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Beginning the Tenth 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 Fourth of April A.D., 1978, being the day fixed by the Constitution of the State of Florida for convening the Legislature.

The Senate was called to order by Senator Lew Brantley, President of the Senate, at 10:00 a.m., for the first session to be held in the Senate Chamber in the new Capitol. A quorum present—40:

Mr. President	Gordon	Myers	Thomas, Jon
Barron	Gorman	Peterson	Thomas, Pat
Castor	Graham	Plante	Tobiassen
Chamberlin	Hair	Poston	Trask
Childers, Don	Henderson	Renick	Vogt
Childers, W. D.	Holloway	Sayler	Ware
Dunn	Johnston	Scarborough	Williamson
Firestone	Lewis	Scott	Wilson
Gallen	MacKay	Skinner	Winn
Glisson	McClain	Spicola	Zinkil

A color guard from Florida A & M University bearing new flags for the chamber marched down the center aisle to the rostrum and placed the flags in stands. The following participants were recognized: Allyson Saunders, Midshipman 4th Class, and Duane Walker, Midshipman, 4th Class, United States Navy; Dexter Barge, Cadet Corporal, and Frederick Campbell, Cadet Corporal, United States Army.

Prayer by Rabbi Stanley J. Garfein, Temple Israel, Tallahassee:

O Lord of law, author of liberty, we are grateful for the privilege of being present on this historic occasion of the opening of our new Senate chamber. May those who made this transition possible be blessed with the satisfaction of achievement. On this day of renewal reawaken within us a sense of awe and humility as we face the weighty responsibilities of determining the legislative destiny of our state.

When we speak, help us to voice the heart as well as the lips and when we listen, lead us beyond the words so as to understand the soul of the one who is speaking. Show us how to conduct our deliberation expeditiously and fairly. Enable us to surprise our detractors and surpass even our own expectations. Establish thou the work of our hands, yea the work of our hands, establish thou it. Amen.

The Senate stood in a moment of silent prayer for the family of Senator Lewis in the loss of his brother, Thomas Lewis.

Senator Trask led the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The color guard withdrew from the chamber.

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, the rules were waived and certain guests registered under Rule 9 were admitted to the chamber.

The following guests were introduced by the President: Billy and Evelyn Cypress, representing Buffalo Tiger, Chairman of Miccosukee Indian Tribe; Manolo Reboso, Representative of Cuban community—Commissioner and Vice Mayor, Miami; Craig Burdick with "Cross and Sword", depicting Don Pedro Menendez, founder of St. Augustine, as shown in the official play of Florida.

The following past Presidents of the Senate were recognized: Senator Charley E. Johns (1953-54 and Acting Governor from September 29, 1953 through January 4, 1955), his wife Ted and their son Jerome; Senator Dewey M. Johnson (1959-60); Senator Randolph Hodges (1961-62) and his wife Mildred; Senator James A. "Nick" Connor (1965-66) and his grandson Jimmy Hancock; Senator John E. Mathews, Jr. (1969-70); Senator Mallory E. Horne (1973-74) and Senator Dempsey J. Barron (1975-76). Also recognized was LeRoy Adkinson, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, 1951-71.

A bronze plaque inscribed with the names of the 1976-78 Senate was unveiled by Mrs. Catherine Brantley, wife of the President.

Presentation of the Florida Times Union Awards

The President invited John S. Walters, Vice President of Florida Publishing Company and Executive Editor of the Florida Times Union and Jacksonville Journal, to the rostrum and presented him to the Senate.

Mr. Walters presented plaques to the following Senators symbolizing honors voted them in secret balloting by their colleagues in the 1977 Senate:

Senator Dempsey J. Barron, Most Effective Member

Senator Kenneth M. Myers, Runner-up, Most Effective Member

Senator Curtis Peterson, Most Effective in Committee

Senator Kenneth A. Plante, Most Effective in Debate

The Florida Times Union Awards were originated by Dr. Allen Morris, in whose name they were carried forward after he became Clerk of the House in 1966.

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers that a committee be appointed to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate was convened and ready to proceed with the business of the session, the President appointed Senators Winn, Peterson and Ware. The committee was excused.

A committee from the House of Representatives composed of Representatives James, Rish and Hodges was received and announced that the House of Representatives was convened and ready to proceed to the business of the session. The committee then withdrew from the chamber.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The Honorable Lew Brantley, President

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted HCR 1-Org. and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

Allen Morris, Clerk

By Representative Craig—

HCR 1-Orig.—A concurrent resolution providing that the House of Representatives and Senate convene in joint session for the purpose of receiving a message from the Governor.

—was read the first time in full. On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, by two-thirds vote HCR 1-Orig. was read the second time by title, unanimously adopted and certified to the House.

The committee appointed to notify the House of Representatives appeared at the bar of the Senate and reported to the President that its duty had been performed. The committee was thanked for its service and discharged.

JOINT SESSION

Pursuant to HCR 1-Orig., 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 10:55 a.m. by the Honorable Donald L. Tucker, 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, Lew Brantley, and President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Sherman S. Winn, 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.

Dr. Robert R. Morris, Director of Chaplaincy Services, Winter Haven Hospital, delivered the prayer.

The President led the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

On motion by Representative Gordon that a committee be appointed to notify the Governor that the Joint Session was assembled to receive his message, the President appointed Senators Lewis, W. D. Childers and Plante; and the Speaker appointed Representatives Gordon, Hill and Thompson. The committee withdrew from the chamber.

Cheryl Nolan of Bradenton, Florida's Jeannie for 1978, sang "Swanee River".

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor subsequently reappeared escorting His Excellency, the Honorable Reubin O'D. Askew, Governor of Florida, who was escorted to the rostrum.

The President presented the Governor to the joint assembly.

The Governor's Address

The President presented Governor Askew who, after greeting the officers and members of the Legislature, the Supreme Court, the Cabinet, families and guests, addressed the Joint Session as follows:

First of all, let me say, Mr. President, I am grateful for your very kind remarks. Let me begin by congratulating all the recipients of the various legislative awards. These awards do not come easily. They represent a tremendous amount of hard work, and my congratulations in each case to those who were recognized for their work.

Mr. President and Mr. Speaker, I have heard so much this week about the three of us as "lame ducks." I thought that I would share with you that there probably are a lot more

"lame ducks" in this group, only they don't know it yet. The fact is we're all elected and we're going to be here regardless of what is written about us. Each one of us is going to do his job.

Sometimes in the past the press has tried to equate the effectiveness of any message of mine by the number of rounds of applause, and sometimes that number hasn't always been overwhelming. I have not attempted to ever design an address to the Legislature with the idea of soliciting applause, but today I want to begin on a different tone by saying first of all, as the Speaker indicated, that this is the last time you will have the opportunity to hear from me in Regular Session.

This is a fitting and proper time in the history of our state to begin a legislative session in the Chambers of the new Capitol. It has taken over a decade to bring this building to life. And it has been just over a decade since court-ordered reapportionment of the legislature brought a new life to state government.

In this decade since reapportionment, we have literally reshaped the face of state government. Florida's Legislature has been recognized as one of the most independent in the nation. The Judiciary has been remolded and modernized. The executive branch of government has been substantially reorganized, and many of Florida's major laws have been completely recodified.

We have made unprecedented strides in open government and in financial disclosure and ethics.

The state's role in fiscal support of all programs and the state budgeting processes have been dramatically improved.

The long list of overdue reforms has been steadily whittled down in these recent years of dramatic change. And now, of course, we are left with the less dramatic, but much more important, job of making all these reforms and innovations work.

That is the challenge for us in the days and years ahead. And I can say years because I do not foresee another time of such sweeping and dramatic governmental reshaping as we have experienced in this decade. I say that not because great change does not await us in the future—for change is the one certainty—but I can foresee slower and less sweeping change in the coming years because of our firm Constitutional reforms. Hopefully these measures insure that Florida government will never again be so totally beyond the control of the majority of the people as it had become prior to reapportionment.

So one of the hardest things for the legislative and executive branches to do in the months and years ahead will be to tend the systems already created, to make them more effective, to make them more cost efficient, to see that they can better do the things we envision and to fine-tune them, monitor them and make them work.

But we would be telling only half the story of this past decade if we talk only of governmental reforms.

The average Florida citizens, people who may rarely think of Tallahassee, can feel the presence of this decade of changes in every aspect of their daily lives.

Those changes can be felt in the very solid and very real advances that have been made in consumer protection.

They can be seen in the broad and strong protection that has been extended to the environment that is so important to each Floridian—be it parks, beaches, forests or wetlands.

Our progress in tax reform can be felt in the pocketbooks and wallets of each Floridian. And the progress of economic development is not only felt in the jobs of the newly employed, but in the economic boost such growth gives each community.

Nor is there one Floridian who is not daily and directly affected by this decade's dramatic progress in advancing civil rights, in improved educational opportunities for everyone from the youngest to the oldest, or in the great strides we have begun to make in all of the long-neglected areas of social services for the needy and afflicted.

We must be honest, of course. For, while we have done much in recent years, we all are aware that there is much left to do—both in the remaining number of improvements we must make in the executive branch—and in an environmental law that affects the most vital area of this state.

I am speaking, of course, of the need to enact a coastal zone management program. Floridians must understand that if we adopt a strong and positive program, the environmental gains of this decade will not come unraveled at the seams in some future time, but instead will be reaffirmed, strengthened and coordinated.

Much that we have pioneered in Florida is set firmly into law. But this piece of environmental legislation, the piece that speaks to the most important, the most valuable and, therefore the most consistently endangered area of Florida, our coastal areas—where most of our people live and where most of our tourists visit—that area, the coastal zone of Florida, stretching for over a thousand miles from Pensacola down to the Keys and back up to Fernandina Beach—is facing its great moment of truth.

Certainly we can be proud of our efforts to protect the coastal regions. We can point to Florida's coastal construction setback program, to laws which now protect our sensitive estuaries, marshes and mangroves and areas of critical state concern, and to regulations which determine the environmental impact of large developments—before they're approved.

But this needed bill will write into law the specific boundaries of the areas that must be considered as Florida's coastal zone. It is my hope that this will give lasting consistency and direction to the landmark laws we have enacted over this decade of environmental reform.

This is a desirable program. And, while it is not federally mandated for us to participate in the program, there are definite advantages in doing so.

One of the positive gains of enacting such a program would be that once the federal government approves our coastal zone program, federal agencies will be required, subject to national interest, to abide by our definitions and regulations in these areas. This would apply, for example, to the army corps of engineers and to federal decisions relating to offshore energy exploration and production. Oil and gas companies would have to come to the state, first, with their offshore plans such as those being proposed off Jacksonville and southwest Florida.

This law will consolidate all coastal management into one coordinated program without creating new laws or agencies.

This program will not stifle growth or economic use of our coastal zone. In fact, the law will classify areas for development, and, thereby, facilitate future site location. This program will encourage these areas to be developed to the maximum economic benefit of all citizens while protecting those valuable and endangered areas that we also must have if we are to live in harmony with nature.

If there is an area of Florida about which the people expect us to be very firm, and absolutely clear in protecting all our

interests, it is the coastal zone. I will be sending you detailed recommendations on this program. I feel certain that you will meet this challenge.

Several major areas of executive organization should be addressed by the Legislature this session as we continue our efforts to improve the delivery of government services.

At a time when Florida citizens are burdened with ever-increasing utility bills, it is the duty of government to assure that every penny paid for utilities is absolutely justified and necessary. Therefore, I support and recommend the long-awaited expansion of the Public Service Commission to a five-member appointed board and free the Commission from the expense of statewide elective campaigns and from the potential for undue influence.

At the same time, we must strengthen substantially the office of the Public Counsel. The representative of the people must be able to compete on even terms with the utility companies when requests are made for rate increases. The counsel must have access to legal and technical resources which are comparable to those of his adversaries in rate hearings.

The commission itself should be an adjudicative, decision-making body. For that reason, the executive director of the commission should be solely responsible for its administration.

Additionally, I do not think the Public Service Commission should seek to regulate the daily operating details of public utilities, but I do believe the commission should conduct probing management and efficiency studies of the utility companies and then use the results of those studies when considering requests for rate hikes.

We must seek to assure confidence in the Public Service Commission among consumers as well as among utility investors. The process of utilities regulation must be fair to all concerned.

Since this issue will be addressed by Constitutional Revision in November, you may ask why the Legislature should speak to it early. First, I want to eliminate any uncertainty in the status of the commission between now and November. Second, I do not think we need to have the Public Service Commissioners undertake an expensive and unnecessary campaign for two 1978 seats.

The Legislature must also review those agencies affected by the Sunset Law this year. In 1976 we promised to review and phase out unneeded governmental regulation. The time has come to fulfill that promise. Nine agencies are up for review this year.

Each administers the rule-making, licensing, examining, investigative and legal authority for a state licensed occupation. These occupations are licensed by the state because it is important to the health, welfare and safety of our citizens to have professional, competent, and honest practitioners.

The state must make certain that our regulatory processes are objective and fair. To achieve this regulatory goal, the department should administer the examination, licensing, and investigative functions. The boards would then be in the proper role of establishing standards for entry into the profession or occupation as well as disciplining present members. And since these are public boards, there should be public participation through consumer representatives on these boards.

In your review of these agencies you should make certain that they have not become a captive of the occupation or profession the state seeks to regulate. You also need to be sure the licensing power of the state is not being used to unduly restrict entry into the field and that it does *not* serve

as a mechanism for controlling prices, does *not* restrict advertising, or, finally, does *not* seek to restrict competition. We will thereby assure ourselves that governmental regulation is both in the public interest and that it does not unduly restrict our free enterprise system.

I am aware of the intense lobbying you must sometimes endure when a special interest group feels that its sole authority over its own particular area may be loosened.

The promises we made to the people when we passed the Sunset Law must now be redeemed.

In order to strengthen the Probation and Parole Commission, I recommend that the Legislature place administrative responsibilities in a single individual and that the commission establish regions and rotate the hearing examiners within those regions to save time and money.

In the past few years I have not supported splitting the Department of Commerce because I did not want to detract from our accelerated efforts in economic development. But that program has now advanced to a point where I can recommend that reorganization, creating a separate Department of Commerce, including two major Divisions of Tourism and Economic Development, and establishing a separate Department of Labor. Both departments should be headed by a Secretary appointed by the Governor. Let me also say clearly, in advance, that under no circumstances would I find it acceptable to house in the new Department of Commerce both regulatory and promotional functions.

I also recommend that the Department of Business Regulation be reorganized, with the department head a Secretary under the Governor. This will enable us to better pinpoint executive responsibility just as we have done effectively in the Department of Environmental Regulation. The Board of Business Regulation should continue to set racing dates and have appellate functions in other important areas.

Also, I think you should take a hard look at the other agencies that are headed by collegial bodies. Here again, we need to pinpoint administrative responsibility in a single individual.

Finally, the Pensacola and Youngstown train derailments and other recent national railroad disasters raise the question of the adequacy of the public's protection. Railroad traffic is increasing nationally with many dangerous materials being transported by rail.

The Legislature should review the state's responsibilities for monitoring the safety of our railroads. Although this is clearly a federal responsibility, federal law does allow state participation. I urge you to explore what role the state may play to insure more effective inspection and regulation.

I am recommending that this state function be clearly assigned to the Department of Transportation. I will be sending you some more specific recommendations in this regard in the very near future.

Having dealt then with these issues which I hope you will consider—that is, our coastal zone environment, and the need for strengthening executive organization in a number of agencies—I would like to turn briefly to two major issues that I hope this body will *not* take up.

The Constitution Revision Commission will, by May 9, discharge its duties as required by the Constitution and will submit its proposals directly to the people. This event, which will hereafter happen only five times every century, should be al-

lowed to function in its pure form as approved by the people in the 1968 Constitution.

The Legislature has broad powers to revise or amend our State Constitution. These powers have been exercised frequently. But the work of the Revision Commission should not be confused by competing legislative proposals. The will of the people in authorizing such a commission must not be frustrated. The Legislature should not step between the people and the revision process in this one special year. I am pleased that this seems to be the growing consensus of many members of this Legislature—whose leadership appointed approximately half the members of the Revision Commission.

On the question of governmental ethics, financial disclosure and the Sunshine Amendment, I think it is vital that we hold the line at the high standards imposed upon us by an overwhelming 80 percent of the voters.

The Federal Constitutional challenge with regard to the privacy issue has been decided in the state's favor in the U. S. District Court and has been argued before the Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans. We are now awaiting that decision.

Other challenges to the Sunshine Amendment deal with the forfeiture of retirement, with breach of the public trust, with representation by a member of the Legislature before a state agency, and with the powers of the Ethics Commission. Each of these questions is being litigated in the state courts.

A challenge to the constitutionality of the composition of the Ethics Commission has recently been decided by the First District Court of Appeal in favor of the Commission.

I fully expect that the will of the people of Florida respecting the Sunshine Amendment will be upheld by the courts and I see no reason to anticipate otherwise.

Unquestionably the Sunshine Amendment envisioned an appropriate extension of financial disclosure provisions beyond the constitutional officers now covered. However, because of all the pending law suits, the more prudent course would be to wait until the suits are decided before we seek to extend it.

The State Comprehensive Plan that I submitted to you is an executive action document. It is submitted to the Legislature so that you may have a review of what the executive policy is in implementing the laws of the state, as well as some changes in the law that may be necessary.

The executive portions of the state plan are not before the Legislature for passage, approval or revision. The executive actions called for in the plan do not attempt in any way to go beyond existing law. If the plan does contain recommendations for additional legislation to meet fully the challenge for a comprehensive state strategy, then obviously the Legislature should consider these recommendations. It also requires budgetary action to be fully effective.

If the Legislature disagrees with a proposed executive action to implement a policy or goal which has existing legislative authority there are three courses of action available to you.

First, if the Legislature thinks an action caused by a policy of the state plan is not based upon a proper interpretation of the law, it may challenge that executive action and interpretation through its participation in the Administrative Procedures Act.

Second, the Legislature may encourage or discourage programs through the appropriations function, and I have never known you to be shy in using this tool.

Finally, you may improve, alter or repeal the laws upon which the executive action must be based.

Therefore, I encourage you to study the state plan carefully and to consider its strengths and weaknesses as you write new laws and appropriate state funds. I also recommend that you amend chapter 23, the State Planning Act, to eliminate the artificial distinction between state and executive policy.

The peculiar genius of the state plan is that the Legislature requires the executive to specifically spell out its goals and interpretations of law and provides both government and the people with a method of measuring accomplishment.

Each year, of course, the adoption of the state budget, which appropriates the money to run government, has been the one essential piece of legislation that we must adopt. This will be our last annual budget before we return to biennial budgeting. I think this budget fairly and adequately meets the needs of the people of this state for the coming fiscal year, and most important, it does so without raising taxes.

The total budget I have recommended to you from general revenue and federal revenue sharing funds is just under three billion dollars, an increase of over \$246-million above last year. Your task will be to keep this total under \$3-billion. For all funds the total I have recommended is slightly under \$6-billion.

We will be able to meet our budget needs next year without new taxes because our economy is improving and growing once again. The economic outlook is generally positive in the vital areas of real personal income, employment, construction and retail sales. From the standpoint of sales tax revenue, receipts in March for February sales are encouraging. Our Revenue Estimating Conference in April will give a clearer financial picture.

In the past several years, we have accelerated our efforts to attract business and industry to Florida and provide jobs for our people. This is a strong and effective program which is already showing results and will pay even greater dividends in the months and years to come.

For the immediate fiscal year ahead, we should continue our aggressive campaign to attract new business and industry to Florida and to promote trade and commerce.

It is time, I believe, to expand our office in Brussels from what has essentially been a consulting arrangement to a true Florida office with a permanent staff.

My recent trip to the Far East convinces me it is time to establish a Florida presence in Japan. It would indeed be a wise and timely move to be on the scene as soon as possible and to take advantage of the tremendous economic activity that is going to take place between Japan and the United States in the next several years.

I recommend both of these steps to this Legislature.

In our trips abroad, the Comptroller and I have found a very receptive international banking community with strong interest in Florida as a base for Latin American banking. Your enactment of the International Banking Act last year has dramatically increased their interest. I think the Comptroller should be commended in his approach to the implementation of this law. Our two offices have discussed the possible creation of an International Free Financial Zone similar to our present Free Trade Zones in order to encourage further development of Florida international banking as well as trade.

Working with the Comptroller and Florida banking community, we hope to present legislation for your consideration and passage at this session.

I also want to take this opportunity briefly to discuss my opposition to certain special property tax moratoriums to induce industry to come to Florida. We do not need artificial incentives to attract prosperous and stable industry to Florida. We must not discriminate against existing industry in Florida. And we must not dilute the tax base of local governments. Above all, we must not be so presumptuous as to handcuff future generations in their ability, on the local level, to provide the necessary services to insure a quality of life that we have long envisioned, or to permit them to provide for future needs.

I know some of you still favor making certain tax adjustments which you feel would make us even more competitive in attracting new industry. However, I would caution you to be sure you pass an appropriations bill which meets the needs of all citizens and rebuild our working reserves to at least \$50-million before you address the question of tax relief.

The Working Capital Fund is the savings account of state government—which is essential for meeting the needs of the state in hard times. It was only the existence of these reserves in the economic slump of '74 and '75 that allowed us to meet our financial obligations without having to raise taxes.

If there is then sufficient recurring revenue available, I would encourage you to look at some relief for our citizens from what is the most onerous tax in Florida—the Municipal Utilities Tax—and to consider providing an adjustment of the sales tax on energy for both new and existing industry. This sales tax was removed from households in 1972.

These adjustments will have to be made gradually over a period of years. If we can at least begin this balanced and equitable tax relief program for our corporate and private citizens alike, we will have added additional reasons for business and industry to move to Florida without giving tax incentives that unbalance our state taxes or overburden the property tax base of local government.

A great deal is heard about the necessity of competing with our neighboring southern states that do give some tax incentives to new industry. That is all well and good, but let us realize that each of those five neighboring states closest to us also has both a personal income tax and a sales tax on food. Most of them also have a sales tax on medicine and household utilities. Florida has none of these consumer taxes, and furthermore, the people of this state don't want them. In other words, which of those states do you want to swap tax structures with in order to provide tax incentives for new industries? How many of you want to follow their lead and impose a personal income tax on your people back home, a sales tax on groceries, a sales tax on medicine, a sales tax on household utilities? Now how many of you want to do that? I'd like to see you stand so the people back home can see who you are. Let the record reflect, Mr. President and Mr. Speaker, that no one stood and a few people in the back who were standing sat down.

You might be interested to know what Governor Clifford Finch of Mississippi said in his state of the state address a year ago to his legislature, and I quote:

"In personal discussions with heads of major corporations in all parts of the nation, I have been told repeatedly that cheap labor and ad valorem tax exemptions do not materially determine where these companies will locate plants. Therefore, I ask that you take appropriate steps to discontinue the usual ten-year tax exemptions for new industry, thus placing present and new industry on an equal footing."

In other words, should Florida be moving in a direction that even Mississippi is moving away from?

We need jobs in Florida, and Floridians want businesses and industries that see the many sound reasons for locating here and are ready to come to a first-class state as first-class corporate citizens.

We want to sell Florida, not give it away.

And finally, as we look back over the achievements of the Governor's Management and Efficiency Commission that have resulted in more than \$50-million in financial benefits, we find that one of the remaining recommendations is to change our state printing law, which currently requires that all public printing be done within the state.

I am convinced this change will result in more competitive prices for state printing and accordingly I recommend it to you.

While concentrating on developing new industry and commerce, Florida must not neglect the health of the two other pillars of our economy—tourism and agriculture.

Florida had 30 million visitors in 1977. We can do even better. I am therefore proposing an increase of \$1.3-million for our tourism program. In addition, I am requesting \$1-million to launch a television advertising campaign as recommended by the Florida Tourism Advisory Council.

This year the farmer's strike calls our attention to the plight of one of America's most valuable resources—the people who till our land.

The current fears of farmers are real and cannot be ignored. The solution to the problem lies primarily with national policy, and with some international impact. But here in Florida there are some constructive things we can do for ourselves.

I recommend that you appropriate \$1.9-million for the Institute for Food and Agricultural Sciences for basic research to study and perfect answers to the impact of foreign imports on Florida agriculture. Now I recognize that we can only do so much with a study such as this in trying to single out Florida. The fact of the matter is, there is not and there has not been in modern times a thorough study on the national level of the total impact of imports on our agriculture, and what is happening to it as a result of that, by the federal government. So in addition to trying to help us determine more of what we can do on the state level, we hope that it might also serve as a catalyst to push the federal government to do what they long ago should have done.

In addition, part of this money will be for new soil and water conservation needs, the possibilities of alternative crops and, most important of all perhaps, to find ways to more efficiently use energy and reduce energy costs in agriculture.

And let me add here that Florida is highly indebted to U.S. Senator Dick Stone for his leadership in helping secure additional sales quotas for Florida citrus in Japan and Taiwan.

Last year I commended you for your initiative in studying the problems of farm workers. I want to urge you again to turn that study into action and to provide a collective bargaining mechanism through which farm workers can represent themselves until the appropriate federal mechanisms have been provided. I would further recommend that you request congress to enact appropriate federal law through a legislative memorial.

As you know, more than 60 percent of our general appropriation dollar goes each year to education. The amount of state and federal funds we put into education has grown in the last six years from \$1.2-billion to the current year's \$2.5-billion. This year I am recommending an increase of more than \$115-million in state appropriations. I believe this seven percent in-

crease together with normal growth in local funds, will adequately fund education next year.

Many proponents of increased spending use per capita expenditures, in which Florida ranks low, rather than using per pupil expenditure data. Florida has the highest percentage of our population over 65, and the lowest percentage of school children of any state in the nation.

Therefore, we should not be expected to rank high in educational expenditures on a total population basis, but we do rank favorably in expenditures per child. In fact, by using the most recent available national data, Florida's expenditure per student in our public school program is 25 percent above the average of all other states in our region. We remain slightly below the national average expenditure per student, but Florida's cost of living has always been substantially below the national average.

During this decade Florida can be proud of the progress made in providing an equal educational opportunity for each child, regardless of where they live. In 1969-70 expenditures, the county spending the most dollars per pupil spent twice as much per pupil as the lowest county. Today, there is only a 26 percent difference between the high and low county, and much of that is because of real differences in the cost of living throughout this state.

None of this means that we should be content with the progress we have made, but we should keep this matter in proper perspective as we strive to continue to improve the educational opportunities for our people. We must continue to monitor our progress, improve our management, and address specific educational objectives.

One of the most significant things we can do is to fully fund the Compensatory Education Program. Last year we appropriated \$10-million to improve the basic skills of students with learning deficiencies. This year full funding will be provided with the additional appropriation of \$16.5-million I am requesting.

For our Community College Program, I am recommending \$195.6-million, an increased \$15.3-million, including a special \$2-million maintenance fund to avoid more expensive repairs and replacements in the future.

I am recommending \$325.9-million for Florida's University System, \$16.5-million more than the current fiscal year, exclusive of the amount necessary to keep faculty pay reasonably competitive. I am also proposing that we continue our efforts to identify at each state university one area where specific academic improvements can be made through increased funds. These quality improvements will be well worth the \$2-million investment.

In this decade we have moved decisively to combat crime by streamlining the judiciary, modernizing the criminal code, and attacking organized crime with stronger investigative and prosecutorial tools, such as a statewide grand jury and a tough new anti-racketeering and corrupt practices act. As we look ahead to the important work of the current statewide grand jury, we will carry forward into the next year the necessity for additional appropriations. I recommended last year \$300,000, and you recommended, or you appropriated \$100,000. Initially I recommended \$300,000 in my message to you. Since that time I have visited those members of the Organized Crime Coordinating Council and I am convinced of the effective job that they are doing. I believe for the first time we are marshaling all the resources of the law enforcement community, with all the state attorneys participating in law enforcement at each

level to fight organized crime. I therefore am increasing my appropriations recommendation in this area to \$500,000.

The explosive growth of inmate population, institutions, staff and budget in our correctional program has outpaced the growth of almost every other area of state government.

Some of the statistics are staggering. The inmate population has jumped from an average 9,657 in 1971 to nearly 20,000 this year. During that period, the annual operating budget for corrections increased from \$32.3-million to \$138.7-million. The cost of building new prisons and renovating others has reached more than \$167-million.

I think we can take some satisfaction that we have met the criminal challenge head on, with no wholesale discharge of inmates which could have occurred without the positive action we have taken.

In the treatment of convicted felons, Florida has in the last 10 years engaged in a massive overhaul and upgrading of the facilities and programs of the Department of Offender Rehabilitation. Last week I visited our new correctional facilities in Indian River County, and I think the department can demonstrate that its new regional management approach, the community correctional centers and the staffing of the probation and parole officers under the department are all working.

It was a refreshing experience for me to go into a county—and my friends on the Cabinet can well remember the consternation of the people of Indian River County, led by just about all their public officials, against the locating of any penal institution in their county. But we made that decision, and when that decision was made, it is as good an example as I have ever seen of a community and a state agency coming together and doing a job. We have 287 young felons in that institution, each one with no prior prison commitment. That community, Vero Beach, has furnished that institution no less than 200 volunteers. We have had over 200 religious conversions. We've had substantial upgrading in education by special training techniques that are actually bringing up the education of these people. Some of them have gone as much as three levels in a period of four or five months by intensive individual training. And these are some young people who were in for difficult crimes—armed robbery, burglary, breaking and entering. The fact of the matter is, if you want to look to an institution that's working, you will find one of the reasons it's working is that a community that was solely against its coming there to begin with, once the decision was made, pitched in and made it work.

I have been impressed with the success of the efforts of the Organized Crime Coordinating Council composed of five state attorneys to bring all elements of the law enforcement community together in this concerted effort. I think we should continue to support this ongoing program rather than fragment our efforts at this time by creating a State Commission of Investigation.

And yet for all that we have invested in this area of criminal justice, we now estimate that by June 1980, when we will have nearly 20,000 beds available, the inmate population will be almost 22,000. For this reason, I am recommending you appropriate \$19.3-million for two additional facilities, one of which is a prison-reception center in South Florida. I believe when you look at this in depth you will agree that we are in no danger of being overbuilt with adequate prison facilities because some of our existing facilities are temporary and others should be eliminated as soon as possible.

And I would think with this appropriation, and the application of the remaining money that was appropriated in the last session of the Legislature, I believe that we can look forward to no more large capital outlay for prisons.

Even as we have been sending more and more criminals to prison, we also want to strengthen our traditional commitment to the concept of parole.

We have initiated a parole program which allows the state and the inmate to formally agree to the terms and conditions of release, frequently including restitution in those terms.

While this is an important step, this approach has its limitations when you talk about trying to negotiate specific agreements with thousands of prisoners.

That is why I am recommending that objective parole criteria be established before they would be eligible for release, while still preserving Parole Commission discretion in each case. This would add a degree of certainty to punishment and would be another positive step toward improving corrections in Florida.

Last year I strongly recommended that we increase the criminal penalty for on-track bookmaking from a misdemeanor to a felony. Once again I urge the passage of this vital bill to protect the reputation and integrity of our pari-mutuel regulation.

And finally, I want to again challenge you to take up the very modest 72-hour waiting period for handgun purchases.

This legislation will provide a cooling off period that can hopefully reduce the passionate killings that cause so much tragedy in the lives of our people.

The social service needs of Florida citizens are second in appropriation only to education, and I would like to mention the success story that is developing at the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services. I will say that a good portion of that success is because this Legislature has had the wisdom and the strength to insist upon the implementation of the integrated services delivery system.

Reorganization of the department, however, should be viewed as only a setting for improvements in the delivery of services to people in need. The basis for judging these improvements is in the amount, quality and access to human services in Florida.

Human services in Florida have become more community centered, less institutional and more humane. Early in this decade, Florida began to provide for the rights of the retarded and the mentally ill. For the retarded, we have implemented community diagnostic and treatment programs and reduced our institutional population over 30 percent while nearly doubling the staff/patient ratio. For the mentally ill, we have implemented community treatment and substantially reduced the number of patients in our state hospitals where the staff per patient has more than doubled.

We have begun and already expanded the neonatal intensive care program. We have expanded medical care for the poor.

We have increased family assistance grants.

And, the increased state concern for the elderly in nursing homes has resulted in the passage of the Omnibus Nursing Home Reform Act of 1976. A portion of that Act was recently declared unconstitutional. I urge you to correct the deficiencies in that Act so we can have an effective and constitutional rating system.

As you may know the Governor's Management Advisory Committee completed its study of Health and Rehabilitative Services. I commend them for their work and I have asked the department to prepare responses for appropriate action.

Overall, my budget recommendation includes more than \$57-million in increased funding for human services.

Even though we seem to be enjoying a plentiful supply of petroleum at present, the continued warnings from Washington and overseas of global petroleum shortfall in the '80s make it imperative that Florida begin preparing its contingency options this year. I have already instructed the Department of Administration to begin developing contingency plans for a possible time when energy shortfalls occur. Obviously, one element of such plan should be the rebuilding of the state's reserve fund, the Working Capital Fund, as I have previously recommended.

The Legislature also needs to approve the proposed Energy Coordination Act of 1978. This Act will give us the necessary tools to insure that the forward looking state energy policy that you adopted last year can be speedily implemented.

We also need to approve the bill that will require solar energy systems to be used in new state buildings wherever it is cost beneficial and the requirement to consider operating expenses as well as construction costs in designing new educational facilities.

While the Public Service Commission has never attempted to regulate carpools, such regulatory requirements do exist and should be repealed.

We are all aware that energy will continue to be one of the major problems that will affect us in the years to come. And yet since Florida is an energy consuming state with very few known fossil fuel resources there is relatively little that state government can do. But we can watch our spending. We can encourage energy conservation and diversification. We can conduct research into alternate energy uses with a heavy emphasis on our natural assets—the different solar energies and natural cycles.

The Legislature must lead the way in examining projects, laws and budgets in the light of their energy consumption and the probable future. Taken in that light, almost every bill you consider is an energy bill.

In appropriations I encourage you to approve the \$500,000 program for resource recovery, and the \$500,000 in state and federal funds for solar installations in existing state buildings.

The Phosphate Land Reclamation Study Commission has reviewed the effect of unreclaimed land disturbed by phosphate mining before 1975. I urge the Legislature to approve the recommendations of the commission which stress how these lands can be returned to beneficial uses.

In my budget I recommended significant improvements in the air quality programs of the Department of Environmental Regulation and the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services. These recommendations were made for both environmental and public health reasons and with particular reference to monitoring of the phosphate industry.

I commend the Legislature for earmarking funds from motor vehicle license fees for transportation purposes which will allow us to continue our expanded efforts in road resurfacing, the repair and replacement of many of our bridges, interstate construction and mass transit programs such as the \$10.1-million in general revenue I am recommending next year to assist in the development of the Dade Rapid Transit Project.

I know that there is a significant body of opinion in both Houses that feels we should refrain from attempting any substantial change in the automobile insurance system this year and develop more experience as a result of changes made in the last few years.

Legislation passed in 1976 and 1977 seems to be providing some benefits but the picture is far from settled. In spite of this

posture it is very important that we be willing to objectively look at any suggestion which may be made at this session that may prove helpful.

Even though many of you have strong differences of opinion with the State Insurance Commissioner on his initiative proposal to constitutionally prohibit the recovery for pain and suffering, I would hope that this would not impair the working relationships between you which could be very important in the consideration of any other legislative changes in this complex area.

The Insurance Commissioner and his staff, as well as my office, stand ready to assist you in any way we can in your deliberations.

Florida's first no fault insurance law presently requires higher premiums than any state other than Alaska. This occurs even when our benefits are not substantially better than any other state and are only slightly better than other South-eastern states. The blame for this should not be placed on any one group, however tempting that may be, but seems to rest with a lack of clarity in the statute itself.

The primary area where claimants cannot be compensated without litigation is in measuring the amount of compensation for permanent and partial disability after maximum medical improvement. I urge you to review this area and provide for more certainty and less litigation. There is no reason why we cannot reduce the premium costs and continue or increase our present level of benefits.

In light of the recent actuarial report on the need to make our Employee Retirement Program financially sound, including proposals to strengthen the Special Risk portion of the plan, I will be forwarding specific recommendations for your consideration and action.

Client advocacy is a new concept for most state governments. Basically it means that those who receive services from the state can have someone to turn to if they feel the agency they are dealing with is not giving them a fair shake. The number of such federally mandated programs is growing and we need to do something about it.

Most recently we had to create a Governor's Commission on Advocacy for Persons with Developmental Disabilities. We need to combine this agency with the Human Rights Advocacy Committee and the Nursing Home Ombudsman Committee, and to look for other such functions that can also be consolidated.

The fact that we are not taking up the Equal Rights Amendment this session should not be interpreted by anyone as a lack of commitment by those of us who remain determined that someday this amendment will be made a part of the United States Constitution. We look to this year's election to provide fresh direction to the Legislature on E.R.A.

The funding of the Human Relations Commission that you created last year is of vital importance not only to those who bear the burden of discrimination, but to the welfare of Florida business and industry as well. The mounting legal costs of job discrimination actions must be channeled into a process that will prove quick redress to people with discrimination complaints, and at the same time ease the transitions to social justice for all with a minimum of economic and social damage to society.

Florida's Human Relations Commission can be an economical, effective method of solving problems. Its substantially expanded authority goes into effect July 1. I urge you to give your far-sighted plan for the Human Relations Commission the money that will make it work. It is critical that it be properly funded.

Ten years ago today, an American patriot died. The Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr., the civil rights leader who electrified the nation and led a cause for social justice that was long overdue, was assassinated.

Dr. King's struggle brought him to our own Saint Augustine. The people of that community were divided, as were so many of us in every community. In our hearts some of us resisted him and some of us marched with him. But none of us was untouched by him.

Today, there are few of us who would deny that his cause was just, or that the segregation laws and customs that he fought with such passion and eloquence were not unjust. Our society is emerging from the long night of racial injustice into a new day of increasing cooperation and harmony, a time when the problems of racial discrimination are not all solved, but are open to solution.

Martin Luther King, Jr., stands in the finest tradition of American patriots, the tradition that says the highest calling of every citizen is to stand up for what he or she believes is right, that the greatest duty is to hold the line for an unpopular cause, to be willing to risk life, fortune and sacred honor in the non-violent pursuit of liberty and equality for all.

Therefore, I recommend to the Florida Legislature that January 15, the birthday of The Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr., the man from Georgia who made such a difference in the lives of all Floridians such a short time ago, be made a state Memorial Day. We all may honor Dr. King today, not only because he was a civil rights leader for the many black people in Florida whose civil rights were not being honored in his day, but because Martin Luther King, Jr., was an American leader whose life will remain a living lesson in courage and dedication for all of us for all time.

This is, then, my final charge to the Legislature of Florida. We have come a long way, you and I, and I think at the end of this legislative session we can look back on the long path we have traveled with a certain satisfaction that no other time in state government is likely to have the chance to deal with such a massive reshaping of state policy.

I can say this, not only because we have made substantial progress in reducing the tremendous backlog of neglected governmental work, but because we have written constitutional and institutional reforms into our government that should assure that never again will the people be denied representative access to all the tools of their constitutional government.

In brief, I think we can say that no one will ever again have to run as fast as we ran in this decade, because hopefully we have insured that never again will state government be allowed to fall so far behind.

But that final judgment cannot be written until the end of this session. I have had the opportunity now to work with Speaker Tucker for three sessions, and also with President Brantley for one session. I have worked with both of them and many of you over many years, and I want to say that from the time both of these presiding officers were elected, we pledged cooperation. We have not always agreed, because each one is entitled to the right of his own position, but we have had cooperation and we have had an atmosphere of willingness to work together to try to solve these problems. I have enjoyed that working relationship and I look forward to a continued successful working relationship.

Hopefully, you will finish before the final day, but I would remind you that the key to an early finish is an early start.

