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The Senate was called to order by Senator Hill 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. Senator Scott represented the Committee on Rules and Calendar and the Minority Party.

## INTRODUCTION

By Senator Henderson—

SB 640—A bill to be entitled An act relating to energy audits; creating s. 377.81, Florida Statutes; requiring an energy audit prior to sale of a residence; requiring adoption of rules; 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 Henderson—

SB 641—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Income Tax Code; adding paragraph (o) to subsection (1) of s. 220.03, Florida Statutes, defining "solar energy system"; amending s. 220.12(1), Florida Statutes, and creating s. 220.145, Florida Statutes, exempting income derived from the manufacture and sale of solar energy systems from taxation under the corporate income tax; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Henderson—

SB 642—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Canal Authority of the State of Florida; providing legislative intent; amending section 5 of chapter 79-167, Laws of Florida; providing for the maintenance of canal authority lands exclusively for the purposes and functions specified in chapter 374, Florida Statutes, until the deauthorization of the Cross Florida Barge Canal by the United States Congress; providing for the maintenance and disposition of lands upon deauthorization; authorizing the Department of Natural Resources to expend funds from the Cross Florida Barge Canal Trust Fund; repealing s. 374.031, Florida Statutes; relating to the board of directors of the canal authority; directing that changes in terminology in the Florida Statutes be made; amending section 16 of chapter 79-167, Laws of Florida; providing that sections 1, 5(1), and 7 of said act shall take effect July 1, 1980, transferring the canal authority to the department by a type three transfer as defined in s. 20.06(3), Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scott—

SB 643—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax exemptions; amending s. 196.101(4), Florida Statutes; providing for automatic, periodic increases in the maximum income limitation prescribed for certain totally and permanently disabled persons to be entitled to a total exemption of their homesteads; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Scott, Poole and Jenne—

SJR 644—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 9 of Article XII of the State Constitution relating to motor vehicle fuel taxes.

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

By Senator McKnight—

SB 645—A bill to be entitled An act regulating the trapping or taking of spiny lobsters; amending s. 1, ch. 79-133, Laws of Florida; revising the boundary description of the spiny lobster sanctuary located within the waters of Biscayne Bay and Card Sound; prohibiting any person from taking or trapping, within such area, any spiny lobster of the genus *Panulirus* unless such person has been issued a permit; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dunn—

SB 646—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the security of the governor; amending s. 14.071, Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to provide security for the governor, his immediate family, and the governor's mansion; requiring the executive director to assign personnel to provide such security; providing that security personnel traveling with the governor or his family away from Tallahassee may be reimbursed for actual expenses; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator McKnight—

SB 647—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; amending s. 20.19 (17), Florida Statutes; establishing the Management Fellows Program; providing for designation of management fellows to be appointed for 1 year; providing authority for the department to grant special pay increases to management fellows; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator McKnight—

SB 648—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public health; adding subsection (4) to s. 381.031, Florida Statutes, and amending s. 386.03 (2)(c), Florida Statutes, and adding a paragraph thereto, authorizing the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to impose administrative fines to enforce the Sanitary Code of Florida and to deter sanitary nuisances; amending s. 513.10, Florida Statutes, correcting and updating a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 649—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of professions and occupations; repealing s. 455.231, Florida Statutes, as amended, which requires businesses licensed by the

Department of Professional Regulation to display notice of licensure and regulation and provides for a penalty for failure to comply; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 650—A bill to be entitled An act relating to automobile title certificates; amending s. 319.31(2), Florida Statutes; requiring certificates to contain a place for the buyer's signature; prohibiting the notarization of title transfers or the acceptance for transfer by tax collector or other agent of the state unless signed by buyer; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gorman—

SB 651—A bill to be entitled An act relating to licensees under the Beverage Law; amending s. 562.45(2), Florida Statutes; authorizing municipalities and counties to enact certain ordinances with respect to licensees under the Beverage Law; providing an effective date.

