and employees; amending section 112.05, Florida Statutes, by providing a cost-of-living adjustment for retired members and those who retire on or after July 1, 1972; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senator Horne—

**SB 314**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the conference of circuit judges; amending §26.55(1), Florida Statutes, to provide for an elected chairman of such conference annually rather than biennially; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Daniel—

**SB 315**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the bond fee trust fund; amending section 215.65(1), Florida Statutes, providing the unencumbered surplus of the fund shall not exceed two hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$225,000) at the end of any fiscal year.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Horne—

**SB 316**—A bill to be entitled An act providing for retirement benefits for persons who have exercised the duties of the office of governor of Florida; making an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senators Weber and Karl—

**SCR 317**—A concurrent resolution for consumer education in the State of Florida.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Daniel—

**SB 318**—A bill to be entitled An act amending the Florida construction industry licensing law; providing that the state, or any county, or municipality, may require that bids for construction of public buildings be accompanied by evidence that the bidder holds an unrestricted certificate of registration issued pursuant to such law; providing that state, county, and municipality officials shall determine compliance with such law before awarding a contract; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Arnold—

**SB 319**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax on special fuels; amending §206.87(4), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-995, Laws of Florida, adding paragraphs (e) and

(f); providing that certain transfers or deliveries of special fuel into the fuel supply tanks of certain motor vehicles shall not be taxed as a sale; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senators Horne, Thomas, Saunders, Daniel, Pope, Hollahan, Fincher, Beaufort, Arnold and Boyd—

SB 320—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state public officers and employees; providing recomputation of retirement benefits to persons over sixty-five (65) years of age with ten (10) years of creditable service; amending chapter 112, Florida Statutes, by adding section 112.363; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senators Horne, Brantley, Thomas, Saunders, Daniel, Pope, Hollahan, Fincher, Beaufort, Arnold and Boyd—

SB 321—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Florida retirement system; amending section 121.101, Florida Statutes, 1970 supplement to Florida Statutes, 1969, by amending subsection (4), amending and renumbering present subsection (5) as subsection (6) and adding a new subsection (5); providing that beginning July 1, 1972, the annual cost-of-living adjustment shall be computed on the base benefit; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senators Horne, Thomas, Saunders, Daniel, Pope, Hollahan, Fincher, Beaufort, Arnold and Boyd—

SB 322—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state public officers and employees; providing recomputation of retirement benefits to persons over sixty five (65) years of age with ten (10) years of creditable service; amending section 112.362, Florida Statutes; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senators Horne and Brantley—

SB 323—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending §97.021(14), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-269, Laws of Florida, redefining "minority political party"; amending §98.111(5), Florida Statutes, providing for registrants' choice of political affiliation; amending §§101.261 and 101.262, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, as created by chapter 70-269, Laws of Florida, providing the requirements for placing the names of minority political party candidates for legislative, state, and local offices on the general election ballot; amending §103.021(3), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-269, Laws of Florida, providing the requirements for placing the names of minority political party candidates for president and vice-president of the United States on the general election ballot; repealing §103.021(4), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, as created by chapter 70-269, Laws of Florida, relating to procedure for printing names on the general election ballot; providing a severability clause; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senators Horne, Ott, Daniel and Gunter—

SB 324—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of general services, amending section 272.13, Florida Statutes, to provide for a bureau of security within the division of building construction and maintenance; providing for powers and duties, including the authority to bear arms and make arrests; providing for personnel, providing for use of electronic surveillance equipment, its installation and use; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senators Horne and Daniel—

SB 325—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the division of the Florida highway patrol of the department of highway safety and motor vehicles; appropriating funds for the purpose of increasing salaries of certain employees of the division; declaring legislative intent; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senators Saylor and Knopke—

SR 326—A senate resolution expressing the respect and admiration of this body for the late Spessard L. Holland.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senators Henderson and Gong—

SB 327—A bill to be entitled An act relating to portraits of historical personages; repealing sections 15.04, 15.05, and 15.06, Florida Statutes; adding a new section 15.034 to provide secretary of state with authority to have portraits of historical personages painted; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senators Plante and Trask—

SB 328—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parental neglect; creating §828.043, Florida Statutes; providing that it is illegal for parents or guardians to knowingly or negligently fail to exercise certain control over their minor children resulting in the commission of criminal acts; providing definitions; making violation a misdemeanor; providing for notification to the parents upon the arrest of their minor children; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senators Poston, Gunter, Beaufort, Johnson (34th), Stolzenburg and Bell—

SB 329—A bill to be entitled An act relating to county planners; providing that a county, or in cooperation with contiguous counties, may employ either a full-time or a part-time county planner; providing for a maximum compensation for each; providing for payment by the county or counties of said compensation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senators Beaufort, Poston, Childers, Johnson (34th) and Stolzenburg—

SB 330—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; amending §337.11(4) (a), (b) and (c), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-377, Laws of Florida, to require all supplemental agreements to be approved by the secretary; providing that supplemental agreements may exceed the physical limits of the original contract or project under certain conditions; amending the definition of physical limits; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senators Poston and Fincher—

SB 331—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to legislative apportionment; transferring Monroe County from the 36, 37, 38 and 39th senatorial district to the 45, 46, 47 and 48th senatorial districts, providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Reapportionment and Redistricting.

By Senators Childers, Beaufort, Johnson (34th), Stolzenburg, Bell and Poston—

SB 332—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; amending subsection (7) of §253.124,

Florida Statutes, as created by chapter 70-333, Laws of Florida, and appearing as subsection (8) of §253.124, Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, relating to the granting of fill permits by the board of trustees of the internal improvement trust fund, establishing an immediate procedure for the temporary repair of structures or roadways on the state highway system when life or public property is in danger; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senators Gunter, Poston, Childers and Beaufort—

SB 333—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; adding subsection (5) to §339.09, Florida Statutes, to provide for the department to expend gasoline funds or any other available funds as are necessary on non-federal aid projects, to provide for the relocation and moving expenses of persons displaced by the acquisition of their land, homes or business for transportation or other related projects; providing that the department of transportation shall have the authority to do what is necessary, including the power of eminent domain, to carry out its responsibilities under this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Arnold—

SB 334—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; providing for the channeling of all federal aid funds for mass transit and aviation purposes through the department; providing for any agency, county or municipality of this state to designate the secretary of transportation to act as its agent to accept, receive and disburse such funds in accordance with an agreement entered into pursuant to the federal law, laws of this state and rules of the department; providing for mass transit and aviation funds to be requested on the basis of public transportation needs; providing that the department may transfer funds within the public transportation program to make the best use of federal aid, so as not to lose any federal aid or to violate any trust indenture or any bond issue; repealing all laws in conflict; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senators Arnold, Childers, Beaufort, Johnson (34th) and Bell—

SB 335—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; amending §20.23 (2)(b), Florida Statutes, to change the name of the division of transportation planning to the division of planning and programming; amending §20.23(4), Florida Statutes, transferring the powers and duties relating to the airport licensing law from the division of transportation planning to the division of mass transit operations; amending §330.261, Florida Statutes, to define the powers and duties of the division of transportation planning and mass transit operations with relation to aviation; repealing §20.23 (3), Florida Statutes, relating to the powers and duties of the division of transportation planning, and repealing all other laws in conflict herewith; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senators Beaufort, Childers, Johnson (34th) and Poston—

SB 336—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; adding subsection (5) to §337.27, Florida Statutes, to authorize the department to enter into agreements with other public agencies to provide for multiple use of transportation right-of-way; authorizing the department to use the powers of eminent domain to acquire land contiguous to transportation rights-of-way for multiple use projects; authorizing the expenditure of gas tax revenues for such purposes to the extent of being eligible for maximum federal aid; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senators Gunter, Poston, Childers, Beaufort and Johnson (34th)—

SB 337—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; amending §339.09(4), Florida Statutes; providing for the department to comply with the federal "Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970"; providing that the department shall have the authority to do what is necessary, including the use of the power of eminent domain, to carry out its responsibilities under said act; providing for the department to expend such gasoline funds, to the extent required by federal law to be eligible for federal aid for such projects; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Haverfield—

SB 338—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating the state student assistance grant trust fund; providing for the department of education to administer student assistance grant program; providing standards of eligibility for student assistance grants; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senators Ducker and Saylor—

SB 339—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of insurance; renaming the "division of state fire marshal", department of insurance, as the "division of state fire services"; transferring the bureau of state fire college to the division of state fire services; transferring the fire fighters standards council to the division of state fire services; transferring the advisory council of the state fire college to the department of insurance; renaming the "bureau of arson and fire prevention", department of insurance, as the "bureau of state fire marshal"; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senators Myers and McClain—

SB 340—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law revision; establishing the law revision council; providing for its members, their terms and appointments; providing for the functions to be exercised by the council and its reports to the Legislature; authorizing the council to employ personnel and exercise powers for the performance of its functions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary—Civil B and Ways and Means.

By Senator Weissenborn—

SB 341—A bill to be entitled An act relating to handguns; providing definitions; requiring the registration of handguns, as defined, by every person possessing such weapons, with the department of law enforcement; requiring the registration of importers, manufacturers, and dealers of handguns; providing exemptions; requiring written orders preliminary to the transfer of handguns and providing that no transfer shall occur prior to three days next following receipt of such order; providing for the preparation and issuance of such order forms by the department of law enforcement and providing the minimum requirements therefor; requiring that importers, manufacturers and dealers maintain such records in relationship to transactions in handguns as may be required by regulations of the commissioner of the department of law enforcement; providing for the promulgation of rules and regulations by such department for enforcement and administration of this act; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary—Criminal and Ways and Means.

By Senators Hollahan and Myers—

SB 342—A bill to be entitled An act relating to qualifications of barbers and apprentices from other states; amending section 476.11(1)(b), Florida Statutes, to require additional required

training to be completed in a Florida approved barber college or school; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 343—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the law enforcement officers minimum foundation program financing; amending section 163.550, Florida Statutes, to provide the inclusion of section 163.562, Florida Statutes, in the short title; amending section 163.552, Florida Statutes, providing definitions; creating section 163.5531, Florida Statutes, providing for the financing of the program; providing restrictions for participation to law enforcement officers earning at least six thousand dollars (\$6,000); providing requirements for eligibility and participation; providing for certain educational criteria to be met to qualify for participation; providing that the maximum amount to be received from the appropriations provided pursuant to this act shall not exceed one hundred thirty dollars (\$130); providing that the police standards council shall set rules and regulations; providing restrictions on local units to prevent circumventing any local units present or currently planned normal pay increases; creating section 163.562, Florida Statutes, providing for a no strike provision; providing appropriations; repealing sections 163.553, 163.554, 163.555 and 163.556, Florida Statutes; providing for no severability; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary—Criminal and Ways and Means.

By Senator Lane—

SB 344—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Broward County, Florida; providing an additional beverage license for the Oakland Park Lions Club; providing an effective date.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to SB 344.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Lane—

SB 345—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Broward County, Florida; amending section 2 of chapter 71-575, Laws of Florida, by adding a new subsection (a) providing that the South Florida building code as applicable to Broward County shall apply to all new buildings and structures, both private and public, and to all alterations in any new buildings and structures, both private and public; amending section 17 of chapter 71-575, Laws of Florida, by adding a new subsection (g) providing that the South Florida building code as applicable to Broward County may be enforced by injunctive proceedings; providing an effective date.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to SB 345.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator de la Parte—

SB 346—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the beverage law; amending Chapter 561, Florida Statutes, by adding Section 561.65; permitting production of wine for family use without tax, fee or license; providing effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Haverfield—

SB 347—A bill to be entitled An act authorizing and empowering the state, its departments, agencies, political subdivisions and legislatively established port and airport authorities to comply with the provisions of the federal relocation assistance and real property acquisition policies act of 1970 in connection with public projects for which federal funds are available and used; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Haverfield—

SB 348—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of commerce; authorizing the department of commerce to expend up to fifty thousand dollars each calendar year from funds appropriated to it, for the purpose of funding equal participation by the state of Florida with the Florida host city for the National Football League Super Bowl pre-game and half-time activities; providing that any portion of the funds unused for such purposes shall revert to the state general revenue fund; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 349-SF—A proposal to be entitled An act relating to the cigarette tax.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions—

SB 350—A bill to be entitled An act relating to adoptions of hard-to-place children; setting forth legislative intent; establishing definitions; providing for a public information program; providing for a waiver of adoption fees; providing for a report to the legislature; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 351—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; providing that the commissioner of education develop a plan for the use of diagnostic and remediation services by the school districts; providing that each district report to the commissioner on the diagnostic and remediation services to be used each year in that district; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 352—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending section 236.04, Florida Statutes; providing instruction units for teacher aides; providing a minimum of one unit per district; providing that remaining units be allocated according to average daily attendance for the prior year with fraction units allowed; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 353—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending subsection (1)(a) of section 232.01, Florida Statutes, by requiring mandatory school attendance at age six (6) effective July 1, 1972; amending subsection (1)(a) of section 232.01, Florida Statutes by requiring mandatory school attendance at age five (5) effective July 1, 1975; repealing subsection (1)(d) of section 232.01, Florida Statutes, effective July 1, 1973; repealing subsection (1)(e) of section 232.01, Florida Statutes effective July 1, 1973; repealing section 232.04, Florida Statutes, effective July 1, 1973

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 354—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; providing a maximum class size in kindergarten through grade three of 20 pupils in current daily enrollment; allowing a maximum class size of 28 pupils in current daily enrollment when a teacher aide is employed, in addition to a qualified teacher; providing for the withholding of 10% of minimum foundation funds for exceeding the maximum limit; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senator Lane—

SB 355—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Broward County, Florida; amending section 5 of chapter 63-1190, Laws of Florida, as amended; providing that reasonable expenses of the Broward County Industrial Development Board shall be paid by the board of county commissioners of Broward County; providing that the development board may accept gifts, grants, contributions or other assistance from any private or public person, firm, organization or association; repealing conflicting laws; providing an effective date.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to SB 355.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Lane—