Let us work together to make the people proud of us, and let us, by our work record in these new quarters, set a precedent

that all the generations of legislators and governors-yet-to-come, will want to follow. Good luck and best wishes.

Following the Governor's address the committee previously appointed escorted the Governor from the rostrum and from the House Chamber, followed by the Lieutenant Governor and members of the Cabinet, and Justices of the Supreme Court.

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, the Senate withdrew from the joint session and resumed its session at 12:23 p.m. A quorum present.

The President presiding

Senator Henderson moved that the rules be waived and the staff director of the Governmental Operations Committee be granted privileges of the floor during consideration of Senate Bills 309, 310 and 311.

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, by two-thirds vote SCR 619 was withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar and by two-thirds vote placed first on the special order calendar.

INTRODUCTION

By Senators Sayler and Chamberlin—

SB 1—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Cross Florida Canal; transferring all funds of the Canal Authority of the State of Florida to the Cross Florida Barge Control Trust Fund; assigning all powers, duties, and functions, records, personnel, and other personal property of the canal authority to the Bureau of Waterways of the Division of Resource Management of the Department of Natural Resources; requiring the canal authority to transfer title to its real property to the Governor and Cabinet as head of such department; providing for use of funds in the Cross Florida Barge Canal Trust Fund; providing for termination of the canal authority, the bureau, and the trust fund; prohibiting the department or canal authority from making expenditures for the purpose of acquiring land for constructing, operating, or promoting the canal; requiring the department to develop a management plan for the canal area; empowering the department to retain lands and acquire other lands, including the acquisition by condemnation of lands in fee which lands were acquired in less than fee simple; providing for the sale of certain lands acquired and owned by the state for the canal and for the distribution of funds derived from such sale; providing for use of federal funds; providing for the vesting of title to real property transferred or acquired under the act in the Governor and Cabinet; providing that such real property is exempt from taxation; providing for annual reports by the department to the Legislature; authorizing the department to contract with and make assignments, transfers, and conveyances to the United States; requiring the public sale of property owned by the Cross Florida Canal Navigation District and providing for the return of certain funds of the district to the counties in the district; repealing parts I and II of chapter 374, Florida Statutes, relating to the creation, duties, and powers of the Canal Authority of the State of Florida and of the Cross Florida Canal Navigation District; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Governmental Operations; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Sayler—

SB 2—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local acts; providing legislative intent; providing for the systematic review and repeal of certain local acts; prescribing procedures for such review by local governmental entities and the Legislature; providing for the abolition of units and subunits of government and personnel positions created by the local acts which are repealed and for the reversion of transfer of unexpended funds; providing for the preservation of certain causes of action; requiring codification of local acts by affected local governmental entities; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Wilson and Chamberlin—

SCR 3—A concurrent resolution ratifying the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to equal rights for men and women.

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

By Senators Wilson and Chamberlin—

SJR 4—A joint resolution ratifying the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to equal rights for men and women.

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

By Senators Wilson and Chamberlin—

SR 5—A resolution assenting to the ratification of the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States, relating to equal rights for men and women.

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

By Senators Wilson and Chamberlin—

SB 6—A bill to be entitled An act relating to equal rights; ratifying the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to equal rights for men and women; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 7—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Good Drivers' Incentive Fund; repealing section 42, chapter 77-468, Laws of Florida, appearing as s. 318.22, Florida Statutes, relating to creation of the fund and collection of revenue for the fund through increased traffic fines; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 8—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cooperatives; adding s. 719.203(6), Florida Statutes; exempting certain residential cooperatives from the application of implied warranties; creating s. 719.122, Florida Statutes; providing that a cooperative lease of land or recreational or other common facilities is presumptively unconscionable if it contains certain elements; providing that such presumption is rebuttable; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 9—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the reduction of unemployment; providing for the development of a report and recommendation by the Department of Commerce relating to the adoption of a state policy for reducing unemployment; providing for certain elements to be included and considered in the report; providing for the report and recommendations to be submitted to the presiding officers of the Legislature; providing for the cooperation of all state agencies in development of the report and recommendations; providing for coordination with development of economic goals established pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 3260, 1976 regular session; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 10—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state career service system; adding s. 110.051(2)(p), Florida Statutes; exempting from the career service system any person employed

as a physician or any person employed in a position which requires the employee to be a physician; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Zinkil and Plante—

SJR 11—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 3, Article III of the State Constitution relating to sessions of the Legislature.

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

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 12—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parental support and maintenance; obligating certain persons aged 18 or over to assist in parental support and maintenance when the parent or parents are in needy circumstances; providing limitations; providing that the obligation of such support is joint and severable for all persons so obligated; providing for enforcement by court order; providing for revision of orders; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SM 13—A memorial to the Congress of the United States requesting the Congress to establish a Veterans' Administration medical facility in Broward County.

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

By Senators Scarborough, Saylor, Johnston and Williamson—

SB 14—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the protection of public employees retirement benefits; creating part VII, chapter 112, Florida Statutes; providing for the implementation of Section 14 of Article X, State Constitution, relating to governmental retirement systems; providing that this act is applicable to all state, county, special district, and municipal retirement systems and prevails over conflicting existing laws and ordinances; providing for actuarial reviews; providing for prompt deposit of employee and employer contributions, meeting of normal costs, and amortization of unfunded liabilities; providing limitations on retirement benefits; providing certain general administrative provisions relating to retirement systems; providing that provisions relieving a fiduciary from liability are void; providing for purchase of insurance to cover losses incurred by an act or omission of a fiduciary; providing for civil actions; providing that a retirement system or plan may sue or be sued as an entity; providing for notice and review of denials of benefits; prohibiting special laws or general laws of local application relating to the requirements of the act; providing severability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 15—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of aircraft and pilots; repealing ss. 330.02, 330.03, 330.06-330.11, 330.13-330.16, 330.18-330.25, Florida Statutes, and s. 330.12, Florida Statutes, as amended, relating to the licensing and regulation of aircraft and pilots, and the registration of aircraft; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 16—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Freddie Lee Pitts and Wilbert Lee; providing an appropriation to compensate them for wrongful imprisonment; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master and the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By Senators Don Childers, Saylor, Zinkil, Gordon, Plante, To-biassen, Poston, Jon Thomas, Scarborough, Lewis, Wilson, Hol-loway, Graham, Winn and Renick—

SB 17—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Public Service Commission; amending s. 350.01, Florida Statutes; increasing the number of commissioners; providing for the terms of commissioners; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Com-mittees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gorman—

SB 18—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cruelty to animals; amending s. 828.073(2), (3), Florida Statutes; pro-viding that no fee shall be charged for filing a petition for a hearing with respect to disposition of a cruelly treated or neglected animal, nor shall a fee be charged for service of process in such a case; changing the time limitation for con-duct of the hearing on the petition; correcting a reference to the title of the judge having jurisdiction of such a proceeding; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Com-mittee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senators Scarborough and Skinner—

SB 19—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Good Drivers' Incentive Fund; repealing section 42, chapter 77-468, Laws of Florida, appearing as s. 318.22, Florida Statutes, relating to creation of the fund and collection of revenue for the fund through increased traffic fines; providing for the distribution of collected funds; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Com-mittees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Castor—

SB 20 was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

On motion by Senator Castor, by two-thirds vote SB 20 was withdrawn from the committees of reference and indefinitely postponed.

By Senator Saylor—

SM 21—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging the Congress to refuse to ratify the new Panama Canal treaties.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Com-mittee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 22—A bill to be entitled An act relating to statutory boards, committees, commissions, and councils adjunct to execu-tive agencies; creating the Sundown Act; providing legislative intent; repealing provisions of law relating to boards, com-mittees, commissions, and councils which have held no official meetings subsequent to January 1, 1975; repealing provisions of law relating to boards, committees, commissions, and councils which have held official meetings subsequent to January 1, 1975 and providing for the Legislature to review, 2 years prior to the date of repeal, such boards, committees, commissions, and councils; providing that subsequent reestablishment of such boards, committees, commissions, and councils be for a period not to exceed 6 years; providing that the procedural provisions of s. 11.61(3), (8), Florida Statutes, apply to this act; pro-viding for this act to be supplemental to s. 11.61, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Com-mittee on Governmental Operations.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 23—A bill to be entitled An act relating to appropria-tions; providing that in the event the Legislature fails to enact a General Appropriations Act for any fiscal period, the General

Appropriations Act for the immediately preceding fiscal period shall carry forward; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Com-mittee on Appropriations.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 24—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Public Service Commission; amending the Regulatory Reform Act of 1976 to provide for the review and repeal of ss. 350.01-350.0614, Florida Statutes, effective July 1, 1982, which sections relate to the creation and duties of the Florida Public Service Commission, the office of Chief Auditor of said commission, and the office of the Public Counsel; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Com-mittees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 25—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mobile home parks; creating s. 83.766, Florida Statutes, requiring mobile home park owners who intend to sell a mobile home park to give mobile home owners and dwellers 60 days' notice prior to any such sale; prohibiting mobile home park owners from arbitrarily refusing to negotiate with an owners' and dwellers' association formed to purchase the mobile home park; providing that no sale is valid unless notice is given and no sale is valid until after the required notice period has elapsed; pro-viding that no agreement to sell made before or during said 60-day period is valid unless reaffirmed by the parties; pro-viding an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Com-mittee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 26—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bromeliad plants; amending s. 865.06(2)(a), Florida Statutes; providing that, in a prosecution involving the transportation, sale, or offer for sale of the plant bromeliad, the fact that uncultivated bromeliad plants were taken from land owned or leased by the defendant or from the land of another with his written per-mission is not a defense against prosecution; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Com-mittee on Agriculture.

By Senator Renick—

SB 27—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of dentistry; creating part II, chapter 466, Florida Statutes; providing a short title and purpose; providing application to other provisions of the chapter; providing definitions; prohib-iting practice of dentistry without a recorded license or regis-tration as an intern under the employment and direct super- vision of a licensed dentist or dentist; providing for licensing of denturists; establishing the Florida Board of Denturist Examiners; providing for its membership, powers, and duties; providing for traveling expenses of board members; providing for organization and personnel of board; providing for deposit of moneys received pursuant to s. 215.37, Florida Statutes; providing for application for denturist examination and regis- tration; providing an examination fee; providing qualifications for examinations; providing for examinations; providing quali- fications for licensing; providing a license fee; providing for recording of license with the Clerk of the Circuit Court; re- quiring notice of change of address; providing for license re- newal; providing a renewal fee; providing for registration of denturist interns; providing qualifications; providing a registra- tion fee; providing grounds for revocation or suspension of license or registration; providing penalties for practicing den- turistry without a license or registration, for a licensed denturist to employ or permit an unlicensed denturist or unregistered denturist intern to perform dentistry work in his office or place of business or under his supervision, for a denturist intern to do any dentistry work outside the employment and direct supervision of a licensed denturist or dentist; providing for enforcement; providing for appointment of investigators; pro- viding an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Governmental Operations; and Appropriations.

By Senator Vogt—

SB 28—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public officers and employees; amending s. 111.07, Florida Statutes; broadening current authorization for the defense of public officers and employees in tort actions arising out of such persons' negligence in the scope of employment to include civil and civil rights actions; authorizing the Department of Legal Affairs to provide defense for actions brought in federal court; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Tobiassen—

SB 29—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public schools; amending s. 236.081(2), Florida Statutes; providing for computation of the district cost differentials used in calculating the Florida Education Finance Program; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 30—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Criminal Law Enforcement; amending s. 110.022(1)(b), Florida Statutes; providing an overtime pay schedule for designated special agents in the department; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 31—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxation; renumbering s. 193.114(8), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (8) to said section; requiring each taxing authority within a county to levy a provisional millage rate upon Department of Revenue disapproval of the county assessment roll; providing for the distribution of preliminary tax bills based upon the provisional millage rate and the initial assessment roll; providing for supplemental tax bills or refunds based on the adjustment of the millage rate to correspond with the final, approved assessment roll; providing that adjustment of the millage rate shall not affect the revenues of school districts or units of local government, nor affect state funding of school districts; authorizing the Department of Revenue to enforce compliance with the implementation schedule of the department; providing for joint review of property assessment alternatives by certain committees of the Legislature; requiring a report to the Legislature; providing for the repeal of the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 32—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; adding s. 119.07(2)(d), Florida Statutes; providing that certain records are exempt from provisions relating to public inspection of records; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gorman—

SB 33—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cruelty to animals; creating s. 828.125, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the use of live animals to train greyhounds in a manner which can be expected to result in the death or injury of such animals; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 34—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the corporate income tax; creating s. 220.16, Florida Statutes; providing a tax credit for corporations making expenditures creating new employment in Florida; providing requirements and limitations on the availability of the tax credit; providing for the availability of certain records to the Department of Revenue; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt certain rules; requiring reports to the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senators Graham, Chamberlin, Zinkil, Holloway, Poston, Saylor and Glisson—

SB 35—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax relief; creating part II, chapter 196, Florida Statutes; providing for relief from ad valorem taxes by means of grants to qualified households whether such taxes are paid directly or indirectly through rent; providing definitions and procedures; providing for administration by the Department of Revenue; providing penalties; providing for confidentiality; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 36—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state economy; creating the Joint Legislative Economic Committee; providing for membership; authorizing staff employment, consultation with experts, and public hearings; providing for an annual economic conference and the issuance of an annual state economic report; amending s. 23.015, Florida Statutes; prescribing the date by which the annual economic report prepared by the Governor and Department of Administration is to be submitted to the Legislature; requiring the secretary of the Department of Administration to testify with respect to the annual economic report; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Rules and Calendar; and Appropriations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 37—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state health planning; providing for the development of a state health plan; requiring annual submission to the Legislature; providing definitions; providing for functions of the office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary for State Health Planning and Development; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 38—A bill to be entitled An act relating to agencies providing home health services; amending s. 400.504, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the denial of licenses to certain agencies providing home health services solely on the basis of not having received a statement of need; providing that all other licensing and regulatory requirements under chapter 400, part III, Florida Statutes, are applicable to such agencies; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 39—A bill to be entitled An act relating to federal grants; creating s. 402.121, Florida Statutes; providing that federal grants under the Intermediate Care Facilities for the Mentally Retarded program be used only to supplement state funds and not to supplant state funds; providing that funds

acquired shall be used for institutional or community retardation programs; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 40—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juveniles; renumbering s. 39.02(6), Florida Statutes and adding a new subsection (6) to said section; providing that once a child has been transferred for criminal prosecution or indicted, and convicted of a criminal offense, the court shall be divested of jurisdiction over him for all pending or subsequent criminal offenses; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal; and Corrections, Probation and Parole.

By Senator Graham—

SB 41—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Teachers' Retirement System of the State; amending s. 238.181(2), Florida Statutes; increasing the number of hours of part-time employment per calendar year allowed a person retired under such system without reducing or affecting his retirement or pension status; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Education.

By Senator Graham—

SB 42—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school volunteers; defining school volunteers; directing the State Board of Education to adopt rules authorizing district school boards to use school volunteers to provide certain instruction or to assist instructional staff members in the classroom; providing for qualification and training of school volunteers; extending to volunteers the protection of law accorded to teachers; providing for a district coordinator to recruit, train, and maintain volunteers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 43—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state capital projects for environmentally endangered lands and outdoor recreation lands under the Land Conservation Act of 1972; amending s. 380.05(1)(a), Florida Statutes; providing that the state land planning agency include, in its recommendations to the Administration Commission for designation of an area as an area of critical state concern, recommendations as to the purchase of lands within such area as environmentally endangered lands or outdoor recreation lands; adding s. 259.04(3), Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Natural Resources to consider recommendations of the state land planning agency and to make recommendations to the Governor and Cabinet as to the purchase for such purposes of any interest in lands within an area of critical state concern; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 44—A bill to be entitled An act relating to agriculture; creating the Florida Agricultural Emergency Trust Fund; defining agricultural emergency; providing procedure for release of trust funds; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 45—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulation of telephone companies; amending s. 364.03(1), Florida Stat-

utes; prohibiting telephone companies from making any charge for certain specified uses of information services; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Graham—

SB 46—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle safety equipment inspection; repealing part II, chapter 325, Florida Statutes, which provides for such inspection; authorizing the reassignment of personnel by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to review the financial commitment with respect to inspection stations and to make a report thereon; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 47—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement officers; amending s. 372.911, Florida Statutes; providing for rewards to be paid by the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission to persons furnishing information leading to the arrest and conviction of a person for the murder of a wildlife officer; providing for rewards to be paid by the Department of Criminal Law Enforcement to persons furnishing information leading to the arrest and conviction of a person for an assault or battery against, or the murder of, a law enforcement officer; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 48—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; creating s. 627.429, Florida Statutes; requiring insurers, upon request, to issue insurance policy outlines written in the English or the Spanish language; providing for the contents of such outlines; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 49—A bill to be entitled An act relating to discrimination against persons because they have the sickle-cell trait; creating ss. 626.9554, 626.9555, Florida Statutes; prohibiting an insurer from refusing to issue and deliver a disability or life insurance policy solely because the person to be insured has the sickle-cell trait; prohibiting discrimination in the premium or rate charged for disability or life insurance policy solely because the person covered has such trait; prohibiting a hospital, medical, or surgical plan or a health maintenance organization from refusing to issue and deliver a contract solely because the person to be covered has the sickle-cell trait; prohibiting discrimination in the rate charged for such a contract solely because the person covered has such trait; prohibiting discrimination in employment against any person solely because he has the sickle-cell trait; prohibiting mandatory screening and testing for the sickle-cell trait as a condition for employment, education, or adoption; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 50—A bill to be entitled An act relating to meetings and records of the Legislature; providing that all meetings of legislative bodies are open to the public and all documents made or received by the Legislature shall be open to inspection by any person, except as provided by law or by the rules of the Senate or House of Representatives; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 51—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Beatrice Manus; providing an appropriation to compensate her for the death of her husband, Lloyd A. Manus, as a result of injuries sustained in a motor vehicle accident with a Dade County school bus; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master and the Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 52—A bill to be entitled An act relating to city and county quadricentennial commissions; repealing part III of chapter 13, consisting of sections 13.61, 13.62, 13.63, 13.64, 13.65, 13.66, 13.67, 13.68, 13.69, 13.70, 13.71, 13.72 and 13.73, Florida Statutes; abolishing said quadricentennial commissions; providing for the transfer of property, assets, and liabilities to the governing board of the county or municipality for which said commission was created; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senators Zinkil and Dunn—

SB 53—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead tax exemptions; amending s. 196.031(3)(a), Florida Statutes; providing for an increased homestead tax exemption for blind persons; providing for determination and certification of blindness; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 54—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the assessment of property for purposes of ad valorem taxation; adding s. 193.023(5), Florida Statutes; prescribing guidelines to be used by the property appraiser in determining the assessed value of condominium property; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Zinkil, Winn and Jon Thomas—

SB 55—A bill to be entitled An act relating to escalation clauses in leases for recreational facilities, land, or other commonly used facilities serving condominiums and cooperatives; amending ss. 718.401(8), 719.401(8), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the inclusion or enforcement of escalation clauses in net leases for recreational facilities, land, or other commonly used facilities serving condominiums and cooperatives; providing a definition for net lease; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 56—A bill to be entitled An act relating to personnel of the public school system; adding s. 231.36(10), (11), Florida Statutes; specifying just cause for bringing charges of incompetency against instructional, administrative, or supervisory personnel; providing procedures for dismissal based on such cause; requiring that an instructional employee so dismissed be offered any teacher aide vacancy; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 57—A bill to be entitled An act relating to security of communications; amending s. 934.03(2)(d), Florida Statutes; providing for lawful interception of communications with prior consent of one or more parties to the communication; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Glisson—

SB 58—A bill to be entitled An act relating to burglary; adding s. 810.02(4), Florida Statutes; providing for a minimum sentence of imprisonment without parole for persons convicted of burglary of a private dwelling; authorizing probation except in certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal; Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 59—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State Officers and Employees Group Insurance Program Law; amending s. 112.075(7)(a), Florida Statutes; authorizing an increase from 75 percent to 100 percent in the amount of state contribution to the payment of premiums for individual coverage; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 60—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Legislature; requiring the Governor to issue his proclamation calling a special session at least 48 hours in advance of the time set for convening; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SB 61—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Attorney General; amending s. 16.01, Florida Statutes; requiring the Attorney General to give his official opinion and legal advice in writing to a member of the Legislature upon any matter touching upon the legislator's official duties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SCR 62—A concurrent resolution providing for seven joint ad hoc committees to study the programs administered by the state executive departments, to determine the need for these programs and to recommend legislation.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; Rules and Calendar; and Appropriations.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 63—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle registration; amending s. 320.05, Florida Statutes; restricting the disclosure of information received in conjunction with an application for registration of a motor vehicle; providing procedures for disclosure of such information; requiring the adoption of rules by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 64—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle safety equipment inspections; amending s. 325.16, Florida Statutes; providing for a motor vehicle which fails the safety equipment inspection to be reinspected one time within 30 days without additional charge; amending s. 325.19, Florida Statutes; eliminating the inspection of emission control devices, other conditions as may be reasonably demonstrated to render a motor vehicle unsafe, and exhaust system noise level; requiring the adjustment of headlights at inspection stations under certain conditions; repealing s. 325.14(3), Florida Statutes, which prohibits an inspection certificate from being

attached to a motor vehicle unless the owner or operator submits proof of current registration to an inspector; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Glisson—

SB 65—A bill to be entitled An act relating to actions based on motor vehicle liability and insurance therefor; adding s. 627.737(5), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the payment or acceptance of a fee or remuneration by an attorney for mere referral of a case to be brought pursuant to s. 627.737(2), Florida Statutes; providing a penalty; repealing s. 627.737(2)(e), Florida Statutes, relating to a plaintiff recovering damages in case of a serious nonpermanent injury; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Renick—

SB 66—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Teacher's Day; creating s. 683.15, Florida Statutes, designating the third Friday in May of each year as Teacher's Day; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Winn—

SB 67—A bill to be entitled An act relating to grand jury commissions; repealing chapter 57-550, Laws of Florida, and chapter 70-1000, Laws of Florida, which create a grand jury commission in certain counties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Winn—

SB 68—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle liability insurance; creating s. 627.7285, Florida Statutes; providing that the experience of a person operating a vehicle as part of his employment for a local transit system shall not be a factor in renewal of his personal motor vehicle liability coverage or in the setting of rates therefor; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Winn—

SB 69—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jai alai frontons; creating s. 551.032, Florida Statutes; authorizing and prescribing a summer season for jai alai within certain counties; providing dates for such season; providing for the number of operation days for each licensee or permitholder; prescribing the hours of operation; providing certain exemptions from other provisions of law; providing limitations of eligibility of persons for such summer jai alai licenses; prohibiting the granting of operation dates pursuant to other provisions of law which dates coincide with dates granted pursuant to act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Henderson—

SB 70—A bill to be entitled An act relating to occupational therapists; amending s. 468.203(4), Florida Statutes; requiring an occupational therapy assistant to work under the supervision of an occupational therapist; amending s. 468.209(2), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (3) to said section; changing the period of years that is required before certain occupational therapy assistants may take the examination to be licensed as an occupational therapist; authorizing the State Board of Medical Examiners to issue a temporary permit to practice occupational therapy; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 71—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead tax exemption; amending s. 196.041, Florida Statutes; providing that a person having an equitable or beneficial interest in property held in trust for his benefit shall not be denied homestead tax exemption if the deed recites that the settlor or grantor may at any time revoke or amend the trust without the consent of any other person and reacquire title to the property; providing that conveyances made prior to July 1, 1978 which contain such a recitation are entitled to the same benefits; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Henderson—

SB 72—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the gasoline tax; amending s. 213.11, Florida Statutes; deleting the ceiling on the first gasoline tax revenue which is transferred to the Department of Natural Resources or its successor agency for the control of noxious aquatic vegetation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Transportation; and Appropriations.

By Senators Henderson and Zinkil—

SB 73—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on sales, use, and other transactions; adding s. 212.02(19), Florida Statutes; defining "solar energy system"; renumbering s. 212.08(11), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (11) to said section; exempting the sale, rental, use, consumption, distribution, or storage of solar energy systems and components thereof from said tax; providing for repeal of such exemption; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 74—A bill to be entitled An act relating to municipal annexation; adding s. 171.042(3), Florida Statutes; requiring the governing body of a municipality to file a copy of the required report setting forth the plans with the board of county commissioners prior to commencing annexation proceedings; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 75—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Energy Conservation in Buildings Act of 1974; adding s. 255.252(4), Florida Statutes; providing legislative intent; creating ss. 255.257-255.262, Florida Statutes; providing for the development and implementation of a state energy management plan by the Division of Building Construction and Property Management of the Department of General Services; providing for appointment of energy management coordinators by state executive, legislative, and judicial departments; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Saylor (by request)—

SB 76—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state purchasing; amending s. 287.082, Florida Statutes; requiring that instate dealers be given a preference in certain situations involving state contracts for commodities; making such preference equal in weight to the existing preference; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs—

SB 77—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on sales, use, and other transactions; amending ss. 212.02(3)(c), 212.08(4), Florida Statutes; exempting from taxation fuel and energy used by certain businesses in manufacturing or processing goods for resale; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs—

SB 78—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sales, storage, and use tax; amending s. 212.05(6), Florida Statutes; reducing the tax for a prescribed period of time on certain machinery, equipment, parts and accessories therefor used in manufacturing, processing, compounding, producing, mining, or quarrying personal property for sale or for use in furnishing research, communications, transportation or public utility services; providing a cap on the amount of such taxes; prescribing the period in which records are to be kept and audit authorized; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs—

SB 79—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on sales, use, and other transactions; amending s. 212.051, Florida Statutes; exempting from such tax transactions with respect to any device, system, equipment, or machinery used primarily for the control or abatement of pollutants from stationary sources and any part or accessory therefor; requiring that expenditures with respect to such transactions be certified by the Department of Environmental Regulation in order to qualify for the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Scott—

SB 80—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Public Service Commission; requiring the commission to mail copies of orders adjusting rates to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of each county affected; providing for public access to copies of such orders; prescribing the time when such orders shall be considered rendered; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Williamson—

SB 81—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public utilities supplying electricity; placing restrictions on the rates charged by such utilities to residential and commercial classes of customers; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Tobiassen—

SB 82—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disaster preparedness; creating a Department of Disaster Preparedness and transferring the powers, duties, and functions of the Division of Disaster Preparedness of the Department of Community Affairs to it; amending s. 20.18(2), Florida Statutes, to reflect the transfer from the Department of Community Affairs; amending ss. 252.32(1)(a), (b), 252.34(4), 252.35, 252.36(8), (9), 252.38(2), (3), 252.40(1), 252.41, 252.42, 252.43(2), (4), (5), 252.44(2), (3), 252.46(1), (2), 252.49, Florida Statutes, conforming provisions of the State Disaster Preparedness Act of 1974 to the transfer and creation of the department; repealing s. 20.18(11), Florida Statutes, as amended, to remove obsolete provisions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Tobiassen—

SB 83—A bill to be entitled An act relating to franchise disability insurance; amending s. 627.663(1), Florida Statutes; authorizing the issuance of franchise group insurance to 2 or more persons who are members of a corporation, professional association, copartnership, individual employer or any governmental corporation, agency or department thereof; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Tobiassen—

SB 84—A bill to be entitled An act relating to marriage; amending s. 741.07, Florida Statutes; authorizing ordained or licensed rabbis and invested cantors of the Jewish faith to solemnize matrimony; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 85—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state agencies rendering direct client services to the public; requiring citizen evaluation forms to be made available to clients of such agencies; requiring state employees rendering such services to be conspicuously identifiable by name; requiring the information from citizen evaluation forms to be considered in evaluating performance of state employees; authorizing the Division of Personnel of the Department of Administration to adopt necessary rules; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; and Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining.

By Senator Graham—

SB 86—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citizen suggestions for reducing state expenditures or improving operations of state government; providing for the adoption and implementation of a program of awards for such suggestions by the Department of Administration; limiting the amount of such awards and providing funding therefor; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 87—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers' licenses; adding s. 322.01(16), Florida Statutes; amending ss. 322.121(1), 322.21(1)(c), Florida Statutes; creating s. 322.122, Florida Statutes; defining the term "safe driver"; providing renewal procedures and fees for driver's license renewal for safe drivers; exempting safe drivers from reexamination; providing a penalty for falsification of any document required for renewal as a safe driver or for possession of any such falsified document; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 88—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle safety equipment inspections; amending s. 325.16, Florida Statutes; providing for a motor vehicle which fails the safety equipment inspection to be reinspected one time within 30 days without additional charge; amending s. 325.19, Florida Statutes; eliminating the inspection of emission control devices, other conditions as may be reasonably demonstrated to render a motor vehicle unsafe, and exhaust system noise level; requiring the adjustment of headlights at inspection stations under certain conditions; amending s. 325.27, Florida Statutes; authorizing certain counties to petition the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles for licensing of additional

private inspection stations; repealing s. 325.14(3), Florida Statutes, which prohibits an inspection certificate from being attached to a motor vehicle unless the owner or operator submits proof of current registration to an inspector; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Graham—

SB 89—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle license taxes; adding s. 320.10(1)(i), Florida Statutes; exempting from license taxes motor vehicles owned or leased by certain nonprofit organizations to transport minors or persons who are elderly, handicapped, or disabled; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Graham—

SB 90—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mobile home parks; amending s. 83.765(1), Florida Statutes; prohibiting mobile home park owners from denying mobile home owners the right to place "For Sale" signs under a certain size on their mobile homes; providing an exception; providing grounds for denial of entry with respect to the purchase of a mobile home in a mobile home park; requiring that grounds for such denial be expressly prescribed in rules and regulations of the park or in the lease; removing limitation on the number of prospective purchasers with regard to whom a mobile home park owner may refuse permission to sell before the next offer may be accepted by the mobile home owner; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Graham—

SB 91—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legislative procedures; amending s. 11.075, Florida Statutes; requiring that each house of the Legislature consider the economic impact of any general or special laws in terms of the items listed in s. 120.54(2)(a), Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 92—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legislative review of revenue-generating provisions; creating s. 11.62, Florida Statutes; repealing various revenue-generating provisions of the Florida Statutes; providing for legislative review, modification, or reestablishment of such provisions; providing criteria for legislative evaluation; providing for a select joint committee to establish procedures for review and evaluation; providing for substantive committee recommendations and bill proposal; preserving causes of action related to repealed provisions; providing severability; providing for repeal of the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Graham—

SB 93—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the executive departments of the state; amending s. 20.05(7), Florida Statutes; providing that the executive director of each department, except the Department of Citrus and the Department of Business Regulation, serve no more than 4 years without reappointment, subject to Senate confirmation; amending ss. 20.21(1), 20.22(1), 20.24(1), 20.25(1), Florida Statutes; adding s. 20.28(4), Florida Statutes; requiring Senate confirmation of executive directors of specified departments; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Executive Business and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 94—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; adding s. 119.011(3), Florida Statutes; defining the term "index"; creating s. 119.065, Florida Statutes; requiring state agencies to index public records; providing for publication of such index; authorizing a fee for copies of the index; directing the Division of Archives, History and Records Management of the Department of State to establish indexing criteria and standards; amending s. 119.07(1), Florida Statutes; providing for fees to be charged for copies of public records; prohibiting the fees for inspection or examination of public records; amending s. 119.11, Florida Statutes; providing for inspection of records by the court in camera in an action brought to enforce provisions of chapter 119, Florida Statutes; providing punishment for contempt of court order to open records; amending s. 119.12, Florida Statutes; requiring the court to assess costs against agency when an action has been filed against such agency to enforce the provisions of chapter 119, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations, Judiciary-Criminal, and Appropriations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 95—A bill to be entitled An act relating to beach and shore preservation; adding ss. 161.052(9), 161.053(9), Florida Statutes; providing for recommendations by the executive director of the Department of Natural Resources concerning the purchase, as environmentally endangered or outdoor recreation lands, of the fee or any lesser interest in any land seaward of the setback requirements of s. 161.052, Florida Statutes, or of the coastal construction setback lines established under s. 161.053, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 96—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public employees; creating s. 110.012, Florida Statutes; establishing state policy on recruitment, compensation, selection, advancement, separation, and training of public employees and on responsiveness of department heads, heads of other offices or organizational units appointed by elected officials, and those serving in confidential capacities to elected officials to the policies of elected officials; amending s. 110.022, Florida Statutes; providing additional powers and duties of the Department of Administration, relating to technical assistance to local governments, equal employment opportunity programs, collection and dissemination of public employee data, periodic personnel reports, employee training programs and courses, intergovernmental transfer of public employees, employee recruitment, adoption of classification and compensation plans, and development of procedures for postaudit of state agency personnel transactions; creating s. 110.032, Florida Statutes; decentralizing certain functions of personnel administration and providing for inspections and audits; providing for notice of violation and request for remedial action; providing for corrective action by the department, subject to review; amending s. 110.041(2), Florida Statutes; removing all functions of the Career Service Commission, except the hearing of appeals; adding s. 110.042(26), (27), Florida Statutes; adding definitions relating to intergovernmental transfers; amending s. 110.071, Florida Statutes; directing the Department of Administration to provide certain types of technical assistance to municipalities and political subdivisions; creating ss. 110.072-110.074, Florida Statutes; providing for studies and collection and dissemination related to productivity measurement and improvement; providing for intergovernmental transfer and interchange of public employees among state agencies, local agencies, federal agencies, and agencies of other states, between state agencies and private institutions of higher education or other nonprofit organizations, and, under certain conditions, between state agencies and private businesses; providing for salary, leave, travel and transportation and reimbursements for such employees; providing for encouragement of opportunities for public employee training; establishing the Personnel Advisory Council to assist with the transition to a decentralized personnel program; providing for a report to the Legislature on provisions of state and federal law which con-

flict with chapter 447, Florida Statutes, and this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; Governmental Operations; and Appropriations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 97—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child support in dissolution of marriage proceedings; amending s. 61.13(1), Florida Statutes; requiring the court to consider specified factors in determining an order for child support; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 98—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State Nursing Home Ombudsman Committee; amending s. 400.304(3), (4), Florida Statutes; increasing the membership of the State Nursing Home Ombudsman Committee by adding two representatives of the general public; providing terms of membership for the new members; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 99—A bill to be entitled An act relating to district human rights advocacy committees; amending s. 20.19(7), Florida Statutes; providing that the number and areas of responsibility of the district human rights advocacy committees be determined by the statewide Human Rights Advocacy Committee; providing that the members of said committee appoint a replacement if a vacancy occurs, subject to the approval of the Governor; providing that the Governor appoint the first four members of said committee; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 100—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Human Rights Advocacy Committees; adding s. 20.19(6)(f), (g), Florida Statutes; providing that certain matters before the state or a district Human Rights Advocacy Committee are confidential and exempt from public disclosure; authorizing such committees, through their chairpersons, to examine records and documents of agencies; providing immunity for committee members except in certain cases; providing immunity from liability or prosecution under chapters 393 and 827, Florida Statutes, for other persons releasing information to committee chairpersons; authorizing committees, through their chairpersons, to enter and inspect any facility operated, controlled, or regulated by the state for certain purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Governmental Operations.