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

SR 652—Introduced and adopted April 15

By Senator Maxwell—

SB 653—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the district school system; amending s. 230.2311(1), Florida Statutes, to authorize rather than require that mastery of the basic skills be developed through specified basic programs; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grizzle—

SB 654—A bill to be entitled An act relating to naming wayside parks; designating the wayside parks at both ends of the Sunshine Skyway Bridge which crosses Tampa Bay on highway U.S. 19, as the U.S.S. Blackthorn Memorial Parks; providing for the erection of appropriate markers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 655—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Metropolitan Dade County Transit Authority; providing an appropriation to compensate the county for its loss of revenue sustained by overpayment of motor vehicle license taxes on county buses; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master, Ways and Means Subcommittee D and the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Dunn—

SB 656—A bill to be entitled An act relating to engineering; amending s. 471.023(3), Florida Statutes; specifying liability of engineering partnerships and corporations and employees, officers, agents, partners, and shareholders thereof for negligent acts, wrongful acts, and misconduct; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Gordon, Steinberg, Winn, Hill, Anderson, McKnight, Henderson, Jenne, Myers and Holloway—

SB 657—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State University System; amending s. 240.523(1), Florida Statutes;

requiring the State Board of Education and the State Board of Regents to complete the establishment of a degree-granting 4-year university in Dade County by adding a lower division to Florida International University; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator McClain—

SB 658—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the district courts of appeal; amending s. 35.05, Florida Statutes; authorizing each district court of appeal to designate locations within its district as branch headquarters; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Holloway—

SB 659—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elevator inspection; amending s. 399.13, Florida Statutes; providing that under certain conditions municipalities and counties may inspect elevators in certain educational facilities; providing for waiver, by municipalities and counties, of permit and inspection fees for certain publicly owned buildings 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 Senator Tobiassen—

SB 660—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating the Florida Senior Citizens Elementary and Secondary Education Enrichment Program for persons 60 years of age or older; providing purpose; providing powers and duties of the Department of Education; providing duties of admissions officers and registrars at participating community colleges and universities; providing responsibilities of, and procedures to be followed by, district school boards; adding a new subsection (28) to s. 240.227, Florida Statutes; requiring universities to establish rules providing for waiver of fees and academic prerequisites for program participants; providing limitations; adding subsection (4) to s. 240.235, Florida Statutes, relating to fees, to conform; adding subsection (4) to s. 240.319, Florida Statutes; requiring community college boards of trustees to establish rules providing for waiver of fees and academic prerequisites for program participants; providing limitations; adding paragraph (d) to s. 240.345(2), Florida Statutes, relating to financial support of community colleges, to conform; providing effective dates.

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

SR 661—Introduced and adopted April 9

By Senator McClain—

SB 662—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of bail bondsmen and runners; amending s. 648.25(6), Florida Statutes; allowing general lines agents to employ runners; adding s. 648.27(9), Florida Statutes; providing a procedure for application for a general agent's permit; creating s. 648.301, Florida Statutes; requiring general agents to obtain a permit and pay a fee; amending s. 648.31(1), Florida Statutes; increasing certain license fees; amending s. 648.34(3), Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Insurance to collect a fee from applicants to be bail bondsmen to cover the cost of a credit report; creating s. 648.351, Florida Statutes; exempting bail bondsmen, runners, and applicants for licensure as bail bondsmen or runners from the provisions of Chapter 112, Florida Statutes; amending s. 648.36(1), Florida Statutes; requiring bail bondsmen and general lines agents to maintain and keep open for inspection by the Commissioner of Insurance certain records for 3 years; adding s. 648.37(1)(e), Florida Statutes; providing certain qualification requirements for runners; amending s. 648.37(2), Florida Statutes; requiring a fee of \$15 to accompany an application to be a runner; creating s. 648.421, Florida Statutes; requiring licensees under chapter 648, Florida Statutes, to notify the Department of Insurance of any change of address; amending s. 648.44, Florida Statutes; providing prohibitions for bail bondsmen and runners;

creating s. 648.441, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the furnishing of certain supplies to persons not licensed as bail bondsmen; providing penalties; amending s. 648.45, Florida Statutes; providing for the denial, suspension, or revocation of licenses in certain circumstances; amending s. 648.46(1), Florida Statutes; providing for immediate revocation of licenses upon conviction of a felony; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Poole—

SB 663—A bill to be entitled An act relating to scholarships for Seminole and Miccosukee Indians; amending s. 240.413, Florida Statutes; creating a fund from which to award such scholarships; providing criteria for the selection of scholarship recipients; providing that such scholarships not exceed a specified amount; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Fechtel—

SB 664—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legislation; creating s. 11.077, Florida Statutes, requiring all appropriations bills to be accompanied by truth in spending statements; providing for the content of such statements; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations, Ways and Means and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 665—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Teachers' Retirement System; creating s. 238.081, Florida Statutes; providing for an increase in retirement benefits to retirees and surviving spouses and beneficiaries based upon years of creditable service; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thomas—