SB 356—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Broward County, Florida; repealing chapters 25716, Laws of Florida, 1949, and 27432, Laws of Florida, 1951; relating to providing for the office of purchasing agent for Broward County, prescribing his powers and duties and fixing his salary; providing an effective date.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to SB 356.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 357—A bill to be entitled An act relating to contracts for public buildings and public work projects; amending §215.19 (1) (a), Florida Statutes; providing an increase in the minimum contractual agreement that is subject to prevailing wage rates; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Myers—(By request)—

SB 358—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the practice of optometry; amending subsection (5) of section 463.11, Florida Statutes, providing for standards and the regulation of branch offices; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Myers—(By request)—

SB 359—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Optometric Law; amending Section 463.17, Florida Statutes, providing a maximum fee for the renewal, and reissuance of certificates providing a charge for late renewal and providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senator Myers—(By request)—

SB 360—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the practice of optometry; amending section 463.02, Florida Statutes, providing for the appointment of the members of the Florida state board of optometry; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senators Henderson and Plante—

SB 361—A bill to be entitled An act relating to The Capitol Building; providing for the department of general services to commission a portrait of former Governor of Florida, Claude R. Kirk, Jr.; providing that said portrait shall be displayed in The Capitol; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Graham—

SB 362—A bill to be entitled An Act amending the Florida water pollution control and sewage treatment plant grant act of 1970; amending subsection (1) of §403.1826, Florida Statutes, and §403.1827, Florida Statutes, to allow state participation up to fifty per cent of the total cost of preparation of official plans.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Graham—

SB 363—A bill to be entitled An act relating to removal of disabilities of nonage, minor student capacity to borrow; amending §743.05, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-147, Laws of Florida; providing definitions; enacting the uniform minor student capacity to borrow act; providing any obligation signed by a minor sixteen (16) or more years of age in consideration of an educational loan is enforceable as if he were an adult at the time of execution; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senators Karl and Brantley—

SB 364—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disclosure of meat packaging; making it unlawful for any retail food dealer to sell certain meats unless packaged in transparent containers; or opens the package upon request and notifies the public of their rights; setting requirements for public display of the sign; providing for rule making authority and enforcement by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce and Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 365—A bill to be entitled An act relating to personnel of school system; amending chapter 231.50, Florida Statutes, relating to incapacitated elderly teachers; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senators Poston and Beaufort—

SB 366—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; amending § 338.21, Florida Statutes, relating to the elimination of railway-highway crossing hazards; providing for the department to have regulatory authority over all public railroad crossings; providing for the issuance of permits to open or close such crossings; providing that the department shall have authority to regulate speed limits of railroad traffic; providing for notice and public hearings; providing for the repeal of statutes in conflict; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senators Poston and Beaufort—

SB 367—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation, highway classification; repealing §335.04(3)(d), Florida Statutes, as re-enacted by chapter 71-355, Laws of Florida, to remove the existing requirement that any roads heretofore maintained at any time as a primary road shall be maintained, constructed and reconstructed as a part of the primary road system; repealing laws in conflict; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Brantley—

SB 368—A bill to be entitled An act creating the Florida air conditioning contractors' licensing board; fixing qualifications

of members and providing powers and duties of the board; fixing certification procedures and fees thereof; providing exemptions; providing penalties; providing that the Florida air conditioning contractors' licensing board shall be a part of the department of professional and occupational regulation, division of occupations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Brantley—

SB 369—A bill to be entitled An act creating the Florida sheet metal contractors' licensing board; fixing qualifications of members and providing powers and duties of the board; fixing certification procedures and fees thereof; providing exemptions; providing penalties; providing that the Florida sheet metal contractors' licensing board shall be a part of the department of professional and occupational regulation, division of occupations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Brantley—

SB 370—A bill to be entitled An act creating the Florida roofing contractors' licensing board; fixing qualifications of members and providing powers and duties of the board; fixing certification procedures and fees thereof; providing exemptions; providing penalties; providing that the Florida roofing contractors' licensing board shall be a part of the department of professional and occupational regulation, division of occupations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senator Brantley—

SB 371—A bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation of justices and judges; amending section 26.091, Florida Statutes, to provide that the compensation of justices of the supreme court shall never be less than that of a judge of a United States district court; amending section 35.19, Florida Statutes, to provide for the salaries of judges of the district courts of appeal; amending section 26.51, Florida Statutes to provide for the salaries of circuit judges; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary—Civil A and Ways and Means.

By Senator Bishop—

SB 372—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; designating a portion of U. S. Highway 129 in Suwannee and Hamilton counties as the "Boys Ranch Road"; providing for the erection of appropriate markers by the department of transportation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Plante—

SB 373—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the killing of law enforcement officers; providing for rewards to persons giving information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons killing law enforcement officers; providing for administration by the Florida cabinet; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary—Criminal and Ways and Means.

By Senator Barrow—

SB 374—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; designating a portion of State Road 85A in Okaloosa County as "Lewis Turner Road"; authorizing the department of transportation to affix markers; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Sayler—

SB 375—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of pollution control; amending §403.021, Florida Statutes, adding subsection (8), to authorize the department, not in contravention of federal maritime or anti-pollution laws, to control pollution on land and to provide legislative declaration and policy relating to liability for loss of contaminants in water or on land; amending §403.061(7), Florida Statutes, specifying department rules and regulations with reference to contamination or potential contamination of air, water and land; amending §403.121, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapters 70-114, 70-439, 71-136 and 71-355, all Laws of Florida, adding subsections (5) and (6), to provide additional enforcement procedures with reference to boarding vessels, and maintenance by port authorities of equipment and personnel to prevent and to clean up pollution; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Sayler—

SB 376—A bill to be entitled An act relating to license fees for mobile homes; amending §320.081(5), (6), Florida Statutes, to reduce to one dollar and fifty cents (\$.50) per license sold the amount to be retained in the general revenue fund; providing for the return of a portion of said license fees to the municipalities wherein they were collected; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce and Ways and Means.

By Senators Sayler and Plante—

SB 377-SF—A proposal to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle inspection; proposing a legislative review and analysis of the statewide motor vehicle inspection program to determine if the cost in time and money is justified in terms of improved highway safety; suggesting that the annual expenditure of about fourteen million dollars (\$14,000,000) might better be spent in additional highway traffic law enforcement; suggesting that such review and analysis be carried out by the transportation committees of both houses and that a report be made to the 1973 session of the legislature.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 378—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation of school children regulating number of passengers; amending section 234.08(2), Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (i) limiting number of passengers to provided seats; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Beaufort—

SB 379—A bill to be entitled An act relating to municipal taxes on public services; amending section 167.431(1), Florida Statutes; providing that the portion of a facility supplying fuel oil and gas purchased from a non-franchised gas company shall not be considered a public or private utility; providing the sale of fuel oil or gas purchased from a non-franchised gas company shall not be considered a utility service; providing that the purchase of fuel oil and gas purchased from a non-franchised gas company shall not be subject to the "utility tax"; providing that the sale or purchase of fuel oil and gas from a non-franchised gas company shall not be considered a competitive utility service; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce and Ways and Means.

By Senator Trask—

SB 380—A bill to be entitled An act to amend Sections 687.02 and 687.03, Florida Statutes, defining usurious contracts and making it unlawful to impose, charge or take interest in excess of the rate therein prescribed, by modifying the interest rate

which may lawfully be charged for obligations in excess of five hundred thousand dollars; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Arnold—

SB 381-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to instructional television.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Universities and Community Colleges.

By Senator Arnold—

SB 382—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of transportation; adding subsection (5) to §337.27, Florida Statutes, to provide for the acquisition of whole tracts, rather than partial takings, for transportation facilities under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Ware—

SB 383—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida highway code; amending section 339.24(1), Florida Statutes; and adding subsection (4) to said section; providing for cooperation in road or street beautification programs by the division of road operations, boards of county commissioners, and municipal corporations; providing that division of road operations shall not destroy trees or shrubbery within rights-of-way of roads or streets in areas within the jurisdiction of such counties or municipalities; providing exceptions; providing that the division of road operations shall not prohibit the planting or trees or shrubbery by county or cities within rights-of-way of certain roads and streets; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator McClain—

SB 384—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to educational institutions; making it unlawful for speakers to advocate certain specified violent action on the campuses of such institutions; providing a felony penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator McClain—

SM 385—A Memorial to Congress for the approval of an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to prayer in public places;

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator McClain—

SB 386—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to mechanic's liens; creating section 713.021, Florida Statutes, to require a lienor to have an occupational license as a prerequisite to obtaining a lien when otherwise required by law; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Weber—

SB 387—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State Career Service System; amending Chapter 110, Florida Statutes by adding a provision in Section 110.021(2), for meritorious service awards to employees for increasing state revenues; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senator Arnold—

SB 388—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bonefish; providing for the method of taking or attempting to take bonefish; prohibiting the sale or purchase of bonefish; providing a bag limit and minimum size for bonefish; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator McClain—

SB 389—A bill to be entitled An act revising the probate and guardianship laws; repealing or conforming those sections of chapters 732, 733, 734, 744, 745 and 746, Florida Statutes, which are in conflict with or contained in the Florida Rules of Probate and Guardianship Procedure or are substantively the same as sections located elsewhere in the statutes relating to courts and by amending sections 732.30(1), 732.44(3), 732.47(1), 732.54, 733.23, 734.03(2), 734.04(2), 744.16(2), 744.17, and 745.33(2); repealing sections 732.02, 732.03, 732.25, 732.281, 732.29(1)-(5), 732.30(2), (3), (4), 732.34, 732.37, 732.40, 732.43, 732.45(2), 732.47(2), (3), 732.55, 732.56, 732.57, 732.59, 732.60, 733.03, 733.04, 733.05, 733.08, 733.09, 733.10, 733.11, 733.12(1), (2), 733.13, 733.28, 733.36, 733.43, 733.44, 733.45, 733.46, 733.47, 733.49, 733.50, 733.51, 734.03(1), (3), 734.04(1), 734.08, 734.09, 734.10, 734.13, 734.14, 734.15, 734.16, 734.17, 734.18, 734.19, 734.22, 734.26, 734.31(2), (3), (4), (5), 744.28, 744.29, 744.32, 744.36, 744.46, 744.53, 744.54, 744.55, 744.56, 744.57, 744.66, 745.06, 745.07, 745.08, 745.09, 745.10, 745.12, 745.13, 745.24, 745.25, 745.26, 745.27, 745.28, 745.29, 745.30, 746.01, 746.02, 746.04, 746.05, 746.06, 746.07, 746.08, 746.09, 746.12, 746.121, and 746.17, Florida Statutes.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senators Horne, Poston, Beaufort, Johnson (34th), Stolzenburg and Bell—

SB 390—A bill to be entitled An act relating to highway secondary trust funds; amending §339.031, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-377, Laws of Florida, to comply with governmental reorganization, providing for the issuance of fuel tax anticipation certificates without bonds; providing for interest; providing for advances of highway secondary trust funds in the same manner as the first gas tax funds are advanced under §339.10, Florida Statutes; providing that funds shall not be expended contrary to the constitution or in any manner to lose federal aid funds; providing for the division of transportation planning of the department of transportation to report to the secretary of the department; providing for the secretary to approve and issue such fuel tax anticipation certificates for execution by the county; providing for the department to maintain a certain amount of noninvested funds; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Poston—

SB 391—A bill to be entitled An act relating to and establishing state policies and procedures to be known as the "professional services procurement act," for the procurement of professional services of architects, optometrists, certified public accountants, attorneys, physicians, surgeons, registered engineers, and land surveyors, by agencies and departments of the State of Florida, political subdivisions, counties, municipalities, districts, public authorities, or publicly-owned utilities; defining terms; declaring public policy; prohibiting contracting for such services by competitive bidding; providing for severability; providing a repealing clause; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Poston—

SB 392—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation of motor fuels; providing that any county may, in the discretion of its governing body, and subject to a referendum, impose in addition to all other taxes required by law a one cent (1¢) tax upon every gallon of gasoline and other like products of petroleum sold in such county for the purpose of paying the costs

and expenses of establishing, operating and maintaining a local public transit system; providing that such tax shall be collected in the same manner as all other gas taxes and returned to the county where collected; providing for distribution of said tax; providing the expenditure of county funds for public transit service to be a county purpose; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Poston—

**SB 393-SF**—A proposal to be entitled An act relating to the establishment of bicycle paths.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Poston—

**SB 394**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the support, operation and maintenance of the Florida Wing of the Civil Air Patrol; providing an appropriation; providing for the purchase of surplus materials; providing for furnishing a surety bond; providing a severability clause; repealing laws in conflict; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Efficiency and Ways and Means.