By Senators Spicola and Gallen—

SB 101—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bookmaking; amending s. 849.24, Florida Statutes; prohibiting bookmaking at a pari-mutuel racetrack or jai alai fronton; prohibiting the attendance of any person convicted of bookmaking at a racetrack or fronton; specifying duties of racetrack or fronton employees with respect to bookmaking; requiring permitholders to display warnings specifying the prohibition against and the penalties for bookmaking; providing penalties; providing exceptions; amending s. 849.25, Florida Statutes; redefining the term "bookmaking"; providing penalties, including a penalty for conspiracy to commit bookmaking; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 102—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ethics in government; amending s. 112.313(2), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the solicitation or acceptance by a public officer or employee of anything of value that influences a decision of the officer or employee in the discharge of his official duties or which is intended to influence the discharge of his official duties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 103—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sentencing of criminals; adding s. 43.15(3), Florida Statutes; requiring the Judicial Council of Florida to propose sentencing guidelines for approval by the Supreme Court and use by circuit courts; providing that such guidelines be advisory only, except that certain written opinions may be required by the Supreme Court; providing for access by the council to certain records and use by the council of state agency resources; prescribing council functions relating to sentencing information; authorizing the employment and compensation of personnel; providing for the modification of the guidelines; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal; Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By Senator Johnston—

SB 104—A bill to be entitled An act relating to restrictions on employment or promotion of relatives by public officials; amending s. 116.111, Florida Statutes; providing a criminal penalty for violation of such restrictions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SB 105—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legal or administrative entities created by interlocal agreement; amending and redesignating s. 163.01(7)(c), Florida Statutes, and adding a new paragraph (c) to said subsection; authorizing the legal or administrative entity designated to administer or execute an interlocal agreement which creates a special district to levy ad valorem taxes within the boundaries of the special district under certain conditions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senators Pat Thomas, Graham, W. D. Childers, Peterson, Barron, Vogt, Poston, Lewis, Hair, Firestone, Glisson, Scarborough, Jon Thomas and Renick—

SB 106—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State University System; creating s. 240.145, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the merger of state universities without legislative approval; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Pat Thomas, Glisson, Johnston, Henderson and Gallen—

SB 107—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; amending s. 121.051(1) and (2)(a), Florida Statutes, 1977, to provide that after June 30, 1978, the compulsory participation requirements of said section shall not be construed to require participation in the Florida Retirement System by a member of an existing system who returns to employment following a break in service, provided such member leaves his contributions on deposit with the existing system; reopening the Florida Retirement System to members of certain existing retirement systems and extending survivor benefits for members transferring from the Teachers' Retirement System of Florida to the Florida Retirement System; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator McClain—

SB 108—A bill to be entitled An act relating to owners and operators of motor vehicles; amending s. 324.051(2), Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to suspend the license or operating privilege of each operator and registrations of the owner of any vehicle involved in certain accidents within a specified time after receiving notice of such accident; deleting requirement that such suspensions only follow certain judgments or convictions; providing additional exemptions from such suspension; repealing section 42, chapter 77-468, Laws of Florida, appearing as s. 318.22, Florida Statutes, relating to creation of the fund and collection of revenue for the fund through increased traffic fines; providing for the distribution of collected funds; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senators Myers, Gallen, Henderson, Firestone, Skinner, Renick, Zinkil, MacKay, Peterson, Castor, Williamson, Don Childers and Jon Thomas—

SB 109—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public lodging and food service establishments; amending s. 20.16(2)(b) Florida Statutes; renaming the Division of Hotels and Restaurants of the Department of Business Regulation as the Division of Hotels; amending ss. 509.013(1), (2), (3), (6), 509.032, 509.072, 509.091, 509.092, 509.101(1), 509.141(1), (2), (4), 509.142, 509.151, 509.161, 509.162, 509.211(2)(a), (b), (4), (5)(a), (c), (d), 509.211, 509.212, 509.221(1), (2), (4), (6), (8), (9), 509.241(3), (4), (5), 509.251(5), 509.261(1)(a), (3)(a), (b), (4), 509.281, 509.291(1), 509.301(1), (2), (3), 509.302(3), 215.22(25), Florida Statutes, and adding s. 215.22(26), Florida Statutes; repealing ss. 509.013(5), 509.221(7), 509.241(2), 509.251(3), (4), 509.292, Florida Statutes; creating ss. 381.601-381.641, Florida Statutes; removing the statutory provisions relating to the licensing and regulation of public food service establishments from chapter 509, Florida Statutes, and reenacting such provisions, with some modifications, in chapter 381, Florida Statutes, to be administered by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; renaming the Hotel and Restaurant Trust Fund as the Hotel Trust Fund; establishing the Restaurant Trust Fund and providing for the deposit of funds collected by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services as a result of food service establishment regulation in such fund; providing for the appointment of a portion of the members of the Advisory Council for Industry Education by the Secretary of Health and Rehabilitative Services; removing the food service establishment representatives from the advisory council to the division; removing certain duties from such council and creating an advisory council on the food service industry in the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; directing the Division of Statutory Revision and Indexing to make certain changes in the Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 110—A bill to be entitled An act relating to political advertisements; amending s. 106.142, Florida Statutes; excluding the campaign messages designed to be worn on the person of a candidate or his supporters from the definition of a "political advertisement;" renumbering s. 106.143(4), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (4) to said section; prohibiting any candidate or person on behalf of a candidate from disseminating any political advertisement which contains a factual statement that is untrue or is misleading; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 111—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State Career Service System; amending s. 110.022(1)(b), Florida

Statutes; providing for longevity pay increases; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Peterson—

SB 112—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Board of Regents; repealing s. 240.046, Florida Statutes, which section authorizes said board to permit free courses for certain university employees; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Henderson and Gorman—

SB 113—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; adding s. 320.01(29), Florida Statutes; defining the term "golf cart"; creating s. 320.515, Florida Statutes; exempting golf carts from certain provisions of law with respect to motor vehicles and traffic control when operated and equipped in a specified manner; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Henderson—

SB 114—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public school construction; amending s. 235.26(2)(e), Florida Statutes, and adding a new paragraph (f) to said subsection; providing for the development of an energy performance index to serve as a measure of building performance with respect to energy consumption; providing for life-cycle cost analyses with respect to alternative architectural and engineering designs; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Henderson—

SB 115—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on cigarettes; amending s. 210.01(6), Florida Statutes; deleting cigarette vending machine operators from the definition of "wholesale dealer" for purposes of chapter 210, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 116—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonemergency wheelchair transportation service; adding s. 323.29(14), Florida Statutes; exempting certain persons operating non-emergency wheelchair transportation services from compliance with the requirements of chapter 323, Florida Statutes; providing for a certificate of public convenience from the Florida Public Service Commission for such persons; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Holloway—

SB 117—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dissolution of marriage; amending s. 61.13(2)(b), Florida Statutes, 1977, authorizing the court in a dissolution of marriage proceeding to award visitation rights to the grandparents of a minor child; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Peterson—

SB 118—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motion picture distributors; creating the Motion Picture Fair Competition Act; providing purpose; providing definitions; prohibiting blind bidding for motion pictures; establishing bidding pro-

cedures; prohibiting guarantees; prohibiting advances; prohibiting certain solicitation of bids; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal—

SB 119—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juveniles; dividing into parts chapter 39, Florida Statutes; amending ss. 39.001-39.12, 39.14, 39.19, 39.33-39.333, 39.334(4), (5), 39.335, Florida Statutes; creating the Florida Juvenile Justice Act; changing nomenclature; clarifying ambiguities; providing automatic waiver in certain cases; providing authority to file information in certain cases; providing certain time limitations; creating ss. 39.031, 39.032, 39.071, 39.111, 39.112, 39.40-39.409, Florida Statutes; providing authority to fingerprint and photograph certain juveniles and to use such data for identification purposes; providing certain persons authority to inspect and use juvenile records; providing alternative powers of disposition; providing procedures for medical, psychiatric, and psychological examination and treatment in the absence or refusal of parental consent; providing rights to counsel, rights against self-incrimination, and fundamentally fair hearings; requiring parents or legal custodians to be subpoenaed to attend delinquency disposition hearings and permitting parental comment at such hearings; providing a community control program to include a penalty appropriate to offense and a rehabilitative program in lieu of probation; renumbering and amending s. 959.115, Florida Statutes; providing alternative dispositions for juveniles prosecuted as adults; repealing s. 39.03(3)(b), (c), (4)-(7), Florida Statutes, relating to the intake officer's duties and criteria for placement of a child in detention or shelter care; repealing s. 39.11(1), (5), (6), Florida Statutes, relating to power of the court when a child is adjudicated a dependent child, and reenacting procedures for dependency cases in part III of chapter 39, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Glisson—

SB 120—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of midwifery; repealing chapter 485, Florida Statutes, relating to regulation of the practice of midwifery; providing for the continued practice and licensing of persons currently practicing lay-midwifery; authorizing the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to revoke or suspend the licenses of persons continuing in the practice of lay-midwifery in certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 121—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Marlea Downey; providing an appropriation to compensate her for the loss of her husband and for injuries sustained as the result of the negligence of the Department of Transportation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master and the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Saylor (by request)—

SB 122—A bill to be entitled An act relating to animals; prohibiting the use of steel leg-hold traps on animals; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SCR 123—A concurrent resolution supporting the resolution of the Governor and Cabinet of the State of Florida in opposition to completion of the Cross-Florida Barge Canal.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SB 124—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prestige license plates for motor vehicles; amending s. 320.0805(9)(c), Florida Statutes, and adding s. 320.0805(9)(d), Florida Statutes; requiring former members of the State Legislature or of the Congress to whom certain prestige license plates have been issued to apply for a replacement license plate after leaving office; providing a penalty for failure to make such application or for display on any vehicle of such prestige license plate after receipt of the replacement license plate; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 125—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal correction or detention facilities; amending s. 944.47(1)(a), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the introduction of certain controlled substances into or upon the grounds of certain correctional or penal institutions, or the taking or attempting to take or send such controlled substances therefrom; providing a penalty; amending s. 951.22(1), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the introduction or possession of certain controlled substances upon the grounds of any county detention facility, or the giving to or receiving from any inmate thereof, or the taking or attempting to take or send therefrom such controlled substances; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SJR 126—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 6, Article VII of the State Constitution, relating to homestead tax exemptions to allow an exemption from taxation in an amount set by general law.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 127—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead tax exemptions; amending s. 196.031(1), Florida Statutes; deleting the \$5,000 limitation on the amount of such exemption and providing a new limitation based on income established as a poverty level; repealing s. 196.031(3), (4), Florida Statutes, relating to homestead tax exemptions for persons 65 years of age or older and totally and permanently disabled persons and to information to be furnished certain governmental units and agencies by property appraisers; amending s. 196.032, Florida Statutes; deleting provisions relating to replacement of revenues lost to units of local government as a result of increased exemptions to certain persons; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Gorman and Scott—

SB 128—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; creating s. 921.165, Florida Statutes; requiring repeat felony offenders to be sentenced to a term of imprisonment; amending s. 948.01(1), Florida Statutes; prohibiting such a person from being placed on probation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By Senator Scott—

SB 129—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homeowners' corporations not for profit; providing that a corporation not for profit, composed of homeowners and incorporated for purposes including representation and advancement of the welfare and interests of its members in zoning and deed restriction

matters concerning lands within its corporate area of activity, may bring actions for declaratory or equitable relief in zoning and deed restriction matters if some or all of its members have been or will be directly and personally aggrieved in some manner relating to and within the scope of the interests represented and advanced by the corporation; providing attorney fees in such deed restriction actions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Judiciary-Civil.

By the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal—

SB 130—A bill to be entitled An act relating to immunity of witnesses; amending s. 914.04, Florida Statutes; providing for immunity from use of compelled testimony; providing for an order to testify; providing procedures for granting immunity before courts having felony jurisdiction, grand juries, state attorneys, the Legislature and committees thereof; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal; Judiciary-Civil; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Don Childers, Poston, Zinkil, Scarborough, Jon Thomas, Tobiassen and Firestone—

SB 131—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public schools; requiring each school district to spend as much of the state funds allocated for instructional materials as necessary to provide each student in grades 1 through 12 with one copy of each textbook used for instruction in certain basic skills; prohibiting a district school board from soliciting or charging any fee for any instructional materials or aids used in the public schools of that district; amending s. 230.23(7), Florida Statutes; requiring each district school board to provide free of charge adequate instructional materials and aids for all students; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senators Don Childers, Poston, Zinkil, Scarborough, Henderson, Jon Thomas, Williamson, Tobiassen and Firestone—

SB 132—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public schools; requiring district school boards to consider the placement of windows in the design and construction of new educational facilities to supply light and ventilation in a power shortage and to install solar energy systems in the public schools whenever feasible; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Don Childers, Poston, Zinkil, Scarborough, Barrow and Jon Thomas—

SB 133—A bill to be entitled An act relating to automotive parts and repair; prohibiting dealers of automotive parts from selling an interchangeable part at a higher price because purchased for a more expensive automobile; authorizing an automobile owner to remove his automobile from the premises of a repairer if a specially ordered part has not been received within a certain period of time upon payment of certain costs; requiring certain distributors of automotive parts to accept specially-ordered returned parts in certain circumstances; prohibiting dealers of new automobiles from selling any such automobile unless parts and price lists for such parts are available therefor; prohibiting the rendering of certain automobile repair estimates and providing penalties for violation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Commerce; and Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 134—A bill to be entitled An act relating to game and freshwater fish; amending s. 372.9903(1), Florida Statutes, increasing to a felony of the third degree the penalty for the

possession or transportation of commercial quantities of freshwater game fish; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; and Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Tobiassen—

SB 135—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public parks; creating s. 125.335, Florida Statutes; authorizing and prescribing procedures by which boards of county commissioners may close, vacate and abandon parks or renounce and disclaim any right of the county and the public to land acquired or designated for a park; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Peterson—

SB 136—A bill to be entitled An act relating to funding for current operation of public schools; amending s. 236.081(4), Florida Statutes; providing for the method of computing the required annual contribution of each school district to the cost of the Florida Education Finance Program; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 137—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the excise tax on documents; amending s. 201.02(1), Florida Statutes; providing for an increase in the excise tax on deeds and other instruments relating to realty; amending s. 201.15, Florida Statutes; providing for distribution of taxes collected pursuant to chapter 201, Florida Statutes, to the General Revenue Fund of the state and to the Land Acquisition Trust Fund; repealing s. 201.021, Florida Statutes, which imposes a surtax on documents relating to realty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 138—A bill to be entitled An act relating to charges by municipalities for water, sewer, and gas services; amending s. 159.17, Florida Statutes; extending the time period before a municipal lien for delinquent service charges may be foreclosed; prescribing the procedure to be followed by the municipality prior to enforcing such a lien; authorizing municipalities to require a deposit to secure payment of such service charges in an amount up to three times the average monthly service charge; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Scott—

SB 139—A bill to be entitled An act relating to beach erosion; amending ss. 161.141, 161.161, 161.171, 161.181, 161.191, 161.211, Florida Statutes; providing for publicly financed beach erosion prevention projects including beach nourishment and restoration, the construction of groins, jetties, moles, breakwaters, seawalls, or other structures specifically designed for shore protection purposes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Williamson—

SB 140—A bill to be entitled An act relating to statutes declared unconstitutional by state appellate courts; requiring the clerk of the Supreme Court and the clerks of the district courts of appeal to make annual reports with respect to such statutes to the Legislature; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Williamson—

SB 141—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulation of telephone company rates; requiring the Florida Public Service Commission to reduce certain approved rates of telephone companies for local calls made from pay telephones; prohibiting the approval of such rates by the commission in excess of the average rate charged in other specified southeastern states; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Williamson—

SB 142—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulation of telephone companies; prohibiting telephone companies from charging a fee for certain uses of information services; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 143—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the construction industry; amending s. 468.106(2)(a), Florida Statutes, and adding s. 468.106(11), Florida Statutes; providing for the certification of certain contractors in business as of a specified date; amending s. 468.113(5), Florida Statutes; prescribing the evidence of registration or certification necessary for the issuance of building or other permits to certain business organizations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Glisson—

SB 144—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on rentals, admissions, and sales of tangible personal property; amending s. 212.11(1), Florida Statutes; providing for quarterly, semiannual, or annual return and payment of such tax by certain dealers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Henderson—

SB 145—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax exemptions; amending s. 196.1975, Florida Statutes; deleting certain criteria to be used in exempting from taxation property used by homes for the aged; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senators MacKay, Dunn and Wilson—

SB 146—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation; providing for agreements between school districts and other public agencies for the use of public school buses for public purposes, including the transportation of the elderly or the physically or mentally handicapped; providing for reimbursement for costs; providing for indemnification of loss and holding the school board harmless from liability; prescribing required levels of liability insurance coverage; providing for the nonuse of certain marking devices when public school buses are used for certain nonschool purposes; amending s. 234.041-(1), Florida Statutes; providing an exemption from provision making it unlawful to use a public school bus for other purposes without making certain changes; amending s. 236.083(7), (9), (10), Florida Statutes; providing for pilot projects using public school buses for transportation of the elderly or the physically or mentally handicapped; providing a method for determining the allocation to each district for assigned students using general purpose transportation systems; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education, Governmental Operations, and Appropriations.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 147—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public buildings; amending s. 255.254, Florida Statutes; requiring approval of the Governor and Cabinet prior to construction of certain state buildings the design of which utilizes an energy system other than a solar energy system; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator MacKay—

SB 148—A bill to be entitled An act relating to memorials, museums, and fine arts; amending ss. 265.13, 265.14, 265.15, 265.151, 592.13, Florida Statutes, redesignating the Stephen Foster Memorial and the Stephen Foster Memorial Board of Trustees as the Stephen Foster Center and the Stephen Foster Center Board of Trustees, respectively; authorizing the board to erect and maintain a center for the performing arts; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 149—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 230.66(1), (2)(a), (5), (6), Florida Statutes; providing for additional members of the Industry Services Advisory Council; providing for designation of the executive secretary of the council; authorizing the Department of Education to contract with community college boards of trustees to provide industry services training programs; removing the requirement that teachers employed in such training programs be classified as temporary employees and that services rendered by them not be counted toward continuing contracts or for allocation of minimum foundation program funds; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education, Governmental Operations, and Appropriations.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 150—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor carriers; amending s. 323.03(5), Florida Statutes; requiring the Florida Public Service Commission to issue a certificate to operate as a common carrier or contract carrier in a territory or on a line already served by certificate holders if existing certificate holders fail to affirmatively demonstrate that they provide service and facilities reasonably required by the commission; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 151—A bill to be entitled An act relating to comprehensive planning by local governments; renumbering s. 163-3164(9)-(19), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (9) to said section; amending s. 163.3177(4), Florida Statutes; providing that the goal for coordination of local comprehensive plans be to assure that such plans are consistent with the growth potential of the area; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senator Myers—

SB 152—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public schools; amending s. 234.03, Florida Statutes; providing liability of district school boards for tort claims arising from incidents or occurrences involving school buses or other motor vehicles used to transport persons; providing a limitation of the total liability per occurrence to persons being transported on these vehicles; providing that any such claim shall be brought as provided in s. 768.28, Florida Statutes; authorizing school boards to secure medical payments insurance on such vehicles; authorizing payment of expenses, costs, or premiums

for insurance against tort liability from any available school board funds; authorizing school boards to require evidence of insurance for vehicles used in transportation but not owned by the board; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education, Governmental Operations, and Appropriations.

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 153—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the use of force during criminal arrests; amending s. 776.05, Florida Statutes; limiting the use of deadly force by a law enforcement officer or a person assisting him in making a lawful arrest; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Johnston and Don Childers—

SB 154—A bill to be entitled An act relating to firemen; amending s. 112.191(2)(a), Florida Statutes, relating to eligibility of firemen for death benefits, extending from 180 days to 1 year the specified period within which death must occur after an injury is received; providing for purchase of insurance through the Department of General Services by any governmental entity; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 155—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of physical therapy; amending ss. 486.021(1), 486.031(3), 486.041, 486.052, 486.081, 486.103, 486.105, and 486.107, Florida Statutes; redefining "physical therapy"; revising provisions relating to approval of physical therapy courses; providing for registration of graduates of physical therapy programs in foreign countries; providing examination fees for applicants for registration as physical therapist and physical therapist assistant; providing fees and procedures for renewal of registration; providing for cancellation of delinquent certificates; repealing s. 486.131, Florida Statutes, as amended, relating to registration with the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 156—A bill to be entitled An act relating to security of communications; amending s. 934.03(2)(d), Florida Statutes; providing for lawful interception of communications with prior consent of one or more parties to the communication; amending s. 934.07, Florida Statutes; revising the list of offenses to which application for interception of communications must relate; amending s. 934.08(3), (5), Florida Statutes; providing for the disclosure and use of lawfully intercepted communications in any proceeding in any state court; prescribing the uses of lawfully intercepted communication not relating to offenses specified in the order of authorization or approval and relating to offenses not specified in an order or approval; amending s. 934.09(4), (8), (9), Florida Statutes; providing for certain persons to be directed to furnish information, facilities, and technical assistance relating to a lawful interception of communications; excluding grand jury proceedings from requirements for notice before disclosure of intercepted communications and from provisions authorizing an aggrieved person to move to suppress intercepted communications; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators MacKay and Renick—

SB 157—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fishing licenses; adding s. 372.57(4)(f), Florida Statutes; excepting

certain retarded persons from the payment of fees for fishing licenses; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 158—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sale of retail merchandise; creating s. 817.185, Florida Statutes; requiring that certain merchandise sold at retail in an unassembled condition be so marked on the container; 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 Zinkil—

SB 159—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mobile home parks; creating s. 83.7565, Florida Statutes; requiring a mobile home park owner to hold security deposits and advance rent held over 3 months in a separate account or post a bond; requiring the park owner to give notice of manner in which such deposits and rent are held; requiring interest be paid on security deposits and rent held over 6 months which are commingled with other funds of the park owner; providing a procedure for imposition of a claim by the park owner on a security deposit; providing for court costs and an attorney's fee in a court action over rights to a security deposit; providing an exemption; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Gallen—

SB 160—A bill to be entitled An act relating to animals taken into custody for alleged neglect or mistreatment; amending s. 828.073(2), (4), Florida Statutes; requiring a veterinarian's report to be filed with the petition for a hearing to determine the disposition of an animal that has been seized for neglect or mistreatment; providing for return of animal to owner without charge for care provided upon adjudication that the owner is fit and able to provide for the animal; providing for a surety bond to be required of officers or agents authorized to seize animals under this section; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Chamberlin—

SB 161—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Public Service Commission; amending s. 350.01, Florida Statutes; increasing the number of commissioners; providing for election of commissioners from districts; providing for filling of vacancies; providing that expenses attributable to this act be paid from the Florida Public Service Regulatory Trust Fund; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 162—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Municipal Police Officers' Retirement Trust Fund; amending s. 185.02(1), Florida Statutes; including certain persons currently participating in the fund within the definition of "police officer" for purposes of chapter 185, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scott—

SB 163—A bill to be entitled An act relating to annuity contracts; amending s. 222.14, Florida Statutes, exempting from legal process of creditors the proceeds of certain annuity contracts; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dunn—

SB 164—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; amending s. 320.33, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the purchase, sale, receipt, disposition, concealment, or possession of a motor vehicle from which the serial number has been removed; prescribing a penalty; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole and Senators Pat Thomas, Dunn, Renick, Johnston, MacKay and Chamberlin—

SB 165—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corrections; creating the "Florida Youthful Offender Act"; providing legislative intent and definitions; providing for the adjudication of persons as youthful offenders; providing for judicial disposition of youthful offenders; providing for commitment to the custody of the department; providing for judicial consideration of aggravating circumstances; providing for the suspension of sentence by the court; providing defendant access to certain information in the presentence report; providing for adoption of rules for the extension of the limits of confinement; providing a penalty, as an escape, for failure to return to designated place of confinement at designated time; providing for maximum terms of community control programs; providing for designation of facilities and certification of institutional capacity of institutions and facilities; authorizing orders for distribution of income earned by youthful offenders; providing for the sealing, expunction, and access of records; providing for granting and forfeiture of gain-time; providing for consequences of violation of the terms of the program, but granting credit for time spent in a community control program on the sentence term; providing for participation in mutual participation agreements; amending ss. 959.115(1), (5), 959.116(1), Florida Statutes; authorizing the court to place minors in a community control program; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Judiciary-Criminal for joint hearing; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 166—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical malpractice; amending s. 768.41, Florida Statutes; providing for the filing of medical incident reports with a medical incident committee; prescribing the composition and functions of such committees; providing procedures for the processing of incident reports and the rendering of nonbinding committee determinations and recommendations; redefining the role of the risk manager; prohibiting physicians or medical establishments from negotiating or attempting to secure a release from liability from a patient under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Commerce.

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 167—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead tax exemption; amending s. 196.081(1), Florida Statutes; authorizing certain permanently and totally disabled veterans to claim total homestead exemption with respect to condominiums or mobile homes used as a homestead; extending the real estate exemption for such persons to the surviving spouse of the qualified veteran if the spouse remains unmarried; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 168—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consulates of foreign nations; adding s. 212.08(7)(1), Florida Statutes; exempting consular officers and consular employees from the sales, rental, use, and storage tax; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 169—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hospitals; requiring each hospital licensed by the state to offer a cytologic examination for cancer and a breast examination to every female 18 years of age or older admitted to said hospital; providing exceptions; requiring each hospital to keep records; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Commerce.

By Senator Firestone—

SJR 170—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 10, Article VII of the State Constitution, providing for the issuance of revenue bonds to finance the cost of tourist-related attractions.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Appropriations; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Gorman—

SB 171—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the real estate brokers and salesmen; creating s. 475.453, Florida Statutes; requiring real estate brokers or salesmen who attempt to negotiate a rental, or who furnish rental information to prospective tenants, for a fee to furnish a contract or receipt containing certain provisions; providing for the refund of a prospective tenant's fee under certain circumstances; authorizing the commission to adopt rules relating to the form of contracts and receipts; providing a penalty; authorizing suspension or revocation of the registration of a broker or salesman who participates in a rental information transaction which is in violation of the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Peterson—

SB 172—A bill to be entitled An act relating to identification cards issued by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; amending s. 322.051(1), Florida Statutes; deleting age requirement for obtaining an identification card; permitting a parent or legal guardian to complete the application for an identification card for a person incapable of completing such application; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 173—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Public Service Commission; creating s. 350.001, Florida Statutes; providing legislative intent; amending s. 350.01, Florida Statutes; providing for appointment of Public Service Commissioners; increasing the number of commissioners to five; providing for the filling of vacancies; providing for the retention of commissioners serving current terms until completion of their terms; providing 4-year terms for commissioners and providing for 6-year terms if authorized by a constitutional amendment; providing for filing of a declaration of intention to seek an additional term of office; providing for selection of a commission chairman and his terms and duties; providing procedures to expedite and assign commission proceedings; creating s. 350.031, Florida Statutes; establishing the Florida Public Service Commission Nominating Council; providing for member appointments and filling of vacancies; providing for restriction of membership of persons having certain interests; providing for council duties and responsibilities; requiring meetings of the council to be open and subject to the Sunshine Law; providing for reimbursement of expenses to council members; imposing restrictions on commissioners and employees of the commission after termination of service or employment; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator W. D. Childers—

SR 174—A Senate resolution relating to the portraits of former Senate Presidents.

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

By Senator Trask—

SB 175—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending s. 570.283(2), Florida Statutes; authorizing the Division of Consumer Services to seek settlement of a consumer complaint under certain circumstances; repealing s. 570.283(9), Florida Statutes, which limits the authority of the department, the division, and the Florida Consumers' Council; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Agriculture; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 176—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public schools; amending s. 233.062, Florida Statutes; permitting a school board to provide a daily school period for silent meditation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SB 177—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Canal Authority Act; amending s. 374.011, Florida Statutes; providing that the Canal Authority of the State of Florida operate as the Division of Barge Canal of the Department of Natural Resources; transferring the principal office of the canal authority to the state capital; amending s. 374.051, Florida Statutes; providing for the termination of, and prohibiting expenditures by the canal authority and the department for, the project of a canal across the peninsula of Florida by way of the St. Johns River; providing for a report to the Legislature; providing for use of funds; amending ss. 374.141 and 374.161, Florida Statutes; providing for annual reports to the Legislature; providing authority for the Department of Natural Resources and the canal authority to enter certain contracts and to make assignments, transfers, and conveyances to the United States; adding s. 20.25(2)(f), Florida Statutes, relating to the Department of Natural Resources, to conform organizational structure to the change made by this act; repealing ss. 374.061, 374.071, 374.081, 374.091, 374.101, 374.111, 374.122, 374.151, and 374.171, Florida Statutes; relating to the power of the canal authority to issue obligations of indebtedness, to condemn rights-of-way, property, and property rights, to take state-owned land, to fix and collect tolls, to employ and license pilots and regulate pilotage on the canal, and to assign, transfer, and convey assets, franchises, and property of the authority to the United States; and relating to the power of counties to condemn lands, levy taxes, and donate rights-of-way and land to the authority; relating to the use of revenues; and relating to the bond and compensation of members of the board of directors of the canal authority; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Governmental Operations; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Peterson—

SB 178—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State and County Officers and Employees' Retirement System; amending s. 122.07, Florida Statutes; permitting members who were entitled as seasonal state employees to purchase credit for time employed out-of-state, but who failed to do so within the time prescribed, to purchase such credit within a specified time; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 179—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prescription drugs; creating s. 500.145, Florida Statutes; requiring that prescription drugs introduced into intrastate commerce be accompanied by individual package inserts notifying consumers of vital information concerning the use of such drugs; establishing requirements for the contents of such package inserts; providing penalties; amending s. 500.15, Florida Statutes, relating to the misbranding of drugs, to conform to the requirements of this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Commerce.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 180—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sale of thoroughbred horses at public vendue; amending s. 535.03, Florida Statutes; limiting application of veterinary inspection requirements to certain sales; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Pat Thomas, Glisson, Gallen, Scarborough, Chamberlin, Plante, Skinner, Renick, Dunn, Castor, Spicola, W. D. Childers, McClain, Myers, Tobiassen, Ware, Holloway, Winn, Graham and Firestone—

SB 181—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.071(2), Florida Statutes; eliminating employee contributions and increasing the rate of employer contributions in behalf of regular members; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator McClain—

SB 182—A bill to be entitled An act relating to uninsured motorist insurance; adding s. 627.727(8), Florida Statutes; prohibiting arbitration awards against uninsured motorist coverage from including personal injury protection benefits paid or payable; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 183—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; providing that any person who retires under the disability provisions of the Florida Retirement System, or of any retirement system therein consolidated, after 10 years of creditable service and whose disability continues until age 60 may receive additional benefits; providing for the computation of such additional benefits; authorizing the Division of Retirement to adopt rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Peterson—

SB 184—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the public school system; amending s. 230.23(3), (4)(f),(g), (5)(a),(d), Florida Statutes; authorizing each district school board to adopt a 5-year program to be used as a basis for operating the schools in the district; deleting the provision requiring each public school in a district to open on a date after Labor Day and to close before the last day of June of any year; deleting the provision requiring the district school board to provide for the payment of salaries to the members of the instructional staff when school is closed due to an emergency; requiring each district school board which intends to extend the school term to notify the Commissioner of Education at a specified time prior to extension; deleting provisions restricting the number and the manner of the observance of school holidays and vacation periods; permitting each school board to reject for good cause any employee nominated by the superintendent for any position; authorizing the school board to adopt salary schedules prepared by the superintendent to be

used as the basis for paying all school employees and to fix and authorize the compensation of school employees on the basis of such schedules; amending s. 230.33(7)(a),(e), (12)(a),(c), Florida Statutes; authorizing the superintendent to nominate in writing persons to fill vacant positions in the district schools; requiring the superintendent to determine and recommend district funds necessary in addition to state funds and to recommend to the school board the amount of district school tax levy necessary to provide for at least a 180-day school term or the equivalent on an hourly basis; amending ss. 231.06, 231.07, Florida Statutes; prescribing penalties for the assault of and the upbraiding, abusing, or insulting of any school district employee in the line of duty; amending s. 231.09, Florida Statutes; requiring members of the instructional staff of the public schools to teach such subjects in such grades as may be prescribed by law or by rules of the state board and the school board in fulfilling the requirements of law; deleting provisions relating to specific subjects to be taught, the procedures for teaching such subjects and prescribed duties of such instructional personnel; amending s. 231.29(2), Florida Statutes; requiring the superintendent to establish procedures for annually assessing the performance of duties and responsibilities of all instructional, administrative and supervisory personnel employed in his district; deleting provisions requiring the superintendent to furnish the Department of Education with a complete statement of the criteria and procedure to be used in maintaining records of school personnel; deleting provisions prescribing such criteria; amending s. 231.36(4), (6), Florida Statutes; deleting provisions permitting any member of the district administrative or instructional staff to appeal any adverse employment decision, suspension, or dismissal to the Department of Education; providing for appeal of such decision to the court; amending s. 231.39(2), Florida Statutes; deleting the provision prohibiting the counting of military leave as years of service for allocation of minimum foundation funds; amending s. 231.40, Florida Statutes; including any temporary disability caused or contributed to be pregnancy, miscarriage, abortion, or childbirth, and recovery therefrom, within the definition of "illness" for purposes of determining sick leave; redefining the term "normal retirement"; requiring any member of the instructional staff seeking sick leave to notify his immediate supervisor prior to being absent from his duties; amending s. 231.48(2), Florida Statutes; authorizing a school board to establish policies providing terminal pay for accumulated sick leave for administrative staff as well as for noninstructional staff; redefining the term "normal retirement" for purposes of terminal pay; amending s. 236.02(3), Florida Statutes; requiring each district which participates in the state appropriations for the Florida Education Finance Program to adopt rules relating to the appointment, transfer, suspension, and dismissal of school personnel; deleting provisions prescribing the duties of the district with regard to specific employment policies for instructional personnel; authorizing each district school board to permit a maximum of six paid holidays for instructional staff each year and to provide reasonable time for vacation and absences for further professional studies for personnel employed on a 12-month basis; amending s. 231.031, Florida Statutes; revising provisions prescribing a maximum age for instructional personnel; amending s. 238.07(1), Florida Statutes; deleting the provision requiring retirement at 70 years of age; repealing s. 230.23(4)(k), (p), (5)(b), (c), Florida Statutes, which provisions relate to powers and duties of the school board with regard to providing planning time for teachers and the appointment of teacher aides and instructional and noninstructional personnel; repealing s. 230.33(7)(b)-(d), Florida Statutes, which provisions relate to powers and duties of the superintendent with regard to recommending the names of personnel to the district school board for employment; repealing s. 231.46, Florida Statutes, which provision requires each school board to provide and furnish all forms necessary for compliance with the provisions of chapter 231, Florida Statutes; repealing s. 238.06(9), Florida Statutes, which provision permits a school librarian with less than 10 years of public school service in Florida to work after age 70 with the approval of his employer and permits such librarian to earn retirement credit for such service in the Teachers' Retirement System; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senators Jon Thomas and Glisson—

SB 185—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services' regulation of the fitting

and selling of hearing aids; amending s. 468.122(2), Florida Statutes; providing that nothing in part III, chapter 468, Florida Statutes, shall prohibit a corporation, partnership, trust, association or other organization from engaging in the business of fitting and selling hearing aids at retail without a certificate of registration if it employs registrants; amending s. 468.123(6), Florida Statutes, and adding new subsections to said section; authorizing the department to impose administrative fines, to issue cease and desist orders, and to establish, adjust, and revise a fee schedule; amending s. 468.126(3)-(5), Florida Statutes; specifying the qualifications of applicants for registration and prescribing duration of stages of the trainee apprenticeship period and conditions of each stage; limiting the number of trainees a registrant may sponsor at one time; creating s. 468.1261, Florida Statutes; providing for the establishment of academic courses in the fitting, selling, and servicing of hearing aids; amending s. 468.129, Florida Statutes; providing for imposition of administrative fines for specified causes; adding s. 468.130(15), Florida Statutes; providing that canvassing from house to house or by telephone to sell hearing aids is unethical conduct; providing an exception; amending s. 468.134(4), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection to said section; providing for satisfactory completion of continuing education courses as a prerequisite to renewal of registration; renumbering s. 468.135(7), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (7) to said section; prescribing requirements for conducting audiometric tests; amending s. 468.136, Florida Statutes; providing for the contents of receipts for the sale of hearing aids; prescribing requirements for packaging of hearing aids; creating s. 468.1365, Florida Statutes; providing for the return of hearing aids, refund guarantees, and cancellation fees; creating s. 468.1375, Florida Statutes; providing for injunctive relief; repealing s. 468.128, Florida Statutes, which prescribes a fee schedule; repealing ss. 468.131-468.133, Florida Statutes, as amended, relating to obsolete administrative procedures; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gallen—

SB 186—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public nuisances; amending s. 823.10, Florida Statutes, to provide that any place where obscene materials or performances are illegally used, viewed, sold or delivered is a public nuisance; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 187—A bill to be entitled An act relating to air carriers; repealing ss. 330.45-330.53, Florida Statutes, relating to regulation of air carriers within the state; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Henderson—

SB 188—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state government; providing definitions; authorizing state departments and agencies to recruit, train, and accept volunteers for state service; directing departments and agencies to make certain rules with respect to volunteers; providing benefits for volunteers; requiring state departments and agencies to include information on volunteers in their annual reports to the Legislature and the Governor; requiring departments and agencies to include volunteer impact statements in budget requests to the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Johnston—

SB 189 was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce and Governmental Operations.

On motion by Senator Johnston, by two-thirds vote SB 189 was withdrawn from the committees of reference and indefinitely postponed.

By Senator Scott—

SB 190—A bill to be entitled An act relating to automobile insurance; amending s. 626.9702(1), (2), Florida Statutes; deleting the word "solely" from the prohibition against insurers imposing or requesting an additional premium for such insurance or refusing to renew a policy solely because the insured or applicant was convicted of certain traffic violations; deleting the word "solely" from the prohibition against insurers cancelling or otherwise terminating a policy after the insured has paid premiums on the policy for 5 years or more solely because the insured is involved in a single traffic accident; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Tobiassen and Peterson—

SB 191—A bill to be entitled An act relating to funding the operation of public schools; amending s. 236.081(2), Florida Statutes; changing the method for computing the district cost differentials used in the Florida Education Finance Program; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 192—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arrests; amending s. 901.04, Florida Statutes, providing that arrest warrants shall be directed to and may be executed by municipal police officers as well as sheriffs under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dunn—

SB 193—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arrests; amending s. 901.25, Florida Statutes; authorizing sheriffs and deputy sheriffs, as well as municipal police officers, to make fresh pursuit of a person within certain areas outside their jurisdiction for certain violations; authorizing such law enforcement officers to make lawful arrests anywhere in the state under certain conditions; permitting such law enforcement officers to respond to certain requests for assistance in certain other jurisdictions; providing procedures following arrest of a person in another jurisdiction when not in fresh pursuit; providing liability of the employing municipality or county for actions of such officers in the scope of their employment; providing for applicability to certain charter counties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 194—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the "Indian River" pageant; creating s. 15.041, Florida Statutes, designating said pageant as an official state pageant; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 195—A bill to be entitled An act relating to witnesses; adding s. 914.001(3), Florida Statutes; providing for service of certain witness subpoenas in criminal cases by certified mail, return receipt requested; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Scott and Brantley—

SB 196—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Real Estate License Law; amending s. 475.01(2), Florida Statutes;

providing that a resident manager and one nonresident manager employed by a registered real estate broker to manage an apartment complex are excluded from the definition of "real estate broker" and from the definition of "real estate salesman" for licensing and registration purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By the Committee on Transportation—

SB 197—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Transportation; renumbering s. 20.23(3)-(13), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (3) to said section; creating six transportation districts within the department; amending s. 334.14(4), Florida Statutes; requiring one district engineer for each of the six transportation districts; requiring implementation on or before a specified date; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Glisson—

SB 198—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sheriffs; providing an increase in the compensation of sheriffs in lieu of compensation for population increments; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Zinkil (by request)—

SB 199—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; amending s. 320.18, Florida Statutes; exempting owners of motor vehicles kept in dead storage and not operated from the requirement that an owner, before being issued a new registration, pay the registration fee for any previous periods for which registration should have been made; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Holloway—

SB 200—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; adding s. 316.272(3)-(5), Florida Statutes; providing specific emission standards for exhaust systems of motor vehicles; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; Natural Resources and Conservation; and Commerce.

By Senator Johnston—

SB 201—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual battery; amending s. 794.011(2), Florida Statutes; reducing the penalty from a capital felony to a life felony for the commission by an adult of sexual battery upon a person 11 years of age or younger or for injury by an adult of the sexual organs of such person in an attempt to commit sexual battery; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Scott and Zinkil—

SB 202—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assessment of property for ad valorem taxation and special assessments; amending s. 718.120(1), Florida Statutes; prescribing procedures for assessing condominium parcels; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Johnston—

SB 203—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bicycle regulations; amending s. 316.2065(7), Florida Statutes; pro-

viding where bicycle riders may ride; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Johnston and Dunn—

SB 204—A bill to be entitled An act relating to search warrants; amending ss. 933.06, 933.07, Florida Statutes; authorizing the issuance of search warrants by oral affidavit and providing a procedure therefor; amending s. 933.11, Florida Statutes; conforming provisions relating to the deliverance of search warrants to such procedure; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 205—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of unsolicited commercial telephone calls; creating s. 364.401, Florida Statutes; providing definitions; prohibiting the making of unsolicited commercial telephone calls to certain subscribers; providing for the adoption of rules by the Florida Public Service Commission; providing that administrative costs are to be borne by those making such calls; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Judiciary-Civil.

By Senators Zinkil and Spicola—

SB 206—A bill to be entitled An act relating to acquisition and disposition of real property by certain governmental agencies; requiring certain governmental agencies to have two appraisals of real property it seeks to acquire or dispose of, which property is valued in excess of a specified value; prohibiting certain governmental agencies from purchasing or entering an agreement to purchase real property appraised at more than a specified value until the seller files a statement disclosing certain facts relating to the property; amending ss. 375.031(1) and 380.08(2), Florida Statutes; redesignating the agencies with which the seller's statement shall be filed and specifying the information to be disclosed in such statement; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Pat Thomas and Glisson—

SB 207—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public employment of veterans and spouses of veterans; amending s. 295.07(3), Florida Statutes; prescribing the class of veterans eligible for employment preference; amending ss. 295.08, 295.10, 295.11, Florida Statutes; making permanent the preferences granted certain veterans with respect to competitive and non-competitive positions and prescribing the time limitations for other preferences; deleting limitations on the time allowed certain veterans to file complaints; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 208—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State Career Service System; amending s. 110.051(3), Florida Statutes, 1977, to provide that employees of the Department of Criminal Law Enforcement are subject to certain provisions of s. 110.061, Florida Statutes, 1977, relating to suspensions, dismissals, reductions in pay, demotions, and layoffs; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Ware and Hair—

SB 209—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Administrative Procedure Act; amending s. 120.52(10), Florida Stat-

utes, providing that prisoners shall not be considered parties under the act for the purpose of obtaining specified proceedings; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Glisson—

SB 210—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax exemption; creating s. 196.2005, Florida Statutes; providing that real property owned by certain bona fide nonprofit civic associations and used by members thereof for recreational purposes shall be exempt from ad valorem taxation; providing legislative intent; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Governmental Operations; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 211—A bill to be entitled An act relating to capital cases; amending s. 922.09, Florida Statutes; requiring the clerk of the Supreme Court to forward certified copies of the certified copy of the record of the conviction and sentence and of the order affirming the conviction and sentence to the Governor when the death sentence has been affirmed upon review by the Supreme Court; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole.

By Senator Gallen—

SB 212—A bill to be entitled An act relating to outdoor advertising; adding subsection (18) to s. 479.01, Florida Statutes, defining "motorist services directional signs"; adding subsection (5) to s. 479.02, Florida Statutes, providing for the transmittal by the Department of Transportation of certain requests seeking retention of motorist services directional signs in specific areas where removal would work a substantial economic hardship as provided in 23 U.S.C.; adding subsection (4) to s. 479.111, Florida Statutes, permitting retention of motorist services directional signs in defined areas; adding subsection (4) to s. 288.34, Florida Statutes, requiring the Division of Tourism of the Department of Commerce, upon request, to certify need for retention of motorist services directional signs in certain defined areas and to furnish available information showing that removal of such signs would work a substantial economic hardship in such defined areas; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Renick—

SB 213—A bill to be entitled An act relating to theft; amending s. 812.012(3), Florida Statutes; defining agricultural and horticultural products as "property" for the purposes of ss. 812.012-812.037, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 214—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Income Tax Code; amending s. 220.62(1), Florida Statutes; redefining the term "bank" for purposes of part VII of the code to include certain international banking associations, corporations, or other similar organizations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 215—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical services for children; providing legislative intent; providing a short title; providing definitions; providing powers and duties of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services with regard to the Children's Medical Services Program; providing

for designation of patient care centers for the provision of direct services under the program; providing for employment of medical staff and other health professionals; providing for cooperative agreements with other state or local programs or institutions for children's medical services; providing for financial determination of ability to pay for program services and providing an exception for certain adopted children; providing qualifications of the staff director of the Children's Medical Services Program Office; providing for research projects; providing for annual reports to the Governor and the Legislature; repealing chapter 391, Florida Statutes, as amended, relating to crippled children; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services.