SB 666—A bill to be entitled An act relating to land sales; amending s. 498.005, Florida Statutes; deleting the definitions of "active" and "inactive" registrations; deleting leases of no more than 5 years from the definition of "disposition"; amending s. 498.007, Florida Statutes; providing for equitable relief and venue for actions commenced by the Division of Florida Land Sales and Condominiums of the Department of Business Regulation; limiting the extent to which registrations filed in other states or with the Federal Government will be accepted; requiring accounting methods to conform to the rules of the Board of Accountancy; amending s. 498.017, Florida Statutes; revising the renewal schedule; providing for increased penalty fees for delinquent renewals; providing increased filing fees; deleting references to active or inactive registrations; amending s. 498.023(1)-(3), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the offer or disposition made within this state to persons without the state of subdivided land located without the state; increasing the period during which the purchase contract may be cancelled; requiring sales contracts to include provisions for specific inspection and refund rights for certain purchasers; amending s. 498.025(1)-(3), Florida Statutes; providing for an exemption for the offer or disposition of no more than 25 lots by any person; correcting a cross-reference; limiting use of a certain exception; providing for the subdivider to file a notice of exemption with the division prior to offering exempted property; clarifying the paving requirement for roads and streets; providing for all promised improvements and recreational facilities to be completed; providing for all sales of exempted encumbered subdivided land to be by cash, or by deed and first mortgage with all sale proceeds escrowed, closing to occur within 120 days, and title to be conveyed by general warranty deed; amending s. 498.027(1)(b), (f), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the registration or disposition of portions of platted lots; amending s. 498.029(1), Florida Statutes; providing for applicants to agree to a delay of the approval of applications

for a specified period of time; amending s. 498.031, Florida Statutes; providing for division inquiry into whether registered property is or will be made useable for the purpose for which it is sold; providing for the denial of an application which does not comply with s. 498.027, Florida Statutes; providing for all applicants to submit personal biographical information; exempting certain persons from the requirement to submit fingerprints; amending s. 498.033(2), (3), (7), Florida Statutes; providing for the registrant to comply with all obligations contained in the registration; providing for the registrant to obtain prior approval of any material change in the facts or obligations disclosed in the registration; providing for the division to accept financial statements which have been audited by a certified public accountant registered in any state or territory of the United States or in the District of Columbia; providing for the annual recertification of improvement cost estimates by a licensed professional engineer; amending s. 498.039, Florida Statutes; providing for discretion in requiring encumbrance escrow accounts; providing for periodic encumbrance reports to include the status of property tax payments; providing for requiring escrow accounts if the registrant is responsible for paying the property taxes and offers the property by contract for purchase, or if the property taxes are delinquent; amending s. 498.041, Florida Statutes; providing for an annual renewal of each registration, which annual renewal shall consist of a renewal fee and an annual report; providing for renewal standards for a consolidated registration; providing for the division to implement by rule an alphabetical schedule for annual renewals; providing for transitional adjustments to the annual renewal requirements; repealing s. 498.043, Florida Statutes, as amended, relating to annual reports; amending s. 498.045(2), (9), (10), Florida Statutes; providing a cross-reference to fee provisions; providing for increased fines for brokers and salesmen; providing a general requirement that the purchase contract contain a voidability clause which complies with the requirements of the chapter; amending s. 498.049(1)(d), (e), Florida Statutes, and adding paragraph (f) to said subsection, providing a cross-reference to the additional grounds for suspension and revocation; amending s. 498.049(4), Florida Statutes; providing for the imposition of civil penalties by the division by order; providing for the division to impose other appropriate remedies; providing for joint and several liability among those persons who materially participate in a violation of chapter 498, Florida Statutes; providing for a person to be able to waive in writing the delayed effect of an order imposing a civil penalty; removing the provision for venue for actions commenced by the division; amending s. 498.051(1), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (3) to said section; providing for a cease and desist order upon a material change in the facts or obligations disclosed in the registration; providing for the division to be empowered to order a subdivider who is the object of a cease and desist order to notify purchasers of their right to rescind their purchases, and to establish a trust or escrow account to protect the interests of purchasers; amending s. 498.053, Florida Statutes, providing for the division to issue additional notices to show cause; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Stuart—

SB 667—A bill to be entitled An act relating to housing; creating part VI of chapter 420, Florida Statutes; providing findings; providing definitions; creating the Florida Housing Finance Agency in the Department of Community Affairs; specifying membership, terms, powers, duties, and quorum; providing for personnel; authorizing revenue bonds; providing for investment of funds; providing for loans, grants, and advances; providing that specified property of the agency is not exempt from taxation; providing that bonds of the agency constitute legal investments; providing severability; 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 Ways and Means.