By Senators Ducker and Plante—

**SR 395**—A resolution relating to the Rodman Reservoir; requesting that the level of water be lowered to thirteen (13) feet above mean sea level.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senators Ducker and Plante—

**SB 396**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juries; amending §40.44, Florida Statutes, as created by chapter 71-52, Laws of Florida, providing that when the alternative method of drawing juries by use of mechanical, electrical or electronic means is approved, the office of jury commissioner is abolished and the duties of jury commissioners shall be assumed by the clerk of the circuit court; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senators Ducker and Plante—

**SB 397**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to persistent pesticides; adding paragraph (c) to §487.031(9), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-52, Laws of Florida, to require the department of agriculture and consumer services to file records on the amount and kind of persistent pesticides sold in the state; providing for yearly reports to the department of agriculture and consumer services by any person, company, or corporation selling persistent pesticides in this state; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senators Ducker and Plante—

**SB 398**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community redevelopment; creating §163.441, Florida Statutes, providing for acceptance of the community redevelopment act by referendum in counties and municipalities; providing exceptions to a referendum requirement; providing for a new referendum after a certain period if the municipality or county initially rejects the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Trask—

**SB 399**—A bill to be entitled An act amending Section 212.08, Florida Statutes; adding Section 212.08(8) providing that the sales tax on leased or rented machines and equipment shall be paid only until such time that the tax paid equals the sales tax

that would have been paid had the article been sold at cost plus forty percent; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Poston—

**SCR 400**—A concurrent resolution designating State Road 809 as the "Military Trail".

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Arnold—

**SB 401**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to shad fishing during spawning season; amending 370.11(3), Florida Statutes; prohibiting use of certain equipment and objects on inside waters of the State; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Lane—

**SB 402**—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to specially selected numbers on automobile license plate; amending section 320.72(5), Florida Statutes, providing authority to issue automobile license plate stamped Member of Congress or United States Senator; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Lane—

**SB 403**—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to fees for adoption placement costs; amending section 409.155, Florida Statutes, to exempt from payment of fees those petitioners with income of \$10,000 or less; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senator Scarborough—

**SB 404**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; setting aside the provisions of §122.10(3), Florida Statutes, for state employees who were permitted to retire simultaneously under the provisions of §112.05 and chapter 122, Florida Statutes, prior to April 23, 1969; requiring the administrator of the Florida retirement system to establish rules and procedures to prevent such dual retirements; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senators de la Parte and Williams—

**SB 405**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending §230.764, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapters 70-94, 70-198 and 71-355, Laws of Florida, providing that junior college instruction units be based on average daily attendance in the current year; amending §230.765(1), Florida Statutes, providing a definition of average daily attendance; amending §230.766, Florida Statutes, providing that junior college transportation units be based on students transported in the current year; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senators de la Parte, Williams, Trask, Gunter and Thomas—

**SB 406**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the university system; creating Section 229.122, Florida Statutes, providing for a determination of costs; providing for the recovery of certain educational costs from students enrolled in postgraduate and professional programs; providing for recovery of certain payments made by the state on behalf of students enrolled in postgraduate or professional programs in private institutions or in

institutions in another state; providing a limitation on obligations; providing for the removal of disabilities of nonage; providing conditions of repayment to include deferments; providing exceptions; providing for waiver; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senator de la Parte—

SB 407—A bill to be entitled An act relating to appropriations; providing appropriations supplemental to chapters 71-357 and 71-358, Laws of Florida, to provide additional moneys for community colleges; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Lane—

SB 408—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide added penalties for certain armed crimes; providing for mandatory punishment, successive sentences, and mitigating circumstances; and protecting the civil rights of citizens in the lawful use of firearms; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Lane—

SB 409—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to traffic regulation; amending chapter 317, Florida Statutes, by adding section 317.792, prohibiting the operation of tandem trailer combinations on highways; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Ducker—

SB 410-SF—A proposal to be entitled An act relating to taxation of motor fuel; providing an exemption for nonprofit educational institutions in the state of Florida.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Weissenborn—

SB 411—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the landlord and tenant security deposit act; amending section 83.261(2), (4), Florida Statutes, and adding sub-sections (8), (9) and (10) thereto, to require that landlords place deposit money in interest-bearing escrow account; providing for the state attorney in each county to be enforcement officer; providing penalty for failure to comply; providing that, under certain conditions, court costs and a reasonable attorney fee shall be assessed against the losing party when a suit is necessary to obtain the return of the security deposit and interest; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Myers—

SB 412—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to criminal procedure; amending chapter 901, Florida Statutes, by adding sections 901.27, 901.28, and 901.29, authorizing an arresting officer to issue a citation to appear in court in lieu of taking a person before a magistrate in misdemeanor cases; amending sections 901.06, and 901.23, Florida Statutes, releasing officer from duty to take a person before a magistrate when a citation to appear is issued; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Myers—

SB 413—A bill to be entitled An act relating to minors; authorizing maternal health and birth control information and

services of a non-surgical nature to be provided to minors under certain conditions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Beaufort—

SB 414—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation of school children; providing that all occupants of a public school bus shall be seated while the bus is in motion; providing that the driver be responsible for enforcing this act and for informing the school principal of violations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Horne—

SB 415—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state career service; creating §110.061(5), Florida Statutes, providing for the payment of attorney's fees for employees dismissed on or after July 1, 1970, and later reinstated; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senator Weber—

SB 416—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bingo games; amending §849.093, Florida Statutes; providing for licensing of nonprofit organizations for the purpose of conducting bingo and guest games; providing requirements for the issuance of licenses; providing that proper records be maintained and open for inspection; providing that game premises and equipment be open for inspection; providing that violation shall be a misdemeanor of the second degree; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Brantley—

SB 417—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction contracts; providing that certain provisions in construction contracts which undertake to hold the promisor free from liability for his own negligence shall be void and unenforceable as against public policy; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Poston—

SB 418—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle license plate taxes; amending §320.10, Florida Statutes, to provide an exemption from payment for any local transit system motor bus; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Haverfield—

SB 419—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student charges, fees, and fines in public community colleges; establishing procedures for recommending and approving said fees; setting certain fees; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senator Haverfield—

SB 420—A bill to be entitled An act relating to university laboratory schools; amending subsection (10) of section 236.07, Florida Statutes, by adding a new paragraph (e), providing that an amount equal to the local required effort divided by the average daily attendance including university laboratory school average daily attendance, multiplied by the university laboratory school average daily attendance be subtracted from

the total allocation to districts in which university laboratory schools are located in determining the state allocation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senators Deeb and Weber—

SB 421—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to forced busing in public schools, placing said question before the voters in the primary election to be held on March 14, 1972.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Deeb—

SB 422—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the transfer of the Division of the Florida Highway Patrol and Division of Drivers License to the Department of Law Enforcement.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Brantley—

SB 423—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire fighters as herein defined; specifically authorizing collective bargaining and collective bargaining agreements between fire fighters and their public employers; establishing the right to organize and bargain collectively; prohibiting the right to strike; providing for the recognition of a bargaining agent; providing for arbitration of disputes by an arbitration board; providing for appointment of arbitrators and payment of same; providing decisions of board shall be advisory; providing for payroll deductions of dues; providing act to be applicable to all political subdivisions; providing certain exemption from 286.011, Florida Statutes; repealing conflicting laws and ordinances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Broxson—

SB 424—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the University of West Florida; providing for field testing a conceptual design for establishing an educational research and development center at the university; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senator Broxson—

SCR 425—A concurrent resolution encouraging district school boards to provide modern foreign language studies in the elementary schools and assign a high priority to the teaching of Spanish in such programs.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Horne—

SB 426—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public assistance; creating §409.196, Florida Statutes, providing for the computation of financial assistance for recipients of aid to the aged, blind, and disabled when residing together under certain conditions; authorizing the division to promulgate rules and regulations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senator McClain—

SB 427—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public contracts; creating part II of chapter 286, Florida Statutes, to be known as the honesty in bidding act; providing specific clauses for contracts involving expenditure of public funds; providing

that public prosecuting officers shall file civil actions; providing penalties; providing definitions; providing a severability clause; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Poston—

SB 428—A bill to be entitled An act relating to governmental reorganization; creating §20.35, Florida Statutes; creating a department of tourism; establishing a division of information and tourist promotion and a division of hotels and restaurants within the department; transferring the division of hotels and restaurants of the department of business regulation and certain duties of the division of commercial development of the department of commerce to said department; providing powers and duties of the department and its divisions; creating an advisory council on tourism within the department and providing for its members, their appointment, terms and duties; repealing §20.16(2)(b) and (6), Florida Statutes, relating to the division of hotels and restaurants of the department of business regulation, and §288.03(1), (2) and (4), Florida Statutes, relating to certain powers and duties of the division of commercial development of the department of commerce; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Poston—

SB 429—A bill to be entitled An act relating to probation; amending §948.01(3), Florida Statutes, to prohibit the court from withholding the adjudication of guilt in cases where the defendant has committed the offense of driving under the influence; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 430—A bill to be entitled An act relating to oil and gas wells; adding subsection (9) to §377.24, Florida Statutes, prohibiting the drilling of oil and gas wells in certain areas; expressing legislative intent; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 431—A bill to be entitled An act relating to occupational license taxes; amending section 205.531, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (3); providing for a license tax applicable to certain temporary art and collector's exhibitions at which tangible personal property is traded or sold; providing that said tax shall be in lieu of the tax imposed by section 205.531(1), Florida Statutes; providing for construction of subsection; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 432—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale of subdivided lands, amending section 478.121, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (4), to provide that all permits required under Chapter 253, Florida Statutes, be obtained prior to sale of such subdivided lands; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 433—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the trustees of the internal improvement fund; amending section 253.12 and 253.124, F.S.; providing that applications for sales or conveyances of any interest in submerged lands; the establishment of bulkhead lines and dredge and fill permits be considered at the same time; providing an exception; providing for a three (3) year work period commencing upon receipt of all other governmental authorizations; providing for renewal of permits so

granted; conforming to the prior right of counties to purchase lands to this procedure; providing an additional method of judicial review; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 434—A bill to be entitled An act relating to rights-of-way to public beaches; adding subsection (10) to §375.031, Florida Statutes, authorizing the division of recreation and parks to provide matching funds to counties or municipalities for the purchase of rights-of-way to public beaches; providing that the division shall not provide any funds unless the existing accessibility to such beaches warrants it; providing a minimum two (2) mile separation between rights-of-way; providing an exception to said limitation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Saunders—

SB 435—A bill to be entitled An act relating to steel animal traps; providing for the prohibition of the use of steel traps for trapping animals; providing penalty for violation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 436—A bill to be entitled An act authorizing any county to enact an ordinance adopting the provisions of any code or public record by reference without setting forth the provisions of said code or public record in full; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 437—A bill to be entitled An act to amend Section 197.375, F.S. 1969, relating to disposition of Murphy act funds; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 438—A bill to be entitled An act relating to inland lakes of less than seven hundred fifty (750) acres; defining certain nuisances related to water pollution and shore erosion; providing a procedure for landowners to petition the board of county commissioners to abate water pollution and shore erosion; authorizing boards of county commissioners to enact ordinances to abate such nuisances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 439—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating 230.67, 230.68, and 230.69, Florida Statutes; providing for the district school boards to establish and operate research, development and demonstration schools; requiring such schools to meet certain standards to be adopted by the department of education; authorizing the department of education to adopt performance standards for such schools; providing exemptions for such schools from the laws governing accreditation, certification and contract requirements for personnel, length of the school day, month, year or fiscal year, requirements of the minimum foundation program, and course of study and instructional materials; providing that the state board of education shall adopt regulations for determining state funds to be allocated for such schools; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (29th)—

SB 440—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the department of health and rehabilitative services, welfare trust fund; amending section 402.18, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (5), authorizing division directors to provide for the advancement of subsistence and travel expenses from the welfare trust fund to employees transferring inmates; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Broxson—

SJR 441—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 4 of article IV of the State Constitution, relating to the chief state school officer, to require that he be appointed; abolishing the commissioner of education; and proposing to create section 2A, article IX, of the State Constitution, to provide specific term, qualifications, powers and duties of the appointed office.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Broxson—

SJR 442—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section 4 of article IV, an amendment to section 2 of article IX and proposing the creation of section 18 of article XII of the State Constitution relating to the establishment of an appointed state board of education, and transferring certain functions to the cabinet.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Governmental Efficiency.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

SB 443-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act providing reimbursement for civil liability to high hazard employees of the State and all of its political subdivisions; amending Chapter 111, Laws of Florida; suggesting mandatory coverage and mandatory legal services in the event of litigation; suggesting an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

SB 444-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act extending full pay and allowances to State high hazard employees during job incurred disability; suggesting an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 445—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state and county officers and employees retirement system; amending §122.13, Florida Statutes, providing that the system shall maintain and update certain records annually; providing that persons contemplating retirement give advance written notice to the division of personnel and retirement; providing a time limit by which the division shall validate records and institute payment of retirement benefits; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

SB 446-SF—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to lawful weight and load of motor vehicles, providing for inspection by the Florida Highway Patrol, suggesting an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

**SB 447-SF**—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to retirement for all "high hazard" employee members of the Florida Consolidated Retirement System, Chapter 122, Laws of Florida; suggesting an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

**SB 448**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to "high hazard" employees of the State of Florida; by amending Chapter 112, Florida Statutes, by adding Section 112.121; providing for the payment of the premiums or charges for health, accident, or hospitalization insurance for said employees; providing a special grouping for "high hazard" employees of the State of Florida for such purpose; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senator Scarborough (By request)—

**SB 449**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public defenders; amending subsection (2) of section 27.56, Florida Statutes, to provide that the public defender may contract with a collection agency for the collection of any debt or lien imposed by section 27.56, Florida Statutes, providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Deeb—

**SB 450**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcoholic beverages; amending §561.34(3)(g), Florida Statutes, as created by chapter 71-361, Laws of Florida, providing for tax to be imposed on vendors operating places of business for consumption for more than three (3) permanent locations within said premises and excluding therefrom service bars and temporary or portable bars; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

**SB 451-SF**—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to increased retirement benefits for employees considered to be high hazard under Section 122.34, Laws of Florida, by increasing percentages of retirement pay to surviving beneficiaries; suggesting an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

**SB 452-SF**—A proposal to be entitled An Act relating to salaries of State law enforcement officers; suggesting Six hundred eighty-five dollars (\$685.00) starting salary; suggesting Seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00) after probationary period; suggesting One hundred sixty-nine dollars (\$169.00) pay increase for all other law enforcement officers; suggesting certain restrictions and policy changes; suggesting an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senator Scarborough—

**SB 453**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the teachers' retirement system; amending §238.03, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-377, Laws of Florida, to provide that when a member gives advance written notice of retirement to the division, the first monthly retirement benefit shall be paid thirty days after the member's last day of employment; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By the Committee on Universities and Community Colleges—

**SJR 454**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 2, Article IX of the State Constitution, relating to the state board of education; removing the office of governor and the officers of the cabinet from the state board of education; providing that the state board of education consist of nine appointive members to be a body corporate and have such supervision of the state educational system as is provided by law; providing that the new state board of education succeed to the certain powers imposed upon the state board of education as created and constituted by Section 3 of Article XII of the constitution of 1885, as amended, and as adopted by reference by Article XII, Section 9 of the State Constitution of 1968 and requires the state board of education to assume and administer the powers and duties imposed by those sections upon the state board of education for the life of those sections.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Thomas—

**SB 455**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of education; creating §229.8021, Florida Statutes, to require the division of universities of the department of education to compel various educational institutions to reduce the credit hours required for the granting of certain degrees; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Universities and Community Colleges.