By Senator Vogt—

SB 216—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community college employee records; amending s. 230.7591, Florida Statutes; directing the State Board of Education to promulgate certain rules relating to limited access employee records; authorizing a community college president to release information contained in such records under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Tobiassen—

SB 217—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; amending s. 121.051(2)(a), Florida Statutes; reopening the Florida Retirement System to members of certain existing retirement systems and extending survivor benefits for members transferring from the Teachers' Retirement System of Florida to the Florida Retirement System; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Skinner—

SM 218—A memorial to the Congress of the United States petitioning Congress to expeditiously consider enabling legislation assuring 100 percent parity prices for all farm products.

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

By Senators Glisson and Firestone—

SB 219—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical assistance for needy persons; adding s. 409.266(3), Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to provide certain medical devices and treatment to certain persons; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator Poston—

SB 220—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers' licenses; amending s. 322.01(13), (14), Florida Statutes, and adding subsections (16) and (17) to said section; defining certain terms; amending s. 322.02(2), Florida Statutes; changing qualifications of the director of the Division of Drivers' Licenses of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; amending s. 322.03(1), (2), Florida Statutes; providing for surrender of out-of-state drivers' licenses to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; providing circumstances under which a chauffeur's license is required; amending ss. 322.031 and 322.04(2), Florida Statutes; requiring drivers' licenses for certain nonresidents; amending s. 322.05(2), (3), Florida Statutes; providing requirements for issuance of a chauffeur's license; providing circumstances under which a driver's license may not be issued; amending s. 322.051(1), Florida Statutes; requiring certain information to appear on identification cards; amending s. 322.08, Florida Statutes; providing requirements for applications; amending s. 322.09(1)(b), (2), (3), Florida Statutes; requiring certain documents to be

certified; eliminating provision for application for multiple drivers' licenses; imputing negligence of a minor to the person who signed that minor's application; amending s. 322.10, Florida Statutes; providing for release from liability of the person who signed a minor's application under certain circumstances; amending s. 322.12(2), Florida Statutes; eliminating time requirement for examination; providing for alternate location of examination; amending s. 322.121(1), (2), Florida Statutes; deleting notice requirement for reexamination; deleting obsolete language; amending s. 322.13, Florida Statutes; providing for appointment and duties of driver's license examiners; amending s. 322.14, Florida Statutes; providing for certain information to appear on licenses; amending s. 322.142(1), (2), (5), Florida Statutes; providing for issuance of photographic licenses; providing for use of the film negative or print file of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; amending s. 322.16(2), Florida Statutes; clarifying provisions relating to restricted licenses; amending s. 322.18(2)(a), (c), (6), Florida Statutes; providing for expiration date of licenses; providing for issuance of license or temporary permit if a licensee does not receive a certificate of eligibility; adding s. 322.20(3), Florida Statutes; prohibiting unauthorized alteration of records; amending s. 322.212(1), (3), Florida Statutes; deleting references to county court judges and agents of Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles in provision relating to unauthorized use or possession of license; amending s. 322.22(1), Florida Statutes; prescribing circumstances for cancellation of licenses; amending s. 322.221(2)(c), Florida Statutes; clarifying language; amending s. 322.25(7), Florida Statutes; providing for temporary reinstatement of driving privilege of persons convicted of certain offenses; amending s. 322.27(1)(b), Florida Statutes; increasing amount of property damage necessary for suspension of a license without preliminary hearing; amending s. 322.282(2), Florida Statutes; providing for issuance of temporary driving permits for employment or business purposes to persons convicted of certain offenses; renumbering s. 322.32(7), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (7) to said section; prohibiting one person from applying for, obtaining, or causing to be issued to himself, two or more drivers' licenses in different names, and providing a penalty therefor; amending s. 322.41, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the issuance of drivers' licenses by local governments; repealing s. 322.051(2), Florida Statutes, relating to the content of identification cards; repealing s. 322.211, Florida Statutes, relating to the appointment of subagents for the issuance and sale of licenses; repealing s. 322.27(3), Florida Statutes, relating to the value of certain points assigned for traffic infractions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 221—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor carriers; amending ss. 323.02, 323.29(7), Florida Statutes; exempting certain motor carriers which provide nonemergency medical transportation service from the requirements of chapter 323, Florida Statutes; amending s. 401.21, Florida Statutes; providing a short title; amending s. 401.23(1), (4), (5) and adding s. 401.23(14), Florida Statutes; providing definitions; amending s. 401.24, Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to develop and periodically revise a comprehensive state plan for emergency and nonemergency medical transportation services; amending s. 401.25(1), (2), (4), (7), (8), Florida Statutes; prescribing license requirements for emergency or nonemergency medical transportation services; amending s. 401.26, Florida Statutes; prescribing permit requirements for vehicles used by emergency or nonemergency medical transportation services; amending s. 401.31, Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to inspect and examine each business licensed to provide emergency or nonemergency medical transportation service; prohibiting transfer or assignment of permits or licenses; prescribing fees for permits and licenses; amending s. 401.35, Florida Statutes; authorizing the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to promulgate rules necessary to carry out the purposes of part III of chapter 401, Florida Statutes; amending s. 401.38, Florida Statutes; authorizing the department to seek federal funding and to participate in federal programs aimed at the delivery of emergency or nonemergency medical transportation services; amending s. 401.40, Florida Statutes; requiring any emergency or nonemergency medical transportation service operated out of a facility licensed under chapter 470, Florida Statutes, to

keep its records separate from those of the funeral establishment and to maintain a separate phone number; providing penalties; providing for injunctive relief; repealing s. 323.01 (18), Florida Statutes, which provision defines "nonemergency service"; repealing s. 401.22, Florida Statutes, which section provides legislative intent; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Commerce; and Health and Rehabilitative Services.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 222—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Clinical Laboratory Law; amending s. 483.031, Florida Statutes; eliminating the exemption from applicability of such law for certain laboratories operated by practitioners of the healing arts; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 223—A bill to be entitled An act relating to life and disability insurance; authorizing the Department of Insurance to approve forms providing for life insurance and disability insurance policies at reduced premiums for certain individuals; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 224—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the issuance and sale of revenue bonds; amending s. 159.26, Florida Statutes; amending s. 159.27(5), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection to said section; providing for the issuance of revenue bonds by counties, municipalities, special districts, and other local governmental bodies and agencies to finance certain tourist-related attractions, subject to approval of a constitutional amendment authorizing same; defining the term "tourist-related attraction"; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 225—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Division of Cultural Affairs of the Department of State; requiring the division to conduct a study of the economic impact of the arts in Florida and to make reports with respect thereto; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Glisson—

SB 226—A bill to be entitled An act relating to game and freshwater fish; amending s. 372.57(4)(e), Florida Statutes, 1977, providing that a permanent state hunting and fishing license shall be issued, upon request, to a resident of the state who is totally and permanently disabled; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Poston and Holloway—

SB 227—A bill to be entitled An act relating to highway safety; amending s. 316.159(1), Florida Statutes; requiring only commercial and school buses and vehicles carrying explosive substances or flammable liquids as cargo to stop at railroad crossings; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Glisson—

SB 228—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sales and use taxation; adding paragraph (1) to s. 212.08(7), Florida Statutes, exempting from sales and use tax artificial commemorative flowers sold by certain veterans' organizations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Glisson—

SB 229—A bill to be entitled An act relating to license plates for mobile homes and recreational vehicles; amending s. 320.0815, Florida Statutes; deleting the requirement that license plates be displayed in a position to be visible from the road or street when such vehicles are parked; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Glisson—

SB 230—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on sales, use and other transactions; amending s. 212.08(7)(a) and (c), Florida Statutes, to exempt from such tax personal property sold or leased to veteran organizations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senators Glisson, Zinkil and Pat Thomas—

SB 231—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the financing of new local government duties; providing that any law requiring municipalities or counties to administer any program or provide any service or facility include a method of financing such program or service; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Rules and Calendar; and Appropriations.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 232—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state sponsorship of the programs of private organizations; providing that certain references to the sponsorship of such programs mention sponsorship by the state; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senators Dunn and Hair—

SB 233—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community mental health services; amending s. 394.69(2), Florida Statutes; requiring the establishment of mental health boards in certain subdistricts; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; Governmental Operations; and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 234—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire insurance policies; providing for liens against the proceeds of fire insurance policies in the amount of outstanding taxes; requiring the Insurance Commissioner to maintain an index of certain information; providing a procedure for the application of such proceeds to such liens; providing circumstances for the return of such proceeds to the insured; requiring the inclusion of certain language in affected policies of fire insurance; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Spicola—

SB 235—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Crimes Compensation Act; amending s. 960.12, Florida Statutes, which authorizes emergency awards to claimants prior to action being taken on a claim under certain conditions, to provide that persons receiving social security benefits are eligible for such awards; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By Senator Glisson—

SB 236—A bill to be entitled An act relating to defendants in criminal actions who claim insanity; amending s. 918.017, Florida Statutes; providing for separate proceedings on the issue of insanity; providing for adjudication of persons as guilty but insane; deleting provision relating to the period of time such section is to be effective and relating to certain duties of the Supreme Court and Legislature; amending s. 918.10(1), Florida Statutes; providing for a verdict of guilty but insane in criminal cases; creating ss. 918.17, 918.18, Florida Statutes; providing a forensic hearing procedure for persons adjudicated guilty but insane; providing procedures to be followed for continued hospitalization treatment, and release of persons adjudicated guilty but insane who are hospitalized involuntarily; amending s. 394.461(4)(a), Florida Statutes, as amended; providing for the separation of secure facilities within the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services for the treatment of persons adjudicated guilty but insane; amending s. 394.467(4)(a), Florida Statutes; providing for the continued hospitalization and release of persons hospitalized after having been adjudicated guilty but insane; amending s. 394.4671(1)(c), Florida Statutes; conforming certain definitions; repealing s. 394.467(3)(b), (5), Florida Statutes, as amended, which prescribes procedure relating to hospitalization and release of persons hospitalized as a result of certain criminal proceedings; providing applicability of act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Glisson—

SB 237—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the creation of a Veterans' Home of Florida; creating part IV of chapter 400, Florida Statutes, providing for a Veterans' Home of Florida for certain veterans, their spouses, and certain widows or widowers of such veterans; providing definitions; providing that the Director of the Division of Veterans' Affairs of the Department of Community Affairs shall be the director of the home and shall determine eligibility and adopt rules for the home; requiring the director to appoint a superintendent who shall serve as the chief executive of the home; providing powers, duties, compensation, and qualifications of the superintendent; providing for oath and bond; providing eligibility requirements and procedures therefor; requiring maintenance of health records and other information; requiring members to contribute to their support in the home; providing exceptions; requiring payments to dependents; providing for discipline and dismissal of members; providing for disposition of money and personal property; providing that the home is a corporation and may act as a guardian; requiring the division to make an annual report to the Governor and Legislature; providing for audits; authorizing the home to receive gifts, grants, and endowments; providing for licenses and permits; providing for the legal residence of those who leave the home; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Governmental Operations; and Appropriations.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 238—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominiums; amending s. 718.112(2)(j), Florida Statutes, and adding a paragraph to said subsection; providing for the assessment by a condominium association of fees relating to the approval of certain transactions; providing for the continuation of certain rules after control of the condominium association is turned over to the unit owners; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 239—A bill to be entitled An act providing for the establishment of the Institute of International Commerce and Banking for the purpose of conducting research for and providing consulting services to certain governmental agencies and private businesses; prescribing location; providing for personnel; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce, Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 240—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale of gasoline; amending s. 526.111, Florida Statutes; requiring the display of the retail prices of all grades of gasoline offered for sale whenever the price of any grade of gasoline is displayed; providing a penalty; prescribing additional penalties for violation of s. 526.111, Florida Statutes, relating to prohibited display of gasoline prices; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Holloway—

SB 241—A bill to be entitled An act relating to marriage and family counseling; creating the "Marriage and Family Counselor Licensing Act"; providing intent, purpose, and definitions; creating the Marriage and Family Counselors Council to the Florida State Board of Examiners of Psychology; providing for its membership, powers, and duties; requiring a license issued by the board upon recommendation of the council to practice marriage and family counseling in this state; prescribing qualifications for a license; prescribing fees for licenses and for reinstatement and renewal thereof; requiring the display of the license certificate to practice marriage and family counseling; providing certain exemptions from the licensing requirements; providing for rules and procedures; providing for renewal of licenses; prescribing grounds for denying, revoking, and suspending licenses; providing for reinstatement of licenses; providing authority to enjoin and investigate violations and to issue cease and desist orders; providing that certain records constitute prima facie evidence in courts; providing for disposition and expenditure of fees collected pursuant to this act; prohibiting unlicensed persons from practicing or advertising as practicing marriage and family counseling; providing a penalty; providing for confidentiality of certain communications; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 242—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominiums; adding s. 718.115(4), Florida Statutes; providing an exception to the method for assessing common expenses and determining ownership of common surplus for certain condominiums; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Renick—

SB 243—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corrections; requiring the Department of Offender Rehabilitation to develop a procedure for the resolution of inmate grievances; prescribing elements to be incorporated in such procedure, including the designation of a grievance clerk and creation of a grievance committee in each correctional facility; providing for the filing and hearing of inmate grievances; providing for appeal within the department and for judicial review; providing for the expedited hearing of certain inmate grievances; providing safeguards to prevent reprisals; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Corrections, Probation and Parole; Governmental Operations; and Appropriations.

By Senator Holloway—

SB 244—A bill to be entitled An act relating to temporary motor vehicle tags; renumbering s. 320.131(4), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (4) to said section; providing for the issuance of temporary tags to owners of certain vehicles; prescribing the cost of such tags and period of effectiveness; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Trask—

SB 245—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; creating s. 627.7285, Florida Statutes, to provide that the experience of certain persons associated with operating a vehicle or train as a public conveyance shall not be a factor in setting their motor vehicle liability insurance rates; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 246—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state government; defining "agency," "dispute," and "legal action"; prohibiting the institution of an action by an agency against another agency without prior approval from the Administration Commission, providing for voluntary disposition of interagency disputes; providing for final resolution of interagency disputes by the Administration Commission; providing an exception to chapter 120, Florida Statutes, for some proceedings under this act; providing that this act shall be liberally construed and that it shall supersede all inconsistent laws; providing for severability; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; Rules and Calendar; and Appropriations.

By Senators MacKay and Gorman—

SB 247—A bill to be entitled An act relating to obscene literature; redesignating and amending s. 847.013(2)(e), Florida Statutes, and adding a new paragraph (e) to said subsection; prohibiting display of certain materials to minors in a retail establishment; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Chamberlin—

SB 248—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the subsidized adoption program for special needs children; amending s. 409.166(4)(a), Florida Statutes; prescribing the period of time for which the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services may provide support and maintenance payments for special needs children placed for adoption; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Myers—

SB 249—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the operation of mopeds and motor-driven cycles; amending s. 316.003(2), (21), (23), Florida Statutes; providing a definition of the term "moped" and eliminating the definition of the term "motor-driven cycles," for purposes of the Florida Uniform Traffic Control Law; reclassifying, for purposes of the application of the Florida Uniform Traffic Control Law, mopeds as motor vehicles instead of as bicycles, and motor-driven cycles as motorcycles; repealing s. 316.183(6), Florida Statutes, relating to certain limitations on the operation of a motor-driven cycle at nighttime; amending s. 316.183(7), Florida Statutes, relating to the limitation on the speed at which a

moped may be operated, to delete an obsolete cross-reference; creating s. 316.2076, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the operation of mopeds by persons under a specified age; prohibiting the operation of mopeds which do not conform to certain federal motor vehicle safety standards; prohibiting the operation of mopeds on bicycle paths; prohibiting the operation of mopeds above a specified speed; amending s. 316.215(4), Florida Statutes; making certain provisions of chapter 316, Florida Statutes, relating to required equipment, applicable to mopeds; amending s. 316.293(2), Florida Statutes; prescribing operating noise limits for mopeds and motorcycles; amending ss. 316.400, 316.405(1), 316.410, 316.415, 316.420, 316.425(2), 316.430(1), 316.435, 316.440, 316.445(1), 316.455, Florida Statutes; prescribing standards for equipment and operation of mopeds and motorcycles with respect to lighting equipment, braking equipment, warning devices, mufflers, and mirrors; providing penalties for violation of or noncompliance with the foregoing provisions; repealing s. 320.01(22), Florida Statutes; deleting category of motor-driven cycles for purposes of the motor vehicle license requirements; amending s. 320.01(1)(a), Florida Statutes; revising a cross-reference relating to the definition of "mopeds"; amending s. 320.08(1), Florida Statutes, relating to the license tax on motorcycles and motor-driven cycles, to delete the reference to "motor-driven cycles"; amending s. 320.088, Florida Statutes; requiring manufacturers of mopeds to certify to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles certain moped models, and deleting the reference to "motor-driven cycles"; amending s. 322.01(1), (2), Florida Statutes; making the operation of mopeds subject to the laws relating to drivers' licenses; amending s. 322.16(2), Florida Statutes; authorizing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to issue restricted licenses for the operation of mopeds, and deleting the references to "motor-driven cycles", "motor scooters", and "motorbikes"; amending s. 324.021(1), Florida Statutes; revising a cross-reference relating to the definition of "moped" with respect to the financial responsibility laws; amending s. 325.11(13), Florida Statutes; excluding mopeds from motor vehicle safety equipment inspections; amending s. 339.30(1)(f) (3), and repealing s. 339.30(2), Florida Statutes; excluding mopeds and certain motorcycles from the use of limited access facilities, and deleting the definition of, and reference to "motor-driven cycles"; amending s. 403.415(3)(e), (f), (4)(a), (c), Florida Statutes; prescribing standards for mopeds and motorcycles with respect to noise, and deleting references to "motor-driven cycles"; repealing s. 316.2065(14), (15), Florida Statutes; deleting certain prohibitions on the operation of mopeds provided for elsewhere in this act; repealing s. 316.450, Florida Statutes, relating to braking systems on motor-driven cycles; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation, Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 250—A bill to be entitled An act relating to minors; amending s. 847.014(2), Florida Statutes; prohibiting any person from bringing or causing to be brought into this state or sending or causing to be sent from this state for sale or distribution any such material or presentation; providing a penalty; increasing penalties for knowingly exhibiting, for knowingly selling, lending, giving away, distributing, transmitting, or transmuting, for offering to sell, lend, give away, distribute, transmit, or transmute, for having in one's possession, custody, or control with intent to sell, lend, give away, distribute, transmit, or transmute, and for advertising, any such material or presentation; providing that the possession of three or more copies of any such material or presentation is prima facie evidence of intent to sell, lend, give away, distribute, transmit, or transmute such material or presentation; amending s. 450.151, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the taking, receiving, hiring, employing, use, exhibiting, or the selling, apprenticing, giving away, letting out, or disposing of a minor for the production of any such material or presentation or for any obscene, indecent, or immoral purpose; providing penalties; amending s. 827.07(1)(b), Florida Statutes, and adding paragraphs (j), (k), and (l) to said subsection; redefining "abuse" or "malpractice" for purpose of child abuse provisions to include the aiding, abetting, counseling, hiring, or procuring of a child to perform or participate in the production of any such material or presentation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Glisson—

SM 251—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, requesting Congress to direct the United States Veterans Administration to establish an additional Veterans Administration Regional Office on the east coast of Florida.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SB 252—A bill to be entitled An act relating to budgets of special districts; amending s. 218.34(4), Florida Statutes; providing that any local governing authority may adjust the budget of any special district which is not governed by an elected body and which is located solely within the boundaries of such local governing authority; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Renick—

SB 253—A bill to be entitled An act relating to saltwater fisheries and conservation; amending s. 370.08(5), Florida Statutes; providing that the landing or possession of any food fish or the landing of headless jewfish or grouper is prima facie evidence of a crime; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 254—A bill to be entitled An act relating to recall of Florida Public Service Commissioners; creating s. 100.371, Florida Statutes; providing for recall of members of the Florida Public Service Commission for failure to act in accord with the opinions, sentiments and attitudes of the public; providing a procedure for filing a recall petition and for ascertaining the validity thereof; providing procedures for the holding of recall elections and ascertaining the results thereof; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 255—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of public utilities; amending ss. 366.041(1), 366.065, Florida Statutes; providing that in fixing the rates of a public utility, the Public Service Commission shall not allow a rate of return in excess of 5 percent; requiring a consumer complaint to allege a rate of return in excess of 5 percent; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 256—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public officers and agencies; amending s. 125.0105, Florida Statutes; authorizing the governing body of a county to increase the service fee for dishonored checks up to a specified amount plus costs of collection and attorneys' fees; requiring county officers and agencies to accept certain checks; amending s. 166.251, Florida Statutes; authorizing the governing body of a municipality to increase the service charge for dishonored checks up to a specified amount plus costs of collection and attorneys' fees; requiring municipal officers and agencies to accept certain checks; amending s. 215.34(2), Florida Statutes, and adding a subsection to said section; increasing the service fee to be added by a state officer or agency for dishonored checks and providing such service fee be in addition to costs of collection and attorneys' fees; requiring state officers and agencies to accept certain checks; providing that checks which are required to be accepted by public officers or agencies constitute conditional payment; providing for the personal liability of public officers under certain circumstances if such a check is dishonored; providing for distribution of funds from

such checks to certain other public officers; amending s. 832.06(1), Florida Statutes; providing a procedure to be followed by public officers with respect to dishonored checks; repealing s. 28.243, Florida Statutes, relating to the personal liability of clerks of courts or comptrollers for dishonored checks; repealing s. 195.087(3), Florida Statutes, relating to the personal liability of tax collectors for certain dishonored checks; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Governmental Operations; and Commerce.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 257—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominiums; amending s. 718.201(2), Florida Statutes; permitting the Division of Florida Land Sales and Condominiums to require an increase in a construction bond or escrow account after the commencement of construction; amending s. 718.202(1), Florida Statutes; requiring the establishment of a separate escrow or trust account for sales deposits on condominium parcels; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dunn—

SB 258—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the rights and duties of persons with respect to claims of suppliers of construction materials, labor, and services; amending s. 713.01(7), (10), (11), (19), Florida Statutes, as amended; providing definitions for purposes of the mechanics' lien law; amending s. 713.03(6), Florida Statutes, as amended; authorizing owners to require contractors to furnish payment bonds and prescribing rights and duties of persons when such bonds are provided; amending s. 713.04, Florida Statutes; prescribing rights and duties with respect to claims arising out of the furnishing of labor, services, or materials for the purpose of making real property suitable as the site for the construction of improvements; amending s. 713.06(1), (2)(a), (3)(a), (c), (d), Florida Statutes, as amended; prescribing rights and duties with respect to claims of persons not in privity with the owner; amending s. 713.08(1)(h), Florida Statutes, as amended; prescribing contents of a claim of lien; amending s. 713.09(1), Florida Statutes; prescribing conditions under which a single claim of lien is sufficient; amending s. 713.13(1), (4), (5), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (6) to said section; prescribing conditions and procedures for notice of commencement; amending s. 713.18(1)(b), (c), Florida Statutes; prescribing the manner of serving certain notices; amending s. 713.22(1), Florida Statutes, as amended; prescribing the duration of liens; amending s. 713.23(1), Florida Statutes, as amended; prescribing rights, duties, and procedures when payment bonds are provided; amending s. 713.24(1), (2), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (5) to said section; providing for transfer of liens to security; prescribing the conditions of transfer bonds and the rights and duties of persons when such bonds are provided; amending s. 713.29, Florida Statutes, as amended; providing for attorneys' fees in all stages of proceedings for the enforcement or discharge of liens or for recovery upon a bond; amending s. 713.31(2)(c), Florida Statutes, as amended; providing remedies for subcontractors who suffer damages resulting from fraudulent liens; amending s. 255.05, Florida Statutes; requiring a performance bond and payment bond with respect to the construction, alteration, or repair of public buildings or public works; prescribing the rights and duties of persons when such bond is provided; repealing ss. 713.231, 713.37, Florida Statutes, which require certain contract disclosures and prohibit liberal construction of the mechanics' lien law; providing for applicability of the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 259—A bill to be entitled An act relating to billiard parlors; repealing s. 849.06, Florida Statutes, as amended, relating to restrictions on minors visiting, frequenting, or playing in billiard parlors; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 260—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public school curriculum; requiring weekly written papers in each class or period of classroom instruction in English or language arts in the public schools; requiring that consideration of such requirement be given priority in allocating school resources and in setting class sizes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senators Scott, Skinner and Poston—

SB 261—A bill to be entitled An act relating to private property rights; providing intent and definitions; providing procedures for landowners to challenge the validity of land use restrictions; providing for relief when the restriction is determined to be valid but the landowner is found to have assumed an inordinate burden; providing for determination of compensation; providing for court costs and attorney's fees; limiting certain restrictions to a reasonable length of time and providing for determination thereof; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 262—A bill to be entitled An act relating to service charges and fees of county officers; repealing s. 28.2401(2), (3), Florida Statutes, as amended, relating to imposition of service charges in probate matters in excess of those set by law in certain circumstances; repealing ss. 30.232, 125.0166, Florida Statutes, as created by chapter 77-234, Laws of Florida, relating to the imposition of discretionary surfees for service of summons, subpoenas, and executions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 263—A bill to be entitled An act relating to liens for unpaid estate taxes; amending ss. 198.22, 198.33, Florida Statutes; prescribing the maximum period for which a lien for such taxes is valid; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Peterson—

SB 264—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student assistance grants; amending s. 239.461(2)(a), Florida Statutes; providing that students at Florida institutions accredited by a member of the Council on Postsecondary Accreditation are eligible for such grants; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Tobiassen—

SB 265—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating a Professional Standards and Practices Commission; providing for appointment and removal of members; providing for organization, meetings, expenses, powers and duties, and employees; abolishing the Professional Practices Council; providing for the transfer of certain powers, duties, functions, property, and personnel to the commission; creating the Professional Standards and Practices Trust Fund; transferring the unexpended balances of the Professional Practices Advisory Council Trust Fund and of the Educational Certification and Service Trust Fund to the new fund; providing for reimbursement from the fund of a school district required to employ a substitute while one of its employees is absent from employment while performing duties as a member of the commission; providing for substitution of the commission for the State Board of Education in certain proceedings; amending s. 231.03, Florida Statutes; removing the age requirement for employment as a principal of a school or supervisor of instruction; amending ss. 231.15, 231.16, 231.29(1), (2), 231.36(2), (3)(a), (4), (6), 231.601(4), 231.603(1), (3), (4), 231.606(2),

231.608, 231.609(1), (4), 231.610(3), Florida Statutes; conforming terminology to the changes made by this act; deleting obsolete provisions; amending s. 231.17, Florida Statutes; providing for issuance of certificates to persons meeting the qualifications for such certificates prescribed by rules of the commission; providing for appeal of denials of requests for certification; amending s. 231.24, Florida Statutes; allowing the extension of certificates issued under the provisions of s. 231.17, Florida Statutes, for successive periods of time under rules established by the commission; amending s. 231.28, Florida Statutes; providing for the suspension and revocation of certificates; amending s. 231.30, Florida Statutes; prescribing fees for certificates and their disposition; adding s. 231.602(11), Florida Statutes; defining "commission" for purposes of the Teacher Education Center Act of 1973; repealing ss. 231.031, 231.10, 231.20, 231.3505, 231.54, 231.55, 231.57, 231.58, 231.59, 231.604, 231.611, Florida Statutes, relating to maximum age of instructional personnel, to the Florida Council on Teacher Education, to issuance of graduate certificates, to employment of directors of vocational education, to the Professional Teaching Practices Act, to the State Council for Teacher Education Centers, and to procedures in determining approval of teacher education centers; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senators Henderson and Williamson—

SB 266—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parking for the physically disabled; amending s. 316.1964(1), Florida Statutes, providing that persons licensed to operate motor vehicles with license plates designated HP may either display a sticker or the HP plate in order to park in designated handicapped parking spaces and that persons who are licensed to operate a motor vehicle with a license plate bearing the internationally accepted wheelchair symbol need not display a sticker for such parking; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Renick—

SB 267—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the protection of hermit crabs; creating s. 370.115, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the taking of certain hermit crabs from the waters, shores, or beaches of the state for purpose of sale; providing that possession of a specified number of such crabs is prima facie evidence of violation; providing penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; and Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 268—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state government buildings; requiring works of art to be included in the original construction of all state government buildings; providing for waiver of such requirement; providing for selection of artists and specific works of art; requiring an appropriation; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; Appropriations; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 269—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on the lease or rental of real property; adding subsection (6) to s. 212.031, Florida Statutes; providing a tax exemption for real property subleased for conventions or trade shows; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 270—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; providing that each school district shall reimburse state uni-

versities and community colleges for funds expended to provide remedial education programs to students who attended and graduated from a secondary school in such district; providing procedures for reporting and billing; providing for disposition of funds; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole—

SB 271—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Parole and Probation Commission; creating s. 947.005, Florida Statutes; providing definitions; amending s. 947.01, Florida Statutes; prescribing the functions of the Secretary of Offender Rehabilitation as a member of the commission; amending s. 947.04, Florida Statutes; providing for appointment of the chairman of the commission and prescribing his duties; providing for the organization of the commission; amending s. 947.06, Florida Statutes; providing that the decision to parole a prisoner be based on objective guidelines; creating s. 947.095, Florida Statutes; establishing hearing examiner panels and prescribing their duties; amending s. 947.13(1)(a), Florida Statutes; prescribing the powers and duties of the commission; amending s. 947.135(4)(a), Florida Statutes; prescribing criteria for establishing the parole dates for inmates in the programmed parole pilot program; amending s. 947.16, Florida Statutes; providing for hearings to determine presumptive release dates; creating s. 947.165, Florida Statutes; providing for the creation and periodic review of objective parole guidelines; creating s. 947.172, Florida Statutes; providing a procedure for the establishment of presumptive release dates; creating s. 947.173, Florida Statutes; providing a procedure for review of presumptive release dates; creating s. 947.174, Florida Statutes; providing for the periodic review of presumptive release dates; providing a procedure for the establishment of effective release dates; amending s. 947.175(1), Florida Statutes; providing for notice to certain agencies of release of an inmate; amending s. 947.19, Florida Statutes; providing for establishment and modification of the terms and conditions of parole; amending s. 947.20, Florida Statutes; providing for the adoption of rules relating to the terms and conditions of parole; amending s. 947.23(1), Florida Statutes; providing criteria for the revocation of parole; adding s. 945.25(5), Florida Statutes; providing for the maintenance of certain records; requiring presumptive release dates to be established for certain inmates by a certain date; requiring the act to be carried out within existing resources; repealing s. 947.17, Florida Statutes, relating to the procedures of the Parole and Probation Commission with respect to parole; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 272—A bill to be entitled An act relating to court reporters; providing for Supreme Court regulation of all court reporters; repealing chapter 29, Florida Statutes, relating to official court reporters; repealing chapter 457, Florida Statutes, relating to the regulation of shorthand court reporters; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil; Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 273—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dogracing; creating s. 550.0831, Florida Statutes; providing that a parimutuel permitholder conducting dogracing in 1977 and thereafter in a county having only one such racetrack may conduct dog race meets or meetings upon the days and dates of such permitholder's choice, not to exceed the total of 105 racing days in each racing year, plus charity and scholarship days, subject to approval of the Board of Business Regulation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Glisson—

SB 274—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans; amending s. 292.11(1), Florida Statutes, requiring counties to

employ county veteran service officers; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senators Jon Thomas and Scott—

SB 275—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonpublic schools; amending s. 229.808, Florida Statutes, requiring the annual registration of nonpublic elementary and secondary educational institutions with the Department of Education; requiring certain information in the registration form; requiring certain day-care centers and kindergartens to register; deleting exclusion of certain educational institutions from the requirement to register and providing exclusion for others; requiring nonpublic schools to file certain information with the department and to notify the department of certain changes; requiring the department to report annually; prohibiting fraudulent registration; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Don Childers—

SB 276—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on sales, use, and other transactions; amending s. 212.11(1), Florida Statutes; prescribing the filing deadline for tax returns; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Commerce.

By Senator Gallen—

SB 277—A bill to be entitled An act relating to outdoor advertising; amending s. 479.04(1), Florida Statutes, providing a 30-day delinquency period and a delinquency fee for the payment of outdoor advertising licenses to the Department of Transportation; amending s. 479.07(2) and (3), Florida Statutes, requiring the department to act upon individual device permits for advertising structures within a certain time period; requiring a service fee for replacement permit tags; providing for second notices on overdue fees; providing for a delinquency fee; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 278—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal convictions for driving while under the influence of alcoholic beverages, model glue, or any controlled substance; amending s. 316.193(2)(a), (b), Florida Statutes; providing a mandatory minimum sentence of imprisonment and fine for first conviction of driving while under the influence of alcoholic beverages, model glue, or any controlled substance; increasing the minimum period of imprisonment for a second conviction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Poston—

SB 279—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers' licenses; creating s. 322.081, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the issuance of an operator's or chauffeur's license to any person under 18 years of age who has not successfully completed a driver education course meeting certain requirements; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; Commerce; and Appropriations.

By Senator Poston—

SB 280—A bill to be entitled An act relating to instruction in public secondary schools in driver education and traffic safety education; creating s. 233.0635, Florida Statutes; providing that each district school board may make available, at appropriate grade levels in public schools, driver education courses and instruction in traffic safety education; providing

that each district school board prescribe requirements and standards for such courses and instruction; prescribing minimum standards for such courses and instruction; providing for financing of such courses and instruction through the Florida Education Finance Program by the levy of an additional driver's license fee; repealing s. 233.063, Florida Statutes, which requires each school district to provide instruction in operation of motor vehicles to secondary school students pursuant to certain procedures and which provides for financing such driver education program; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education; Transportation; and Appropriations.

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 281—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxation; creating s. 193.622, Florida Statutes; defining "solar energy water heating system"; providing for a reduction in the assessed value of property on which a solar energy water heating system is installed; providing procedures for claiming the right of such assessment; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SJR 282—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 4, Article VII of the State Constitution, relating to assessment of property for purposes of ad valorem taxation.

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

By Senator Chamberlin—

SB 283—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mobile homes; adding subsection (3) to s. 83.754, Florida Statutes; providing that an incorporated mobile home owners' association may institute proceedings on behalf of the mobile home owners in relation to unconscionable lot rental agreements; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Chamberlin—

SB 284—A bill to be entitled An act relating to civil actions for unpaid wages; creating s. 448.08, Florida Statutes; authorizing the award of costs and a reasonable attorney's fee to a successful litigant in an action for unpaid wages; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Chamberlin—

SB 285—A bill to be entitled An act relating to eminent domain; creating s. 73.072, Florida Statutes; providing that a condemning authority shall separately determine and award compensation for permanent improvements made by a mobile home owner to the site on which his mobile home is located under certain conditions; permitting mobile home owners to intervene in condemnation proceedings to assert the right to separate compensation; amending s. 73.081, Florida Statutes, relating to form of jury verdicts, to add such compensation to the list of items included; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Chamberlin—

SB 286—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assessments; amending s. 193.501(1), (3), (4), and (6), Florida Statutes, 1977, providing that land designated by a county to be environmentally endangered shall be eligible for preferential ad valorem tax assessment based upon the use of the land in the manner presently provided for land used for outdoor recreational or park purposes; providing that such lands shall be subject to certain conservation restrictions; providing that

such lands be assessed as certain other lands whose use is restricted; restricting the owner's use of such lands; providing for the payment of a deferred tax liability upon the reconveyance of the development right or release of the covenant; deleting provisions relating to the payment of the tax liability; defining "conservation restriction" and "deferred tax liability"; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Agriculture; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Chamberlin—

SB 287—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominiums; adding a new subsection (2) to s. 718.122, Florida Statutes, 1977, redefining the terms "all units" and "annual rental" with respect to situations where a condominium lease fails to provide for the nonexclusive use of the leased property by the lessee or unit owners of a single condominium; providing that where the number of condominium units ultimately entitled to use certain leased property is speculative or at the discretion of the lessor at the time the contract is executed, then at least one element needed for the presumption of unconscionability is deemed to exist; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senators Chamberlin and Henderson—

SJR 288—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 4 of Article VII of the State Constitution relating to ad valorem taxation.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 289—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.23, Florida Statutes; limiting the determinations to be made by the administrator with respect to the approval of an application for special risk membership; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 290—A bill to be entitled An act relating to purchasing; creating s. 287.057, Florida Statutes; placing certain conditions upon the purchase of professional and technical services by the state and its agencies; providing for written agreement and for methods of billing for such services; providing that the conditions of this act do not apply to contracts for such services in effect on the effective date of this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 291—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public documents; establishing a State Government Documents Distribution Center within the Division of Library Services of the Department of State; providing duties of the division and of the director of the division; providing for rules and fees; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 292—A bill to be entitled An act relating to research projects wholly or partially financed by state funds; requiring all federal, state, or private agencies, colleges, universities, research stations, and others engaged in such research to file a report annually and upon commencement of any such project; requiring records to be kept by the Division of Library Services

of the Department of State; providing exemptions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations, Education, and Appropriations.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 293—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Income Tax Code; redesignating s. 220.03(1)(b)-(n), Florida Statutes, and adding a new paragraph (b) to said subsection; creating s. 220.16, Florida Statutes; allowing a credit against the tax imposed under parts II or VII of chapter 220, Florida Statutes, for certain contributions in furtherance of the arts and culture or in furtherance of historic preservation; limiting the amount allowed as a credit; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Commerce—

SB 294—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sales and use tax; amending s. 212.08(8), Florida Statutes; providing clarifying language in regard to taxable status of certain vessels appropriate to carry out the purposes for which a vessel is designed or equipped and used; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Winn and Graham—

SCR 295—A concurrent resolution commending the Carol City Senior High School Chiefs Football Team.

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

By Senators Castor and Peterson—

SB 296—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the establishment and funding of school district programs; creating s. 230.2315, Florida Statutes; providing for educational alternative programs for students who are disruptive or unsuccessful in a normal school environment; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; amending ss. 236.081(1)(c), (5), 229.565(2)(c), Florida Statutes; providing for annual funding of district school programs; providing for periodic evaluation of district student selection procedures for educational alternative programs; repealing ss. 229.542, 229.543, 229.545, 230.-23(4)(n), 232.255, Florida Statutes, relating to district programs for educational leadership training, exceptional children, and safety of the school environment from vandalism and disruption; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senators Castor, Glisson and Gordon—

SB 297—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public school food service programs; adding s. 228.195(5), Florida Statutes; requiring each district school board to establish a school breakfast program in certain schools in the district; providing for guidelines and rules to implement and administer such programs; providing standards for certain persons to enforce this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Renick—

SB 298—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Offender Rehabilitation; creating s. 945.155, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the department from manufacturing cigarettes or providing cigarettes to inmates at state expense; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole and Senator Renick—

SB 299—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation furnished prisoners upon release from state correctional institutions; amending s. 944.54, Florida Statutes; removing the limitation on the payment of transportation expenses upon the release of a prisoner; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole and Senator Scott—

SB 300—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Offender Rehabilitation; amending s. 20.315, Florida Statutes; changing the name of the department; providing for conformation of the Florida Statutes to this change; deleting obsolete provisions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Governmental Operations.

