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The Senate was called to order by Senator Henderson at 8:30 a.m. for the purpose of conducting the order of business of introduction and reference of resolutions, memorials, bills and joint resolutions pursuant to Rule 4.3.

## INTRODUCTION

By Senator Wilson—

SB 653—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parking for the physically disabled; amending s. 316.1955(6)(b), Florida Statutes; authorizing persons chauffeuring certain disabled persons to park on the public streets or highways, or in any metered parking space without penalty; amending s. 316.1956(1), (3), Florida Statutes; authorizing certain persons to park in certain parking spaces designated for the exclusive use of physically disabled persons; amending s. 316.1964, Florida Statutes; replacing identification stickers with parking cards to be displayed on the vehicle used in transporting or used by a disabled person; prescribing qualifications for issuance of such cards and certificates; allowing transfer of the parking card from motor vehicle to motor vehicle; prohibiting certain entities from exacting a fee from or imposing a penalty upon certain persons for parking in certain spaces; prohibiting the fraudulent obtaining or unlawful use of a parking card, or the use of a replica thereof with intent to deceive; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon (by request)—

SB 654—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation of intangible personal property; amending s. 199.042(2), Florida Statutes; designating the time when intangible personal property taxes are due; amending s. 199.052(7)(a), (c), Florida Statutes, and adding a new paragraph to said subsection; providing that every person who takes, receives, or records any note, bond, or other obligation secured by mortgage, deed of trust, or other lien upon real property situated in this state shall pay such a tax; providing that a county comptroller may collect such taxes; providing penalties for the failure to pay such taxes within a specified time; amending s. 199.072(1), Florida Statutes; exempting options to purchase real property from such taxation; providing for applicability of act; 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 Gordon (by request)—

SB 655—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; amending s. 199.242(3), Florida Statutes; including payment or tender of interest, or filing of a bond conditioned on such payment, as a prerequisite to judicial review of intangible personal property tax assessments; adding s. 214.25(4), Florida Statutes; providing prerequisite for judicial review of certain nonproperty taxes or penalties; 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 Gordon (by request)—

SB 656—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the corporate income tax; amending s. 220.03(1)(h), (2), Florida Statutes; defining the term "Internal Revenue Code" as used in the Florida Income Tax Code; 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 Gordon (by request)—

SB 657—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; adding s. 199.262(5), Florida Statutes; providing that certain intangible tax executions are void 7 years after issuance; providing for cancellation of such executions; 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 Gordon (by request)—

SB 658—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Income Tax Code; amending s. 220.13(1)(b), Florida Statutes; allowing, in computing adjusted federal income, a deduction of a portion of certain wages and salaries paid or incurred; providing for retroactive operation; 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 Gordon (by request)—

SB 659—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the intangible personal property tax; amending s. 199.052(2), Florida Statutes; specifying when agents, fiduciaries, and other persons are required to file and pay the tax; 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 Gordon (by request)—

SB 660—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; creating s. 192.105, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the disclosure of certain federal tax information; providing exceptions; providing a penalty; 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 Gordon (by request)—

SB 661—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; amending s. 220.222(1), Florida Statutes; providing the time for filing certain corporate income 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 Gordon (by request)—

SB 662—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Probate Code; amending s. 731.111, Florida Statutes; authorizing the Department of Revenue to enter a claim against an estate after the statutory 3-month period following publication of notice to creditors has elapsed under certain circumstances; 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 Holloway—

SB 663—A bill to be entitled An act relating to certification of social workers; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; prohibiting uncertified persons from holding themselves out to be certified; providing for application and renewal procedures; providing qualifications; providing for ap-

plication and renewal fees and the disposition thereof; providing for revocation of certificate; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Castor—

SB 664—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the county annual budget; amending s. 129.01(1), Florida Statutes, removing the specified lists of county funds for which a county must prepare, approve, adopt, and execute an annual budget; amending s. 129.06(1)(a) and (2), Florida Statutes, to provide for a modified accrual system of accounting, intra-departmental budget amendments, and the expenditure of receipts for an enterprise and/or proprietary fund; amending s. 129.07, Florida Statutes, allowing expenditures for individual items to exceed the budget, provided that the fund's budget is not exceeded; 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 665—A bill to be entitled An act relating to liability insurance; requiring the insurer to exercise reasonable care to protect the interest of the insured; providing liability for damages, attorney's fees, and costs for failure to use such care; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Plante—

SB 666—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Municipal Firemen's Pension Trust Fund; repealing s. 175.122, Florida

Statutes, relating to the limitation on the amount of moneys received by participating municipalities from the fund; 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 Trask—

SB 667—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of geology; creating the "Florida Geological Practice Act"; providing intent; providing definitions; providing scope; creating the Florida Commission of Professional Geologists; providing for membership, organization, headquarters, and meetings of the commission; providing for staff and other expenses; providing powers and duties; providing for records; establishing a roster of professional geologists; providing qualifications for registration; providing for provisional registration; providing for reciprocity; providing for practice by firms, corporations, and partnerships; establishing application fees; providing for receipts and disbursements; providing for issuance of certificate of registration; establishing a registrant's seal; providing for renewals; providing for replacement of certain certificates and for suspension or revocation of certificates and for probation of certificate holders; prohibiting certain activities; providing a penalty; providing for enforcement; providing exemptions and exclusions; adding a new subsection (30) to s. 455.01, Florida Statutes, declaring the commission to be an administrative board; providing an effective date.

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

The Senate adjourned at 8:35 a.m. to convene at 8:30 a.m., Tuesday, April 11, 1978, for the purpose of introduction and reference of resolutions, memorials, bills and joint resolutions and thereafter to reconvene at 9:00 a.m.