By the Committee on Universities and Community Colleges—

**SB 456**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the composition of the department of education; amending §20.15(1), (2), (3), (4)(c) and (d), (10), (12) and (13), Florida Statutes, providing for the designation of a nine member appointive state board of education, with members to serve four years staggered terms; providing for appointment by the governor on a nonpartisan basis and requiring the consent of the senate; providing terms; providing for the appointment of a chairman to serve at the pleasure of the governor; providing for a five member quorum; providing for the abolishment of the board of regents; providing for the appointment or removal of community or junior college presidents; providing for the employment of a director of the division of universities by the state board of education; providing for the abolishment of the appointment procedure for the members of the board of regents and junior college trustees; providing for a type five transfer of the junior college boards of trustees; repealing §20.15(11), Florida Statutes, relating to the board of regents; repealing §§229.012 and 229.031, Florida Statutes, relating to the state board of education; repealing §230.753, Florida Statutes, relating to junior college boards of trustees; repealing §§240.011 and 240.021, Florida Statutes, relating to the board of regents; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Governmental Efficiency.

By the Committee on Universities and Community Colleges—

**SJR 457**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 4, Article IV of the State Constitution, relating to the commissioner of education; removing the commissioner of education from the cabinet.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Ware—

**SB 458**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to municipalities; providing procedures for municipal enactment of ordinances and adoption of resolutions; requiring certain publications; providing definitions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 459—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; amending subsection 201.021(1), Florida Statutes, to remove the documentary surtax exemption for existing mortgages, providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims—

SB 460—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state career service employees; amending §110.022(1), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-354, Laws of Florida, to provide for certain holidays; amending chapter 110, Florida Statutes, by adding §110.112 to designate certain holidays; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 461—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal appeals by state; amending §924.07, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-339, Laws of Florida; authorizing the appeal from all adverse trial rulings on questions of law and removing the limitation on the number of appeals from pre-trial orders; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 462—A bill to be entitled An act relating to perjury; creating §837.021, Florida Statutes, providing penalties for perjury by contradictory statements under oath or affirmation; providing that the court determine whether a statement is material; providing that it is not necessary to prove which contradictory statement is not true; providing that it shall be a defense that the accused believed each statement to be true at the time he made it; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 463—A bill to be entitled An act relating to loitering and prowling; creating §856.021, Florida Statutes, defining the crime of loitering or prowling; creating §856.031, Florida Statutes, providing for arrest without warrant for the crime of loitering or prowling; providing a penalty; repealing §§856.02 and 856.03, Florida Statutes, relating to arrest of vagrants; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 464—A bill to be entitled An act relating to breaking and entering; amending §810.07, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-29, Laws of Florida, to extend prima facie evidence of entering with intent to commit a misdemeanor to apply to the entering of a building, ship or vessel; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 465—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal procedure; amending §921.141, Florida Statutes, to provide for bifurcated trials in capital cases; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 466—A bill to be entitled An act relating to larceny in mercantile establishments; amending §811.022, Florida Statutes,

as amended by chapters 70-280 and 71-30, Laws of Florida; providing for detention of a suspect upon reasonable grounds, and for further detention pending arrival of a peace officer; providing for search, and seizure of goods unlawfully taken; providing for the placing of defendant's fingerprints on judgments of conviction; providing that a judgment of conviction shall be admissible as evidence in a subsequent prosecution to establish a prior conviction; providing for transmission of a copy of the judgment to the sheriff of the county in which rendered; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 467—A bill to be entitled An act relating to obstructing justice; providing that tampering with jurors is a felony; prohibiting tampering with or fabricating physical evidence prior to or during the pendency of a proceeding or investigation; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 468—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arrest without warrant; amending §901.15, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-339, Laws of Florida, to provide for arrest by a peace officer without warrant upon the reasonable belief that a crime is being or has been committed; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 469—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arrests; amending §901.151(5), Florida Statutes, to provide that a law enforcement officer may search a person detained under the stop and frisk law for a dangerous weapon, on the reasonable belief that the person possesses such weapon; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Graham—

SB 470—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to environmental manpower; establishing a grant program for support of training in environmental protection through the department of health and rehabilitative services, division of health, bureau of sanitary engineers; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senator Graham—

SB 471—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to property tax collections; amending Section 197.055, Florida Statutes, to provide that the four per cent (4%) discount for early payment of taxes shall be applicable to payments made within thirty (30) days of the notice of taxes due; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senators Myers and Graham—

SB 472—A bill to be entitled An act relating to contracts with instructional staff; amending §231.36(7), Florida Statutes, by providing for continuing contract as classroom teacher for teacher elected to school board; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Public Schools.

By Senator Graham—

SB 473—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to bonds or other obligations; amending section 1 of chapter 69-1739, laws

of Florida, appearing as sections 130.012(1), 169.021(1), and 215.685(1), Florida Statutes, 1970 supplement, to provide that the state board of administration may allow, under certain conditions, local bond issuing units to issue bonds having a rate of interest in excess of seven and one half percent (7½ %) per annum; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Myers—

SB 474—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the public health; prohibiting sale or distribution of cigarettes in public health centers and other state, county or municipal medical facilities; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Gunter—

SCR 475—A concurrent resolution proposing that the Florida legislature designate the day of March 7, 1972 as "Project 7th of March Day in Florida," and urging that the governor issue a proclamation.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Gunter—

SB 476—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the teachers' retirement system; amending §238.181(2), Florida Statutes, to increase the number of hours that a retired school teacher may be employed on a part-time basis; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Gunter—

SB 477—A bill to be entitled An act relating to apprentice barbers; amending §476.03, Florida Statutes, to provide that no more than three apprentices be employed for each master barber; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By the Committee on Vocational-Technical Education—

SB 478—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state board of education; amending §229.053(2)(m), Florida Statutes; providing that the state board of education shall formulate vocational education courses of study for grades seven through twelve; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Vocational-Technical Education.

By Senator Daniel—

SB 479—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Public service commission; creating section 366.031, Florida Statutes; political activities prohibited; providing that telephone companies, public electric, gas, water and sewer utilities are prohibited from engaging in certain political activities; providing penalties and disposition thereof for violation of the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Daniel—

SB 480—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dentistry, dental hygiene and dental laboratories; amending section 466.02, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (4), and section 466.24 (3)(e) and section 466.38, Florida Statutes, providing for limited dental services to be performed by dental auxiliaries and dental hygienists; amending chapter 466, Florida Statutes, by adding section 466.59, declaring a violation of the chapter; amending sections 466.03(4) and 466.28(3), Florida Statutes, to provide for changing words "state dental society" to "dental

association"; amending section 466.08(4), Florida Statutes, to provide for changing word "assisting" to "auxiliary programs"; amending section 466.08, Florida Statutes, by adding subsections (10) and (11), providing that the board establish educational and training requirements and promulgate rules and regulations in regard to dental auxiliaries and dental hygienists; amending section 466.09, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (7), defining dental auxiliaries, subsection (8), defining supervision, and subsection (9), defining direct supervision; amending section 466.41(3)(a), Florida Statutes to provide for changing word "assistants" to "auxiliaries"; amending section 466.41 (1) and (4) by striking the words "supervision and"; amending section 466.41 (2) by striking the words "and supervision"; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senators Poston, Brantley and Lewis (43rd)—

SB 481—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to independent post-secondary schools; providing definitions; creating a state board of independent post-secondary schools, prescribing powers and duties of board; assigning certain powers to state board of education; providing for licensing of certain schools and their agents; fixing fees; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Poston—

SB 482—A bill to be entitled An act relating to land surveyors; amending §472.01(2) and (3), Florida Statutes, by redefining "person" and "land surveyor" or "professional land surveyor," and adding subsection (4) to said section to define "practice of land surveying"; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senators Henderson and Pope—

SB 483—A bill to be entitled An act relating to "dog guide" to accompany blind master; amending section 413.08, Florida Statutes, providing that "dog guide" may accompany master on public conveyance and in public places; adding subsection providing that it is unlawful for owners of dogs to allow their dogs to interfere with a "dog guide" performing his function and providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senators de la Parte, Thomas, Saunders, Bishop, Williams, Boyd and Pope—

SB 484—A bill to be entitled AN ACT relating to the division of youth services of the department of health and rehabilitative services; providing a memorial in the name of Howell E. Lancaster; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

By Senator Barrow—

SB 485—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending § 101.141(4), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 71-236, Laws of Florida; amending §101.151(4) and 101.26, Florida Statutes; amending §4 of chapter 71-49, Laws of Florida, appearing as §105.041(3), Florida Statutes; providing that the name of the incumbent, if a candidate, shall appear first on the ballots for primary, general, and nonpartisan elections; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B.

By Senator Arnold—

SB 486—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Poster Art displays, inc., Jacksonville, Florida, to compensate the company for financial losses incurred as the result of action by

the department of agriculture and consumer services; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

SB 487—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arrests; amending §901.06 and §901.23, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-339, Laws of Florida, to provide for reports of arrests with or without warrants; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal.

By Senator Barron—

SB 488—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance policies; amending section 627.0118 of part II of chapter 627, Florida Statutes, requiring insurance contracts dealing with vision care and requiring inclusion of optometrists within the term of coverage with respect to the services which may be provided by optometrists by law; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senators Myers and de la Parte—

SB 489—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mental health; amending subsection (7) of Section 394.76, Florida Statutes, to eliminate the prohibition against state expenditures for capital improvements; amending Section 394.76, Florida Statutes, to authorize state expenditures for capital improvements for community mental health facilities, providing that said state expenditures are part of an overall community mental health plan in the board district where such funds will be expended; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senator Myers—

SB 490—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of health and rehabilitative services; providing definitions; creating section 959.022, Florida Statutes, to provide for the department to develop and implement state-operated, regionally-administered detention services for children; providing for a comprehensive plan; providing for the assumption of certain county services and property by the department; providing for the employment of county employees affected by this act by the department; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senators Myers, de la Parte and Weissenborn—

SB 491—A bill to be entitled An act relating to professional and occupational regulation; amending chapter 455, Florida Statutes, to provide that no person shall be disqualified from applying for examination to practice any occupation or profession regulated by an administrative board defined under chapter 455, solely because he is not a United States citizen; providing that said administrative boards may require proof of intention to become a citizen; providing for adjudication of complaints of violation of this act; repealing all statutes or parts of statutes inconsistent with this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Myers—

SB 492—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida retirement system, chapter 121, Florida Statutes, changing the normal retirement age for regular members from age 62 to age 60; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 493—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public work projects; providing definitions; providing for public work projects to be established by the department of health and rehabilitative services; providing for the assignment to such projects of persons receiving public assistance; providing that such assignments be made by the department or the state employment service pursuant to provisions of this act; providing for the determination of eligible persons for such assignments; providing for public adult education and vocational training in lieu of assignment to such public work projects; providing that persons who refuse such work or training shall be ineligible for public assistance; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 494—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public assistance; providing that public assistance shall not be provided to any employable person who is not registered with the Florida state employment service or who has refused employment; defining refusal to accept employment; defining employable person, requiring certain public assistance recipients to receive such assistance grants and allowances in person at local office of governmental body; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Childers—

SB 495—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead tax exemption; amending §196.031(3), (4)(a), Florida Statutes, as created by chapter 71-309, Laws of Florida; providing the same homestead tax exemption to the totally and permanently disabled as is prescribed for people sixty-five years of age or older; providing new due dates for tax assessors' reports and report to the legislature; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Poston—

SB 496—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the establishment of minimum standards for the operation of nonpublic independent academic schools in Florida; encouraging and recognizing private accreditation agencies for such schools and providing for the establishment of minimum standards for such agencies; requiring all nonaccredited schools to establish compliance with minimum standards; setting forth minimum standards and providing for the adoption of additional minimum standards; establishing an independent academic school board, providing for the qualifications of members of the board and the chairman, and establishing the powers and duties thereof; providing for the function and power of the state board of education; requiring a certificate of compliance for the operation of schools and providing for procedural requirements and the payment of fees; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Haverfield—

SB 497—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the establishment of minimum standards for the operation of nonpublic independent academic schools in Florida; encouraging and recognizing private accreditation agencies for such schools and providing for the establishment of minimum standards for such agencies; requiring all nonaccredited schools to establish compliance with minimum standards; setting forth minimum standards and providing for the adoption of additional minimum standards; establishing an independent academic school board, providing for the qualifications of members of the board and the chairman, and establishing the powers and duties thereof; providing for the function and power of the state board of education; requiring a certificate of compliance for the operation of schools and providing for procedural requirements and the payment of fees; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Myers—

**SB 498**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the public health; creating the Health Maintenance Organization Act; setting forth legislative intent, findings and purposes; establishing definitions; requiring health maintenance organizations to obtain a charter; providing for the application, issuance and revocation of said charter; requiring a governing body and authorizing medical advisory boards; providing for notice, hearing and review; providing for examination by the department; providing for fees; providing for construction and relationship to other laws; setting forth minimum requirements for health maintenance contracts; providing procedures for change in charter, contract or rate; providing for acceptable payments from third parties; providing a prohibition of certain words in the name of the organization; providing procedures in event of emergency care; providing for investment of funds; providing for the promulgation of rules and regulations; providing a penalty; providing a severability clause; providing territorial limits of service, providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senators Myers, Lane, Fincher, Gunter, Plante, Beaufort and Johnson (29th)—

**SB 499**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical review committees; defining the term "medical review committee"; providing immunity from monetary liability for acts of members of duly appointed medical review committees, when performed within the scope of the functions of the committee; providing limitations to the immunity; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senators Sayler, Beaufort, Knopke, Johnson (29th) and Broxson—

**SB 500**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to safety equipment inspection of motor vehicles; amending §325.19(1), Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-351, Laws of Florida; providing that mufflers be inspected; providing that the department shall set standards and regulations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senators Lane, Sayler, de la Parte, Beaufort, Knopke, Plante, Trask, Broxson, Saunders, Williams, Weissenborn, Fincher, Myers and Johnson (29th)—