By Senators Firestone, Brantley, Castor, Hair, Henderson, Spicola, Glisson, Winn, Johnston, Myers, Gordon, Scarborough, Wilson, Jon Thomas, Skinner, Graham, MacKay, Zinkil, Holloway, Williamson, Renick, Sayler, Pat Thomas, Tobiassen, Don Childers, McClain and Scott—

SB 301—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of State; providing an appropriation to the Division of Cultural Affairs of the Department of State; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 302—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Suwannee River Authority; amending chapter 61-538, Laws of Florida, as amended; providing that appropriations by the state to the authority be used to match, on a 75 to 25 matching ratio, sums appropriated to the authority by certain counties; correcting reference to Madison county authorization for appropriation of funds to the authority; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 303—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Condominium Act; adding s. 718.103(19), (20), Florida Statutes; defining "time-share estate" and "time-share unit"; adding s. 718.104(4)(n), Florida Statutes; requiring time-share estates to be provided for in the declaration of a condominium; creating s. 718.1045, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the creation of such estates if not provided for in the declaration; creating s. 718.1065, Florida Statutes; prohibiting actions for partition of time-share units; amending s. 718.110(1), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection to said section; requiring unanimous consent of unit owners and lienholders for amendment of declaration to authorize the creation of time-share estates; amending s. 718.116(1), Florida Statutes; prescribing liability of owners of time-share estates for assessments and charges; amending s. 718.403(6), Florida Statutes, and adding a new paragraph to subsection (2) of said section; requiring time-share estates to be provided in the original declaration of a phase condominium; amending s. 718.503(3)(b), Florida Statutes, and adding a new paragraph to subsection (1) of said section; amending s. 718.504(5), Florida Statutes; providing for disclosure of time-share estates in contracts for sale or transfer of units, in sales brochures, and in prospectuses or offering circulars; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 304—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on admissions; amending s. 212.04(1), Florida Statutes; renumber-

ing s. 212.04(2)-(8), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (2) to said section; providing a partial exemption from the tax on admissions for certain scientific, historical, musical, or artistic events; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 305—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Division of Florida Land Sales and Condominiums of the Department of Business Regulation; amending s. 718.501(2), Florida Statutes, authorizing the advisory board of the division to employ hearing officers with respect to controversies between condominium unit owners and their associations; authorizing the board to disregard the hearing officer's findings under certain circumstances; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 306—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominiums; amending s. 718.112(2)(b), Florida Statutes, providing that the bylaws must include a proxy committee; providing for the selection and duties of the committee; providing for the invalidity of certain proxies; requiring the transmission of certain information to the Division of Florida Land Sales and Condominiums; requiring the retention of proxies for 12 months; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs and Commerce.

By Senator Chamberlin—

SB 307—A bill to be entitled An act relating to abuse of children; amending s. 827.07(12), Florida Statutes; requiring a court appointed guardian ad litem in any child-abuse judicial proceeding; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining—

SB 308—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; creating ss. 121.30, 122.355, 123.45, 238.325, 321.223, Florida Statutes; providing limitations with respect to the Florida Retirement System, State and County Officers and Employees' Retirement System, Judicial Retirement System, Teachers' Retirement System, and the Highway Patrol Pension Trust Fund relating to diversion of retirement funds, use of forfeitures, nonforfeitable of accrued benefits, maximum benefits for systems qualified under the Internal Revenue Code, and legislative intent and purpose; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Senators Henderson, Gallen and Zinkil—

SB 309—A bill to be entitled An act relating to naturopathy; amending ss. 462.08, 462.14, Florida Statutes; providing for renewal of licenses to practice naturopathy; providing renewal fees; providing for revocation of a practitioner's license upon conviction of a felony committed while practicing naturopathy or while under authority of license; reviving and readopting ss. 462.01-462.19, Florida Statutes, as amended, notwithstanding the provisions of the Regulatory Reform Act of 1976; providing for retroactivity; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Senators Henderson, Gallen and Zinkil—

SB 310—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulation of pilots; amending s. 310.002(2), Florida Statutes; redefining the term "pilot"; amending s. 310.011, Florida Statutes; increasing the number of members on the State Board of Pilot Commissioners; amending s. 310.021, Florida Statutes; prescribing qualification for membership on the board and providing for appointment of licensed state pilots from specified ports to the board; amending s. 310.061, Florida Statutes; providing the quota of licensed state pilots for designated ports; providing criteria for determining the necessary number of licensed pilots; removing certain saving provisions; amending s. 310.071(2), Florida Statutes; revising the procedure for application for a pilot license and for a deputy pilot certificate; adding s. 310.091(7), Florida Statutes; providing that the State Board of Pilot Commissioners may require proof of mental and physical capability from an applicant, a licensed pilot, or a certificated deputy pilot; adding s. 310.101(5), Florida Statutes; providing that the board may suspend or revoke a pilot license or a deputy pilot certificate for negligence, incompetence, or misconduct; amending s. 310.151(1), Florida Statutes; providing a method to fix rates of pilotage; providing notice and hearing requirements; repealing s. 310.081(3), Florida Statutes, relating to the method of filling vacancies in the number of licensed pilots; reviving and readopting chapter 310, Florida Statutes, as amended, notwithstanding the provisions of the Regulatory Reform Act of 1976; providing for retroactivity; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Senators Henderson, Gallen and Zinkil—

SB 311—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire prevention and control; amending s. 633.061, Florida Statutes; deleting references to Class D licenses and Class 4 permits; requiring completion of certain courses prior to renewal of permits; establishing prerequisites for the issuance of a license or permit; deleting exception to certification requirements for certain plumbing contractors; extending the hydrostatic test interval for aluminum shell fire extinguishers; providing for the adoption of certain rules; providing for the gradual elimination of inverting water type fire extinguishers; amending s. 633.083(1), (2), Florida Statutes; removing the prohibition against bromochlorodifluoromethane fire extinguishers; prohibiting the offering for sale, selling, or giving of any toxic or poisonous vaporizing liquid fire extinguisher or any fire extinguisher which lacks a permanent serial number; providing a penalty; amending s. 633.171(2), Florida Statutes; increasing the penalty for certain violations; applying provisions relating to habitual misdemeanants to such violations; eliminating the penalty for stealing a fire extinguisher; amending s. 633.521(1)-(4), (6), Florida Statutes; providing for the administration of certain examinations by the State Fire Marshal; providing for alternative versions of such examinations; providing for the preparation, administration, and scoring of such examinations; eliminating inspection to determine financial responsibility and credit and business reputation as a prerequisite to the taking of such examinations; requiring certificate holders to pass such examination prior to renewal of the certificate; amending s. 633.534(3)(a), (e), Florida Statutes; providing circumstances for the revocation of a certificate; providing rights and responsibilities in the event of the death of a certificate holder; requiring the State Fire Marshal to be responsible for approving the design of and inspecting the construction of certain systems; amending s. 633.537(1), Florida Statutes; correcting a typographical error; providing that the State Fire Marshal may make certain inspections; reviving and readopting certain sections of chapter 633, Florida Statutes, as amended, notwithstanding the provisions of the Regulatory Reform Act of 1976; providing for retroactivity; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 312—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational funding; amending s. 236.083(4) and (6), Florida Statutes, to revise the formula for determining the allowable per student cost of transported students; providing for annual recomputa-

tion of the formula; revising the mileage allowance for transportation by passenger car; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Holloway—

SB 313—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on sales, use and other transactions; amending s. 212.17(3), Florida Statutes; extending the time period during which a dealer may take a credit for taxes paid on worthless accounts and allowing a refund for such payments; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Saylor—

SJR 314—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article VIII of the State Constitution, relating to county commissioners, to provide for single-member county commissioners' districts.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Johnston—

SB 315—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale of beverages; providing definitions; requiring every container of certain beverages sold in the state to have a clearly indicated refund value of not less than 5 cents; requiring dealers and distributors of such beverages to accept the return of beverage containers and to pay the required refund; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; Judiciary-Criminal; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senators Gordon, Poston, Firestone, Holloway, Myers and Winn—

SB 316—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State University System; requiring the Board of Regents to prepare and submit to the Legislature a report on graduate programs at the University of Florida and Florida State University; providing an exemption; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SB 317—A bill to be entitled An act relating to district school boards; amending s. 230.061, Florida Statutes; requiring members of district school boards to be elected by vote of the electors within a district school board member residence area; requiring districts with a seven-member district school board to be divided into seven district school board member residence areas; requiring each district school board to establish school board member residence areas in accordance with this act prior to a specified date; amending s. 230.08, Florida Statutes; providing for nominations for school board membership by vote of the qualified electors of the district school board member residence area; amending s. 230.10, Florida Statutes; providing for the election of district school board members by vote of the qualified electors of the appropriate school board member residence area; repealing s. 230.11, Florida Statutes, which requires district school board members to represent the entire district rather than the school board member residence area; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 318—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of massage; reenacting the Massage Registration Law of 1943; providing definitions; creating the Florida Board of Massage; providing for organization, meetings, and compensation of the board; providing powers and duties of the board; requiring

the board to keep records; requiring masseurs and masseuses to be registered; providing exemptions from registration; providing requisites for examinations, subjects, minimum passing grade and fees; providing fees for certificates of registration; requiring display and recording of the certificate of registration; providing for the renewal or revocation of said certificate; providing for the issuance of certificates of registration to massage schools; prescribing sanitary requirements; prescribing notice requirements for revocation of certificates and licenses; authorizing the Florida Board of Massage to revoke, suspend, or annul certificates and licenses; providing for review of the suspension, revocation or annulment; requiring the secretary-treasurer of the board to keep records; providing for the disposition of money received by the board; authorizing municipal governments to regulate the practice of massage; providing exemptions from the chapter; providing a penalty, providing examinations for teachers or instructors of massage; repealing chapter 77-261, Laws of Florida, the Massage Practice Act; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 319—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public health; creating s. 381.2612, Florida Statutes, prohibiting the construction of any dwelling after January 1, 1981, which employs a tank-type water closet that uses more than 3 1/2 gallons of water per flush; providing exceptions; providing duties of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; providing for enforcement; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; Commerce; and Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 320—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public buildings; creating s. 381.2612, Florida Statutes, prohibiting the construction of any state-owned building after January 1, 1981, which employs a tank-type water closet that uses more than 3 1/2 gallons of water per flush; providing exceptions; providing duties of the Division of Building Construction and Property Management of the Department of General Services; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Skinner—

SB 321—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the illegal taking, possession, movement, or transportation of deer or wild turkey; amending s. 372.99(1), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the movement or transportation during the closed season of freshly killed deer or wild turkey; providing a penalty; increasing the penalty for taking or killing deer or wild turkey, or possessing freshly killed deer or wild turkey, during the closed season; increasing the penalty for taking or attempting to take deer or wild turkey by use of a gun and light; adding s. 372.99(5), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the possession, movement, or transportation during the open season of certain quantities of freshly killed deer or wild turkey; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; and Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senators Tobiassen and Castor—

SB 322—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public printing; amending ss. 283.03, 283.10(1), 287.102, Florida Statutes; requiring each state agency to give preference to bidders located within the state when awarding contracts for public printing; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Tobiassen, Castor and Dunn—

SB 323—A bill to be entitled An act relating to purchases made by state agencies; amending s. 287.062, Florida Statutes;

requiring competitive bids on purchases in excess of \$2,500; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senators Tobiassen and Castor—

SB 324—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public property; creating s. 255.275, Florida Statutes; exempting certain leased property from the requirements of chapter 255, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Tobiassen, Castor and Dunn—

SB 325—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State University System; amending s. 240.052(5), Florida Statutes; providing for deferral of registration and tuition fees for students receiving veterans' benefits when the transmittal of such benefits is delayed; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senators Tobiassen and Castor—

SB 326—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Casualty Insurance Risk Management Trust Fund; amending s. 284.34, Florida Statutes; providing that certain coverages are excluded unless authorized by the Department of Insurance; providing that certain self-insurance programs of the Board of Regents shall not be affected; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education, Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senators Tobiassen and Castor—

SB 327—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Treasurer; amending s. 18.101(3), Florida Statutes, relating to deposits of public money outside the State Treasury; changing the date on which each department is required to report the status of revolving funds and clearing accounts to the Treasurer; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Tobiassen, Castor and Dunn—

SB 328—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Board of Regents; amending s. 241.621(7), Florida Statutes, relating to divisions of sponsored research; providing for payment of actual travel expenses incurred during foreign travel; providing for direct payment to the purveyor of meals and lodgings for any such services incurred by participants of grant sponsored programs when such a program is a condition of the grant; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education; Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; Governmental Operations; and Appropriations.

By Senators Tobiassen, Castor and Dunn—

SB 329—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposal of state-owned tangible personal property; renumbering s. 273.055(2), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (2) to said section; requiring the Division of Surplus Property of the Department of General Services to adopt rules for the disposal of certain such property; providing for the disposal by state agencies of such property; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Skinner—

SB 330—A bill to be entitled An act relating to forest protection; creating s. 590.091, Florida Statutes; requiring railroads operating in the state to keep rights-of-way designated

as fire hazard areas free from combustible material and to provide adequate firebreaks; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Pat Thomas—

SCR 331—A concurrent resolution commending the 1977 Florida State University Seminole Football Team and its coaches.

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

By Senator Pat Thomas—

SCR 332—A concurrent resolution commending the Football Team and Coaches of Florida A & M University for their performance during 1977.

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

By Senators Pat Thomas and Glisson—

SB 333—A bill to be entitled An act relating to controlled substances; amending s. 893.13(1)(a)-(c), Florida Statutes, and adding s. 893.13(5), Florida Statutes; providing for a mandatory minimum prison sentence for persons convicted of manufacturing, delivering, selling, or possessing certain controlled substances; authorizing the Department of Criminal Law Enforcement to pay rewards to persons providing information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons violating certain provisions of the law relating to controlled substances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal; Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pat Thomas—

SB 334—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juveniles; creating s. 39.125, Florida Statutes; authorizing news disseminating agencies to publish the names of juveniles and their parents or guardians in connection with violations of law alleged to have been committed by such juveniles; amending s. 39.03(6)(a), Florida Statutes; permitting the fingerprinting and photographing of 16 or 17 year old children under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 335—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public lands; amending s. 253.03(2), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (3), and amending ss. 253.45(1), 253.53, 253.62(2), 270.13, 270.22, and 270.23, Florida Statutes; providing that the proceeds of the sale or lease of oil or mineral rights to any lands the title to which is vested in the state or in any state agency shall be deposited in the General Revenue Fund; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 336—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public utilities; requiring certain private utility companies to transmit estimated monthly installments of collections of utility receipts representing local government franchise fees on a monthly basis; providing for the calculation and adjustment of such installments; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Trask—

SB 337—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; amending s. 921.16, Florida Statutes; providing for sentences

to be served concurrently with sentences imposed by other jurisdictions; providing for parole of prisoners so sentenced; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole.

By Senator Trask—

SB 338—A bill to be entitled An act relating to farm labor registration; amending s. 450.29, Florida Statutes; providing for the exclusion of state agencies and nonprofit agricultural research organizations from the registration requirements of the Farm Labor Registration Law; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Trask—

SB 339—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on sales, use, and other transactions; amending s. 212.08(5), Florida Statutes; providing an exemption from such tax for liquified petroleum gas or other fuel used to heat a structure in which started pullets or broilers are raised; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Agriculture; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 340—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jai alai frontons; amending s. 551.12, Florida Statutes; prescribing the times during which jai alai may be played on certain days and extending the starting time for the last game played on certain days; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SJR 341—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 6 of Article I of the State Constitution relating to the right to work.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 342—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bingo and guest games; amending s. 849.093(8), Florida Statutes, simplifying the language relating to locations where bingo or guest games may be held; providing that bingo or guest games may be held on municipal property under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 343—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the district school system; amending s. 230.03, Florida Statutes, specifying the power of district school boards to control, operate, and supervise schools in the district; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SJR 344—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 16 of Article III of the State Constitution relating to legislative apportionment.

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

By Senators Don Childers, Gordon, Jon Thomas and Castor—

SB 345—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medically underserved communities; requiring the Department of Health

and Rehabilitative Services to function as a medical manpower clearinghouse; establishing a grant program to assist in the relocation of medical manpower in medically underserved communities; authorizing the adoption of rules by the department relating to such program; amending s. 458.06(2), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (7) to said section; increasing the annual license fee for physicians not actively engaged in the practice of medicine in the state; creating the Health Manpower Trust Fund; providing for the placing of a portion of the fees paid by physicians not actively engaged in the practice of medicine in the state in such trust fund; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 346—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical conduct; amending s. 458.121(7), Florida Statutes, authorizing the temporary suspension of the license of a physician who is guilty of certain misconduct or negligence or who is charged by the organized staff of a hospital, health maintenance organization, or ambulatory surgical center with certain conduct, willful misconduct, or negligence, pending a hearing; adding a new subsection to s. 459.14 and creating ss. 461.085 and 466.245, Florida Statutes, to authorize such temporary suspension of the license of an osteopathic physician, podiatrist, or dentist, respectively, charged by the organized staff of a hospital with certain conduct, willful misconduct, or negligence; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services and Commerce.

By Senator Myers (by request)—

SB 347—A bill to be entitled An act relating to interior designers; creating the Florida State Board of Examiners of Interior Designers within the Division of Professions of the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation; providing definitions; prescribing membership, powers, and duties of the board; providing for the examination and licensing of interior designers; providing for the issuance of licenses and temporary permits without examination in certain circumstances; providing for denial, renewal, suspension, revocation, and restoration of such licenses; authorizing licensee participation in certain business associations; prescribing fees; providing penalties; providing for enforcement; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Governmental Operations; Commerce; and Appropriations.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 348—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local planning and zoning programs; creating s. 23.0195, Florida Statutes; providing that local planning and zoning programs which have standards and guidelines equal to or higher than the state standards and guidelines or which provide greater environmental protection for the area concerned are preserved and shall not be impaired by any administrative rule adopted under the authority of the Florida State Comprehensive Planning Act of 1972, as amended; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Natural Resources and Conservation; and Agriculture.

By Senator Gordon (by request)—

SB 349—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Homestead Property Tax Deferral Act; amending ss. 197.0164(2)(d), 197.0165(1), (2), and (5), 197.0166(1), (2), (4), and (5), 197.0168(1) and (2)(b), 197.0169(1), (2), and (3), and 197.0171, Florida Statutes; clarifying language; redefining "income"; providing for application for deferral before January 31 following the year in which taxes are assessed; specifying time periods for the tax collector's consideration of applications and notice of disapproval; providing for filing of proceedings by the tax collector or other lienholder upon disapproval of an application by the Property Appraisal Adjustment Board; pro-

viding that the loss payable clause of required insurance shall be to the tax collector; restricting bids which may be accepted by the tax collector on sale of deferred payment tax certificates; providing for change in ownership of tax-deferred property; deleting duty of property appraiser to notify tax collector of failure to maintain required insurance on tax-deferred property; amending s. 15 of chapter 77-301, Laws of Florida, specifying that deferral of taxes shall begin with taxes assessed for 1978; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Gordon (by request)—

SB 350—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax administration; amending s. 195.022, Florida Statutes, to prohibit county officers from using any form for administering or collecting ad valorem taxes the substantive content of which is at variance with the form prescribed by the Department of Revenue; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 351—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sales and use tax; amending s. 212.04(2)(b), Florida Statutes; providing a sales tax exemption on dues, membership fees, and admission charges imposed by certain not-for-profit community or recreational facilities; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 352—A bill to be entitled An act relating to collective bargaining by public employees; amending s. 447.403(2), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the use of binding arbitration to resolve any impasse in collective bargaining negotiations between a public employer and an employee organization with respect to wages, hours, or terms and conditions of employment; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 353—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the municipal public service tax; amending s. 166.231, Florida Statutes; authorizing such a tax on the purchase of fuel oil or kerosene; requiring the levy of such tax and any tax on the purchase of electricity, metered or bottled gas, or water service be levied at a uniform rate on a unit basis rather than on a percentage basis; deleting provisions exempting the fuel adjustment charge on utility service from the tax; exempting the first 500 kilowatt hours of electricity for residential use from the tax; requiring the passing of the exemption to each individual tenant; providing a procedure and schedule to be used by municipalities in shifting their tax rate structures; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senators Peterson and Skinner—

SB 354—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of psychology and the rendering of psychological services; amending s. 490.14(2), Florida Statutes; including within the definition of the practice of psychology the rendering of clinical, industrial, counseling and school psychology; amending s. 490.15(2), (3), Florida Statutes; adding one public member to the Board of Examiners of Psychology; providing a limitation on the number of terms each member of said board may serve; amending s. 490.16, Florida Statutes; providing quorum requirements for the board; deleting requirement of publication and notice of meetings; amending s. 490.19(1), Florida Statutes; prescribing the qualifications of an applicant for examination

as a psychologist; providing for examination and licensure of certain professionals engaged in rendering psychological services; renumbering s. 490.25(2), (3), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (2) to said section; authorizing the board to prescribe continuing education requirements for individuals licensed under chapter 490, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Plante—

SB 355—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle registration license plates; amending s. 320.06(2), Florida Statutes; removing the prohibition against the payment of refunds to owners of certain vehicles for the unused portion of the registration period upon the return of such plates; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gorman—

SB 356—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Phyllis McGuire; providing an appropriation to compensate her for her injuries sustained in an automobile accident which occurred on Florida State Road S-535 due to the negligent maintenance of the road by the Department of Transportation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master and the Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Chamberlin—

SB 357—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public school instructional personnel; amending s. 231.40(1)(c), Florida Statutes; deleting provision which specifies that terminal pay to instructional personnel shall not exceed daily rate of pay multiplied by one-half of the total number of accumulated sick leave days or 60 days, whichever is less; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Holloway—

SB 358—A bill to be entitled An act relating to junk dealers, scrap metal processors, persons dealing in secondhand goods, and foundries; amending s. 812.049(3), Florida Statutes; redefining "metals"; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Holloway—

SB 359—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board; amending s. 468.182(2)(b), (3)(b), Florida Statutes; providing that members may succeed themselves; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Holloway—

SB 360—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public schools; adding s. 235.193(5), Florida Statutes; requiring each school board to participate in local zoning, planning and building processes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senators Holloway, Poston and Renick—

SB 361—A bill to be entitled An act relating to highways and bridges; providing an appropriation for the purpose of repairing and reconstructing the bridges in the Florida Keys on U.S. Highway 1; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Holloway—

SB 362—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mobile homes; amending s. 320.8335, Florida Statutes, to provide standard definitions of the "length" and "width" of a mobile home in conformance with federal regulations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Holloway—

SB 363—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Transportation; amending s. 338.19(1), Florida Statutes; requiring the department to reimburse certain utility owners for the cost of removing or relocating certain utility facilities; providing for certain reductions from reimbursement; authorizing expenditure of both restricted and unrestricted state road moneys and gas tax revenues for such reimbursement; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Holloway—

SB 364—A bill to be entitled An act relating to licensing of vehicles; amending s. 316.284, Florida Statutes; providing that nothing may be placed on the face of a license plate except as permitted by law or by rule or regulation of a governmental agency; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 365—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Condominium Act; amending s. 718.301(4)(c), Florida Statutes; requiring the developer to deliver a certified accounting for association funds to the association when transferring control of the association to the unit owners; amending s. 718.501(1)(e), Florida Statutes; requiring the Division of Florida Land Sales and Condominiums, upon request, to furnish any association that has paid its annual assessment fee a copy of the Condominium Act and amendments thereto, free of charge; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 366—A bill to be entitled An act relating to investments by insurers; amending s. 625.320, Florida Statutes; removing the limitation on investments by insurers in savings and loan associations or building and loan associations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator MacKay—

SB 367—A bill to be entitled An act relating to deposits of state money; amending s. 18.10, Florida Statutes; authorizing the State Board of Administration to invest state money in state and federal savings and loan associations; requiring such investments to meet certain collateral security requirements; providing that deposits of such money in savings and loan associations are not automatically barred because of certain financial relationships between such associations and municipal or state officers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator MacKay—

SB 368—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the construction industry; creating s. 463.1045, Florida Statutes, pro-

viding that surplus funds of the Florida Construction Industry Licensing Board be distributed to certain universities and community colleges for industry-related research and continuing education; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 369—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal history information and records; creating s. 943.051, Florida Statutes; providing definitions; providing for administrative expunction of certain records pursuant to rule adopted by the Department of Criminal Law Enforcement; providing for the expunction or sealing of criminal history records maintained by criminal justice agencies upon order of the circuit court; providing for distribution of such orders to affected criminal justice agencies; authorizing agency cooperation with requests from other jurisdictions relating to expunction or sealing of criminal history records; providing for restoration of status to the subject of expunged records; authorizing subjects of expunged or sealed records to deny or fail to acknowledge events covered by such records and providing exceptions; requiring petitioners for orders to expunge or seal to make a sworn statement of knowledge and belief of eligibility; providing for department recommendations to the Legislature relating to routine sealing or expunction of certain arrest records; creating s. 943.052, Florida Statutes; requiring submission of certain fingerprints to the Department of Criminal Law Enforcement; authorizing exceptions to be adopted by department rule; creating s. 943.053, Florida Statutes; providing for the submission to the Department of Criminal Law Enforcement of disposition reports; authorizing the department to adopt rules governing such reports; providing that willful and repeated violation of disposition report provisions constitutes neglect of duty in public office; amending ss. 30.31, 245.06, 475.16, Florida Statutes, relating to fingerprinting, to conform to this act; repealing ss. 893.14, 901.33, Florida Statutes, relating to expunction of certain criminal history records; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator McClain—

SB 370—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 627.736(2)(b), Florida Statutes; allowing an insurer to exclude payment of personal injury protection benefits to certain persons who are convicted of driving or being in actual physical control of a vehicle while having an unlawful blood alcohol level; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 371—A bill to be entitled An act relating to judgment liens; creating s. 55.147, Florida Statutes; providing for transfer of judgment liens to security provided the Clerk of the Circuit Court in the form of a sum of money or surety bond; setting the amount of such security; requiring the security to be conditioned upon the payment of the amount of the judgment, interest, and court costs; providing duties of the Clerk of the Circuit Court relating to the making and recording of certificates of transfer; prescribing clerks' fees; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 372—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax exemption for totally and permanently disabled persons; amending s. 196.101(3), (5), Florida Statutes; providing for the production of a certificate of total and permanent disability from two licensed physicians, one of whom shall be a licensed medical doctor; amending the certificate form accordingly; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 373—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental control; adding subsection (8) to s. 403.021, Florida Statutes, and amending ss. 403.088(1), 403.141(4), 403.813(2) (g), and 403.817(2), Florida Statutes; establishing responsibility of the Department of Environmental Regulation with respect to approval of projects which may encourage breeding of disease carrying vectors and pests; modifying provisions relative to the application of pesticides to waters in the state; modifying civil liability provisions to exempt certain applications of chemicals from liability for damages; excepting maintenance of water management structures from certain permit requirements; modifying requirements relative to deposit of spoil material; modifying provisions relating to determination by plant indicators of the landward extent of waters for regulatory purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Natural Resources and Conservation; and Appropriations.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 374—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Charlotte County; authorizing the construction, purchase, lease, or establishment and maintenance of electricity or gas plants and declaring such to be a county purpose; authorizing the issuance of bonds; authorizing reconstruction and extension of such plants; authorizing regulation of service provided by county plant; providing for regulation of rates; authorizing the granting of franchises; restricting the impairment of other regulatory powers; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 375—A bill to be entitled An act relating to campaigns for public office; providing definitions; prohibiting the furtherance of a candidacy for statewide office at public expense; authorizing the Division of Elections of the Department of State to investigate certain violations; authorizing the Florida Elections Commission to adopt certain rules, hold hearings, impose fines, and order reimbursement; requiring certain candidates to file reports of certain activities; providing for the transmittal of findings of apparent violations to appropriate officers; providing for the duties of a campaign liaison; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 376—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pollution control; amending s. 403.165, Florida Statutes; redesignating the Pollution Recovery Fund as the Pollution Control Trust Fund; specifying moneys to be deposited into the fund and specifying its uses; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Graham—

SB 377—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor carriers; amending s. 323.032, Florida Statutes; deleting the prohibition against granting charter rights except in conjunction with the grant of regular route certificates to motor common carriers of passengers; deleting the prohibition against severing charter rights by sale or other means; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senators Firestone, Chamberlin, Gordon and Poston—

SB 378—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the district school system; amending s. 230.2311(1), Florida Statutes, re-

lating to early childhood and basic skills development programs; requiring basic skills to be developed through certain basic programs; adding s. 236.013(6), Florida Statutes; defining the term "basic programs" as it relates to the Florida Education Finance Program; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Williamson—

SB 379—A bill to be entitled An act relating to contraband; amending s. 943.41(1), Florida Statutes, and adding paragraph (e) to subsection (2) thereof; providing a short title; including personal property used or intended for use in the commission of certain crimes within the definition of "contraband articles"; adding subsection (4) to s. 943.42, Florida Statutes, making unlawful the concealment or possession of contraband articles of personal property; amending s. 943.43, Florida Statutes, providing for forfeiture of contraband articles of personal property; amending s. 943.44(1) and (2), Florida Statutes, providing forfeiture proceedings for such personal property; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 380—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporations not for profit; amending s. 617.02, Florida Statutes; requiring such corporations, in filing a new or amended charter or articles of incorporation, to include with such filing evidence that it has acted in accordance with its existing charter, articles of incorporation, or bylaws in adopting such new or amended charter or articles of incorporation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Holloway and Poston—

SB 381—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Card Sound Toll Bridge Facility; requiring the Department of Transportation to negotiate with Monroe County for the acquisition of such bridge; requiring the department to negotiate with the county to retire bridge revenue bonds; requiring the department to operate and maintain the bridge as a toll-free bridge; making an appropriation to cover the necessary costs of acquisition; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SCR 382—A concurrent resolution encouraging the purchase of The Grove, located in Leon County, Florida, by the Division of Recreation and Parks of the Department of Natural Resources.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Trask—

SB 383—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aquatic plant control; creating the Center for Aquatic Plant Research and Control; prescribing powers and duties of the center; requiring the center to make certain reports to the Legislature; providing appropriations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Trask—

SB 384—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending s. 601.155, Florida Statutes, defining taxable citrus products and clarifying uses of such products grown outside the State of Florida subject to the existing equalizing excise tax; removing obsolete and redundant language; providing exemptions; providing for collection and use of funds; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Agriculture; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Trask—

SB 385—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending s. 601.61(1), Florida Statutes, to redefine the basis for determining the amount of citrus fruit dealers' bond; authorizing the use of certificates of deposit; requiring the posting of bond prior to approval of license; providing considerations for determining amount of bond; clarifying the dealers' duty to increase bond; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Spicola—

SB 386—A bill to be entitled An act relating to roads and highways; authorizing and directing the Department of Transportation to redesignate that portion of the Florida Turnpike known as the Wildwood Interchange as the "John M. Hammer Interchange"; providing for the erection of signs and markers; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Hair—

SB 387—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Administrative Procedure Act; adding subsections (15) and (16) to s. 120.52, Florida Statutes, defining the terms "owner" and "manager"; adding a new subsection (4) to s. 120.60, Florida Statutes, requiring agencies which require a statement of ownership and management on original license applications to require an update on renewal applications; requiring all license or renewal applications to be signed under oath or affirmation; requiring denial of license application or suspension or revocation of license for misrepresentation or false swearing to any material statement on a license or renewal application; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 388—A bill to be entitled An act relating to payment of attorney's fees and costs for insolvent defendants in capital cases; amending s. 925.035(6), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (7) to said section; providing for payment by the state of attorney's fees and costs of such defendants; providing procedure for payment of attorney's fees for representation in a trial court and in an appellate court and prescribing criteria for setting the amount thereof; establishing maximum amounts for such fees; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Gallen and Tobiassen—

SB 389—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community colleges; requiring athletic scholarship recipients to be graduates of Florida public or private high schools or to have been a Florida resident for the preceding 2 years; providing a savings clause; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 390—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Public Service Commission; amending s. 350.06, Florida Statutes; authorizing the commission and each commissioner to employ certain personnel; providing for the appointment by the Legislative Auditing Committee of an executive director of the commission; providing that the executive director be independent of the commission and have supervisory authority and responsibility for employment of all personnel not authorized to be employed by a commissioner or by the commission; authorizing the executive director to determine the organizational structure of the commission and to employ and prescribe

the number and fix the compensation of all personnel not authorized to be employed by a commissioner or by the commission; providing that the Department of Administration shall have no authority to release or withhold funds appropriated to the commission or to determine the organizational structure of the commission or to fix the number or compensation of commission employees; prescribing the duties of the executive director; creating s. 350.0605, Florida Statutes; requiring all sessions of the commission to be held in Tallahassee; authorizing the public counsel and the commissioners to hold consumer input hearings anywhere in the state; requiring an opportunity for rebuttal at an agenda conference be afforded the public counsel and the company involved when the staff of the commission makes certain recommendations or presentations to the commissioners; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Commerce; and Appropriations.

By Senators Scarborough, Brantley and Renick—

SB 391—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public works; amending s. 215.19(2)(a), Florida Statutes; providing that the prevailing wage rate for laborers, mechanics, and apprentices employed on public works shall include the prevailing basic hourly rate and the value of fringe benefits and perquisites generally provided by contractors or subcontractors; amending s. 235.32, Florida Statutes; providing that in the construction of educational facilities, the contractor and the contract shall be subject to such wage rates; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator McClain—

SB 392—A bill to be entitled An act relating to automobile insurance; amending s. 627.728(1)(c), Florida Statutes; redefining "nonpayment of premium" to include failure to maintain membership in an organization if such membership is a condition precedent to insurance coverage and if such organization is not a fictitious grouping; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Lewis—

SB 393—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the duties of public defenders; amending s. 27.51(4), Florida Statutes; prohibiting a public defender from prosecuting any case on appeal to a federal or state court from a decision of a court in another judicial circuit; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Williamson and Dunn—

SB 394—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the creation of the Florida State Commission of Investigation; creating ss. 11.701-11.7020, Florida Statutes; providing for members, appointments, terms, salaries, vacancies and removal; providing for powers and duties of the commission; providing for contempt; authorizing investigations of various governmental entities; directing cooperation with law enforcement officials and federal authorities; requiring examination into law enforcement activities affecting other states; directing reference of certain evidence to other authorities for the prosecution of crimes or removal from office; authorizing the employment of staff; requiring reports; providing for closed meetings; providing for requests for assistance; prohibiting certain disclosures and providing a penalty; providing a privilege; authorizing the impounding of evidence; providing for immunity; providing for civil contempt; providing for notice to the state attorney; providing legislative intent; providing for procedure for the commission; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal, Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senators Peterson, Trask and Renick—

SB 395—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Avocado, Mango, and Lime Sales Law; amending s. 570.55, Florida Statutes; providing that such law may be enforced by a highway patrol officer; defining "transporter"; requiring each transporter to have in his possession a trip ticket and specifying the information to be included on such ticket; authorizing confiscation of the cargo of transporters who violate such requirement; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Peterson and Trask—

SB 396—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state-owned lands; creating s. 253.034, Florida Statutes; providing definitions for single and multiple uses; providing that lands owned by the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund not required for a specific single use shall receive multiple use management; providing that each state agency managing such lands submit to the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund a land management plan for approval within a specified period of time from the effective date of this act and periodically thereafter; providing an advisory council to said board; requiring each state agency managing such lands to pay a specified percent of gross receipts from lands to counties; providing exceptions; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Agriculture; and Appropriations.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 397—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominium and cooperative associations; amending s. 718.501(1)(e), Florida Statutes; deleting the requirement that a condominium association pay certain fees prior to being furnished a copy of part V of chapter 718, Florida Statutes, by the Division of Florida Land Sales and Condominiums of the Department of Business Regulation; amending s. 719.501(1)(e), Florida Statutes; deleting the requirement that a cooperative association pay certain fees prior to being furnished a copy of part V of chapter 719, Florida Statutes, by the division; repealing ss. 718.501(3)(a), 719.501(3)(a), Florida Statutes, requiring payment of an annual fee by a condominium or cooperative association to the division for each residential unit operated by the association; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Vogt—

SB 398—A bill to be entitled An act relating to blue crabs; amending s. 370.135(3), Florida Statutes; prohibiting possession of more than a certain number of undersized blue crabs; providing for exceptions by special permit issued by the Department of Natural Resources; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 399—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the administration of state lands by the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund; adding s. 253.03(10), Florida Statutes; authorizing the board to adopt rules to provide for the assessment and collection of reasonable fees for specified actions involving an interest in state lands and for the reproduction of documents; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 400—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water well contractors; creating s. 373.324, Florida Statutes; requiring a

bond as a prerequisite to issuance of a water well contractor's license; designating the conditions, provisions, and uses of the bond; providing for suspension, revocation, denial of a license, or refusal to renew a license for failure to obtain or maintain such bond; requiring the Department of Environmental Regulation to establish certain procedures; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 401—A bill to be entitled An act relating to saltwater fish; amending s. 370.101(2), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (3) to said section; allowing the issuance of permits for catching and possession of fish protected by law under certain circumstances for use as stock for artificial cultivation; prohibiting the issuance of such permits until certain determinations are made; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 402—A bill to be entitled An act relating to registration of boats; amending s. 371.021(7), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (18) to said section; providing for enforcement of boat registration provisions by the Division of Law Enforcement of the Department of Natural Resources; providing certain definitions; amending s. 371.051(5), (7), Florida Statutes; providing requirements for boat hull identification and placement of decals; amending s. 371.081, Florida Statutes; reducing the reciprocal grace period for nonresident vessels and excepting commercial vessels from reciprocity; amending s. 371.131, Florida Statutes; creating s. 371.132, Florida Statutes; providing for exemptions from both registration and numbering requirements for certain vessels; amending s. 371.141(2), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (5) to said section; providing for the reporting of accidents involving property damage in excess of \$100; providing powers of arrest for violation of said chapter; amending s. 371.50, Florida Statutes; providing for use of the United States Coast Guard Navigation Rules in determination of fault in boat operations and marine accidents; amending s. 371.523(3)-(5), Florida Statutes; amending s. 371.561(1)(c), Florida Statutes; clarifying reference to certain required safety equipment; amending s. 371.57, Florida Statutes; requiring safety equipment in certain vessels and providing for exceptions; prohibiting use of flashing blue lights on certain vehicles; amending s. 371.645, Florida Statutes; providing clarification of legislative intent; amending s. 371.65(1), (8), Florida Statutes; clarifying applicability of certain prescribed fees; amending s. 371.66, Florida Statutes; providing clarification of jurisdiction; amending s. 371.67, Florida Statutes; creating s. 371.69, Florida Statutes; authorizing the executive director of the Department of Natural Resources to issue certain exemptions; amending s. 371.75, Florida Statutes; providing for vessel registration and hull identification; prohibiting purchase, possession or sale of stolen vessels; prohibiting possession or transfer of illegal title; providing a penalty; amending s. 371.77, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the possession or transfer of vessels with altered hull numbers; establishing probable cause for inspection; providing a penalty; amending s. 371.791, Florida Statutes; prohibiting issuance of fraudulent certificates of origin by manufacturers; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 403—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Natural Resources; adding s. 370.01(18), Florida Statutes; defining "saltwater products"; amending s. 370.06(2)-(5), Florida Statutes; requiring certain persons to pay an annual license tax before engaging in the taking of saltwater products from Florida waters; providing for the issuance of such licenses by the Department of Natural Resources; providing for the deposit of proceeds from the sale of such licenses; providing the term of the license year for saltwater products dealers; providing for the inspection by certain officers of all licenses issued under the fish and game laws; providing for the collec-

tion by the Department of Natural Resources of certain license taxes and fees; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 404—A bill to be entitled An act relating to saltwater fish; amending s. 370.08(3), Florida Statutes; permitting the use of shrimp nets, pound nets, and purse seines for the taking of certain fish; 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 405—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Division of Risk Management of the Department of Insurance; adding s. 284.40(3), Florida Statutes; providing for the release of certain records maintained by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to the division for the purpose of investigating claims against the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Trask—

SB 406—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; adding s. 585.01(8), Florida Statutes; defining "dairy cattle"; amending s. 585.10, Florida Statutes; providing that such department may reimburse the owner of dairy cattle condemned and destroyed because of tuberculosis or brucellosis in an amount not to exceed \$100; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Plante—

SB 407—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workmen's compensation; amending s. 440.11(1), Florida Statutes; providing that the immunities from liability enjoyed by an employer shall apply to an employee acting in the furtherance of the employer's business; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Holloway—

SB 408—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vehicle equipment safety inspection; amending s. 325.16, Florida Statutes, providing that when a motor vehicle fails inspection because of a defective part which must be ordered, the motor vehicle may be operated beyond the 30-day period allowed for the correction of defects under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 409—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominiums; amending s. 718.501(3)(a), Florida Statutes, lowering the annual fee each condominium association must pay to the Division of Florida Land Sales and Condominiums of the Department of Business Regulation; providing for a reevaluation of the annual fee by the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Commerce; and Appropriations.