By Senator Poole—

SB 668—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the leasing of personal property; amending ss. 818.01 and 818.03, Florida

Statutes; prohibiting the sale or purchase of leased personal property without the lessor's consent; providing a penalty; providing prima facie evidence; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scarborough—

SB 669—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax on cigarettes; amending s. 210.05(1), Florida Statutes; requiring cigarette tax stamps in the form of heat fusion of decals; amending ss. 210.07, 210.11, 210.15(2), and 210.18(3), Florida Statutes; deleting provisions relating to meter impression of stamps; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Stuart—

SJR 670—A joint resolution proposing the creation of Section 16 of Article VII of the State Constitution, relating to bonds for housing and related facilities.

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

By Senator Anderson—

SB 671—A bill to be entitled An act relating to energy; amending s. 553.73(1), Florida Statutes, and adding subsection (8) to said section; specifying energy conservation standards for minimum building codes; creating ss. 553.9065, 514.09, Florida Statutes; requiring use of alternative energy sources in certain new buildings and swimming pools; amending s. 553.87, Florida Statutes; requiring provision for installation of solar water heat and waste heat recovery equipment in any building for which a permit is issued after a certain date; creating s. 553.9035, Florida Statutes; requiring adoption of a model energy efficiency code; amending s. 553.903, Florida Statutes; designating part VII of chapter 553, Florida Statutes, as a statewide uniform code; amending ss. 553.904, 553.905, 553.906, Florida Statutes; providing that certain buildings need not meet thermal efficiency standards more stringent than the model code; authorizing inclusion of costs of solar water heaters in certain loans; repealing s. 553.902(1)(f), (6)-(8), Florida Statutes, relating to definitions and exemptions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Frank—

SB 672—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 233.09(5)(b), Florida Statutes, restricting the number of instructional materials which may be recommended by state instructional materials councils to the Department of Education; providing for conditional repeal; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Frank—

SB 673—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating s. 232.0315, Florida Statutes; requiring a medical examination prior to initial entry into a public or nonpublic school; providing exceptions; providing for adoption of rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Anderson—

SB 674—A bill to be entitled An act relating to saltwater fisheries; amending s. 370.08(2)(b), Florida Statutes; providing that a prohibition on attaching nets to certain structures not apply to any catwalk designed for fishing; amending s. 370.15(5), Florida Statutes; prohibiting the use of more than

one shrimp trap at any time; 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 Anderson—

SB 675—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; adding s. 627.666(2)(c), Florida Statutes; providing that a "limiting age" policy provision shall not prescribe a succeeding insurer's liability for certain dependent children on replacement of a group disability policy under certain conditions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Frank—

SB 676—A bill to be entitled An act relating to energy resources; creating s. 377.706, Florida Statutes, establishing the Florida Energy Institute within the Executive Office of the Governor; prescribing powers and duties; transferring the Florida Solar Energy Center into the institute; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole—

SB 677—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Parole and Probation Commission; urging a recommendation from the Supreme Court on implementation of sentencing guidelines by January 1, 1982; amending s. 947.002(2), Florida Statutes; providing for consideration of term of sentence imposed; amending s. 947.16(3), Florida Statutes; limiting retention of jurisdiction by judges for purpose of parole release; amending s. 947.165, Florida Statutes; relating to commission deviations from the parole guidelines, and revisions in guidelines; adding s. 947.172(5), Florida Statutes; providing for departure from parole guidelines by hearing examiners or the commission; amending s. 947.173(3), Florida Statutes; providing for review of presumptive parole release date; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 678—A bill to be entitled An act relating to physically disabled persons; amending s. 413.08, Florida Statutes; requiring equality for disabled persons with respect to public conveyances, public accommodations, amusements or resorts, places to which the general public is invited, and housing accommodations; 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 Senators Barron and W. D. Childers—