**SB 501**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of veterinary medicine; creating Subsection 474.141, Florida Statutes, authorizing the state board of veterinary medicine to issue a license by endorsement; setting forth the requirements therefor; making the same void unless used; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senators Thomas, Arnold, Barron, Barrow, Beaufort, Bell, Bishop, Boyd, Brannen, Brantley, Broxson, Childers, Daniel, Deeb, de la Parte, Ducker, Fincher, Gong, Graham, Gunter, Haverfield, Henderson, Hollahan, Horne, Johnson (29th), Johnson (34th), Karl, Knopke, Lane, Lewis (43rd), Lewis (33rd), McClain, Myers, Ott, Plante, Pope, Poston, Reuter, Saunders, Sayler, Scarborough, Stolzenburg, Trask, Ware, Weber, Weissenborn, Williams and Wilson—

**SR 502**—A resolution commending the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for its accomplishments in the space program and making the United States first to achieve a manned lunar surface landing.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senators Thomas, Arnold, Barron, Barrow, Beaufort, Bell, Bishop, Boyd, Brannen, Brantley, Broxson, Childers, Daniel, Deeb, de la Parte, Ducker, Fincher, Gong, Graham, Gunter, Haverfield, Henderson, Hollahan, Horne, Johnson (29th), John-

son (34th), Karl, Knopke, Lane, Lewis (43rd), Lewis (33rd), McClain, Myers, Ott, Plante, Pope, Poston, Reuter, Saunders, Sayler, Scarborough, Stolzenburg, Trask, Ware, Weber, Weissenborn, Williams and Wilson—

**SR 503**—A resolution expressing appreciation to the banks of Florida for their donation, through the Florida Bankers' Association, to the Senate of two murals created by Earl LaPan depicting two of the greatest moments in Florida's history.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Poston—

**SB 504**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pollution control; amending §403.061(26), Florida Statutes, as created by chapter 71-35, Laws of Florida, to provide that regulations governing the content of additives in detergents apply statewide and that the state shall preempt jurisdiction; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Lane—

**SB 505**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to practitioners of the healing arts; providing that no applicant for licensing as a physician, dentist, osteopath, pharmacist, podiatrist, optometrist, or chiropractor shall be eligible for a license unless said applicant is a graduate of an appropriate professional school that has been accredited by an accrediting agency, recognized and approved by the national commission on accrediting and the office of education, department of health, education and welfare; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Lane—

**SB 506**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to chiropractic, amending Section 460.11 (2) (b), Florida Statutes, restricting and re-defining scope of practice of chiropractic, practitioners, chiropractic analysis, and chiropractic physicians; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Lane—

**SB 507**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to chiropractic practitioners; amending chapter 460, Florida Statutes, by adding new subsection (7) to Section 460.09, Florida Statutes, creating certain requirements concerning X-ray knowledge and abilities; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Arnold—

**SB 508**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida retirement system; amending §9 of chapter 70-112, Laws of Florida, appearing as §121.091(1)(c), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement; to provide increased benefits to certain members; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Claims and Ways and Means.

By Senators Thomas, Arnold, Barron, Barrow, Beaufort, Bell, Bishop, Boyd, Brannen, Brantley, Broxson, Childers, Daniel, Deeb, de la Parte, Ducker, Fincher, Gong, Graham, Gunter, Haverfield, Henderson, Hollahan, Horne, Johnson (29th), Johnson (34th), Karl, Knopke, Lane, Lewis (43rd), Lewis (33rd), McClain, Myers, Ott, Plante, Pope, Poston, Reuter, Saunders, Sayler, Scarborough, Stolzenburg, Trask, Ware, Weber, Weissenborn, Williams and Wilson—

**SR 509**—A resolution recognizing the genius of Earl LaPan and commending Earl LaPan for his depiction of Florida's

historical scenes and for his creation for the Senate of two murals representing two of Florida's most historic moments.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senators Thomas, Arnold, Barron, Barrow, Beaufort, Bell, Bishop, Boyd, Brannen, Brantley, Broxson, Childers, Daniel, Deeb, de la Parte, Ducker, Fincher, Gong, Graham, Gunter, Haverfield, Henderson, Hollahan, Horne, Johnson (29th), Johnson (34th), Karl, Knopke, Lane, Lewis (43rd), Lewis (33rd), McClain, Myers, Ott, Plante, Pope, Poston, Reuter, Saunders, Saylor, Scarborough, Stolzenburg, Trask, Ware, Weber, Weisenborn, Williams and Wilson—

SR 510—A resolution commending Rear Admiral Alan B. Shepard, Jr., for his achievements in air and space flight and for his contributions to knowledge.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Barrow—

SB 511—A bill to be entitled An act relating to smoking on public transportation originating in Florida; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Poston—

SR 512—A senate resolution requesting the governor to direct the department of transportation to conduct a study of the five transportation districts, including but not confined to workload, costs and boundaries and to submit a written report together with findings, recommendations and suggested legislation to the senate transportation committee and request the president of the senate to direct the senate transportation committee to review the report, findings, and recommendations and report to the senate in advance of the 1973 regular session of the legislature.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Haverfield—

SB 513—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead exemption; amending §196.031(3), Florida Statutes, as created by chapter 71-309, Laws of Florida, to provide specific application procedures for persons over sixty-five; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Pope—

SB 514—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juries; amending §40.08, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-138, Laws of Florida, relating to exemptions from jury duty, by adding physicians to those who are exempt; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

By Senator Pope—

SB 515-SF—A proposal to be entitled An act relating to eugenic sterilization of mentally handicapped children.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Lewis (43rd)—

SB 516—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the judicial retirement system; amending §123.03(3), Florida Statutes; providing that years of service as a city or municipal judge shall be creditable service under the judicial retirement system; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Horne—

SB 517—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; amending §2 of chapter 70-112, Laws of Florida, appearing as §121.021(15), Florida Statutes, 1970 Supplement, to expand the definition of "special risk member"; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims.

By Senator Gunter—

SB 518—A bill to be entitled An act relating to higher education; providing for a grant to augment funds provided by private philanthropy to serve as seed money for the establishment and operation of The National University which is chartered by the State of Florida to grant college degrees to those unable to attend classes; prohibiting certain expenditures; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Universities and Community Colleges and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 519—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans; directing the division of veterans' affairs of the department of community affairs to study the feasibility of establishing a state veterans' nursing home; providing for a report to the legislature; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 520—A bill to be entitled An act relating to recreation and parks; adding subsection (3) to §592.072, Florida Statutes, to exempt exservicemen with fifty percent (50%) disability from the requirement of paying an admission fee for entry into any state park; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SR 521—A resolution creating a standing committee on veterans' affairs.

—was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 522—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public school employees, sabbatical leave; creating §231.395, Florida Statutes; establishing a program of sabbatical leaves of absence for certain qualified teachers and administrative personnel; providing procedures and conditions for granting sabbatical leaves; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Public Schools and Ways and Means.

By Senator Johnson (34th)—

SB 523—A bill to be entitled An act relating to grand juries; amending §905.17, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 70-339, Laws of Florida; providing that complete stenographic records of all grand jury witnesses shall be made and preserved; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Civil A.

#### MOTIONS RELATING TO COMMITTEE REFERENCE

On motion by Senator Karl, SB 293 was withdrawn from the Committee on Commerce by two-thirds vote and re-referred to the Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions.

On motion by Senator Horne, SB 340 was withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary—Civil B by two-thirds vote and referred to the Committee on Governmental Efficiency.

On motion by Senator Hollahan, SJR 214 and SB 255 were withdrawn from the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics by two-thirds vote and referred to the Committee on Reapportionment and Redistricting.

On motion by Senator Hollahan, Senate Resolutions 502, 503, 509 and 510 were withdrawn from the Committee on Rules, Calendar, Privileged Business and Ethics by two-thirds vote and placed on the calendar.

On motion by Senator Barrow, Senate Bills 21, 23, 26, 48 and 56 were withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal by two-thirds vote and from further consideration of the Senate.

Pursuant to HCR 1-Org., the Senate formed in processional order and marched in a body to the chamber of the House of Representatives where they were received in due form. The joint session was called to order at 10:50 a.m. by the Honorable Richard A. Pettigrew, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Justices of the Florida Supreme Court, the Lieutenant Governor and members of the Florida Cabinet were received and seated.

The Speaker invited the President of the Senate, Jerry Thomas, and President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Wilbur H. Boyd, to the rostrum and requested the President to preside over the joint session.

#### The President in the Chair.

The President declared a quorum of the joint session present.

Prayer was offered by Dr. Robert M. McMillan, Pastor, First Baptist Church of Tallahassee.

The joint assembly pledged allegiance to the flag of the United States.

On motion by Representative Dubbin that a committee be appointed to notify the Governor that the joint session was assembled and ready to receive His Excellency's message, the President appointed Senators Barrow, Henderson and Lewis (43rd) on the part of the Senate, and the Speaker appointed Representatives Ogden, Reeves and Savage on the part of the House of Representatives. The committee withdrew, and the joint assembly stood in informal recess.

The joint session was called to order by the President at 11:00 a.m. A quorum present.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor reappeared escorting His Excellency, the Honorable Reubin O'D. Askew, Governor of Florida, who was escorted to the rostrum.

The President presented the Governor who delivered the following message to the Legislature concerning the condition of the State and made his recommendations as required by Article IV, Section 1, of the Constitution of the State of Florida:

It certainly is good to welcome you back . . . especially after such an extended absence.

And now that all those distractions of 1971 have passed us by, and you have absolutely nothing but legislation on your minds . . . I'm sure this will be a productive session.

I'm confident, for example, that we will get through the next few weeks without these chambers looking like a Rand-McNally warehouse.

Incidentally, if any of you happen to find my box of colored pencils around the Senate Chamber in the next few weeks,

I'd appreciate a call. I haven't seen them, you know, since Senator Pope ordered them destroyed.

Really though, I think this is going to be a good session.

That's why I can't accept the advice of some that I should speak softly today and carry a big cane pole.

For I believe, in all seriousness, that this legislature is going to continue the job which it started last year . . . the job of making state government more responsive to the needs of the people . . . and other living things.

I believe that the challenging situation in which you now find yourselves is a rare opportunity for those who regard politics not as a game . . . but as a commitment.

Yes, the primaries, the referenda, reapportionment, the conventions and your own elections are pressing down upon you . . . telling you to try and slip through this session as quickly and as quietly and with as little action as possible.

And yes, you already have established yourselves as a great and historic legislature . . . one which has been hard-working, imaginative, productive, and dedicated to a better Florida.

But once you have to look back to prove how great you are, it's obvious that you no longer are great.

As we said in Sarasota, the work of democracy is never over . . . and those of us who asked for and received the confidence of the people have no right to postpone their priorities in favor of our own.

I ask you to do your best to put aside those thoughts of redistricting and politicking for tomorrow, and work instead to come up with real answers to our toughest problems today.

We're learning, all of us, that honest dedication to meeting the needs of the people is the only campaign strategy that works well in the politics of the 70's.

We're learning that the people of Florida have come of age politically.

Last year they became involved, as never before, in some of the great questions facing their state government.

It is my hope that this year they will become involved, as never before, in the government itself.

We may well be in the dawn of an exciting new day of true participatory democracy in Florida.

It is our duty, and pleasantly so, to help that day along.

That is the central thread in the recommendations which I delivered to you in Sarasota two weeks ago for reorganizing our educational system . . . recommendations to which I assign a top priority here today.

I'm not going to repeat those proposals now, but I do want to respond briefly to the fears expressed by some that this plan might put too much authority over education in the hands of an irresponsible governor.

I want to respond because this same argument will be applied, I'm sure, to other parts of the legislative program which I am recommending to you today.

The argument seems to be that we need special checks on our governors . . . our future governors of course.

I believe that this not only is an affront to the legislature, but that it demonstrates an unjustified lack of confidence in the people as well.

For it should not be forgotten that the legislature is the check on the governor, and that it performed that function quite effectively in recent history.

Nor should it be forgotten that the people of Florida have demonstrated their ability to reject for re-election governors who do not live up to their expectations.

The tragedy is that the power of the people has been merely negative in this regard—not only in the field of education, but in others as well.

The people can retire a wayward governor easily enough when things aren't going well, but when they elect a new one, he hasn't the tools or the authority, in many critical areas, to make a difference . . . to change things . . . to make the system respond.

This is the weakness of our state government today.

This is why the people are frustrated and confused by its seeming inability, in many ways to meet their needs.

This is why I say that to talk about accountability in government without pinpointing responsibility is a very hollow gesture.

And so I have arrived at certain recommendations for you, knowing full well that they expose me to the charge of "power grabbing."

I sincerely hope that Florida's great needs will not be eclipsed by that kind of simple phrase-making.

For this program is an honest attempt to put an end to what often appears to be executive paralysis in certain critical areas of state government . . . a paralysis which benefits no one, except, perhaps, the bureaucracy.

It calls for simplification of the bureaucracy in state government, so that no citizen need be a political scientist to figure out where he must go for action . . . or whom he must blame for neglect.

It calls for the kind of unifying fabric which only government can provide in helping citizens to protect themselves and their surroundings.

It calls for citizen involvement and provides for citizen use of government resources at the community, regional and state levels in grappling with our greatest challenges.

And it begins with the environment . . . as indeed it must . . . if any of our other efforts are to have meaning for tomorrow.

This is probably one area in which the people consistently have been ahead of their elected officials.

They've been participating in environmental protection in an infinite number of ways . . . some legal, some not so legal . . . virtually all of them spotty and terribly short of what's needed.

#### ENVIRONMENT: PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

It is not melodramatic to say that Florida, like California, is in great danger of becoming a "Paradise Lost."

It is not off-beat or alarmist to say that continued failure to control growth and development in this state will lead to economic as well as environmental disaster.

The President of the Senate once suggested that we curtail our efforts to draw new residents to Florida . . . and if my memory serves me correctly . . . there were a few people who didn't quite agree with him.