By Senator Trask—

SB 410—A bill to be entitled An act relating to horse shows, sales, and exhibitions; amending s. 535.12, Florida Statutes;

providing a penalty for showing or allowing to be shown certain horses; requiring a person convicted of such acts to be temporarily barred from certain related activities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Zinkil (by request) and Hair—

SB 411—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the purchase of medical laboratory services; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services and the Department of Offender Rehabilitation to contract for the purchase of such services; prescribing procedures and guidelines to be followed in awarding such contracts; requiring each agency of each department to purchase its medical laboratory services from the vendor awarded the contract; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Peterson—

SB 412—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax administration; amending s. 195.106(1), Florida Statutes; providing circumstances under which the Department of Revenue shall pass upon and order refunds of taxes; providing for certain refunds to be made directly by tax collector; creating s. 197.0161, Florida Statutes; providing for calculation of interest under chapter 197; amending s. 197.062(2), Florida Statutes, relating to the time period for advertising delinquent personal property taxes and for payment of such taxes; amending s. 197.241(5), Florida Statutes; providing that escheatment of land shall be to the county in which it is located; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Peterson—

SB 413—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Beverage Law; amending ss. 561.15(1), 562.11, 562.111, Florida Statutes, raising from 18 to 19 years the minimum age requirement with respect to certain activities involving sale, consumption, or possession of alcoholic beverages; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Peterson—

SB 414—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of bail bondsmen and runners; amending s. 648.27(3), Florida Statutes; requiring a law enforcement agency to inform the Department of Insurance of any criminal charge and the disposition of such charge filed against any applicant seeking to be licensed or to continue to be licensed as a bail bondsman or runner; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Chamberlin—

SB 415—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public school personnel; amending s. 231.40(3), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (4) to said section; deleting provision which limits amount of compensation for certain personnel when on sick leave; authorizing any school board to establish policies and prescribe standards to permit certain participating employees to pool accrued sick leave days for disbursement to any participating employee who is in need of sick leave in excess of amount he has accrued; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education; Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Williamson—

SB 416—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ancient motor vehicles; amending s. 325.12, Florida Statutes; providing

that licensed ancient motor vehicles are exempt from safety equipment inspection requirements; repealing s. 325.18, Florida Statutes, concerning safety equipment inspection of ancient automobiles; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 417—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Uniform Commercial Code; reenacting s. 671.201(37) and amending s. 679.312(3) and (4), Florida Statutes, providing for priorities among conflicting security interests in the same collateral; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Barron—

SB 418—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Janice and Eddie Wayne Barfield and their minor children, Blake and Whitney Barfield; providing for an appropriation to compensate them for their damages arising from the negligence of the Division of Corrections, now the Department of Offender Rehabilitation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master and the Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Renick—

SB 419—A bill to be entitled An act relating to offender rehabilitation; amending s. 944.291(1), Florida Statutes; providing that prisoners who have served their terms, less allowable gain-time deductions and extra good-time allowances, shall, upon release, be subject to all statutes relating to parole; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole.

By Senator Renick—

SB 420—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public defenders; amending s. 27.51(1), Florida Statutes; allowing a public defender to represent an insolvent person who is charged with violating a condition of parole or conditional release; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Corrections, Probation and Parole; Judiciary-Criminal; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gorman—

SB 421—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Orange County; authorizing Orange County to compensate Phyllis McGuire for her injuries sustained in an automobile accident which occurred on Florida State Road S-535 due to the negligent maintenance of the road by Orange County; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master and the Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Myers—

SB 422—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Geraldine E. Jenkins; providing an appropriation to compensate her for the loss of her son due to the negligence of the Department of Transportation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master and the Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Poston—

SB 423—A bill to be entitled An act relating to uniform traffic control; adding subsection (67) to s. 316.003, Florida Statutes, 1976 Supplement, and creating s. 316.1927, Florida Statutes; prohibiting consumption of any alcoholic beverage

while operating a motor vehicle; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation, Judiciary-Criminal and Appropriations.

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 424—A bill to be entitled An act relating to masseurs and masseuses; repealing s. 480.027(1)(b), Florida Statutes, as created by chapter 77-261, Laws of Florida, which exempts the practice of reflexology from chapter 480, Florida Statutes; reviving and readopting chapter 480, Florida Statutes, notwithstanding the provisions of the Regulatory Reform Act of 1976; providing a retroactive effective date.

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

By Senator Spicola—

SB 425—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle license plates; amending s. 320.0843(1), (2), Florida Statutes, deleting the requirement that an owner of a motor vehicle who is confined to a wheelchair be licensed to operate a motor vehicle in this state before he may obtain a motor vehicle license plate bearing the international wheelchair symbol; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Plante—

SB 426—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public printing; amending ss. 283.03, 283.05, 283.08, 283.09, 283.10(1), 287.102, Florida Statutes; providing that public printing may be done outside the state under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Plante—

SM 427—A memorial to the President and Congress of the United States, urging the adoption of a policy of no trade agreements between the United States and Cuba until the Cuban Government accounts for American and Cuban lives and compensates Americans for the confiscation of their property.

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

By Senators MacKay, W.D. Childers, Gallen, Ware and Firestone—

SB 428—A bill to be entitled An act relating to title insurance; adding subsection (3) to s. 627.786, Florida Statutes, authorizing a title insurer to assume liability for certain acts of its contract agents, approved attorneys, or members of a business trust title insurer in connection with real property transactions for which a title insurance policy or guarantee of title of such title insurer is to be issued; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators MacKay, W.D. Childers, Gallen, Ware and Firestone—

SB 429—A bill to be entitled An act relating to title insurance; creating s. 627.7841, Florida Statutes, requiring title insurers to insure against adverse matters or defects in the title between the effective date of the binder or commitment and the time of recording of the documents creating the estate to be insured; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 430—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trusts; creating s. 737.308, Florida Statutes; providing that a trustee

shall distribute trust income no less frequently than annually unless otherwise directed or permitted by the trust instrument; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 431—A bill to be entitled An act relating to classification of roads; amending s. 334.03(22)(d), Florida Statutes; redefining the state highway system to include roads formerly classified as part of the county road system; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Pat Thomas and MacKay—

SB 432—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Administrative Procedure Act; amending s. 120.55(1)(b), Florida Statutes; providing that certain rules applicable to state universities shall not be published in the Florida Administrative Code; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Transportation—

SB 433—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Division of Florida Highway Patrol of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; adding s. 321.08(3), Florida Statutes; authorizing the purchase of a schedule position bond for certain officers and employees; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Skinner and MacKay—

SB 434—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bridge designation; designating the newly constructed bridge on State Road 200 (A1A) that spans the Intercoastal Waterway from the mainland to Amelia Island as the "Thomas J. Shave, Jr., Bridge"; providing for the erection of markers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators MacKay, Hair, Ware, Gallen, W. D. Childers and Firestone—

SB 435—A bill to be entitled An act relating to title insurance; amending s. 624.608, Florida Statutes; limiting title insurance to real property and contractual interests derived therefrom; creating s. 627.7761, Florida Statutes; defining title insurer; creating s. 627.7762, Florida Statutes; defining title insurance agent; creating s. 627.7763, Florida Statutes; defining contract agent; creating s. 627.7764, Florida Statutes; defining branch office; creating s. 627.7765, Florida Statutes; requiring that the words "agent" or "agency" follow the name adopted by a title insurance agent; amending s. 627.784, Florida Statutes; requiring title insurers to make title searches and examinations, and retain evidence of title for not less than 7 years; replacing provisions prohibiting the issuance of title insurance policies or guarantees of title on a casualty basis; creating ss. 627.7861 and 627.7862, Florida Statutes; providing for annual accounting and special auditing of outstanding forms by title insurers of their contract agents or members of a business trust title insurer; prohibiting the furnishing of certain supplies to persons not under contract with title insurers or not approved as members of a business trust title insurer; providing for civil liability; providing a penalty; creating s. 627.7863, Florida Statutes; providing for licensing of title insurance agents and providing for filing of surety bonds by title insurance agents with the Department of Insurance; providing for the exemption of title insurers and attorneys from licensing and bonding provisions; creating s. 627.7864, Florida Statutes; providing for permits for certain employees of title insurer branch offices and title insurance agents; providing for examination by the Department of Insurance; providing for the exemption of attorneys and certain others from taking examination; creating s. 627.7865, Florida Statutes; pro-

viding for permit and title insurance agent license fees and taxes; creating ss. 627.7866-627.7883, Florida Statutes; providing grounds for refusal, suspension, or revocation of license or permit and procedure therefor; providing penalty, administrative fine, and probation; providing for hearings, orders, witnesses, compelled testimony, and penalty; providing for rehearing or reargument and appeals; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator MacKay—

SB 436—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cooperatively developed educational facilities; amending s. 235.195(2), Florida Statutes; removing the limitation on the amount of funds the Commissioner of Education shall allocate for construction of any such facility; providing that the cooperating boards shall provide a site for such facility; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining—

SB 437—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.021(15), Florida Statutes; redefining "special risk member"; creating s. 121.022, Florida Statutes; providing criteria and procedures for designating and removing special risk membership; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 438—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxation; creating s. 193.622, Florida Statutes; defining "solar energy system"; providing for a reduction in the assessed value of property on which a solar energy system is installed; providing procedures for claiming the right of such assessment; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Holloway—

SB 439—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; amending s. 316.610, Florida Statutes; prohibiting any person from driving or moving, or the owner or his representative from causing or knowingly permitting the operation of certain unsafe vehicles, vehicles which do not contain parts or equipment required by law, or vehicles on which required equipment is not in proper repair and adjustment; requiring an officer to give written notice to the driver of such vehicle; prescribing the time period within which a vehicle found in unsafe condition, or found to have a required part or equipment not present or not in proper repair and adjustment, to have such condition corrected; permitting an officer to require certain vehicles to be immediately repaired or removed from use; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 440—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the new capitol; providing for a plaque to be placed in the lobby thereof; providing for inscription on plaque; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 441—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sales tax; amending s. 212.08(7)(c), Florida Statutes; creating s. 212.0805, Florida Statutes; prescribing requirements for determining the eligibility of hospitals for exemption from sales

tax as a charitable institution; providing a method whereby hospitals determine the eligibility of persons for services without cost to those unable to pay; requiring notices to be posted that the hospital provides services without cost to those unable to pay; providing powers and duties of the Department of Revenue; providing for reports to the department by hospitals; adding s. 213.072(3), Florida Statutes, requiring such reports to be open to public inspection; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 442—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State Board of Medical Examiners; amending s. 458.01, Florida Statutes; requiring the appointment of two registered nurses, two physicians' assistants, one occupational therapist, and one physical therapist to said board; amending s. 458.02, Florida Statutes; specifying qualifications of appointees to the board; specifying a term of office for certain appointees; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 443—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.091(4)(c), Florida Statutes; providing for the determination of in-line-of-duty disability retirement eligibility of firemen and policemen who are special risk members of the Florida Retirement System; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 444—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arrests; adding s. 901.15(7), Florida Statutes; authorizing a peace officer to arrest a person without a warrant if the officer has probable cause to believe that the person has committed a crime in violation of the Florida Anti-Fencing Act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 445—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Municipal Firemen's Pension Trust Fund; amending s. 175.021, Florida Statutes; restating the legislative declaration; amending s. 175.032(1), Florida Statutes; providing a definition of "firefighter" and "volunteer firefighter" and deleting the definition of "fireman"; amending s. 175.041(1), Florida Statutes; redesignating the fund as the Municipal Firefighters' Pension Trust Fund; providing a change in the approval of firefighting equipment; amending s. 175.311, Florida Statutes; prohibiting discrimination in the formulation of benefits; amending s. 175.351(11), Florida Statutes; requiring Department of Insurance approval for implementing or changing pension plan; directing that changes in terminology in the Florida Statutes be made; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 446—A bill to be entitled An act relating to governmental reorganization; creating s. 20.36, Florida Statutes; providing intent; creating a Department of Veterans' Affairs; providing qualifications for the secretary of the department; transferring the Division of Veterans' Affairs of the Department of Community Affairs to said department; providing powers and duties of the department; providing for the applicability of the act to existing employees of the division; directing that conforming editorial changes be made in the Florida Statutes; repealing s. 20.18(2)(c) and (10), Florida Statutes,

1977, to conform to this act; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 447—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Statutes; adding subsection (15) to s. 1.01, Florida Statutes, relating to statutory definitions; providing a definition of the term "veteran"; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 448—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the civil rights of law enforcement officers; amending s. 112.534, Florida Statutes; providing that certain law enforcement officers may seek an injunction to protect certain statutory rights; deleting enforcement provisions relating to the Police Standards and Training Commission and to the Department of Legal Affairs; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Renick—

SB 449—A bill to be entitled An act relating to toll facilities; amending s. 339.305, Florida Statutes, 1977, exempting certain disabled veterans from toll payments on toll projects operated by the Department of Transportation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Renick and Dunn—

SB 450—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle licenses; creating s. 320.0807, Florida Statutes; reserving certain alphanumeric license plates for certain veterans; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Renick—

SB 451—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle license taxes; amending s. 320.10(1)(e), Florida Statutes, 1977, providing that nationally chartered veterans' organizations, rather than the American Legion, shall be eligible for reduced rate, series "X" license plates; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Saylor—

SB 452—A bill to be entitled An act relating to resource recovery and management; adding paragraph (1) to s. 212.08(7), adding subsection (10) to s. 403.703, and creating s. 403.715, Florida Statutes; exempting resource recovery equipment from the tax on sales, use, and other transactions; providing for certification of such equipment by the Department of Environmental Regulation; amending s. 403.709, Florida Statutes, relating to grants for planning and implementing local resource recovery and management programs; providing limitations on the amount of such grants to specified counties; providing for contracts between the department and the counties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 453—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; providing an ap-

proprietion to the department to be used for community care for the elderly; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hair—

SB 454—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Judicial Administrative Commission; amending s. 43.16(2), (5)(a), (c), Florida Statutes; adding a judge of the county courts to the Judicial Administrative Commission; providing for appointment; providing for administrative services to be provided to the county courts; providing that county court budgets will be combined with other judiciary budgets; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 455—A bill to be entitled An act relating to county court judges; amending s. 34.021, Florida Statutes; establishing membership in The Florida Bar for a certain period as a prerequisite to qualifying or being nominated for such office; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Pat Thomas—

SB 456—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Uniform Land Sales Practices Law; amending s. 478.121(8), Florida Statutes, 1976 Supplement; requiring each subdivider to provide the Division of Florida Land Sales and Condominiums of the Department of Business Regulation with a financial statement audited by an independent certified public accountant; providing criteria for waiver of the filing requirement by the department; amending s. 478.131(4), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection; requiring the division to charge an initial fee to subdividers seeking exemptions; requiring the division to charge a fee to subdividers who seek certain material changes of their offering; amending s. 478.141(4), Florida Statutes; requiring the division to examine each applicant for registration to determine that the subdivider or the officers, directors, and stockholders of a corporate applicant have not been convicted within a specified period of certain crimes; adding subsection (5) to s. 478.151, Florida Statutes; requiring subdividers whose books and records are located outside Florida to provide originals or to pay division expenses to examine same; amending s. 478.221(1)(b), (3), and (4), Florida Statutes, 1977, adding paragraphs (d) and (e) to subsection (2), and adding a new subsection; deleting provisions which provide that the provisions of this chapter do not apply to an offer or disposition of an interest in land pursuant to court order; providing an additional exemption to the provisions of the Florida Uniform Land Sales Practices Law; providing for annual notification of claim of exemption; providing that offers or dispositions of an interest in land pursuant to a court order shall not be governed by this law under specified circumstances; declaring certain exemptions void under certain circumstances; requiring a set fee for an exemption advisory opinion from the division; amending s. 478.23(1)(c), Florida Statutes, 1976 Supplement; prescribing certain preconditions which must be met before a person may solicit by long distance telephone for the disposition of, or participation in the disposition of, any interest in subdivided lands required to be registered; amending s. 478.31(2), Florida Statutes; increasing the filing fee for registration as a salesman and increasing the renewal fee; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Commerce; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pat Thomas—

SB 457—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public financing for housing; creating the "Florida Housing Finance Authority Law"; providing definitions; authorizing the creation of a housing finance authority by ordinance; providing for

the functioning of such authorities to alleviate a shortage of housing and capital for investment in housing; providing for membership, powers, and duties; authorizing a county to exercise the powers of such authority until members are appointed; prohibiting members and employees from acquiring or having certain interests with respect to a qualifying housing development; requiring disclosures of interest; providing for removal of members; authorizing such authorities to make, purchase, and sell loans for qualifying housing developments; prohibiting the financing of qualifying housing developments for profit; authorizing such authorities to issue bonds and limiting sources from which such bonds are payable; providing for validation proceedings; providing for remedies of an obligee; exempting bonds together with income and interest thereon from taxation; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senators Saylor, Johnston and MacKay—

SB 458—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.091(5)(f), Florida Statutes; providing for the forfeiture of benefits of any member of such system who has been convicted of or who has admitted to the violation of certain state or federal laws; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Saylor (by request)—

SB 459—A bill to be entitled An act relating to gambling; creating s. 849.235, Florida Statutes, providing a defense to prosecutions for the possession of certain gambling devices; providing for the return of such devices; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Plante—

SB 460—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the fitting and selling of hearing aids; amending ss. 468.120-468.131, 468.134-468.136, Florida Statutes; creating ss. 468.1223, 468.1225, 468.1261, 468.1275, 468.1315, 468.1365, 468.1375, Florida Statutes; transferring duties of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services with respect to regulating the fitting and selling of hearing aids to the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation; providing definitions; requiring registration and licensing of persons selling or fitting hearing aids; prescribing qualifications for such persons; requiring traineeship under a certified sponsor; limiting number of times an applicant may fail examination; requiring persons who fail examination to take a course of instruction; requiring establishment of academic courses in hearing aid specialization; providing grounds and procedure for denial, revocation, or suspension of registration; authorizing department to set registration fees; prescribing code of ethics; specifying grounds for suspension or revocation of certification; requiring certain classroom instruction for renewal of certification; requiring selection of an instrument that will provide measurable improvement in speech discrimination in the fitting and selling of hearing aids; deleting requirement for selection of best ear for maximum benefit; deleting requirement that pure tone audiometer meet specifications of American Standards Association and substituting specifications prescribed by the department; deleting provision authorizing department to prescribe procedures and equipment; requiring that receipts of sale to purchasers or users contain the signature of the purchaser or user and a description of the hearing aid; deleting provision allowing any person to take examination on showing of 1 year of experience; allowing examination to be taken by any person holding a valid license or certification in another state for 5 years; deleting provision allowing a married person under 18 to become a trainee; prohibiting issuance of certification to any person unless he has established and maintains a place of business at a permanent address or is employed by a registrant who maintains such a place of business; prohibiting any person from selling or fitting a hearing aid or representing himself as authorized to engage in fitting or selling hearing aids unless licensed by the department; prohibiting any person

from operating a business engaged in fitting or selling hearing aids unless such business is under the supervision and direction of a licensed person; prohibiting any person from allowing anyone except a licensed person to fit or sell a hearing aid; prohibiting anyone whose license has been suspended or revoked from selling or fitting a hearing aid; prohibiting any person from forging a license or using or attempting to use a forged license; providing penalties; providing injunctive relief; repealing ss. 468.132, 468.133, Florida Statutes, which relate to the conduct of hearings by the department; repealing s. 468.137, Florida Statutes, which exempts certain persons and activities from provisions of the Fitting and Selling of Hearing Aids Act; repealing s. 468.138, Florida Statutes, which provides a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 461—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tree, *Melaleuca quinquenervia*, popularly known as Cajeput or Punk Tree; prohibiting the sale or transportation over public highways of such species; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 462—A bill to be entitled An act relating to freshwater fish or frog dealers; amending s. 372.65, Florida Statutes; providing for ten separate classes of licenses, and requirements and fees therefor; permitting certain license substitution; requiring that a licensed person be aboard a commercial fishing boat; restricting sale by and purchase from unlicensed persons; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Commerce; and Appropriations.

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 463—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational funding; amending s. 236.083, Florida Statutes; providing a formula for determining the allocation to school districts for the transportation of physically or mentally handicapped students who require special transportation equipment or personnel; providing that the allocation for the transportation of certain students in passenger cars shall be at the same rate as paid state employees for official travel and shall be computed on the basis of two round trips for each day; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Sayler—

SB 464—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parking for the physically disabled; amending s. 316.1964(1)-(3), Florida Statutes; authorizing certain physically disabled persons to park without fees on the public streets or highways or in any metered parking space or parking space designated for handicapped parking; providing for the issuance and display of a sticker reflecting the disability; providing for the issuance of a sticker for each car owned or leased by the disabled person; authorizing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to adopt rules to provide for the issuance of a sticker reflecting the disability for a handicapped person who leases a motor vehicle; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 465—A bill to be entitled An act relating to compulsory school attendance; amending ss. 228.051(1), 232.01, 232.03, and 232.032(2), Florida Statutes, to require compulsory school attendance at the age of 6 years beginning with kindergarten and to permit attendance at the age of 5 years; deleting obsolete language; permitting early admission to kindergarten

based on readiness; providing for the admission of certain students to first grade without prior kindergarten attendance; deleting certain services for which exceptional children may be eligible; providing for the transfer of certain students not meeting entrance age requirements; repealing s. 232.031, Florida Statutes, relating to health certificates; repealing s. 232.04, Florida Statutes, to conform to the provisions of this act; repealing ss. 232.06(2) and 232.09(5), Florida Statutes, relating to the distance exemption from compulsory school attendance; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 466—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care facilities and services; requiring each physician, osteopathic physician, podiatrist, or dentist having a legal or equitable interest in, or who is an employee, partner, director, owner, stockholder, or officer of certain health care facilities or services, to file an annual report with the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, disclosing all business and financial transactions with that same health care facility or service provider, other than compensation received for direct provision of professional services; providing that each patient referred to such a facility or service be furnished a brief statement disclosing the interest of such physician, osteopath, podiatrist, or dentist in that facility or service; requiring physicians, osteopaths, and podiatrists to report annually, to the department, any financial interests in pharmaceutical firms; providing that any person who is a trustee, director, or officer of any nonprofit hospital, ambulatory surgical center, or nursing home and is also an employee, partner, director, or officer of a partnership, firm, corporation, or other business entity, or owns 3 percent or more interest in such business entity, shall file annual reports with the department, disclosing in detail all business transactions between such hospital, home, or center and such business entity that the trustee, director, or officer is associated with; providing conditions and administrative penalties for those who fail to report as required; prohibiting commissions, kickbacks, rebates, or split fee arrangements for patient referrals to a hospital, nursing home, ambulatory surgical center, or clinical laboratory; authorizing the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to set penalties for violation; amending s. 395.12, Florida Statutes; providing that the public may have access to information received by licensing agencies, except for confidential medical information; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services, Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Myers—

SB 467—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers; amending s. 395.04(1), Florida Statutes; requiring inclusion of an agreement to participate in the Medicaid Program in certain applications for licensing as a hospital or ambulatory surgical center; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to adopt certain rules; amending s. 395.12, Florida Statutes; providing for limited public disclosure of certain information; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Commerce.

By Senator Castor—

SB 468—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community colleges and the State University System; amending s. 230.763, Florida Statutes; adding s. 240.052(6), Florida Statutes; directing each Board of Trustees of each community college and the Board of Regents to adopt rules allowing older persons to attend certain courses without paying certain fees; providing that this privilege be limited to admission on a space available basis under certain circumstances; providing priority in admission to state university courses for certain other persons; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Myers—

SB 469—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nursing homes and home health agencies; adding s. 400.071(2)(g), (h), (6), Florida Statutes; requiring inclusion of an agreement to participate in the Medicaid Program in certain applications for licensing as a nursing home facility; requiring inclusion of certain other information; providing for the limited public disclosure of certain information; amending s. 400.471(1), Florida Statutes; requiring inclusion of an agreement to participate in the Medicaid Program in certain applications for licensing as a home health agency; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to adopt certain rules; amending s. 400.494, Florida Statutes; providing for limited public disclosure of certain information; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Commerce.

By Senator Johnston—

SB 470—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; amending s. 112.362(1)(b), (4), Florida Statutes, and adding subsections (5) and (6) to said section; providing that certain minimum monthly benefits shall not apply to any member of a state supported retirement system or to a beneficiary of such a member who retires after June 30, 1978; providing a minimum monthly benefit to certain retired persons and their surviving spouses or beneficiaries who qualify on or after July 1, 1978; prescribing certain application requirements; providing for annual adjustments to the minimum benefits, not exceeding 3 percent, according to the percentage change in the average cost-of-living index; providing a continuing appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senators Vogt and Wilson—

SB 471—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Sebastian Inlet District; amending ss. 8, 27, 28, chapter 7976, Laws of Florida, 1919, as amended; providing for reimbursement of commissioners of said district for certain travel and expenses; deleting provisions relating to formation of an auditing committee for said district; providing for the letting of contracts for work and materials in accordance with general law and deleting special bidding and contracting provisions; providing for the continuation of perpetual easements, rights of way, rights of ingress, egress, or access, or other interests dedicated to the benefit of the general public; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Renick—

SB 472—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hit-and-run drivers; amending s. 775.15(6), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (7) to said section; providing that the period of limitation for prosecution of certain hit-and-run drivers shall not run under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 473—A bill to be entitled An act relating to automobile insurance; authorizing a research project; providing an appropriation; requiring a report; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 474—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonpartisan elections for judicial officers; creating s. 105.085, Florida Statutes, providing for establishment of judicial trust funds consisting of contributions to candidates for circuit and county court judge; providing for approval thereof; providing restric-

tions and limitations with respect thereto; providing for certain reports; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ware—

SB 475—A bill to be entitled An act relating to special assessments for municipal improvements; amending ss. 170.03, 170.08, 170.11, Florida Statutes; authorizing discounts for prepayment of special assessments; authorizing the sale of special assessment bonds at a discount; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Poston—

SB 476—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers' licenses; amending s. 322.251, Florida Statutes, providing that the failure of a licensee to receive notice by mail of cancellation, suspension, or revocation of his license shall not affect the effective date of the cancellation, suspension, or revocation; providing for proof of giving notice; requiring the licensee to return his license and providing the effect of his failure to do so; requiring entry or orders of cancellation, suspension, or revocation in a driver's file; adding subsection (4) to s. 320.03, Florida Statutes, requiring certain tax collectors to refuse to issue certain vehicle registrations to persons who have failed to return their canceled, suspended, or revoked driver's license; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 477—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veteran service officers; amending s. 292.11(2), Florida Statutes, requiring a county or city desiring to employ veteran service officers to notify the Division of Veterans' Affairs of the Department of Community Affairs of its intention to do so and to furnish the division with a list of persons nominated for certification; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 478—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retail installment sales; amending s. 520.351, Florida Statutes; requiring proportional application of payments made on consolidated debts arising from certain retail installment sales and payments made upon revolving accounts; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 479—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fair campaign practices; creating s. 99.024, Florida Statutes; requiring that a pledge of fair campaign practices be subscribed to and filed by every candidate for state, county, district, or municipal elective office; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 480—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending s. 100.041(1) and (3)(a), Florida Statutes, changing the date on which the term of a superintendent of schools begins; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ware—

SB 481—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical malpractice; amending s. 627.351(7)(d), Florida Statutes; pro-

viding for the termination of the temporary medical malpractice joint underwriting plan on July 1, 1981; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Renick—

SB 482—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Curtis Starling and Lydia Starling; providing an appropriation to compensate them for the death of their daughter, Paulette Starling; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master and the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Health and Rehabilitative Services.

By Senator Myers—

SB 483—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporate obligations; adding s. 607.017(6), Florida Statutes; providing that certain corporate obligations shall not be impaired by the subsequent impairment of the capital of the corporation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 484—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the establishment of a world trade center for the State of Florida; directing the Department of Commerce to conduct a study regarding the feasibility of establishing such a center; requiring certain findings; requiring a report; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator W. D. Childers—

SJR 485—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 4, Article III of the State Constitution, relating to procedure for punishment of a member of the Legislature, to allow either house to convene upon the call of its presiding officer for such purpose without the other house being in session.

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

By Senator Glisson—

SB 486—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical liability mediation panels; amending s. 768.44(2)(a), Florida Statutes; providing for the inclusion of podiatrists on the list of physicians who may serve on such panels; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 487—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental control; amending ss. 403.813(1)(d), (e), (2), Florida Statutes; exempting from certain permitting requirements the installation of navigational aids, replacement or repair of certain bridges, and the installation or repair of subaqueous transmission lines; providing exemption from certain permit requirements for certain activities; adding certain qualifications to the exemptions for installation of boat ramps and maintenance dredging of manmade canals, channels, and intake and discharge structures; authorizing the Secretary of the Department of Environmental Regulation to exempt activities by rule upon finding that such activities have insignificant environmental impact; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 488—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Environmental Regulation; directing the department to establish an environmental permit information center; defining "environmental permit"; prescribing duties of the center; requiring cooperation by state and local agencies; prescribing duties of the Secretary of the Department of Environmental Regulation; providing for the adoption of rules relating to the operation of the center; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 489—A bill to be entitled An act relating to abandoned and derelict vessels; amending s. 823.11, Florida Statutes; designating the Department of Natural Resources as the agency to remove such vessels from public waters under certain conditions; providing for the forfeiture and disposition of such vessels under certain circumstances; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 490—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the confiscation of private property; amending s. 370.061, Florida Statutes; permitting, under certain circumstances, the forfeiture to the Department of Natural Resources of any property the taking, attempted taking, sale, possession, or transportation of which is illegal; providing for disposition of proceeds from the sale of confiscated property; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 491—A bill to be entitled An act relating to funeral directors and embalmers; creating s. 470.105, Florida Statutes; defining the term "continuing education"; providing that the State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers establish by rule a program for continuing education; providing that beginning on a specified date, proof of continuing education must be shown for license renewal; providing exemptions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 492—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Savings Association Act; amending s. 665.091(1), Florida Statutes; prescribing the time when the annual meeting of the members of a savings association shall be held; amending s. 665.121, Florida Statutes; prescribing the time for the annual publication of each association's financial statement; amending s. 665.391(2), (5), Florida Statutes; limiting the current restriction on anticipatory payment penalty charges of 2 percent to any loan of less than \$100,000, to any loan to any occupant of home property, and to any loan to any borrower who intends to occupy home property; providing that mortgage liens by associations to secure future advances may be made in accordance with the same provisions of law as govern future advances secured by other mortgages; amending s. 665.381(2)(d), Florida Statutes; prescribing which loans will be considered in determining whether the required minimum assets are invested in direct real estate loans; amending s. 665.703(5), Florida Statutes; prescribing the time, place, and procedures for fixing meetings of the board of directors of capital stock associations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator MacKay—

SB 493—A bill to be entitled An act relating to beverage licenses; adding s. 561.20(10), Florida Statutes; providing that a special license may be issued to a marketing association of horse breeders notwithstanding the limitations of the Beverage Law; restricting the use of such special licenses; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator MacKay—

SB 494—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public housing; amending s. 199.072(1)(e), (f), Florida Statutes; adding s. 199.072(1)(g), Florida Statutes; exempting obligations secured by mortgage upon real property owned by a housing authority from the intangible personal property tax; amending s. 201.08(1), Florida Statutes; exempting mortgages and notes executed by a housing authority from the documentary stamp tax; exempting the interest earned on the principal of any note or obligation secured by a mortgage on real property owned by a housing authority from the corporate income tax; amending s. 421.09, Florida Statutes; providing that a housing authority may accumulate funds for certain purposes; amending s. 421.20, Florida Statutes; permitting foreclosure of a mortgage executed by a housing authority; amending s. 421.321, Florida Statutes; providing that a housing authority may execute a mortgage upon its real property for certain purposes; providing that loans secured by mortgage of property owned by a housing authority is an obligation of the authority and not of the state or of any county or municipality; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senators Scott, Jon Thomas and Williamson—

SB 495—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of the City of Fort Lauderdale; providing an appropriation to compensate the city for the construction of incinerators made obsolete by recent amendments to chapter 403, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master and the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Appropriations-Subcommittee A; Appropriations; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Scott—

SB 496—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Transportation; creating s. 334.064, Florida Statutes, and amending s. 334.14(4), Florida Statutes, to provide that the operations of the department be organized into six districts; providing for the creation and staffing of the additional district; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 497—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state attorney investigators; adding s. 27.255(5), Florida Statutes; providing that each state attorney shall set the salary of each investigator for that circuit and limiting that amount; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 498—A bill to be entitled An act relating to witnesses; amending s. 90.14, Florida Statutes; providing that certain witnesses shall be entitled to per diem and travel expenses; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ware—

SB 499—A bill to be entitled An act relating to district school depositories; adding subsection (4) to s. 237.211, Florida Statutes; authorizing district school boards to establish the form of warrants for the payment or disbursement of moneys out of the school depository; authorizing direct deposit of funds under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Ware—

SB 500—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; creating s. 624.433, Florida Statutes; requiring any products liability insurer to submit certain information annually to the Department of Insurance; requiring the department to publish a summary of such information annually; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ware—

SB 501—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hemophilia; creating the Hemophilia Advisory Council; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to develop and administer a program to assist hemophiliacs in obtaining treatment, to develop programs for treatment, and to institute educational programs; requiring the Hemophilia Advisory Council to advise the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services on appropriate programs for the care and treatment of hemophilia and to coordinate programs of various organizations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; Governmental Operations, and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 502—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retarded persons; creating the "Community Residential Placement Act"; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; establishing the Community Residential Placement Program; directing the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to adopt rules establishing procedure for determining reimbursement for certain categories of residential facilities; providing that donations made by relatives to residential facilities not reduce benefits paid by the state; providing that admission or maintenance of a retarded person to a residential facility not be conditioned upon receipt of donations; authorizing the collection of fees in compliance with s. 402.33, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Henderson—

SB 503—A bill to be entitled An act relating to energy; amending s. 377.703, Florida Statutes; providing a short title and legislative intent; providing definitions; specifying the duties of the Department of Administration with respect to the energy emergency contingency plan; providing for the performance of certain functions consistent with the implementation of s. 377.601(4), Florida Statutes; requiring certain information to be contained in the forecasts published after a certain date; prescribing information to be included in certain reports; providing for the promotion of energy conservation; providing for the preparation and distribution of information and materials to provide energy information to the citizens of the state; providing for the coordination of energy-related programs of state government; amending s. 252.34(5), Florida Statutes; defining the term "disaster" to include energy shortage; amending s. 163.3177(6)(d), Florida Statutes; requiring the addition of energy resources as a conservation element to be included in the comprehensive plan; adding s. 163.3177(7)(m), Florida Statutes; permitting the use of an energy element as an element in the comprehensive plan; providing severability; repealing section 12, chapter 74-186, Laws of Florida, relating to the automatic repeal of ss. 377.601-377.608, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Peterson, Pat Thomas and Ware—

SB 504—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law education in the public schools; creating s. 233.0615, Florida Statutes; providing for a law education program; providing for the development and administration of the program; providing for the distribution of funds from funds available to the Department of Education for law education programs; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Gallen—

SB 505—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental permitting of commercial development; creating part VII of chapter 403, Florida Statutes, the Florida Optional Licensing Coordination Act of 1978; establishing an optional centralized certification procedure for certain projects, to be administered by the Department of Environmental Regulation; providing for notices of intent to file an application and for application for certification; requiring prior local governmental approval; providing for fees; providing for appointment of hearing officers by the Division of Administrative Hearings; providing for determination of completeness and sufficiency of applications; providing for reports by the Division of State Planning and water management districts and for studies by the department; providing for parties to the proceedings; providing for certification by the Governor and Cabinet; specifying that such certification is in lieu of certain other state permitting or certification requirements; providing for amendment, revocation, or suspension of certificates; providing for penalties and enforcement; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Trask—

SB 506—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Administrative Procedure Act; amending s. 120.54(2)(a), Florida Statutes; providing that every agency adopting, amending, or repealing any rule, shall prepare a full and complete economic impact statement on the proposed rule or on the entire rule as amended or repealed; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dunn—

SB 507—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jurors and jury lists; amending s. 40.01(1), Florida Statutes; eliminating the requirement that jurors be qualified electors; requiring jurors' names to be selected from a common data base list and a voter registration list; creating s. 40.011, Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to furnish a common data base list to the clerk of the circuit court and providing for affidavits for application for jury duty for those citizens whose names do not appear on the list; creating s. 40.022, Florida Statutes; requiring the clerk of the circuit court to purge the jury lists once a month of convicted felons and mentally incompetent persons; repealing s. 40.01(3), Florida Statutes, relating to the qualifications of jurors; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 508—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; adding s. 320.02(4)(c), Florida Statutes; providing that proof of purchase of personal injury protection or proof of compliance with financial responsibility requirements is not required to obtain a temporary tag; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Chamberlin (by request)—

SB 509—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corrections; amending s. 944.27(2), Florida Statutes; providing that gain-time be allowed to prisoners serving two or more cumulative sentences as if such sentences were all one sentence; amending s. 944.271, Florida Statutes; providing a schedule and criteria for additional gain-time allowances; repealing section 19, chapter 76-273, Laws of Florida, which repeals the schedule of gain-time allowances for prisoners; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole.

By Senator Peterson—

SB 510—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Educational Accountability Act of 1976; repealing s. 229.561, Florida Statutes, which section creates an Educational Research and Development Program; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 511—A bill to be entitled An act relating to venue in certain tort actions against the state, its agencies, or its subdivisions; adding s. 768.28(14), Florida Statutes; specifying counties in which an action commenced pursuant to this section may be brought; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 512—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pest control; amending s. 482.021(3)-(6), (8), (9), (12), (16), (19), and (22), Florida Statutes, and adding new subsections; defining "pesticide or economic poison" and "advanced training or a major in entomology or horticulture"; modifying existing definitions; amending s. 482.032, Florida Statutes, providing for enforcement by the Office of Entomology of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; amending s. 482.061, Florida Statutes, modifying provisions relating to inspectors; adding subsection (3) to s. 482.071, Florida Statutes, requiring specified insurance coverage of licensees; amending s. 482.091(4), Florida Statutes, and adding a subsection, modifying certain requirements relating to identification card holders; amending s. 482.111(5), Florida Statutes, providing for performance of duties during the temporary absence of a certified operator; amending s. 482.121(1), Florida Statutes, relating to false use of certificate; amending ss. 482.132 and 482.133, Florida Statutes, combining the sections and modifying prerequisite qualifications for a pest control operator's examination and certification; amending s. 482.141(3) and (5), Florida Statutes, providing for refund of examination application fees in certain cases; amending s. 482.151(1), Florida Statutes, clarifying provisions; amending s. 482.152, Florida Statutes, relating to certified pest control operators, modifying requirements relative thereto; amending s. 482.161, Florida Statutes, providing that suspension and revocation procedures shall be as provided in the Administrative Procedure Act; amending s. 482.162(1), Florida Statutes, clarifying provisions; repealing s. 482.171, Florida Statutes, which provides procedures for suspension or revocation of license; amending s. 482.191(2) and (3), Florida Statutes, providing additional punishment provision; amending s. 482.211(1), Florida Statutes, clarifying provisions; creating s. 482.225, Florida Statutes, providing grandfathering provisions; amending s. 482.231, Florida Statutes, authorizing certain employees to use fogging machines under supervision; amending ss. 482.241 and 482.242, Florida Statutes, clarifying provisions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 513—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal law; creating ss. 775.071, 775.075, Florida Statutes; providing a list of disposition and sentencing alternatives for criminal

cases; providing criteria for sentencing; amending ss. 775.082(3), (6), 775.084(3), (4), Florida Statutes; changing terms of imprisonment; providing aggravating circumstances for the increasing of terms of imprisonment; providing for a written finding on such circumstances; providing for appeal of such findings and the sentence; removing authority of courts to impose indeterminate sentences; amending s. 775.083, Florida Statutes; increasing fines and providing for corporate fines; amending s. 775.089(1), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (8) thereto; amending s. 775.091, Florida Statutes; providing for restitution to compensate the victim of defendant's crime; providing that certain sources of compensation to the victim of a crime for damage or loss caused by a crime shall be subrogated to the right of the victim to any restitution; prescribing conditions for the performance of public service; amending ss. 782.04(2), 787.01(2), 810.02(2), 812.13(2)(a), Florida Statutes; reclassifying murder, kidnapping, aggravated burglary, and robbery committed with a firearm as life felonies; amending s. 948.01(4), (6), Florida Statutes; authorizing the court to direct imprisonment in a county jail or community residential facility under certain conditions when sentence is probation or imprisonment and probation; amending ss. 944.27, 944.29, Florida Statutes; authorizing the Department of Offender Rehabilitation to grant gain-time; prohibiting gain-time granted from exceeding certain rate; prohibiting extra good-time allowed from exceeding certain rate; providing extra good-time be allowed for certain achievements; requiring the department to adopt rules for granting gain-time and extra good-time; amending s. 944.30, Florida Statutes; providing for commutation of sentences; creating s. 25.411, Florida Statutes; authorizing the Supreme Court to hold sentencing seminars; requiring the Department of Offender Rehabilitation to develop a mutual agreement program for felony offenders recommended for probation; providing definitions; providing for a negotiating team; providing for terms of the agreement; providing for renegotiation and termination; providing for approval by the judge; providing for progress reports; providing for the submission of an annual evaluation of the program to the Legislature; requiring the Department of Offender Rehabilitation to establish public service programs in counties requesting such programs; providing types of public service; providing for state, county and municipal agencies to contract for such services; providing for use of money received for such services; amending ss. 947.17, 947.18, Florida Statutes; deleting the supervising of persons on parole from duties of Parole and Probation Commission; changing certain provisions relating to parole procedure; providing for interview of person recommended for parole; requiring the Parole and Probation Commission to promulgate rules providing criteria for parole; amending s. 947.181, Florida Statutes; providing for reparation or restitution to the victim of the parolee's offense as a condition to parole; prescribing considerations in determining the amount of restitution; requiring the Department of Offender Rehabilitation to report certain information to the Parole and Probation Commission upon request; amending s. 945.091(5)(a), Florida Statutes; authorizing the Department of Offender Rehabilitation to require a working inmate to make restitution from the money he earns from employment to the victim of the inmate's crime; requiring the amount of such restitution to be determined jointly by the Department of Offender Rehabilitation and the Parole and Probation Commission; amending ss. 948.03(1)(g), 948.031, Florida Statutes, to conform to this act; repealing s. 921.18, Florida Statutes, as amended, relating to indeterminate sentences; repealing s. 944.271, Florida Statutes, relating to gain-time; repealing section 19 of chapter 76-273, Laws of Florida, which repealed s. 944.27(1), Florida Statutes, relating to gain-time; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal; Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By Senator Peterson—

SB 514—A bill to be entitled An act relating to unemployment compensation; amending s. 443.08(3)(e), (g), Florida Statutes; providing that when two or more employers are parties to a transfer of business, or the subject of a merger, consolidation, or other form of reorganization, the resulting entity may elect to be treated as an employer without a previous employment record or to have a transfer of experience rating for purposes of determining such employer's rate of contribution to the Unemployment Compensation Trust Fund; providing a rate of contribution for such employers; authorizing the Division of Employment Security of the Department of

Commerce to provide for transfer of the experience rating under certain conditions; deleting provisions requiring recomputation of the benefit ratio and reassignment of a contribution rate to a successor employer; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Trask and Renick—

SB 515—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arrests; creating s. 901.35, Florida Statutes; authorizing peace officers, owners, and employees of farms, ranches, orchards, fruit groves, nurseries, gardens, fish hatcheries, or fish farms to take into custody and detain persons for theft upon probable cause; exempting such officers, owners, or employees from certain criminal or civil liability; authorizing peace officers to make arrests on or off the premises without warrant upon probable cause; exempting an owner or employee who causes an arrest of a person for theft from certain criminal or civil liability; prohibiting persons from resisting attempts to recover stolen property by such officers, owners, or employees under certain circumstances; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Trask—

SB 516—A bill to be entitled An act relating to firearms; amending s. 790.15, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the discharge of a firearm in any public place or on the right-of-way of any public road, highway, or street, or knowingly discharging any firearm over any such right-of-way or over any occupied premise; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Trask—

SB 517—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle registration certificates; amending s. 320.06(3), Florida Statutes; providing that a person charged with driving without a valid registration certificate shall not be convicted or fined if he produces a copy of such certificate to the clerk of the court in which such charge is pending within a specified period of time after receiving a citation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Don Childers—

SB 518—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire prevention and control; creating s. 320.8236, Florida Statutes; requiring each mobile home sold after a certain date to be equipped with an approved smoke detector; creating s. 633.055, Florida Statutes; requiring each dwelling house or other residential unit constructed after such date to be so equipped; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Don Childers—

SB 519—A bill to be entitled An act relating to home warranty associations; amending s. 634.301(3), Florida Statutes, and adding subsections (9) and (10) to said section; expanding definition of "home warranty" to include electronic systems; defining the term, "electronic system"; defining the term, "appliance"; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 520—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care services; requiring hospitals or nursing homes to furnish copies of records; providing for a reasonable charge for payment

therefor; providing for examination of certain records; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 521—A bill to be entitled An act relating to evidence; creating s. 90.244, Florida Statutes; providing for appointment of qualified, competent translators for persons who do not speak English or who are not fluent in speaking English and who are parties to or witnesses in court or administrative proceedings; providing for payment of reasonable fees for translation service from county or agency funds; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 522—A bill to be entitled An act relating to restrictions on individuals qualifying for public office; amending s. 99.012 (5), Florida Statutes; providing for the application of such restrictions to members of the Board of Regents; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 523—A bill to be entitled An act relating to recreational parks for the handicapped; providing an appropriation to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services for the maintenance and expansion of certain facilities for the handicapped in Dade County; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 524—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation of houseboats; amending ss. 371.021(1), 371.64, and 371.66, Florida Statutes; exempting houseboats from boat registration and license fee requirements; providing for continued applicability of safety regulations; amending s. 192.001(11)(d), Florida Statutes; providing that houseboats shall be considered tangible personal property and taxed as such; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 525—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Board of Regents; amending s. 240.011(1), Florida Statutes; making the student member of the Board of Regents a voting member of such board; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Scott—

SB 526—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of animals found in distress; amending s. 828.073(2), Florida Statutes; prescribing time limits within which a court must schedule and conduct a hearing to determine the disposition of such animal; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gorman—

SB 527—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxation; amending ss. 197.271 and 197.281(2), Florida Statutes; providing for survival of unsatisfied liens of record held by governmental units after issuance of a tax deed; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Saylor—

SB 528—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax collection; amending s. 197.016(1), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (5); providing for payment by installment of taxes on real property with respect to which the taxpayer qualifies for homestead exemption; providing a schedule for payments; providing for applicability of delinquency provisions; requiring that certain information be supplied to the taxpayer; specifying that discounts shall not apply to taxes paid in installments; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Renick—

SM 529—A memorial requesting the United States Congress and the Veterans Administration to provide a cemetery for veterans in central Florida.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 530—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Environmental Regulation; adding s. 253.665(4), Florida Statutes; authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund to delegate to the Department of Environmental Regulation authority to collect dredge material fees and to grant easements and licenses; providing for the transfer of certain powers, duties, records, personnel, property, and certain unexpended balances of appropriations, allocations, or other funds from the Department of Natural Resources to the Department of Environmental Regulation upon such delegation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Trask—

SB 531—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state parks; renaming Pine Island State Park in honor of Alfred A. McKethan; directing the Department of Natural Resources to erect appropriate markers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Tobiassen—

SB 532—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle licenses; amending s. 320.10(1)(e), Florida Statutes; exempting the Saint Vincent de Paul Society and the Okaloosa County Council on Aging from certain motor vehicle license fee requirements; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Hair—

SB 533—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire protection; creating s. 633.068, Florida Statutes; requiring certain institutional buildings to be equipped with automatic fire extinguishment sprinkler systems; providing for enforcement by the State Fire Marshal; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pat Thomas—

SB 534—A bill to be entitled An act relating to highways; naming United States Highway 90 between Tallahassee and Quincy, Florida, in honor of veterans of United States military

service; directing the Department of Transportation to erect appropriate markers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Henderson—

SB 535—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental control; providing that persons may recover damages for certain economic losses resulting from violations of s. 403.161, Florida Statutes; providing for awards for certain expenses, costs, and attorney's fees; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Judiciary-Civil—

SB 536—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ethics in government; amending s. 112.312(7), Florida Statutes; amending a definition; amending s. 112.313(2), (6), (9)(a), Florida Statutes; prohibiting solicitation or acceptance of certain gifts or favors by public officers, employees, and candidates; prescribing the period of time in which certain disclosures are to be filed; amending s. 112.314(1), Florida Statutes; providing standards of conduct for legislators and legislative employees; amending s. 112.317(3), (7), Florida Statutes; providing that each house of the Legislature be the sole judge of the qualifications of its members and have the sole power of disciplining its members and prescribing penalties; requiring the Commission on Ethics under certain circumstances to refer certain evidence of perjury to the appropriate law enforcement agency for prosecution and taxation of costs; amending s. 112.321(1), Florida Statutes; prescribing membership of the Commission on Ethics; amending s. 112.322(2)(b), Florida Statutes; prescribing duties of the Commission on Ethics; amending s. 112.324(1)-(3), (6), Florida Statutes; prescribing procedures with respect to complaints to the commission and investigations and reports by the commission; providing procedures for investigation of complaints against, and for discipline of, members or employees of the Commission on Ethics; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Firestone—

SB 537—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental control; amending ss. 403.061(28) and 403.0615(2), Florida Statutes, empowering and requiring the Department of Environmental Regulation to enhance public access in its program to restore and preserve bodies of water in the state; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 538—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical negligence; creating s. 768.135, Florida Statutes, exempting certain licensed health-care providers from civil liability for services provided at free medical clinics; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Peterson—

SB 539—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans; amending ss. 295.07, 295.08, 295.09, 295.10, 295.11, and 295.14(1), Florida Statutes, relating to preference in employment and promotion for certain veterans or their spouses by the state or its political subdivisions; deleting references to certain time limitations; clarifying certain references to include certain veteran's spouses, widows, and widowers; deleting the salary limitation with respect to positions designated as professional or technical by the Federal Government; specifying application of penalties for failure to file required reports; specifying that penalties apply to appointed officers of the state and its political subdivisions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senators Holloway, Poston and Renick—

SB 540—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Indian Key in Monroe County; providing an appropriation for research, interpretation and development thereof by the Division of Recreation and Parks of the Department of Natural Resources; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 541—A bill to be entitled An act relating to investments; amending s. 215.47(2)(d), Florida Statutes; allowing the investment of moneys from certain state trust funds or agency funds, to the extent of 10 percent of such fund, in interest-bearing obligations of the Asian Development Bank; amending s. 625.316, Florida Statutes; allowing an insurer to invest in obligations issued, assumed, or guaranteed by the Asian Development Bank; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 542—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education for exceptional students; amending s. 236.013(2)(c), Florida Statutes; excluding certain categories of students from definition of "full-time"; amending s. 236.081(1)(c), Florida Statutes; requiring the maximum case loads for part-time programs for exceptional students to be determined by regulations of the State Board of Education; establishing certain programs for exceptional students and prescribing the cost factors therefor; establishing special sparsity provisions for certain special programs for exceptional students and prescribing the cost factors therefor; changing references to emotionally disturbed students to emotionally handicapped students; amending s. 228.041(19), Florida Statutes; expanding the definition of exceptional students to include the profoundly handicapped; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Graham—

SB 543—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state capital projects for environmentally endangered lands; amending s. 259.02, Florida Statutes; providing for the issuance of additional bonds pledging the full faith and credit of the state to finance the cost of state capital projects for environmentally endangered lands; providing for a referendum; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 544—A bill to be entitled An act relating to judgments and decrees; amending s. 55.03, Florida Statutes; increasing the rate of interest on certain judgments and decrees; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Judiciary-Civil—

SB 545—A bill to be entitled An act relating to writs of attachment; amending s. 76.03, Florida Statutes; requiring a writ of attachment to be issued by a judge; amending s. 76.08, Florida Statutes; requiring a writ of attachment to be supported by a verified petition or affidavit; amending s. 76.18, Florida Statutes; providing restoration of attached property to the defendant or other person giving bond and prescribing

the required amount of such bond; amending s. 76.24(1), Florida Statutes; requiring an immediate post-seizure hearing; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Jon Thomas, W. D. Childers and Henderson—

SJR 546—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 7, Article II of the State Constitution, relating to natural resources and scenic beauty; providing for the conservation of lands for the public use and benefit.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Appropriations; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Jon Thomas, W. D. Childers and Henderson—

SB 547—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public lands; creating a Public Lands Trust Fund within the Department of Natural Resources; authorizing the Governor and Cabinet, hereinafter referred to as the "board," to purchase public lands as described in the act with moneys in the fund; providing for the planning and management of lands purchased with moneys from the fund; creating an Interagency Advisory Council on Public Lands; providing that all lands purchased under the act shall be open for public use and enjoyment; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 548—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; creating s. 201.0215, Florida Statutes; authorizing the imposition of a real property transfer tax by school boards; providing for the imposition and levy of a tax of 0.4 percent by a school board upon the transfer of title to real property within the school district, subject to a districtwide referendum; providing a method of collection of such tax; limiting the use of such revenue for school capital expenditures and for the retirement of school construction bonds; providing exemption from the tax for certain documents; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senators Peterson and MacKay—

SB 549—A bill to be entitled An act relating to personnel of the school system; amending s. 231.17, Florida Statutes; authorizing the Commissioner of Education to issue a certificate covering the appropriate subject or field to an applicant meeting certain specified requirements; specifying qualifications of applicants for provisional or regular certification; providing that whenever new rules are adopted by the state board in regard to certification, such rules shall not become effective to the exclusion of prior rules for a specified period; amending s. 231.24, Florida Statutes; providing for the extension of certain certificates; amending s. 231.361(1), Florida Statutes; providing that vocational teachers and other teachers who qualify for certificates on the basis of nonacademic preparation are entitled to all the contractual rights and privileges granted to other instructional personnel holding equivalent certificates; amending s. 233.068(3), Florida Statutes; providing for certification and payment of vocational instructors with job-related vocational skills; amending s. 233.0681(1), Florida Statutes; providing for certification and payment of occupational specialists; amending s. 231.28, Florida Statutes; authorizing the Commissioner of Education to suspend a teaching certificate in certain cases; requiring the Professional Practices Council to conduct a hearing in the revocation, suspension, or denial of a teaching certificate; amending s. 231.30, Florida Statutes; deleting the requirement that a specified amount of each certification fee collected be kept in the Professional Practices Advisory Council Trust Fund; amending s. 231.57(1), Florida Statutes; decreasing the membership of the Professional Practices Council; amending s. 231.608, Florida Statutes; requiring each teacher education center to submit an annual report to the Commissioner of Education; repealing

s. 231.16, Florida Statutes, relating to the types, classes, and ranks of certificates to be issued; repealing s. 231.20, Florida Statutes, relating to the issuance of a graduate certificate; repealing s. 231.604, Florida Statutes, which creates and prescribes the duties of the State Council for Teacher Education Centers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnston—

SB 550—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public schools; amending s. 236.013(2), Florida Statutes; defining "full-time student" and "full-time equivalent student" in terms of hours per year; providing a method for determining fractions of full-time equivalents for certain students; amending s. 228.041(17), Florida Statutes; defining "school year"; amending ss. 230.23(10)(a), 230.33(12)(a), (c), 236.02(2), and 236.0841, Florida Statutes; providing that determinations of full-time equivalency be made pursuant to statute rather than rule; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Peterson—

SB 551—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 228.041(10), (13), (21), Florida Statutes; defining terms; amending s. 228.051, Florida Statutes; deleting provisions classifying schools into kindergartens, elementary schools, and secondary schools; amending s. 228.195(2), (3), Florida Statutes; providing for state and school district responsibility for school food service programs; amending s. 229.831(1), Florida Statutes; clarifying certain language; amending s. 230.03(4), Florida Statutes; providing for delegation of responsibility for school administration; amending s. 230.2313(2), (3)(d), (5), Florida Statutes; providing scope of student service programs; prescribing procedures for conducting follow-up studies; providing for supervision and duties of occupational and placement personnel; amending s. 236.39, Florida Statutes; deleting requirement that a voter in an election on a school district bond issue be a freeholder; amending s. 237.091(1), Florida Statutes; deleting requirement that a school district budget be approved by the Department of Education before the school board may determine the millage; amending s. 237.101, Florida Statutes; deleting requirement that Department of Education be made a party to certain suits; redesignating s. 233.0671, Florida Statutes as s. 230.7751, Florida Statutes; repealing ss. 229.065, 229.0651, Florida Statutes, relating to authorization of bond issues for 1971-1973 and 1973-1975 bienniums; repealing s. 229.514, Florida Statutes, relating to reorganization of the Department of Education; repealing ss. 229.542, 229.543, 229.545, Florida Statutes, relating to educational leadership training; repealing s. 229.806, Florida Statutes, relating to promotion and advertising of the advantages of teaching in Florida; repealing s. 229.821, Florida Statutes, relating to the bond or insurance required of private vocational schools and other such schools; repealing s. 230.232(2)-(7), Florida Statutes, relating to assignment of pupils; repealing s. 230.29, Florida Statutes, relating to the location of the office of the superintendent of schools; repealing s. 230.65, Florida Statutes, relating to the participation of area vocational-technical centers in the minimum foundation program; repealing s. 230.651, Florida Statutes, relating to the allocation of vocational education funds; repealing s. 230.67, Florida Statutes, relating to job placement and follow-up services; repealing ss. 230.7661, 230.767(2), (4)(b), Florida Statutes, relating to transportation funding for community colleges; repealing s. 232.255, Florida Statutes, relating to the school safety fund; repealing s. 233.066, Florida Statutes, relating to counseling services for elementary and secondary school pupils; repealing s. 233.0681, Florida Statutes, relating to occupational specialists; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Gordon, Jon Thomas, Peterson and Lewis—

SB 552—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health; defining terms; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to establish certain pilot programs or contract with existing pilot programs; providing for the use

of existing resources and of volunteers in such programs; providing for liability insurance for such volunteers; authorizing the department to accept funds; allowing the department to enter into contracts providing services for such programs; providing for funding support from entities entering into such contracts with the department; authorizing the department to require clients to help pay for the services provided by such programs; providing for fee schedules for such services; providing for the adoption of rules; requiring reports by the department; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hair—

SB 553—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire protection; creating s. 633.066, Florida Statutes; requiring that certain buildings and structures have automatic fire extinguishment sprinkler systems; providing for enforcement by the State Fire Marshal; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hair—

SB 554—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire protection; creating s. 633.067, Florida Statutes; requiring that certain buildings and structures have automatic smoke alarm devices; providing for enforcement by the State Fire Marshal; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wilson—

SB 555—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pay toilets; amending s. 381.522, Florida Statutes; prohibiting any person operating a place of employment or place serving the public from making, or allowing to be made, any charge for the use of a toilet; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wilson—

SB 556—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation; adding s. 20.30(6), Florida Statutes; requiring each examining and licensing board of such department to have a layman member; requiring the Governor to fill a vacancy in such a board by appointing a layman member in certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Wilson—

SB 557—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aquatic animal protection; amending s. 370.12(2), Florida Statutes; declaring Florida a sanctuary for the manatee; requiring the Department of Natural Resources to prescribe certain rules and regulations to protect the manatee; prohibiting the unlawful capture, possession, maintenance or transportation and the willful killing, injuring, or torturing of a manatee; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; and Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Skinner—

SB 558—A bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation by the state for the destruction of beekeeping property; providing that certain owners are entitled to compensation from the state for the destruction of beekeeping property by certain animals; prescribing the amount of such compensation;

providing for the establishment of procedures for the application for, and the payment of, such compensation; defining the term "beekeeping property"; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Poston—

SB 559—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; amending s. 319.14(1)-(4), Florida Statutes; requiring the certificate of title of a rebuilt vehicle to reflect the fact that it is rebuilt; defining "rebuilt vehicle"; requiring notice that a vehicle is rebuilt to be affixed to such vehicle before its sale or exchange; requiring such notice to appear in advertising; providing a penalty; amending s. 319.23(2), Florida Statutes; requiring certain documentation of the motor and serial numbers of certain vehicles to accompany applications for a certificate of title; amending s. 319.30, Florida Statutes; requiring the owner of an uninsured motor vehicle, rather than the owner of a vehicle of a certain age, which is considered to be a total loss or salvage to forward the title to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; deleting the requirement that certain other items be forwarded; requiring the certificate of title of such vehicle to be forwarded to the department within a certain time; prohibiting the possession by certain persons or entities of such vehicles if such plates have been removed; providing an exception; providing a penalty; redefining "total loss"; requiring the owner of a junkyard, scrap metal processing plant, or salvage yard or the agent or employee of such owner to maintain certain records; providing penalties; granting certain powers of inspection to such department or its agents and employees; amending s. 320.02(1)(a), Florida Statutes; requiring that certain documentation accompany the application for registration of certain vehicles; amending s. 320.26(2), Florida Statutes; increasing the penalty for counterfeiting, manufacturing, selling, or disposing of license plates and revalidation stickers without obtaining the permission and authority of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; amending s. 325.14(3), Florida Statutes; providing for the inspection of certain vehicles prior to registration; creating s. 812.055, Florida Statutes; granting to law enforcement officers the right to inspect certain establishments dealing in or with salvaged motor vehicle parts; amending s. 817.52(1), (2), Florida Statutes; increasing the penalty for fraudulently obtaining a motor vehicle by trick, deceit, fraudulent, or willful false representation; increasing the penalty for hiring a motor vehicle with intent to defraud; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Poston—

SB 560—A bill to be entitled An act relating to traffic control devices; amending s. 316.0745(1), Florida Statutes; authorizing the Department of Transportation to adopt a uniform system of traffic control devices for use wherever the public has a right to travel except on privately owned property which is intermittently made available for public use; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Poston—

SB 561—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; adding s. 316.1905(4), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the use of any equipment to detect speed calculating devices; providing circumstances when possession of such equipment constitutes prima facie evidence of such use; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Firestone—

SB 562—A bill to be entitled An act relating to high blood pressure; establishing a statewide high blood pressure control program to be administered by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; establishing the High Blood Pressure Control Advisory Council; providing for funding; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; Governmental Operations; and Appropriations.

By Senator Vogt—

SB 563—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the feeding of alligators and crocodiles; creating s. 372.667, Florida Statutes; prohibiting persons from intentionally feeding or enticing with feed any wild alligator or crocodile; providing exceptions; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; and Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senators W. D. Childers, Brantley, Tobiassen, Peterson, Hair, MacKay, Spicola, McClain, and Pat Thomas—

SB 564—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cosmetology; amending s. 477.08(1), Florida Statutes; requiring any school of cosmetology to require, as a prerequisite to graduation from such school, either a high school diploma or graduation from a school for the deaf and blind; amending s. 477.18(1), Florida Statutes; providing for the appointment of two lay members to the State Board of Cosmetology; providing a term of office for such members; exempting such members from certain qualifications for membership; reviving and readopting ss. 447.01-477.18, 477.20-477.28, Florida Statutes, notwithstanding the provisions of the Regulatory Reform Act of 1976, as amended; providing for retroactive operation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 565—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; adding subsection (6) to s. 103.091, Florida Statutes, prohibiting state or county executive committee endorsements in any primary election; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Pat Thomas—

SB 566—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public defenders; creating s. 27.60, Florida Statutes; creating the Florida Public Defender Coordination Office to be a part of the judicial branch of state government; designating its powers and duties; creating an executive committee; authorizing the employment of an executive director and staff; providing for travel reimbursement; authorizing the acceptance of grants; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil, Governmental Operations, and Appropriations.

By Senator W. D. Childers—

SB 567—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers' licenses; amending s. 322.27(1)(b), Florida Statutes; adding s. 322.27(2)(h), Florida Statutes; providing circumstances under which the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles may suspend a driver's license without preliminary hearing; providing circumstances for the deduction of points from the driver history record of certain persons; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Vogt and Wilson—

SB 568—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Sanford, Seminole County; repealing chapter 76-485, Laws of Florida; abolishing the Policemen's Relief and Pension Fund; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

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

By Senator Williamson—

SB 569—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dissolution of marriage; amending s. 61.08, Florida Statutes; requiring the court to consider not only the monetary contributions of each spouse to the marriage, but also homemaking and child-care services performed during the marriage, in determining a proper award of alimony; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Poston—

SB 570—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disposition of traffic infractions; providing for the appointment of hearing officers to adjudicate traffic infraction cases and to counsel persons who commit traffic infractions; providing for the establishment of certain criteria and the adoption of certain rules with respect thereto; providing for qualifications and retirement status of traffic infraction hearing officers; amending s. 34.01(1), Florida Statutes; granting to county courts jurisdiction over traffic infractions; amending s. 43.26(2)(e), Florida Statutes, and adding a new paragraph (f) to said subsection; providing for the appointment and duties of traffic infraction hearing officers; amending s. 318.13(4), Florida Statutes; including traffic infraction hearing officers within the definition of "official" for certain purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation, Judiciary-Criminal and Appropriations.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 571—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public schools; amending s. 232.245(3), Florida Statutes; changing the date for the awarding of certificates of attendance or differentiated diplomas by district school boards for graduation from secondary schools; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator MacKay—

SB 572—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the method of fixing millage; amending s. 200.065(2), Florida Statutes; excluding any increase in millage required to meet increased costs attributable to state-mandated programs from the computation of millage in excess of the property appraiser's certified millage for purposes of determining the applicability of certain notice and hearing procedures; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Castor—

SB 573—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the taxation of motor fuels; amending s. 206.64, Florida Statutes; authorizing a refund of certain state gas taxes paid by a county volunteer fire department in the purchase of motor fuel used in its motor vehicles for firefighting purposes; amending s. 206.66(1), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (5) to said section; providing for the application for and issuance by the Department of Revenue of refund permits to such volunteer fire departments; amending s. 206.70(1), Florida Statutes; prescribing minimum purchases subject to refund; renumbering s. 206.73(3), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (3) to said section; requiring county volunteer fire departments holding refund permits to maintain certain records; amending s. 206.76, Florida Statutes; providing for the revocation or suspension of a refund permit issued to a county volunteer fire department for certain violations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Henderson—

SCR 574—A concurrent resolution recognizing the outstanding contributions made to the Sarasota area and to the State of Florida by James D. Neville.

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

By Senator Tobiassen—

SB 575—A bill to be entitled An act relating to teacher education centers; repealing s. 231.611, Florida Statutes, which requires statewide implementation of such centers, authorizes the Department of Education to approve centers, and prescribes the procedure for such approval; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 576—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state comprehensive plan; adding s. 23.0112(5), Florida Statutes; defining the state comprehensive plan as the goals and objectives contained in the plan; amending s. 23.0114, Florida Statutes; providing for the preparation and revision of the plan; amending s. 23.013, Florida Statutes; eliminating provisions for approval of the plan by legislative act; providing that specific goals and objectives contained in the plan may only be implemented or enforced through specific acts of the Legislature; providing that nothing in the plan or revisions thereto will have the force and effect of law except as specifically authorized by law; repealing s. 2, chapter 77-306, Laws of Florida, relating to the effective date of the plan; repealing s. 23.018, Florida Statutes, relating to the authority of the Department of Administration to establish a schedule for adoption of certain plans; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scott—

SB 577—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jurors; amending s. 40.07(4), Florida Statutes; authorizing parties in litigation to question any prospective juror concerning any interest such juror might have in any issue to be tried; providing for questioning of such juror by the judge; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 578—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation of motor fuels; amending s. 206.41(4)(a) and creating s. 206.627, Florida Statutes; providing for a refund of the first gas tax to district school systems; providing duties of Department of Revenue; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation, Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Gallen—

SB 579—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonprofit medical, surgical, or hospital service plan corporations; creating s. 641.155, Florida Statutes, requiring such corporations to pay or deny claims within specified time limits; authorizing claimants to file a copy of a claim which has not been timely resolved with the Insurance Commissioner and Treasurer; directing the commissioner to order payment of claims under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 580—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Health-Care Responsibility Act; amending ss. 154.302, 154.304(1), 154.306, 154.308, 154.312, 154.314, and 154.316, Florida Statutes; providing that ultimate financial responsibility for treatment at a regional referral hospital of a certified indigent patient who is not a resident of the county in which the hospital is located shall be the obligation of the state through the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, rather than of the county of which the patient is a resident; providing duties of the department; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Don Childers—

SB 581—A bill to be entitled An act relating to penalties for crimes; amending s. 775.087(2), Florida Statutes, providing a mandatory minimum 3-year sentence with respect to any person who actively and knowingly aids a person who possesses a "firearm" or "destructive device" while committing certain enumerated crimes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal; Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By Senator Vogt—

SB 582—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parking for the physically disabled; amending s. 316.1964, Florida Statutes; removing the requirement that disabled persons be licensed to operate a motor vehicle to be exempt from parking fees; exempting from parking fees those persons who meet the medical requirements of disability pertaining to the issuance of certain license plates and who display a portable parking plate; providing for issuance of portable parking plates in lieu of identification stickers; providing qualifications for the issuance of portable parking plates; providing that portable parking plates may be displayed in a vehicle operated by, or in which is being transported, a disabled person; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to prescribe the size and design of such portable parking plates and to supply such plates to tax collectors; prohibiting the fraudulent obtaining or unlawful use of a portable parking plate, or the use of a replica thereof; providing a penalty; amending s. 320.0842(5), (6), Florida Statutes; prohibiting certain entities from exacting a fee or imposing a penalty for parking in certain zones from persons issued a portable parking plate or using a motor vehicle to transport a disabled person for whom a certain plate is issued, on which vehicle such plate is displayed; amending s. 320.0843, Florida Statutes; providing for the issuance of specially designed plates to certain disabled persons; removing the requirement for the issuance of such plates that the owner of the motor vehicle be licensed to operate a motor vehicle and be confined to a wheelchair; providing for issuance of such a plate to the owner of a motor vehicle used to transport a member of such owner's household who is permanently disabled; amending ss. 316.1955, 316.1956, Florida Statutes; authorizing certain physically disabled persons or persons transporting such disabled persons to park in parking spaces provided for the disabled; providing for the establishment of parking spaces for certain disabled persons; providing an exemption for certain businesses; requiring the license of a business which willfully refuses to provide such spaces to be withheld; prohibiting persons other than those authorized to do so from parking in spaces reserved for the disabled; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Williamson—

SB 583—A bill to be entitled An act relating to property appraisers; authorizing establishment of civil service plans by property appraisers; providing for approval of such plans by the Executive Director of the Department of Revenue; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senators Williamson, McClain, Ware, Plante, Scarborough, Henderson, Saylor, Zinkil, Peterson, Skinner, MacKay, Jon Thomas, Poston, Gorman, Gallen, Holloway, Pat Thomas, Lewis, Tobiassen and Dunn—

SB 584—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; amending s. 192.001(11)(a), Florida Statutes; providing that household goods and personal effects are not taxable; amending s. 193.114(1)(b), Florida Statutes; deleting a reference to

taxable household goods; repealing s. 196.181, Florida Statutes, relating to an exemption for household goods and personal effects of persons residing and making their permanent homes in this state; providing for retroactive operation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 585—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state attorneys; amending s. 27.181(4), Florida Statutes, deleting limitation on amount of salaries of assistant state attorneys; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 586—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state attorneys; amending s. 27.25(1), Florida Statutes; removing a limitation with respect to payment of personnel employed by the state attorney; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 587—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state attorneys; amending s. 27.34(1), Florida Statutes; allowing county salary supplements for assistant state attorneys in judicial circuits with a population of 1 million or more; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 588—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state attorney; amending s. 27.25(1), Florida Statutes, authorizing the state attorney to appoint persons employed by a county or municipality as special investigators on other than a full-time basis; amending s. 27.255, Florida Statutes, providing such special investigators with powers provided full-time state attorney investigators; requiring such investigators to meet certain standards, providing them with certain rights, protections and immunities, and requiring them to post a bond; amending s. 27.34(1), Florida Statutes, authorizing counties and municipalities to provide such investigators to the state attorney; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jon Thomas—

SB 589—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; creating s. 625.3075, Florida Statutes, permitting insurers to invest in bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of the State of Israel; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Trask—

SB 590—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the method of fixing millage; amending s. 200.065, Florida Statutes; requiring the governing board of a taxing authority to advertise notice of and hold hearings on any proposed millage prior to its levy by resolution or ordinance; deleting certain provisions requiring adherence to notice and hearing procedures only when an increase in millage is proposed; prescribing the form for advertisement of a notice of tax rate; deleting certain exemptions from notice and hearing requirements; deleting certain requirements and limitations relating to the method of fixing millage by multicounty taxing authorities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Trask—

SB 591—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Property Assessment Administration and Finance Law; amending s. 195.022, Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Revenue to furnish certain photographs and maps to each county property appraiser upon request, or in any event, at least once every 3 years; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Executive Business and Senator Holloway—

SB 592—A bill to be entitled An act relating to executive appointments; prohibiting special laws or general laws of local application which provide for appointment by the Governor of any officer or member of any commission, authority, bureau, council, committee, agency, board, or special district, the jurisdiction of which does not extend beyond the geographical boundaries of a single county; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Executive Business and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 593—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of public utilities; amending s. 366.06(2), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the Florida Public Service Commission from allowing public utilities to include charitable contributions in the rate base used by the commission for rate-making purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 594—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regional perinatal intensive care centers; adding subsections (6) and (7) to s. 383.16, Florida Statutes, providing definitions; amending s. 383.19(1), Florida Statutes, relating to grant disbursements and reimbursements; providing for computation of grants within certain limits; providing for reversion of funds under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gallen—

SB 595—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Highlands County Hospital District; amending s. 26, chapter 61-2232, Laws of Florida; reducing to three mills the rate of taxation which may be levied by the board of commissioners of the Highlands County Hospital District; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 596—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parent and child; requiring certain public agencies and authorizing certain private agencies providing child or parental services to register with the courts; providing for fee waivers; adding s. 39.04(3), Florida Statutes; authorizing the intake officer to request that the parents or legal guardian of a child receive services from certain agencies; amending s. 39.11(7), Florida Statutes; authorizing the court to order parents or legal guardians of dependent, delinquent, or ungovernable children to receive such services; creating s. 232.175, Florida Statutes; authorizing a school superintendent to request the parent or legal guardian of a child failing to attend school to receive such services; authorizing the school superintendent to request the court to order the receipt of such services in a prosecution under the compulsory attendance law; adding s. 232.19(7), Florida Statutes; authorizing the court in such a prosecution to order the receipt of such parental services; adding s. 232.26(4), Florida Statutes; authorizing the principal of a school, his designated

representative, or the district school board to request a parent or legal guardian of a pupil subject to suspension or dismissal to receive such services; amending s. 741.24, Florida Statutes; authorizing the court in certain civil actions against the parents or guardians of a minor to require the child, or parents or guardians, or both, to provide services to the claimant, and authorizing the court to order the parents to receive parental services; amending s. 827.07(7), Florida Statutes, relating to abuse of children, providing for the inclusion of referrals of parents and legal guardians to such agencies in the central registry maintained by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; creating s. 827.10, Florida Statutes, authorizing the court to order the referral of such parents and legal guardians to agencies providing parental services; requiring certain agencies to file a report with the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 597—A bill to be entitled An act relating to family planning; amending s. 381.382(3), (5), Florida Statutes; including pharmacies and clinics among institutions prohibited from interfering with rights of patients or physicians with respect to medically acceptable contraceptive procedures; permitting broader dissemination of maternal health and contraceptive information and services to all persons of childbearing age; providing for consent of minors; adding s. 381.411(5), Florida Statutes; providing a penalty for coercing or attempting to coerce a minor or incompetent person into receiving such medical or surgical care or services; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 598—A bill to be entitled An act relating to change of name; amending s. 68.07(7), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection, to provide that a petition for a change of name shall not be denied on the basis of sex or marital status; amending s. 382.28, Florida Statutes, which requires the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to prescribe the form for marriage licenses, to require that such licenses include provisions allowing each person to select a legal surname for either or both; providing that any combination of the premarriage or former legal surnames of both persons may be used by both persons and their children; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 599—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electric utilities; creating s. 366.075, Florida Statutes, authorizing and directing the Florida Public Service Commission to adopt and implement rules providing for an optional peak load rate classification system for residential customers of all electric utilities; providing for inclusion of certain matters within such rules; adding paragraph (f) to s. 366.04(2), Florida Statutes, and amending s. 366.11(1), Florida Statutes, providing for conformity; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 600—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulation of public utilities; amending s. 366.041(1), Florida Statutes; providing that the rate base of a public utility shall not include certain salaries; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Henderson—

SB 601—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Health Facilities Authorities Law; amending s. 154.205(9), Florida

Statutes, 1975, modifying the definition of "local agency" to include municipalities as well as counties, thereby authorizing each municipality to create a health facilities authority under said law; amending s. 154.245, Florida Statutes, providing that no certificate of need shall be prerequisite to the validation and issuance of revenue bonds for refunding or refinancing purposes; retroactively validating certain bonds and proceedings; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Health and Rehabilitative Services.