Nevertheless, he struck a responsive chord in the hearts of many Floridians . . . as well as many long time visitors to Florida . . . who remember beaches, and now see only high rises . . . who remember wildlife swamps, and now see airport runways . . . who remember beautiful Boca Ciega Bay, and now see only landfill . . . who remember Lake Apopka and now see only dead fish . . . who remember environmental harmony in South Florida, and now see flooding, drought and fire.

The problem is more than aesthetic . . . although that should be enough to warrant our attention.

We are told that our failure to plan and control the use of Florida's land and water resources has brought us to a water crisis . . . both quantitatively and qualitatively.

And as you also know, without water . . . we are nothing.

This is why I called the Governor's Conference on Water Management in South Florida last year, the report of which I believe has been sent to each of you.

This is why I appointed a citizen task force to follow up on the report, and to propose any legislation necessary.

And this is why I ask today that you pass an environmental land and water management act for Florida.

I regard such a bill as the beginning not merely of what it would be nice for us to do, but rather of what we must do if Florida is to escape catastrophe.

The state must take the lead now in coordinating and controlling our growth . . . so that no area is forever impoverished by the lack of development, while others become irretrievably impoverished by overdevelopment.

And so the beginning which I propose to you today would create and authorize appropriate state agencies to develop a comprehensive land and water use plan for Florida, and to see that local and regional land use decisions are coordinated with that plan.

It would empower the state land planning agency to designate "areas of critical state concern" . . . such as the Everglades, Big Cypress, the Keys or other endangered places, and to specify standards for those places standards with which local land development regulations must comply.

It also would empower the agency to identify certain types of development as "development of regional impact" and subject to the requirements of comprehensive planning and wise use of our land and water resources.

In some cases, such as an area where growth has become so overbearing that schools, sewage systems, water supplies and other basic supports are on the brink of collapse, the agency could place a freeze on certain types of development for a maximum of one year . . . during which time new standards would be developed and adopted.

In many of these cases, if we don't freeze some development temporarily, I'm afraid we're going to lose all development permanently.

A land and water adjudicatory board would hear appeals that arise when local action is not in conformance with the established development standards.

In order to handle the tremendous assignment of developing and enforcing the comprehensive plan, I recommend that you elevate the Bureau of Planning in the Department of Administration to division status.

I also support efforts to carry out the recommendations of the Governor's Water Management Conference. These include better control over drainage districts and salt water intrusion.

The economy of environmental planning is obvious when you consider that it might have kept us, over the years, from spending millions of tax dollars in Florida on public works projects which later were found to create more problems than they solved.

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The economy of environmental planning is obvious when you consider that it might have kept us from spending \$50-million ruining the Kissimmee River in the name of flood control . . . or \$13-million endangering the Everglades in the name of jet travel . . . or \$75-million on a barge canal which is in considerable doubt.

Our environmental interests remain scattered over an endless array of departments, divisions, bureaus, boards and commissions.

Overlapping frequently leads to duplication of effort or, worse yet, efforts which cancel each other.

I'm convinced we can do a much better job of protecting Florida if we merge our resources and coordinate our efforts.

And we'll probably save money in the process.

I suggest that we do so.

It makes no sense, for example, for one agency of government to be assigned to our problems with water quantity, while another entirely separate agency deals with water quality.

The problems are inseparable . . . and so are any sensible ways of dealing with them.

We need a strong and coordinated environmental law enforcement effort in Florida.

This proposal would create it.

We need a single permitting agency. This proposal would create it.

There is, incidentally, no more graphic example of governmental inefficiency than on this matter of permitting.

We've created over the years the most incredible bureaucracy imaginable. Our multiple agencies constitute a maze which only the most skillful legal talent can navigate . . . and then only at great expense and considerable time.

So we reward the big developer . . . if he is patient . . . and if he is willing to spend the money in legal fees, while the average Floridian with a simple problem finds only those who tell him that he is in the wrong office.

For these and other reasons, I recommend the basic plan to create a new Department of Environmental Affairs . . . a plan which both my staff and the Governor's Task Force on Resource Management helped develop.

Our environmental problems are too big, too complex and too interrelated, ladies and gentlemen, to remain the province of several fragmented agencies and parts of agencies.

They deserve departmental status and impact.

For the reasons of economy and efficiency already cited, I urge you to place that department under one executive as

contemplated in the bill now before the House Committee on Governmental Organization and Efficiency.

At the same time, however, I remain committed to the proposition that no single person should have the power to sell, purchase or lease the public's land. I therefore support the concept of a State Lands Commission composed of the Governor and Cabinet.

I also urge you, in structuring the Environmental Quality Commission and other boards, to preserve the kind of visibility and unrestrained public debate at the policy and appeal level which we must have in this critical area.

The Governor's conference report outlined the reform concepts relating to the Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District. I also ask you to enact with slight modifications, the changes recommended in that report.

As a final note on this subject, I hope that you will pass a constitutional amendment to authorize bond financing of acquisition and improvement of lands and water areas for environmental purposes.

It would be another sign of our commitment to preserving and enhancing the quality of life in Florida.

#### PUBLIC UTILITIES

This brings us to another idea whose time has come.

I mean, of course, the need for substantial reform of our system of regulating public utilities in Florida. I have followed the excellent work now underway in both of your houses in this respect.

I have followed, and I commend, the Attorney General's efforts to give consumers better representation before the Florida Public Service Commission. I have talked to members of the Public Service Commission, and to others as well.

I've concluded that there are two basic weaknesses in our present system.

First, the Public Service Commission has no legal authority to develop or to implement a plan for the availability of power in the state of Florida. Surely all of us are aware of the problems of power shortages in the northeast.

Brownouts, blackouts and general power failures are now commonplace in New York.

We don't know how long it will be before we face that same problem here, but we do know that our power reserves in Florida are equivalent to only about 2 per cent of peak usage. This compares to a minus 2 per cent for New York.

This, I submit, is not very comforting.

The problem of utility regulation obviously cannot be confined to the cost of service, not when we face such a serious question of availability.

Yet we have no state agency with the authority to plan for and regulate all the various interests who provide power for our citizens. Municipal power companies and cooperatives are exempt from any kind of regulation by the commission.

Nor does the commission have the authority to require tie-ins or joint ventures. Presently, any feuds between companies and other sources over territories and tie-ins are resolved only by voluntary agreement of the conflicting interests themselves . . . or in some cases, by federal action.

Energy, and especially electric energy, is essential to the health and safety of the people in today's mechanized society.

I submit, therefore, that we can't afford to let its availability depend on voluntary agreements which can be cancelled at any time.

No comprehensive plan exists today for the future utility needs of this state, its people, and its industries and businesses.

I strongly urge you to direct your attention to this and other critical shortcomings affecting the availability of power in this session.

And although we should continue to rely heavily on the industry's expertise in this regard, I submit that we must be able to look to others as well.

Decisions which are made should not be those which merely are "good for the industry," but those which are good for the environment and the people of Florida as well.

The other basic weakness in our present regulatory system is, of course, in the ratemaking process.

The people of Florida have been paying some of the highest utility bills in the nation, and there are now pending before the Public Service Commission requests for millions of dollars in still higher rates.

In 1970, Florida ranked 4th highest in the nation in the statewide average return we allowed power companies on common equity.

Perhaps there's good reason for this.

The problem is . . . the public doesn't really know for sure . . . and I'm convinced it may never know . . . under the existing system which actually discourages informed public debate on such matters.

And I do want to make it clear that these remarks are directed at the system itself . . . not at the commissioners who are a part of it.

In spite of required public notice, we seldom hear more than the company view at rate hearings . . . hour after hour of expert testimony, backed by convincing summary figures gleaned from company books and records to which the public has no access. The company's case, incidentally, is paid for by the consumers . . . out of their utility bills.

The Attorney General has attempted in some cases to put balance into such hearings . . . but his role is limited in this regard, and so are his powers and budget. Various cities and counties have tried over the years to intervene on behalf of the public . . . but their efforts also have been spotty and frustrating.

Of course, it is said by some that the commission and its staff represent the public, and they do . . . but only in a judicial, non-adversary way . . . for they also represent the companies.

The staff seldom takes the stand in a rate hearing, and its findings and recommendations to the commission are kept secret.

I submit that we have assigned too many different roles to the commission and its staff together. We have asked them to function not only as judge and jury, but as investigator, prosecutor, defense attorney and enforcer as well.

It is obvious that these roles are incompatible.

The present system not only is unfair to the public in this regard, but to the commissioners as well.

And so the changes I am recommending to you today would assure both the commission and the public of at least one

independent expert view other than that of the company in all proceedings . . . not only in questions of ratemaking, but in those critical matters of planning and energy conservation as well.

They would provide the commission with the benefit of evidence derived from true adversary proceedings.

They would relieve the commission of administrative, investigative and enforcement duties which conflict with its all-important quasi-legislative and quasi-judicial functions, and they would enhance the opportunity for consumers to be defended vigorously and effectively before the commission.

First, I ask that the Public Service Commission, as an agency, be converted into a new "Department of Utilities and Public Services."

I recommend that the commission itself retain its policy role of rule and rate-making within the new department, but that the role be expanded to include such matters as energy conservation, tie-ins, and territorial regulation of all utilities, publicly-owned as well as privately-owned.

This, of course, is a full-time job.

And so I also recommend the commissioners be relieved of the day-to-day burdens of administration, investigation and enforcement of their own rules.

To assume these roles, as well as that of an independent public advocate before the commission, I ask that you create the office of Secretary of Utilities and Public Services.

Most of the present commission staff would work under the secretary.

The commission itself would retain an appropriate staff to assist it in the exercise of its quasi-legislative and quasi-judicial role.

Of course, nothing is really changed by all this if the secretary is not truly independent of the commission. And so I recommend, strongly, that he be appointed by the Governor with the consent of the Senate.

The new department would be funded out of the current Public Service Commission trust fund.

Of course this, in itself, is not enough to guarantee vigorous utility consumer representation for all time in Florida.

Indeed, the secretary's view of what is in the best interest of the consumer might very well differ with that of many bill payers, especially since he will have to consider the public's broader interests in environmental protection and adequate power supplies.

And so I feel it is essential that we open up other avenues of consumer representation before the commission. The Florida Supreme Court already has pointed us in that direction, and I suggest that we proceed accordingly . . . and not only on the state level.

For all city and county governments as well should have clear authority to represent their constituents, who are also consumers, by initiating or joining proceedings before the commission.

In order to give that authority any meaning, of course, you should also make it clear that these representatives have the same access to books and records as do the companies and the present commission staff. And, whether the case requires an adversary proceeding or not, all proceedings should be open to the public.

### CONSUMER ADVISOR

Although most of our time in the consumer area has been devoted to the problems of the utility consumer, we must recognize the people need our help in other areas . . . not only as consumers in the private market place, but as consumers of government services as well.

As a start toward identifying and meeting those problems, I ask that you amend my budget recommendations to provide for a consumer advisor within the Governor's office.

This advisor would be charged with studying the problems of all consumers in Florida, and recommending ways in which we can make our government both more responsive and more efficient.

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT AID

Another critical problem facing you in this session is the financial plight of many of our local governments. I ask that you appropriate an additional \$29-million for the coming year as a first step toward distribution of state revenues to cities and counties on an equitable basis.

The figure includes \$4.5-million for counties and \$24.5-million for cities. Those cities pinched by the millage rollback would receive about \$13-million of the city share under a special adjustments feature of the plan.

I emphasize this is a first step . . . because time is simply too short to reach a final solution, and we must continue our studies.

The program applies a new method of distribution of state revenues to local government by a formula based on population, and on an index of local tax raising ability on per capita valuation.

No city or county, however, will receive less revenue from these sources than it is receiving during the current fiscal year.

By providing more money for local governments on a more equitable basis, we will be making it possible for them to allocate necessary additional funds for law enforcement and other needs, according to local priorities.

Unless it can be shown that combined state and local funds are not sufficient, cities and counties should be required to pay a minimum starting salary of \$6,000 a year to law enforcement officers.

The plan, incidentally, would be financed without additional taxes. Specific details and implementing legislation will be on your desks within a few days.

### TAX REFORM

In the area of tax reform, I ask that you remove the unwarranted exemptions of financial institutions from the corporate profits tax which were written into that otherwise excellent bill last December.

I also recommend, again, that you repeal the cane pole fishing tax and replace the lost income with general revenue funds as provided in my budget recommendations.

As I said last week, I recognize the present fiscal and political realities and will not insist that you repeal or adjust our sales tax rebate system in this session.

### HOUSING

One of the greatest challenges facing us in Florida today is the shortage of decent housing for our people. And so, several

months ago I asked a number of leaders from the private sector to serve on a task force on housing to assist in the development of a sound program. The problem of housing is complex.

What is needed is a strong triple partnership—including the private sector, the state and the federal governments, dedicated to working together to meet the people's needs.

I will submit a report on this problem and a series of bills designed to forge a creative partnership. The bills would:

- (1) Establish housing goals for Florida.
- (2) Restructure the department of community affairs and establish a housing finance agency therein.
- (3) Authorize the establishment of a private state housing development corporation, through which the private sector and government can mobilize private capital to help solve this problem.

### LABOR

In the labor area, I ask that you put unemployment and workman's compensation in Florida on a formula which grows with the economy, extend those benefits to all agricultural workers, grant full-time status to our fine Industrial Relations Commission, and implement state constitutional guarantees of the right-to-work and of collective bargaining for public employees.

### BRIDGE REPAIR

As you know, we began taking a close look at the condition of our highway bridges following tragedies which occurred both in Florida and elsewhere.

An inspection report which was given to me and to your leadership last month showed a number of critical bridges which must be repaired or replaced. Additional funds will be needed to halt deterioration of other bridges before they, too, become critical.

Because of the importance of getting this project underway without delay, I am recommending that we appropriate \$30.9 million from nonrecurring general revenue funds to restore and retain our bridges in the coming fiscal year.

In addition to this urgent bridge program and the local government assistance which I already outlined, I will recommend in the next few days other supplemental appropriations which can also be financed from the additional revenue now anticipated for this year and next.

These new recommendations will include partial funding of the existing deficit in community college financing and restoration of funds withheld last year from the scheduled implementation of the exceptional child program.