By Senator Trask—

SB 602—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending the introductory paragraph and subsections (1) and (3) of s. 570.23, Florida Statutes, providing for a member who represents grape growers on the State Agricultural Advisory Council; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Agriculture and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 603—A bill to be entitled An act relating to rates charged by public utility companies; amending s. 366.06(2), Florida Statutes; excluding from the net investment of any public utility company regulated by the Florida Public Service Commission any sum expended for certain equipment purchases or for construction of a building unless the company seeks and accepts the lowest and best bid; excluding from such net investment any sum expended for certain services unless the company solicits and receives offers from competing firms and contracts with the firm providing the best service at the lowest cost; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services—

SB 604—A bill to be entitled An act relating to comprehensive health education; amending s. 233.067(4), (5), Florida Statutes, renumbering subsections (8), (9), (10), (11) of said section, and adding a new subsection (8) to said section; requiring the Department of Education to take the advice of school food service personnel into consideration in its administration of the comprehensive health education program; requiring inclusion of nutrition instruction and training programs for food service personnel in such program; requiring proposals for implementation of district or school health education projects to include certain provisions; providing for the monitoring and evaluation of comprehensive health education programs or projects and for annual reporting to the Legislature; amending s. 236.081(5), Florida Statutes; redesignating comprehensive health education as a general categorical program for funding purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education, Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Scott—

SB 605—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 627.0651(1), (2), (11), Florida Statutes; requiring motor vehicle insurers to file a copy of rates, rating schedules, rating manuals, and changes therein with the Department of Insurance within a certain period; requiring the department to review such filing; requiring the department to consider certain factors in such review; requiring the department to order a new filing upon certain findings; amending s. 627.091(1), Florida Statutes; requiring property, casualty, or surety insurers to file certain information with the department; amending s. 627.101(1), Florida Statutes; requiring the department to review all property, casualty, or surety insurance filings as a prerequisite to the effectiveness thereof; amending s. 627.141, Florida Statutes; providing for the disapproval of an effective property, casualty, or surety insurance filing; amending s. 627.151, Florida Statutes; limiting the factors which the department may consider in determining whether to approve or disapprove a property, casualty, or surety insurance filing; prohibiting the disapproval of a property, casualty, or surety

insurance filing which meets certain requirements; amending s. 627.181(1), Florida Statutes; providing a procedure for appeal from the approval of certain property, casualty, or surety insurance filings; amending s. 627.191, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the issuance of a policy of property, casualty, or surety insurance except in accordance with filings in effect; amending s. 627.211(1), Florida Statutes; requiring every member of, or subscriber to, a rating organization to adhere to the filings made on its behalf by such organization; providing exceptions; amending s. 627.281(1), Florida Statutes; providing a procedure for appeal by any member of, or subscriber to, a rating organization from the filing of such organization; amending s. 627.-291, Florida Statutes; requiring rating organizations and insurers which make rates for property, casualty, or surety insurance to furnish certain information to an affected insured; providing a procedure by which any aggrieved party may appeal the rating system of a property, casualty, or surety insurer; repealing s. 627.331(4), Florida Statutes, relating to the filing of certain information by insurers and rating organizations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Don Childers—

SB 606—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State Officers and Employees Group Insurance Program; amending s. 112.075(3)-(8), (10), Florida Statutes; transferring those powers and duties of the Department of Administration and the Secretary of Administration which relate to such program to the Department of Insurance and the Insurance Commissioner; prescribing criteria to be considered in evaluating bids by insurance carriers or professional administrators; deleting the requirement that contracts for such insurance be let on the basis of competitive bids; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Glisson—

SB 607—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of medicine in public hospitals; permitting certain licensed physicians to practice in public hospitals; prohibiting discrimination against such physicians; prohibiting, under certain conditions, the denial of such privilege based on membership in professional associations or graduation from a school or college of medicine or osteopathy; providing for the promulgation by a public hospital of regulations governing the privilege to practice in such hospital; defining the term "public hospital"; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Glisson—

SB 608—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public meetings; adding a new subsection (2) to s. 286.011, Florida Statutes, prohibiting public meetings from certain locations; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Plante—

SB 609—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees and fee collections for services provided by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; amending ss. 391.07(1), 392.07(3), 394.457(7), 394.59, 396.141(1), 397.055(1), Florida Statutes; providing that certain fees be determined and collected according to s. 402.33, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Johnston, Castor and Dunn—

SB 610—A bill to be entitled An act relating to lobbying; creating s. 11.045, Florida Statutes; defining terms; requiring

persons engaged in lobbying to file a registration statement with the Secretary of State under oath; providing for the contents of such statement; providing for the adoption of rules; requiring disclosure of certain information with respect to lobbying activities; providing for the publication of lists of lobbyists; providing for advisory opinions with respect to executive and legislative lobbying by the constitutionally mandated commission and by the Joint Legislative Management Committee, respectively; requiring investigation and hearing of alleged violations and the recommendation of penalties by the commission or committee; providing for the imposition of penalties; authorizing the Attorney General to bring civil actions under certain circumstances; providing for appeals of findings and penalties; amending s. 11.061, Florida Statutes; requiring state employee lobbyists to register and record certain information with the Secretary of State; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 611—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of the City of Miami Beach, Dade County; providing for reimbursement for the construction of an ocean outfall in reliance on approval by the Florida State Board of Health and reconversion to secondary waste treatment as required by Florida Statutes and administrative regulation; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master and the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; Commerce; and Appropriations.

By Senator McClain—

SB 612—A bill to be entitled An act relating to privacy of individuals; creating the Right to Privacy and Fair Information Practices Act; providing definitions; specifying duties of state agencies maintaining data systems or files containing personal information and providing requirements with regard to maintenance of such systems or files; requiring certain public notice; providing rights of individuals with regard to such systems and files; providing for challenge and correction of personal information contained therein; regulating dissemination of such personal information; providing exceptions; authorizing the adoption of rules by the Commission on Ethics; providing penalties; providing for the liability of agencies and the state; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations, Judiciary-Civil and Appropriations.

By Senator Pat Thomas—

SB 613—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Offender Rehabilitation; amending s. 20.315(17) and (22), Florida Statutes, and repealing subsections (20), (21), (23), (24), and (25) of said section, deleting language made obsolete subsequent to reorganization; creating s. 945.0905, Florida Statutes, prescribing the content and form of all commitments to the department; adding subsection (3) to s. 947.21, Florida Statutes, providing a procedure for notification of violations of parole; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole.

By Senator Pat Thomas—

SB 614—A bill to be entitled An act relating to obstructing justice; amending ss. 843.01 and 843.02, Florida Statutes, relating to the prohibition against resisting certain officers of the law in the execution of process or other legal duty, to include parole and probation officers and supervisors employed by the Department of Offender Rehabilitation among such officers; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 615—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on sales, use, and other transactions; amending s. 212.08(1), Florida

Statutes, and adding paragraph (7)(1); providing a sales tax exemption for prepared meals delivered by a nonprofit volunteer organization to handicapped, elderly, or indigent persons; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 616—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state uniform traffic control; adding a new subsection (7) to s. 316.2225, Florida Statutes, requiring every commercial vehicle of 10,000 pounds or more and every combination of commercial vehicle of 10,000 pounds or more and trailer or semitrailer to be equipped with antisplash guards of specified design; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gallen—

SB 617—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government; creating part II of chapter 165, Florida Statutes; providing a short title; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; providing that special districts shall designate a registered agent and office; requiring certain other reports; providing for dissolution proceedings upon failure to report; providing for review; providing for disposition of the assets, liabilities, responsibilities, and records of a dissolved district; providing for repeal or modification of certain special acts; providing for the status of a tax levy; providing for continuation of access; removing exclusivity of the proceedings set forth in part I of chapter 165, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 618—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pharmaceutical salesmen; creating ss. 465.32, 465.33, 465.34, Florida Statutes; requiring a pharmaceutical salesman to obtain a license from the Florida Board of Pharmacy; specifying the qualifications and procedure for licensure; providing a license fee; providing for renewal of license; providing a renewal fee; requiring pharmaceutical salesmen to maintain registration with the board; providing for suspension and revocation of licenses; adding s. 465.031(12), Florida Statutes; defining the term "pharmaceutical salesman"; amending s. 465.18, Florida Statutes; providing penalties for making a false or fraudulent statement to the board or in proceeding before the board and for selling or distributing drugs through samples or otherwise to physicians, physicians' assistants, osteopathic physicians, podiatrists, nurses, dentists, or optometrists without being licensed; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Commerce; Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brantley—

SCR 619—A concurrent resolution inviting the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America and the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children to adopt Tampa, Florida, as their new headquarters; offering the cooperation and assistance of the Senate in connection therewith.

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

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 620—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the dissolution of marriage; amending s. 61.08, Florida Statutes; specifying certain factors which the court must consider in determining a proper award of alimony; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 621—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle noise; amending s. 403.415(4)(a), (b), and (9), Florida Statutes; providing operating noise level limits and compliance dates for certain motor vehicles; providing for a loan program for sound level meters; amending s. 316.293(2), Florida Statutes; providing operating noise level limits for certain motor vehicles; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 622—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle noise; adding s. 403.415(11), Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Environmental Regulation to establish a compliance testing program for new vehicles and replacement exhaust systems; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; Transportation; and Appropriations.

By Senator Vogt—

SB 623—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle noise abatement; amending s. 316.293(3), Florida Statutes, authorizing any law enforcement officer to arrest any driver of a motor vehicle who is in violation of the motor vehicle noise abatement law under certain circumstances; providing for the testimony of persons operating certain noise level measurement devices; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 624—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hunting; amending s. 372.576, Florida Statutes; authorizing the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission to define by regulation the term "primitive weapon" and to issue permits to hunt with any such weapon; setting a permit fee; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 625—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retail sales establishments; requiring certain retail sales establishments to give notice of their refund policy; providing that any such establishment failing to comply shall under certain circumstances grant to the consumer a refund; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Vogt—

SB 626—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Canaveral Port District, Brevard County; adding section 24 to Article IV of chapter 28922, Laws of Florida, 1953, to grant to the Canaveral Port Authority comprehensive planning and intergovernmental agreement authority in the fields of transportation and real property use; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 627—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the municipal annexation or contraction act; adding s. 171.031(13), Florida

Statutes; defining the term "enclave" for purposes of municipal annexation or contraction; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Zinkil—

SB 628—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the accessibility of buildings to handicapped persons; amending s. 553.45, Florida Statutes; defining "living unit"; amending s. 553.46(2), Florida Statutes; providing for the removal of certain obstructions of common or emergency exits; providing penalties; amending ss. 553.47, 553.48, Florida Statutes; redesignating building occupancy classifications; modifying certain features required to provide accessibility of new buildings to handicapped persons; providing for the granting of exemptions from accessibility requirements by the Florida Board of Building Codes and Standards in certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Castor—

SB 629—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; amending s. 402.17, Florida Statutes, relating to claims for care and maintenance of clients of the department and disposition of property of such clients, and s. 402.18, Florida Statutes, relating to the Welfare Trust Fund; revising language to conform to the reorganization of the department; providing that interest on funds of clients invested by the department shall be used for the personal benefit of the client; authorizing the department to establish rules governing fees and minimum balances; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Castor—

SB 630—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nursing homes and related health-care facilities; amending s. 400.162(5), Florida Statutes, and adding a subsection; modifying procedure for handling of nursing home residents' trust funds; providing for quarterly statements to residents; requiring trustees to be bonded; providing for reservation of bedspace or room during a temporary absence; providing conditions; providing for safeguarding of possessions; providing penalties; amending s. 400.427(4), Florida Statutes, and adding a subsection; modifying procedure for handling of adult congregate living facility residents' trust funds; providing for quarterly statements to residents; requiring trustees to be bonded; providing for reservation of bedspace or room during a temporary absence; providing conditions; providing for safeguarding of possessions; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

STANDING COMMITTEES AND STANDING SUBCOMMITTEES

Membership of the standing committees and standing subcommittees as revised since the 1977 regular session:

AGRICULTURE: Senator Trask, Chairman; Senator Peterson, Vice Chairman; Senators Renick, Scott, Skinner, Pat Thomas and Tobiassen

APPROPRIATIONS: Senator Lewis, Chairman; Senator Gordon, Vice Chairman; Senators W. D. Childers, Dunn, Hair, MacKay, McClain, Myers, Peterson, Plante, Poston, Scarborough, Scott, Spicola, Jon Thomas, Pat Thomas, Tobiassen, Trask and Vogt

Subcommittee A: W. D. Childers, Chairman; Senators Poston, Scarborough, Scott, Pat Thomas and Trask

Subcommittee B: Senator Peterson, Chairman; Senators Hair, MacKay, Spicola and Tobiassen

Subcommittee C: Senator Plante, Chairman; Senators Dunn, McClain, Myers, Jon Thomas and Vogt

COMMERCE: Senator Scarborough, Chairman; Senator W. D. Childers, Vice Chairman; Senators Barron, Gallen, Henderson, Plante, Jon Thomas, Ware and Winn

CORRECTIONS, PROBATION AND PAROLE: Senator Pat Thomas, Chairman; Senator Renick, Vice Chairman; Senators Chamberlin, Graham and Scott

ECONOMIC, COMMUNITY AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS: Senator Gallen, Chairman; Senator Firestone, Vice Chairman; Senators Castor, Gorman and Renick

EDUCATION: Senator Peterson, Chairman; Senator Ware, Vice Chairman; Senators Castor, Dunn, Lewis, MacKay, Plante, Tobiassen and Winn

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS: Senator Holloway, Chairman; Senator Don Childers, Vice Chairman; Senators Glisson, Saylor, Skinner and Wilson

FINANCE, TAXATION AND CLAIMS: Senator Gordon, Chairman; Senator Lewis, Vice Chairman; Senators Chamberlin, W. D. Childers, Glisson, Graham, Holloway, Peterson, Plante, Saylor, Skinner, Spicola, Zinkil and Myers

GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS: Senator Barron, Chairman; Senator Zinkil, Vice Chairman; Senators Castor, Dunn, Firestone, Gallen, Gorman, Henderson, Tobiassen, Wilson and Winn

HEALTH AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES: Senator Jon Thomas, Chairman; Senator Don Childers, Vice Chairman; Senators Glisson, Gordon, McClain and Vogt

JUDICIARY-CIVIL: Senator Hair, Chairman; Senator Wilson, Vice Chairman; Senators Chamberlin, Firestone, Johnston, McClain and Scott

JUDICIARY-CRIMINAL: Senator Dunn, Chairman; Senator MacKay, Vice Chairman; Senators Johnston, McClain, Williamson and Spicola

NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION: Senator Vogt, Chairman; Senator Renick, Vice Chairman; Senators Don Childers, Henderson, Skinner and Trask

PERSONNEL, RETIREMENT AND COLLECTIVE BARGAINING: Senator Johnston, Chairman; Senator Saylor, Vice Chairman; Senators Chamberlin, Graham, MacKay and Williamson

RULES AND CALENDAR: Senator W. D. Childers, Chairman; Senator Plante, Vice Chairman; Senators Barron, Dunn, Gallen, Gordon, Henderson, Johnston, Lewis, Myers, Scarborough, Spicola, Trask and Ware

TRANSPORTATION: Senator Myers, Chairman; Senator Gallen, Vice Chairman; Senators Gorman, Holloway, Poston, Scarborough, Pat Thomas and Williamson

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Rules and Calendar recommends the following be placed on Special Order Calendar on Tuesday, April 4, 1978:

SB 106	SB 209	SB 310	SB 148
SB 154	SB 212	SB 311	
SB 23	SB 309	SB 14	

Respectfully submitted,
W. D. Childers
Chairman

The Committee on Agriculture recommends the following pass: SB 44

The Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole recommends the following pass: SB 235, SB 299 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Economic, Community, and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 17

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 191, SB 296 with 3 amendments

The Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims recommends the following pass: SB 35

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass:

SB 146 with 3 amendments SB 75 with 2 amendments
SB 149 with 2 amendments SB 86 with 1 amendment
SB 148 SB 225 SB 323

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends the following pass:

SB 39 SB 219 with 3 amendments SB 345

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 94

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 302

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining recommends the following pass:

SB 178 with 1 amendment SB 308 with 2 amendments
SB 188 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 172 with 4 amendments

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

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass:

SB 8 SB 133 with 2 amendments SB 143 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 114, SB 326

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 320 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 33, SB 57

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass:

SB 277 with 1 amendment SB 212 with 1 amendment
SB 279 SB 220 with 4 amendments
SB 249 with 5 amendments SB 15

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

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 235

The bill was referred to the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 239

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

The Committee on Agriculture recommends the following pass: SB 175

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 342

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends the following pass: SB 155 with 3 amendments SB 185 with 4 amendments

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Agriculture recommends the following pass: SB 339

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass:

SB 73 SB 281 SB 313
SB 89 SB 293 SB 202
SB 115 with 2 amendments SB 304 SB 214

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass:

SB 77 SB 224
SB 78 SB 155 with 4 amendments
SB 79 SB 269

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 35 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Judiciary-Civil recommends the following pass: SB 263

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass:

SB 87 with 2 amendments SB 199 with 1 amendment

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

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass:

SB 147 with 1 amendment SB 305 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole recommends the following pass: SB 300

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass:

SB 154 with 2 amendments SB 210 SB 237

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass:

SB 146 SB 149 SB 152

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends the following pass: SB 38 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 95

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 197

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

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 163

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 129, SB 205 with 2 amendments

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

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 133, SB 171

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 94

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 134, SB 267 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 164 with 2 amendments

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

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 151

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 43 with 2 amendments

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 85 with 1 amendment

The bill was referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass:

SB 290 with 1 amendment SCR 62 SB 246 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 124 with 1 amendment

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

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 72

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

The Committee on Appropriations recommends the following pass:

SB 23 with	SB 148	SB 172
3 amendments	SB 149 with	SB 178
SB 75	1 amendment	SB 299

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass:

SB 15	SB 180	SB 294	SB 303
SB 49	SB 245	SB 212	
SB 114	SB 257	SB 223	

The Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole recommends the following pass: SB 211 with 1 amendment, SB 337

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass:

SB 25 with 3 amendments	SB 175
SB 70	SB 135
SB 74	SB 196 with 1 amendment
SB 90 with 3 amendments	SB 105 with 2 amendments
SB 52 with 1 amendment	SB 232
SB 80 with 2 amendments	SB 391 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass:

SB 106	SB 264
SB 112	SB 343 with 1 amendment
SB 216	

The Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims recommends the following pass: SB 73, SB 144

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass:

SB 47	SB 209
SB 154	SB 309

SB 310
SB 311

The Committee on Judiciary-Civil recommends the following pass:

SB 18	SB 97 with 1 amendment
SB 67	SB 247 with 2 amendments
SB 84 with 4 amendments	SB 250 with 1 amendment
SB 117	SB 284
SB 160 with 5 amendments	SB 285 with 5 amendments
SB 163	

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 171 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass:

SB 43	SB 151 with 2 amendments
SB 226 with 2 amendments	SB 157
SB 253	

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining recommends the following pass: SB 14 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass:

SB 113	SB 227
SB 203	SB 266 with 2 amendments

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were placed on the calendar.

The Committee on Education recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 184

The Committee on Education recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 325

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 139

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

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 166, SB 169

The Committee on Judiciary-Civil recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 261

The bills with Committee Substitutes attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Commerce under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 119

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 165

The bills with Committee Substitutes attached were referred to the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 156

The bill with Committee Substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 101

The Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 165

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 321

The bills with Committee Substitutes attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal under the original reference.

The Committee on Appropriations recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: CS for SB 184 (by the Committee on Education)

The Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 271

The Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 71

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 22

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends a Committee Substitute for the following: SB 104

The bills with Committee Substitutes attached contained in the foregoing reports were placed on the calendar.

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following not pass: SB 57, SB 315

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following not pass: SB 45, SB 141, SB 159

The Committee on Education recommends the following not pass: SB 230, SB 317, SB 29

The Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims recommends the following not pass: SB 92, SB 127

The Committee on Judiciary-Civil recommends the following not pass: SB 12

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following not pass: SB 122

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining recommends the following not pass: SB 10

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were laid on the table.

Report of Subcommittee to Standing Committee

The Regulatory Reform Legislation Select Subcommittee of the Governmental Operations Committee recommends favorably: one bill for consideration by the standing committee for introduction as a committee bill: Barbers (Chapter 476, Florida Statutes)

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, the Senate recessed at 1:00 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—40:

Mr. President	Gordon	Myers	Thomas, Jon
Barron	Gorman	Peterson	Thomas, Pat
Castor	Graham	Plante	Tobiassen
Chamberlin	Hair	Poston	Trask
Childers, Don	Henderson	Renick	Vogt
Childers, W. D.	Holloway	Saylor	Ware
Dunn	Johnston	Scarborough	Williamson
Firestone	Lewis	Scott	Wilson
Gallen	MacKay	Skinner	Winn
Glisson	McClain	Spicola	Zinkil

Presentation of the St. Petersburg Times Award

The President invited Sanford H. Stiles of the St. Petersburg Times to the rostrum and presented him to the Senate. On behalf of the St. Petersburg Times, Mr. Stiles presented a plaque to Senator Philip D. Lewis 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 1977 Florida Senate, and for personal and public integrity as well as ability and courage in promoting progressive legislation.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The Honorable Lew Brantley, President

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed HB 1125 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

Allen Morris, Clerk

By Representative Hawkins—

HB 1125—A bill to be entitled An act relating to County Water-Sewer District of Collier County; validating the creation of such district and the bonds heretofore issued by such district and certain bonds of the district heretofore authorized but unissued; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

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

On motions by Senator W. D. Childers, by two-thirds vote HB 1125 was withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar, by two-thirds vote placed on the Special Order Calendar and by unanimous consent taken up out of order.

SPECIAL ORDER

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, by two-thirds vote HB 1125 was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Scott, by two-thirds vote HB 1125 was read the third time by title and passed. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Barron	Gorman	Peterson	Thomas, Pat
Castor	Graham	Plante	Tobiassen
Chamberlin	Hair	Poston	Trask
Childers, Don	Henderson	Renick	Vogt
Childers, W. D.	Holloway	Saylor	Ware
Dunn	Johnston	Scarborough	Williamson
Firestone	Lewis	Scott	Wilson
Gallen	MacKay	Skinner	Winn
Glisson	McClain	Spicola	Zinkil
Gordon	Myers	Thomas, Jon	

Nays—None

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, the rules were waived and HB 1125 was ordered immediately certified to the House.

Senator Scarborough presiding

SCR 619—A concurrent resolution inviting the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America and the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children to adopt Tampa, Florida, as their new headquarters; offering the cooperation and assistance of the Senate in connection therewith.

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, by two-thirds vote SCR 619 was read the second time in full and adopted. The vote on adoption was:

Yeas—40

Mr. President	Childers, Don	Gallen	Graham
Barron	Childers, W. D.	Glisson	Hair
Castor	Dunn	Gordon	Henderson
Chamberlin	Firestone	Gorman	Holloway

Johnston	Plante	Skinner	Vogt
Lewis	Poston	Spicola	Ware
MacKay	Renick	Thomas, Jon	Williamson
McClain	Sayler	Thomas, Pat	Wilson
Myers	Scarborough	Tobiassen	Winn
Peterson	Scott	Trask	Zinkil

Nays—None

On motion by Senator Brantley the following members were shown as co-introducers of SCR 619: Senators Barron, Castor, Chamberlin, Don Childers, W. D. Childers, Dunn, Firestone, Gallen, Glisson, Gordon, Graham, Hair, Henderson, Holloway, Johnston, Lewis, MacKay, McClain, Myers, Peterson, Plante, Poston, Renick, Sayler, Scarborough, Scott, Skinner, Spicola, Jon Thomas, Pat Thomas, Tobiassen, Trask, Vogt, Ware, Williamson, Wilson, Winn and Zinkil.

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, the rules were waived and SCR 619 was ordered immediately certified to the House.

The President presiding

Special Presentation

The President introduced to the Senate Justice Frederick B. Karl who presented the President an article on "Impeachment Proceedings" of which Justice Karl is the author. Justice Karl stated the article discusses every impeachment case that has been held in Florida since Florida became a state, traces the constitutional history of impeachment in Florida, discusses offenses committed in a prior term, grounds for impeachment, impeachment procedures and alternatives to impeachment.

The President welcomed to the Senate Mrs. Frederick B. Karl and Mrs. Marguerite Davis, research assistant to Justice Karl and co-author of the article.

Special Order, continued

SB 106—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State University System; creating s. 240.145, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the merger of state universities without legislative approval; providing an effective date.

On motions by Senator Pat Thomas, by two-thirds vote SB 106 was read the second time by title and by two-thirds vote was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Gordon	Myers	Thomas, Pat
Barron	Gorman	Peterson	Tobiassen
Castor	Graham	Poston	Trask
Chamberlin	Hair	Renick	Vogt
Childers, Don	Henderson	Sayler	Ware
Childers, W. D.	Holloway	Scarborough	Williamson
Dunn	Johnston	Scott	Wilson
Firestone	Lewis	Skinner	Winn
Gallen	MacKay	Spicola	Zinkil
Glisson	McClain	Thomas, Jon	

Nays—None

SB 154—A bill to be entitled An act relating to firemen; amending s. 112.191(2)(a), Florida Statutes, relating to eligibility of firemen for death benefits, extending from 180 days to 1 year the specified period within which death must occur after an injury is received; providing for purchase of insurance through the Department of General Services by any governmental entity; providing an effective date.

On motion by Senator Johnston, by two-thirds vote SB 154 was read the second time by title.

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs offered the following amendments which were moved by Senator Johnston and adopted:

Amendment 1—On page 1, lines 27-28, strike underlined material

Amendment 2—On page 1 in title, lines 7-9, strike "providing for purchase of insurance through the Department of General Services by any governmental entity;"

On motion by Senator Johnston, by two-thirds vote SB 154 as amended was read the third time by title, passed, ordered engrossed and then certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—36

Mr. President	Glisson	McClain	Spicola
Barron	Gorman	Myers	Thomas, Pat
Castor	Graham	Peterson	Tobiassen
Chamberlin	Hair	Poston	Trask
Childers, Don	Henderson	Renick	Ware
Childers, W. D.	Holloway	Sayler	Williamson
Dunn	Johnston	Scarborough	Wilson
Firestone	Lewis	Scott	Winn
Gallen	MacKay	Skinner	Zinkil

Nays—2

Gordon Vogt

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Jon Thomas

Senator Scarborough presiding

SB 23—A bill to be entitled An act relating to appropriations; providing that in the event the Legislature fails to enact a General Appropriations Act for any fiscal period, the General Appropriations Act for the immediately preceding fiscal period shall carry forward; providing an effective date.

On motion by Senator Sayler, by two-thirds vote SB 23 was read the second time by title.

The Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendments which were moved by Senator Sayler and adopted:

Amendment 1—On page 1, lines 12 and 13, strike "Legislature fails to enact a General Appropriations Act" and on line 12 after the word "the" insert: General Appropriations Bill fails to become law

Amendment 2—On page 1, lines 13, 15 and 16, strike the word "period" and insert: the word "year"

Amendment 3—On page 1 in title, lines 3 and 4, strike "Legislature fails to enact a General Appropriations Act" and insert: General Appropriations Bill fails to become law and on lines 5 and 6 strike the word "period" and insert: "year"

On motion by Senator Sayler, by two-thirds vote SB 23 as amended was read the third time by title, passed, ordered engrossed and then certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—23

Barron	Henderson	Renick	Tobiassen
Childers, W. D.	Holloway	Sayler	Trask
Gallen	Lewis	Scarborough	Ware
Glisson	Peterson	Scott	Williamson
Gorman	Plante	Skinner	Zinkil
Hair	Poston	Thomas, Jon	

Nays—16

Castor	Firestone	MacKay	Thomas, Pat
Chamberlin	Gordon	McClain	Vogt
Childers, Don	Graham	Myers	Wilson
Dunn	Johnston	Spicola	Winn

On motion by Senator Lewis, the rules were waived and the Senate reverted to—

MOTIONS RELATING TO COMMITTEE REFERENCE

On motion by Senator Lewis, by two-thirds vote SB 215 was also referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion by Senator Lewis, by two-thirds vote SB 391 was removed from the calendar and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Special Order, continued

SB 209—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Administrative Procedure Act; amending s. 120.52(10), Florida Statutes, providing that prisoners shall not be considered parties under the act for the purpose of obtaining specified proceedings; providing an effective date.

On motions by Senator Ware, by two-thirds vote SB 209 was read the second time by title and by two-thirds vote was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—37

Table with 4 columns of names: Barron, Castor, Childers, Don, Childers, W. D., Dunn, Firestone, Gallen, Glisson, Gordon, Gorman, Hair, Henderson, Holloway, Johnston, Lewis, MacKay, McClain, Myers, Peterson, Plante, Poston, Renick, Saylor, Scarborough, Scott, Skinner, Wilson, Winn, Zinkil, Trask, Vogt, Ware, Williamson, Williamson, Winn, Zinkil

Nays—1

Chamberlin

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Graham

SB 212—A bill to be entitled An act relating to outdoor advertising; adding subsection (18) to s. 479.01, Florida Statutes, defining "motorist services directional signs"; adding subsection (5) to s. 479.02, Florida Statutes, providing for the transmittal by the Department of Transportation of certain requests seeking retention of motorist services directional signs in specific areas where removal would work a substantial economic hardship as provided in 23 U.S.C.; adding subsection (4) to s. 479.111, Florida Statutes, permitting retention of motorist services directional signs in defined areas; adding subsection (4) to s. 288.34, Florida Statutes, requiring the Division of Tourism of the Department of Commerce, upon request, to certify need for retention of motorist services directional signs in certain defined areas and to furnish available information showing that removal of such signs would work a substantial economic hardship in such defined areas; providing an effective date.

On motion by Senator Gallen, by two-thirds vote SB 212 was read the second time by title.

The Committee on Transportation offered the following amendment which was moved by Senator Gallen and adopted:

Amendment 1—On page 3, line 8, strike the period and insert: , provided, however, that such ordinances shall not conflict with any applicable state or federal laws.

On motion by Senator Gallen, by two-thirds vote SB 212 as amended was read the third time by title, passed, ordered engrossed and then certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Table with 4 columns of names: Barron, Chamberlin, Childers, Don, Childers, W. D., Dunn, Firestone, Gallen, Glisson, Gordon, Gorman, Graham, Hair

Table with 4 columns of names: Henderson, Holloway, Johnston, Lewis, MacKay, McClain, Myers, Peterson, Plante, Poston, Renick, Saylor, Scarborough, Scott, Skinner, Spicola, Thomas, Jon, Thomas, Pat, Tobiasen, Trask, Vogt, Ware, Williamson, Wilson, Winn, Zinkil

Nays—None

SB 309—A bill to be entitled An act relating to naturopathy; amending ss. 462.08, 462.14, Florida Statutes; providing for renewal of licenses to practice naturopathy; providing renewal fees; providing for revocation of a practitioner's license upon conviction of a felony committed while practicing naturopathy or while under authority of license; reviving and readopting ss. 462.01-462.19, Florida Statutes, as amended, notwithstanding the provisions of the Regulatory Reform Act of 1976; providing for retroactivity; providing an effective date.

On motions by Senator Henderson, by two-thirds vote SB 309 was read the second time by title and by two-thirds vote was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Table with 4 columns of names: Barron, Castor, Chamberlin, Childers, Don, Childers, W. D., Dunn, Firestone, Gallen, Glisson, Gordon, Gorman, Graham, Hair, Henderson, Holloway, Johnston, Lewis, MacKay, McClain, Myers, Peterson, Plante, Poston, Renick, Saylor, Scarborough, Scott, Skinner, Spicola, Thomas, Pat, Tobiasen, Trask, Vogt, Ware, Williamson, Wilson, Winn, Zinkil

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Jon Thomas

The President presiding

SB 310—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulation of pilots; amending s. 310.002(2), Florida Statutes; redefining the term "pilot"; amending s. 310.011, Florida Statutes; increasing the number of members on the State Board of Pilot Commissioners; amending s. 310.021, Florida Statutes; prescribing qualification for membership on the board and providing for appointment of licensed state pilots from specified ports to the board; amending s. 310.061, Florida Statutes; providing the quota of licensed state pilots for designated ports; providing criteria for determining the necessary number of licensed pilots; removing certain saving provisions; amending s. 310.071(2), Florida Statutes; revising the procedure for application for a pilot license and for a deputy pilot certificate; adding s. 310.091(7), Florida Statutes; providing that the State Board of Pilot Commissioners may require proof of mental and physical capability from an applicant, a licensed pilot, or a certificated deputy pilot; adding s. 310.101(5), Florida Statutes; providing that the board may suspend or revoke a pilot license or a deputy pilot certificate for negligence, incompetence, or misconduct; amending s. 310.151(1), Florida Statutes; providing a method to fix rates of pilotage; providing notice and hearing requirements; repealing s. 310.081(3), Florida Statutes, relating to the method of filling vacancies in the number of licensed pilots; reviving and readopting chapter 310, Florida Statutes, as amended, notwithstanding the provisions of the Regulatory Reform Act of 1976; providing for retroactivity; providing an effective date.

On motions by Senator Henderson, by two-thirds vote SB 310 was read the second time by title and by two-thirds vote was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—35

Table with 4 columns of names: Mr. President, Barron, Castor, Chamberlin, Childers, W. D., Dunn, Firestone, Gallen, Glisson, Gordon, Gorman, Graham, Hair, Henderson, Holloway, MacKay, McClain, Myers, Peterson, Poston

Renick	Skinner	Trask	Wilson
Saylor	Thomas, Jon	Vogt	Winn
Scarborough	Thomas, Pat	Ware	Zinkil
Scott	Tobiassen	Williamson	

Nays—4

Childers, Don	Johnston	Plante	Spicola
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SB 311—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire prevention and control; amending s. 633.061, Florida Statutes; deleting references to Class D licenses and Class 4 permits; requiring completion of certain courses prior to renewal of permits; establishing prerequisites for the issuance of a license or permit; deleting exception to certification requirements for certain plumbing contractors; extending the hydrostatic test interval for aluminum shell fire extinguishers; providing for the adoption of certain rules; providing for the gradual elimination of inverting water type fire extinguishers; amending s. 633.083(1), (2), Florida Statutes; removing the prohibition against bromochlorodifluoromethane fire extinguishers; prohibiting the offering for sale, selling, or giving of any toxic or poisonous vaporizing liquid fire extinguisher or any fire extinguisher which lacks a permanent serial number; providing a penalty; amending s. 633.171(2), Florida Statutes; increasing the penalty for certain violations; applying provisions relating to habitual misdemeanants to such violations; eliminating the penalty for stealing a fire extinguisher; amending s. 633.521 (1)-(4), (6), Florida Statutes; providing for the administration of certain examinations by the State Fire Marshal; providing for alternative versions of such examinations; providing for the preparation, administration, and scoring of such examinations; eliminating inspection to determine financial responsibility and credit and business reputation as a prerequisite to the taking of such examinations; requiring certificate holders to pass such examination prior to renewal of the certificate; amending s. 633.534(3)(a), (e), Florida Statutes; providing circumstances for the revocation of a certificate; providing rights and responsibilities in the event of the death of a certificate holder; requiring the State Fire Marshal to be responsible for approving the design of and inspecting the construction of certain systems; amending s. 633.537(1), Florida Statutes; correcting a typographical error; providing that the State Fire Marshal may make certain inspections; reviving and readopting certain sections of chapter 633, Florida Statutes, as amended, notwithstanding the provisions of the Regulatory Reform Act of 1976; providing for retroactivity; providing an effective date.

On motion by Senator Henderson, by two-thirds vote SB 311 was read the second time by title.

Senator Henderson moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 1—On page 7, lines 8 and 17, after "(d)" on both lines insert: , or a business organization or a governmental entity seeking initial licensure or renewal of an existing license solely for the purpose of inspecting, servicing, repairing, recharging, and maintaining fire extinguishers used and located on the premises of, and owned by such organization or entity

On motion by Senator Henderson, further consideration of SB 311 as amended was deferred. The bill was ordered engrossed.

On motion by Senator Scarborough, consideration of SB 14 was deferred.

SB 148—A bill to be entitled An act relating to memorials, museums, and fine arts; amending ss. 265.13, 265.14, 265.15, 265.151, 592.13, Florida Statutes, redesignating the Stephen Foster Memorial and the Stephen Foster Memorial Board of Trustees as the Stephen Foster Center and the Stephen Foster Center Board of Trustees, respectively; authorizing the board to erect and maintain a center for the performing arts; providing an effective date.

On motions by Senator MacKay, by two-thirds vote SB 148 was read the second time by title and by two-thirds vote was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Mr. President	Gorman	Peterson	Tobiassen
Barron	Graham	Plante	Trask
Castor	Hair	Poston	Vogt
Chamberlin	Henderson	Renick	Ware
Childers, Don	Holloway	Saylor	Williamson
Dunn	Johnston	Scarborough	Wilson
Firestone	Lewis	Scott	Winn
Gallen	MacKay	Skinner	Zinkil
Glisson	McClain	Spicola	
Gordon	Myers	Thomas, Pat	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—W. D. Childers

On motions by Senator W. D. Childers, by two-thirds vote Senate Bills 196, 15, 18, 80 and 104 were added to the special order calendar.

SB 196—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Real Estate License Law; amending s. 475.01(2), Florida Statutes; providing that a resident manager and one nonresident manager employed by a registered real estate broker to manage an apartment complex are excluded from the definition of "real state broker" and from the definition of "real estate salesman" for licensing and registration purposes; providing an effective date.

On motion by Senator Scott, by two-thirds vote SB 196 was read the second time by title.

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs offered the following amendment which was moved by Senator Scott and adopted:

Amendment 1—On page 3, line 11, strike "a" and insert: one

On motion by Senator Scott, by two-thirds vote SB 196 as amended was read the third time by title, passed, ordered engrossed and then certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Mr. President	Graham	Plante	Tobiassen
Barron	Hair	Poston	Trask
Castor	Henderson	Renick	Vogt
Childers, Don	Holloway	Saylor	Ware
Childers, W. D.	Johnston	Scarborough	Williamson
Firestone	Lewis	Scott	Wilson
Gallen	MacKay	Skinner	Winn
Glisson	McClain	Spicola	Zinkil
Gordon	Myers	Thomas, Jon	
Gorman	Peterson	Thomas, Pat	

Nays—None

SB 15—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of aircraft and pilots; repealing ss. 330.02, 330.03, 330.06-330.11, 330.13-330.16, 330.18-330.25, Florida Statutes, and s. 330.12, Florida Statutes, as amended, relating to the licensing and regulation of aircraft and pilots, and the registration of aircraft; providing an effective date.

On motions by Senator Gallen, by two-thirds vote SB 15 was read the second time by title and by two-thirds vote was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Mr. President	Gorman	Peterson	Tobiassen
Barron	Graham	Plante	Trask
Castor	Hair	Poston	Vogt
Chamberlin	Henderson	Renick	Ware
Childers, Don	Holloway	Saylor	Williamson
Childers, W. D.	Johnston	Scott	Wilson
Firestone	Lewis	Skinner	Winn
Gallen	MacKay	Spicola	Zinkil
Glisson	McClain	Thomas, Jon	
Gordon	Myers	Thomas, Pat	

Nays—1

Scarborough

SB 18—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cruelty to animals; amending s. 828.073(2), (3), Florida Statutes; providing that no fee shall be charged for filing a petition for a hearing with respect to disposition of a cruelly treated or neglected animal, nor shall a fee be charged for service of process in such a case; changing the time limitation for conduct of the hearing on the petition; correcting a reference to the title of the judge having jurisdiction of such a proceeding; providing an effective date.

On motions by Senator Gorman, by two-thirds vote SB 18 was read the second time by title and by two-thirds vote was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

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| Mr. President | Gorman | Peterson | Thomas, Pat |
| Barron | Graham | Plante | Tobiassen |
| Castor | Hair | Poston | Trask |
| Chamberlin | Henderson | Renick | Vogt |
| Childers, Don | Holloway | Sayler | Ware |
| Childers, W. D. | Johnston | Scarborough | Williamson |
| Dunn | Lewis | Scott | Wilson |
| Firestone | MacKay | Skinner | Winn |
| Gallen | McClain | Spicola | Zinkil |
| Glisson | Myers | Thomas, Jon | |

Nays—1

Gordon

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, consideration of SB 80 was deferred.

By the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal—

CS for SB 104—A bill to be entitled An act relating to restrictions on employment or promotion of relatives by public officials; amending s. 116.111, Florida Statutes; providing a criminal penalty for violation of such restrictions; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and SB 104 was laid on the table.

On motion by Senator Johnston, by two-thirds vote CS for SB 104 was read the second time by title.

On motion by Senator Barron, further consideration of CS for SB 104 was deferred.

On motion by Senator W. D. Childers, the Senate adjourned at 3:49 p.m. to convene at 8:30 a.m., April 5, 1978, for the purpose of introduction and reference of resolutions, memorials, bills and joint resolutions.