The new revenue estimates also enable us to provide for early construction of the Florida Police Academy and I will make further recommendations in this area as soon as construction cost estimates are complete. In addition, I will recommend implementation of a uniform training program at this academy. Establishment of this program, along with the requirements of minimum pay for police in our local government assistance program will assure that every police officer can be offered the training to provide maximum proficiency in the skills of crime prevention and detection.

### DEATH PENALTY

And now I want to share with you a problem which, for several months, has been very much on my mind.

As you know, the Supreme Court of the United States is

expected to rule soon on the constitutionality of capital punishment.

As you also are aware, there has not been an execution in Florida since May 1964 because of the legal challenge now before the court.

And so, there now are 91 people under the death sentence in Florida.

As a prosecutor in Escambia County, I was well aware of the reasons for capital punishment.

As a legislator, I upheld it with my vote, as did many of you.

But I must say to you in all candor that as Governor, charged with the responsibility of enforcing it, I've become rather personally aware of the case on the other side.

The result has been doubt, serious doubt, about the necessity and the rightness of the state deliberately taking lives . . . so many lives . . . in the year 1972.

I know that many of you in this chamber share that doubt, and I'm sure all of you understand the tragedy of the present situation.

We need time, ladies and gentlemen, time to think about this problem quietly, calmly, and compassionately.

I am therefore asking that you declare a moratorium on executions in Florida until July 1, 1973.

I am also asking that you authorize the appointment of a commission to examine the whole area of capital punishment, capital offenses and capital offenders in Florida.

This, I believe, is necessary regardless of how the Supreme Court rules.

If it overturns the death penalty, we will need informed, substantial recommendations on how it should be replaced to fit various crimes.

And if it is upheld, we owe it to ourselves to be certain we aren't taking action, on an unprecedented scale, which we might later regret.

Regardless of what the commission finds, however, I believe there are two reforms in the present system which should be accomplished now.

First, I don't think Floridians are people who shrink from facing up to their own tough decisions.

But our system of condemning to death those who are convicted of a capital crime doesn't reflect that sense of responsibility.

If the jury recommends mercy, the defendant gets life.

But if the jury says nothing, he gets death.

I think we owe it to the condemned man to at least accept responsibility for handing him his death sentence.

I ask, therefore, that you change the presumption to life in such cases . . . unless the jury recommends death.

I also recommend that you require bifurcated trials in capital cases in Florida . . . because the matter of deciding life or death for another human being is the most serious decision ever faced by any citizen . . . and because the initial trial on guilt or innocence frequently plays on emotions and involves inflammatory language and a tension which could prejudice that decision.

Evidence not offered as to guilt or innocence, meanwhile, could be very important and helpful in assisting a jury in determining the sentence.

These are some of the major problems which I hope you will meet in the days and weeks ahead.

In a written message, which I am delivering to you, I also ask for your help in the areas of prison reform, beverage licensing, welfare, and spending reform, and I describe in greater detail some proposals which could be described here only in passing.

This has been a long speech, and I apologize for that.

It is an ambitious program, but I don't apologize for that.

Because it's ambitious for the people . . . and for the other living things which make Florida a place worth having.

It challenges you . . . of course.

But you have been challenged before.

And you have met each of these challenges like the great deliberative body that you are.

And Florida and her people are the better off for it.

Now it is time to continue.

This is probably the last hurrah for the greatest legislature in the history of our state. Let's make it one which never will be forgotten by students of responsive and responsible government.

I thank you.

#### GOVERNOR ASKEW'S SUPPLEMENTAL MESSAGE:

##### LABOR

In the labor area, I recommend that you implement in one bill the constitutional guarantees of collective bargaining for public employees and the right to work for all employees . . . as approved by the people in 1968.

I also recommend, again, that we at least approach the level of unemployment benefits recommended by President Nixon last year, and that these benefits be placed on a formula basis to keep up with the realities of today's economy.

Workman's compensation in Florida is presently 60 percent of the employee's average weekly wage with a fixed cap at \$56.

Unemployment compensation, meanwhile, is 50 percent of the employee's wage with a fixed cap at \$54.

I recommend that the percentages remain the same in each case, but that the caps be established at two-thirds of the average statewide weekly wage.

I also strongly urge that you extend the benefits of unemployment and workman's compensation to all agricultural employees in Florida.

As you know, we have evolved in the Department of Commerce a new Industrial Relations Commission which, since its inception, has not had one writ of certiorari to the Supreme Court where before such appeal was commonplace.

The commission's work has been acclaimed both by the bench and by the bar.

We now need to separate the quasi-judicial duties of this commission from the purely administrative function and pay its members appropriately.

And so I ask that you convert the commission into a full-

time body, which should speed resolution of workman's compensation claims.

I also recommend that you create a board of review for unemployment compensation within the division of labor and employment opportunities to handle appeals not of a quasi-judicial nature.

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT AID

Two local government trust funds would be created.

For cities, the fund would include revenue produced from 13 cents of the cigarette tax plus current allocations from the auto mileage tax.

For counties, it would be comprised of their current allocations for the auto mileage tax, revenue from one cent of the cigarette tax, the total available from the 55 percent county share of the intangibles tax, and the current county distribution of pari-mutuel taxes.

While amounts due each county from pari-mutuel taxes will not go into the trust fund for distribution, these amounts would be considered in determining the total amount each county is entitled to receive.

The amount which each city and county would receive cannot be calculated until the current ratio study is completed to assure that assessments are compared on an equal basis of 100 percent valuation.

#### EDUCATION

I strongly endorse, and I ask that you and the people implement the recommendations of the Citizens' Committee on Education—as presented in its recent interim report.

As you may know, I've been reviewing those recommendations for several weeks now.

The committee, as you may also know, has been working on them for several months now.

Its members did their work well . . . and they deserve our thanks.

For I find no recommendation in the interim report which isn't backed by solid reasoning.

Florida needs, for example, a professional chief State school officer whose only function is to be the State school officer.

All of his time, his talent and his energy are needed in that critical job alone. We no longer can afford to let them be distracted almost daily by Cabinet matters which have nothing to do with education.

The job is much too big for that . . . even with so dedicated and capable a Commissioner as Floyd Christian, a man for whom I have developed a tremendous amount of respect.

Nor does it make sense for the State school officer to continue to be an independent policy-maker when he's also responsible for implementing the policies of others. That situation is ready-made for conflict and paralysis.

That's why I'm in total agreement with the committee's recommendation that this post be made appointive, rather than elective.

If the officer is elected, he won't be a full-time dispassionate administrator. He will continue to be independent of the supposed policy-makers; he will continue to share the policy role with others; and the people will continue to be confused about who's responsible for what's going on in Tallahassee.

For some of the same reasons, I support the committee's recommendation that a lay board of education, appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate, be established as the State's policy-making body in all education matters.

The appointment of a majority of this board by one elected official . . . the Governor . . . would certainly help the people fix responsibility when things go right or wrong.

And the required Senate confirmation and the staggered terms provide for substantial checks on political abuse.

I, also, of course, support the committee's recommendations calling for nonpartisan election of school boards and for appointive county school superintendents.

It almost seems impossible to take politics out of education while at the same time making it more responsive to the people.

But I think the committee's recommendations offer the best hope for doing exactly that.

And so I support them.

And it is my hope that each of you will see fit to do so as well. I recognize the Legislature might differ as to specifics . . . such as the size of boards or the lengths of terms. I'm not necessarily wed to the committee's recommendations in those two areas myself, but it is my hope that your final product will reflect the spirit and the main thrust of the report.

#### PRISONS

Prison reform is another area in which we made substantial progress last year. But we can do better this year.

To improve our Florida State Prison at Raiford and ease the terrible overcrowding there, I am recommending that we separate the prison into two separate institutions, that we build dormitories as a first step in phasing out the symbolic "rock," and that we build a new 300-man institution in Brevard County. I am also recommending that we step up the move toward community correctional centers and expand the staff of our parole and probation commission.

#### WELFARE

My budget recommendations also provide for more staff in the Division of Family Services to maintain tighter control of welfare spending. And I am once again asking you to increase payments to families with dependent children from 60 percent to 70 percent of their unmet needs.

#### SPENDING REFORM

Let me point out that we said many times during the corporate tax campaign last year that we were just as committed to spending reform as we were to tax reform.

Now is the time to prove it.

Now is the time to put the State on a sound business footing . . . by completely restoring our reserve funds and resisting temptations to appropriate from them.

In doing so, we can better avoid the costly and wasteful process of meeting unanticipated problems in a crisis atmosphere.

This I am pledged to do. And here again, I ask your help.

#### BEVERAGE LICENSES

Last year you approved at my request a moratorium on beverage quota licenses.

This year, I ask that you extend that moratorium indefinitely.

With ample licenses outstanding, there seems to be little need for new ones. I recommend, however, that in order to take care of new population growth within a county, existing restricted licenses be made transferable within the county.

Following the Governor's address, the committee previously appointed escorted the Governor from the rostrum and from the House chamber, followed by the Justices of the Supreme Court, the Lieutenant Governor and the members of the Cabinet.

On motion by Senator Hollahan, the Senate withdrew from the joint session and resumed its session at 12:00 noon. A quorum present.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass:

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| SB 81 | SB 83  | SM 110 | SB 114 |
| SB 82 | SB 108 | SB 113 |        |

The Committee on Judiciary—Civil A recommends the following pass: SB 86

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass:

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| SB 37 | SB 131 with 2 amendments |
| SB 79 | SB 134                   |
| SB 92 |                          |

The Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions recommends the following pass: SB 165 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Judiciary—Civil A recommends the following pass: SB 11, SB 69

The Committee on Judiciary—Civil A recommends the following pass: SB 45, SB 85, SB 89, SB 117

The Committee on Judiciary—Civil B recommends the following pass: SB 186

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass:

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| SB 155 with 1 amendment | SCR 177 with 1 amendment |
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The Committee on Judiciary—Civil A recommends the following pass: SB 159

The Committee on Governmental Efficiency recommends the following pass: SB 39, SM 54, SB 223

The Committee on Judiciary—Civil B recommends the following pass: SB 178 with 1 amendment, SB 210

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 173, SB 208

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims recommends the following pass: SB 205

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims recommends the following pass: SB 144 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims recommends the following pass: SB 143

The Committee on Public Schools recommends the following pass: SB 32 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims recommends the following pass: SB 226

The Committee on Agriculture recommends the following pass: SB 146, SM 163, SB 203, SB 204

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 248, SB 268, SCR 317, SB 87

The Committee on Governmental Efficiency recommends the following pass: SB 258, SB 7 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Judiciary—Civil A recommends the following pass:

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| SB 44   | SB 217  | SM 227                   |
| SM 167  | SJR 218 | SB 288, with 1 amendment |
| SCR 190 | SM 219  |                          |
| SB 207  | SM 222  |                          |

The Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions recommends the following pass: SB 285, SB 286, SB 350

The Committee on Judiciary—Criminal recommends the following pass:

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| SB 24 with 2 amendments | SB 90 with 3 amendments |
| SB 29 with 4 amendments | SB 115 with 1 amendment |
| SB 34 with 1 amendment  | SB 153                  |
| SB 40                   | SB 253                  |
| SB 80                   | SB 241                  |

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 133, SB 176, SM 237

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass:

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| SB 191 | SB 225 with 3 amendments | SB 278 |
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The bills contained in the foregoing reports were placed on the calendar.

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass:

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| SB 231 with 3 amendments | SB 250 with 1 amendment | SB 251 |
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The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 95 with 1 amendment

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

The Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions recommends the following pass: SB 75 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Universities and Community Colleges recommends the following pass: SB 275

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

The Committee on Universities and Community Colleges recommends the following pass: SB 141

The Committee on Universities and Community Colleges recommends the following pass: SB 252, SB 279

The Committee on Universities and Community Colleges recommends the following pass: SB 50

The Committee on Governmental Efficiency recommends the following pass:

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| SB 9 with 4 amendments   | SB 166 |
| SB 100 with 2 amendments |        |

The Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions recommends the following pass:

SB 10 with 3 amendments                      SB 142 with 6 amendments  
SB 70 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 136, SB 138, SB 215

The Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions recommends the following pass: SB 72

The Committee on Public Schools recommends the following pass: SB 239

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 172, SB 174 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 53 with 2 amendments

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

The Committee on Transportation recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 66 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Transportation recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 68

The Committee on Transportation recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 67

The Committee on Commerce recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 140

The Committee on Commerce recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: Senate Bills 41, 63 and 64

The Committee on Commerce recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 60

The Committee on Commerce recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 180

The bills with committee substitutes attached contained in the foregoing reports were placed on the calendar.

The Committee on Governmental Efficiency recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 3 and SB 43

The Committee on Transportation recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 169

The bills with Committee Substitutes attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Ways and Means under the original reference.

The Committee on Universities and Community Colleges recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 277

The bill with Committee Substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following not pass: SB 8

The Committee on Judiciary—Civil A recommends the following not pass: SB 2

The Committee on Judiciary—Civil B recommends the following not pass: SB 5, SB 42

The Committee on Judiciary—Civil B recommends the following not pass: SB 52, SM 202

The Committee on Judiciary—Criminal recommends the following not pass: SB 164

The Committee on Public Schools recommends the following not pass: SB 77

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following not pass: SB 25 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Universities and Community Colleges recommends the following not pass: SCR 73, SB 149-SF, SB 150-SF

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were laid on the table.

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Claims recommends SB 55-SF be laid on the table and adopts a committee bill in lieu thereof.

On motion by Senator Hollahan, the rules were waived and Edward S. Jaffry, Howard Walton, John Humphries, Herbert Cameron, Gene Stearns, Robert Rhodes, and the Senate Legislative Services Section as needed, were granted privileges of the floor.

On motion by Senator Hollahan, the Senate adjourned at 12:10 p.m. to reconvene at 2:00 p.m., this day.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate was called to order by the President at 2:00 p.m. A quorum present—47:

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| Mr. President | Deeb           | Johnson (34th) | Reuter      |
| Arnold        | de la Parte    | Karl           | Saunders    |
| Barron        | Ducker         | Knopke         | Saylor      |
| Barrow        | Fincher        | Lane           | Scarborough |
| Beaufort      | Gong           | Lewis (33rd)   | Stolzenburg |
| Bell          | Graham         | Lewis (43rd)   | Trask       |
| Bishop        | Gunter         | McClain        | Ware        |
| Boyd          | Haverfield     | Myers          | Weber       |
| Brantley      | Henderson      | Ott            | Weissenborn |
| Broxson       | Hollahan       | Plante         | Williams    |
| Childers      | Horne          | Pope           | Wilson      |
| Daniel        | Johnson (29th) | Poston         |             |

The Young Artists of Florida A & M University, under the direction of McCoy Ramsome, sang the National Anthem. Senator Henderson led the Senate in the pledge of allegiance.

The invocation was delivered by the Reverend Rayburn L. Blair, pastor, Temple Baptist Church, Tallahassee:

Father, I read in your word that you created us for your own pleasure and the whole duty of man is to fulfill your will. Therefore, we pray, Lord, that you might use this body of men who have been elected by the people. Give them wisdom and understanding from Heaven to make the great decisions they will be called upon to make. Give them strength, Lord, in times of weariness and courage and character in all of their work here. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

Under the direction of Clayton H. Krehbiel, members of the University Singers, Florida State University, sang the state song, Suwannee River.

The President recognized the following special guests who joined with the Senate to witness the unveiling of two murals donated to the Senate by the Florida Bankers' Association: Reubin O'D. Askew, Governor of Florida; Tom Adams, Lieutenant Governor; Richard A. Pettigrew, Speaker of the Florida House of Representatives; Eugene F. Shaw, Speaker Pro Tempore, House of Representatives; Donald H. Reed, Jr., Minority Leader, House of Representatives; members of the House of Representatives; members of the Florida Supreme Court: Chief Justice B. K. Roberts, Justices David L. McCain and Joseph

A. Boyd, Jr.; members of the Florida Cabinet: Doyle Conner, Commissioner of Agriculture; Floyd Christian, Commissioner of Education; Fred O. Dickinson, Comptroller; Robert L. Shevin, Attorney General; Richard Stone, Secretary of State; Bill Bevis, member, Florida Public Service Commission; Dr. Kurt Debus, Director, and Gordon L. Harris, Chief of Public Affairs, Kennedy Space Center; Rear Admiral Alan B. Shepard, Jr., Chief of Astronaut Office; John Jenkins, President, Florida Bankers' Association; Earl LaPan, artist; Jerry Allen, General Manager, Cross and Sword Historical Pageant (appearing as Don Pedro Menendez de Aviles); Mrs. Jan Sherman, Director of Public Relations of the Pageant (representing a member of the Spanish Court); Kenneth Hedison, Jr., undergraduate in the FSU drama department (attired in costume symbolizing various Indians of the 16th century); Mrs. Reubin O'D. Askew, Mrs. Fred O. Dickinson, Mrs. Richard Stone, Mrs. Robert L. Shevin, Mrs. Earl LaPan, Mrs. B. K. Roberts and Mrs. John Jenkins.

The mural depicting the landing of Juan Ponce de Leon on the coast of Florida was unveiled by Governor Askew and Jerry Allen. The mural depicting Apollo Eleven and man's first step on the moon was unveiled by Governor Askew and Admiral Alan Shepard.

On motion by Senator Hollahan, by two-thirds vote, the Senate took up—

#### CONSIDERATION OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

SR 509—A resolution recognizing the genius of Earl LaPan and commending Earl LaPan for his depiction of Florida's historical scenes and for his creation for the Senate of two murals representing two of Florida's most historic moments.

WHEREAS, Earl LaPan has become famous as an artist, particularly noted for his historical murals and sculpture, commencing with his sculptured panels which adorn the river wall of the Duval County Courthouse, and

WHEREAS, during his service in the Air Transport Command, Corporal LaPan did a complete study of the Air Transport Command in connection with the Miami Army Air Field in 1945, creating the huge mural, six feet in height and eighty feet in length, for the passenger terminal, and

WHEREAS, Earl LaPan participated in creating works of art for five buildings in the 1939 New York World's Fair and, since moving to Dania, has continued to create sculpture and murals throughout Florida, and

WHEREAS, Earl LaPan created for the walls of a bank in Manatee County one of the world's largest murals, a twelve by eighty allegorical mural in full color depicting Hernando DeSoto's early life and expeditions prior to his landing in Florida, and a twenty by thirty foot historical scene of DeSoto's landing on the shores of Manatee County in 1539, and

WHEREAS, Earl LaPan has displayed magnificent artistry in creating two murals for the Senate which depict two of the greatest moments in Florida's history and

WHEREAS, Earl LaPan, in 1969, expressing his viewpoint of these two murals, said:

"Juan Ponce de Leon, searching in the 'New World' for the legendary Fountain of Youth, came upon our coast. He landed north of St. Augustine and took possession in the name of the King of Spain. Since this occurred during the festival of the flowers held at Easter Time, he named it 'Florida.' This was in the year of 1513, long before the Pilgrims landed. . . . Four hundred and fifty-six years have elapsed, and through the intelligent teamwork of NASA, science and industry, they produced the hardware that landed our men on the Moon in 1969. Mortal man has walked on 'another world' and has done this in the name of peace. They have opened the door to deep exploration of the universe and all will benefit from the biproducts invented," and

WHEREAS, these two murals now grace the walls of the Senate Chamber to be enjoyed by members and visitors now and in the years to come as vivid reminders of Florida's rich heritage, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That Earl LaPan is hereby commended for his superb artistry in depicting Florida's historical scenes, and particularly for his creation of the two magnificent murals representing for pos-

terity two of Florida's most historic moments, that of man's first step on the sandy soil of the Florida peninsula near St. Augustine in 1513 and that of man's first step on the powdery surface of the Moon after launch from Cape Kennedy in 1969.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution, signed by the President of the Senate, with the seal of the Senate, be presented to Earl LaPan as a tangible token of the sentiments expressed herein and a lasting symbol of the gratitude and respect of the Senate of the State of Florida.

—was read the second time in full. On motion by Senator Lewis (33rd), SR 509 was unanimously adopted.

On motion by Senator Bell, the President appointed Senators Broxson, Stolzenburg and Graham as a committee to escort Earl LaPan to the rostrum where he was presented a copy of the resolution.

SR 503—A resolution expressing appreciation to the banks of Florida for their donation, through the Florida Bankers' Association, to the Senate of two murals created by Earl LaPan depicting two of the greatest moments in Florida's history.

WHEREAS, Earl LaPan, noted muralist, has created two murals depicting two of the greatest moments in the history of Florida, and

WHEREAS, the banks of Florida, through the Florida Bankers' Association, have graciously donated these two murals to the Florida Senate, and

WHEREAS, these two murals now grace the walls of the Senate chamber to be enjoyed forever by all members and visitors, as vivid reminders of Florida's auspicious history, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That an expression of thanks and appreciation is hereby given to the banks of Florida and to the Florida Bankers' Association for their donation to the Senate of the two murals created by Earl LaPan depicting two of Florida's greatest historical moments, that of the landing of Ponce de Leon in St. Augustine in 1513 and that of the first lunar surface landing by man launched from Cape Kennedy in 1969.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution, signed by the President of the Senate with the seal of the Senate attached, be presented to the Florida Bankers' Association, on behalf of the banks of Florida, as a tangible token of the sentiments expressed herein and as a lasting symbol of the gratitude and respect of the Senate of the State of Florida.

—was read the second time in full. On motion by Senator Horne, SR 503 was unanimously adopted.

On motion by Senator Boyd, the President appointed Senators Pope, Barron and Haverfield as a committee to escort John Jenkins, President, Florida Bankers' Association to the rostrum where he was presented a copy of the resolution.

SR 502—A resolution commending the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for its accomplishments in the space program and making the United States first to achieve a manned lunar surface landing.

WHEREAS, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration was created by Congress in July of 1958 to conduct research for the solution of problems of flight within and outside the earth's atmosphere and develop, construct, test, and operate aeronautical and space vehicles, to conduct activities required for the exploration of space with manned and unmanned vehicles, to arrange for the most effective utilization of the scientific and engineering resources of the United States with other nations engaged in aeronautical and space activities for peaceful purposes, and to provide for the widest practicable and appropriate dissemination of information concerning NASA's activities and their results, and

WHEREAS, in July of 1960, just two years after its creation, the ambitious Project Apollo which aimed to put a man on the moon within the decade was announced by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, and

WHEREAS, in July of 1969, within the amazingly short period permitted for its completion, Project Apollo achieved fruition with the landing of the first manned space vehicle,

Apollo XI, on the surface of the moon after launch from a Florida base, and

WHEREAS, the flight of Apollo XI was flown by astronauts Neil A. Armstrong, Edwin A. Aldrin, Jr., and Michael Collins, and Commander Armstrong and Lunar Module Pilot Aldrin were the first men ever to set foot on the moon thus permitting the United States to make "one giant leap for mankind," and

WHEREAS, since the historic flight of Apollo XI, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration has continued in its program of space achievements, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the National Aeronautics and Space Administration is hereby commended for its brilliant achievements in the space program and for providing the United States the distinction of being first to achieve a manned lunar surface landing.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution, signed by the President of the Senate, be transmitted to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration as a tangible token of the sentiments expressed herein and a lasting symbol of the gratitude and respect of the Senate of the State of Florida.

—was read the second time in full. On motion by Senator Johnson (29th), SR 502 was unanimously adopted.

On motion by Senator Beaufort, the President appointed Senators Karl, Barrow and Plante as a committee to escort Dr. Kurt H. Debus, Director, John F. Kennedy Space Center, to the rostrum where he was presented a copy of the resolution.

SR 510—A resolution commending Rear Admiral Alan B. Shepard, Jr. for his achievements in air and space flight and for his contributions to knowledge.

WHEREAS, Alan B. Shepard, Jr., Rear Admiral, United States Navy, was born in East Derry, New Hampshire, in 1923 and, after graduation from the United States Naval Academy in 1944, began his brilliant naval career on the destroyer COGSWELL during World War II, and

WHEREAS, Alan B. Shepard, Jr., was one of the original seven Mercury astronauts selected by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration in April, 1959, after a nationwide call for jet, test pilot volunteers, and

WHEREAS, Alan B. Shepard, Jr., became the first American to journey into space on May 5, 1961 when his Freedom 7 spacecraft was launched from Cape Canaveral, Florida, by a Redstone vehicle on a ballistic trajectory suborbital flight which carried him to an altitude of one hundred sixteen statute miles and to a landing point three hundred two statute miles down the Atlantic Missile Range, and

WHEREAS, in 1963, Alan B. Shepard, Jr., was designated Chief of the Astronaut Office, and

WHEREAS, Alan B. Shepard, Jr., with unbelievable courage and undaunting spirit, made his second flight into space as spacecraft commander on Apollo XIV, January 31-February 9, 1971, man's third lunar landing mission, accompanied by Stuart A. Roosa, command module pilot and Edgar D. Mitchell, lunar module pilot, and

WHEREAS, Alan B. Shepard, Jr., was appointed by President Nixon to serve as alternate United States Delegate to the United Nations beginning with the session of September 9, 1971, and

WHEREAS, Rear Admiral Shepard has been awarded NASA Distinguished Service Medals, the NASA Exceptional Service

Medal, the Navy Astronaut Wings, the Navy Distinguished Service Medal, the Navy Distinguished Flying Cross, the Langley Medal of the Smithsonian Institution, the Lambert Trophy, the Kinchloe Trophy, the Cabot Award, the Collier Trophy, and the City of New York Gold Medal, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That Rear Admiral Alan B. Shepard, Jr., is hereby commended for his brilliant and courageous achievements in air and space, for his outstanding contributions to the world of knowledge, and for the credit he has brought to this nation and mankind.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution, signed by the President of the Senate and the seal of the Senate affixed, be transmitted to Rear Admiral Alan B. Shepard, Jr., as a tangible token of the sentiments expressed herein and a lasting symbol of the gratitude and respect of the Senate of the State of Florida.

—was read the second time in full. On motion by Senator de la Parte, SR 510 was unanimously adopted.

On motion by Senator Williams, the President appointed Senators Saylor, Daniel and Weissenborn as a committee to escort Rear Admiral Alan B. Shepard to the rostrum where he was presented a copy of the resolution and addressed the Senate and guests.

In concluding the ceremonies, the choruses of Florida A & M University and Florida State University sang "God Bless America".

The Benediction was delivered by the Rt. Reverend Monsignor T. Leo Danaher, pastor, Blessed Sacrament Church, Tallahassee:

Our Father in heaven, look down from your throne through space to this, our world. May your blessings go into our hearts and minds, guiding and directing us and remaining with us throughout all our days. The earth is your footstool, and we are as the smallest of creatures in your eyes, yet we have your assurance that, as you made man in your image, so will we enjoy the graces of your love and protection. May this divine promise of yours inspire every one of us and strengthen us in our duties. Amen.

The President invited Fred O. Dickinson, Comptroller of Florida and President of the Florida Apollo Memorial Commission, Inc., to the rostrum for the Florida Presentation of the Apollo 7 Command Capsule. The Comptroller read a letter from the President of the United States, Richard M. Nixon, expressing regrets at not being able to attend the ceremonies and appointing Rear Admiral Alan B. Shepard, Jr., as his representative. He then presented the Governor of Florida, Reubin O'D Askew, who addressed the Senate and guests. The Governor presented Rear Admiral Shepard who, on behalf of the President of the United States and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, presented to the State of Florida the command capsule from Apollo 7. Following a brief address by Comptroller Dickinson, the President appointed Senators Brantley, Childers, Duckler, Daniel and Pope as a committee to escort the Governor and distinguished guests from the Chamber.

On motion by Senator Hollahan, the Senate adjourned at 3:22 p.m. to convene at 8:30 a.m. for the purpose of introduction and reference of resolutions, memorials, bills and joint resolutions and thereafter to reconvene at 9:00 a.m., February 2, 1972.