SB 679—A bill to be entitled An act relating to game and freshwater fish; amending s. 372.57(4)(e), Florida Statutes, exempting permanently and totally disabled persons from hunting license requirements; amending s. 372.573(2), Florida Statutes, exempting permanently and totally disabled persons from the payment of permit fees to hunt on public recreational lands; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 680—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public meetings; amending s. 286.26, Florida Statutes; providing that said section, which requires public bodies and agencies to provide a manner by which physically handicapped persons may attend meetings of such bodies or agencies, shall not be construed to permit the use of human physical assistance, as opposed to

the use of ramps or mechanical devices; 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 Senators McKnight and Steinberg—

SB 681—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regional burn treatment centers; authorizing the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to establish a program of regional burn treatment centers and to grant funds to licensed university hospitals to implement the program; authorizing the adoption of rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 682—A bill to be entitled An act relating to building construction standards; amending s. 553.74(1), Florida Statutes; increasing from 15 to 17 the membership of the Board of Building Codes and Standards of the Department of Community Affairs; revising a membership requirement; providing for conditional repeal; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Steinberg—

SB 683—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserve; adding s. 258.165(2)(c), (d), Florida Statutes; authorizing the transfer of state lands to the Federal Government if designated a national park; providing for the retention of certain interests; providing for the observance of the public interest and outstanding interests of record; granting legislative approval and requiring public notice; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Steinberg—

SB 684—A bill to be entitled An act relating to real estate brokers and salesmen; amending s. 475.183(3), Florida Statutes; exempting from certain continuing education requirements any government employee who has been required as a condition of his employment to place his salesman's or broker's license in an inactive status to avoid a conflict of interest; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Winn—

SB 685—A bill to be entitled An act relating to diabetes; creating ss. 241.7511, 241.7531, 241.7551, and 241.7571, Florida Statutes, relating to diabetes centers and the Diabetes Advisory Council; providing for future repeal of s. 241.7551, Florida Statutes, and legislative review in accordance with the Sundown Act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Maxwell—

SB 686—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating s. 231.481, Florida Statutes, authorizing district school boards to provide terminal pay for accrued vacation leave; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Maxwell—

SB 687—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public schools; amending s. 232.247, Florida Statutes; including certain physically handicapped students among the exceptional students allowed to meet special graduation requirements; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Maxwell (by request)—

SB 688—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Calvin C. Sherman; providing an appropriation to compensate him for the negligent deprivation of his employment; providing an effective date.

—was read the first time by title and referred to the Special Master, Ways and Means Subcommittee D and the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Poole—

SB 689—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcoholism; amending s. 316.193(5), Florida Statutes; removing the prohibition against the authorized agency for alcoholism treatment of persons convicted of certain offenses involving vehicles being the same agency which conducts alcohol evaluation and education; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Frank—

SB 690—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating the "Teacher Burn Out Act"; providing for sabbatical leave for district school instructional staff members; providing for partial compensation; limiting other compensation of persons receiving such leave; authorizing expenditure of Florida Education Finance Program Funds and district funds; providing for adoption of rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Frank—

SB 691—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; requiring the Department of Education, in cooperation with certain expert researchers, to conduct certain studies and develop and submit to the Legislature recommendations for program cost factors to be used in the Florida Education Finance Program; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dunn—

SB 692—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Administrative Procedure Act; adding s. 120.52(14)(f), Florida Statutes; excluding certain law enforcement policies and procedures from the definition of "rule"; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Scott—

SB 693—A bill to be entitled An act relating to building construction standards; amending s. 553.73(1), Florida Statutes, relating to adoption of State Minimum Building Codes by local governments and state agencies with building construction regulation responsibilities; 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 694—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Community Affairs; amending s. 20.18, Florida Statutes; changing the department name to the Department of Veteran and Community Affairs; conforming the section to reflect redesignation of agencies and reassignment of duties pre-

viously made; requiring the Division of Statutory Revision of the Joint Legislative Management Committee to prepare a bill to reflect the changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator McKnight—

SB 695—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers' licenses; amending s. 322.251(1) and (2), Florida Statutes, providing that orders of cancellation, suspension, or revocation of drivers' licenses under chapters 318, 322, or 324, Florida Statutes, or the "Florida Automobile Repairs Reform Act" must meet described requirements; eliminating the requirement that the affidavit proving notice must be sworn to upon the giving of notice; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dunn—

SB 696—A bill to be entitled An act relating to weapons and firearms; amending s. 790.001(8)(f), Florida Statutes, and adding paragraph (g) thereto; including field counsels of the Florida Department of Law Enforcement within the definition of law enforcement officer so as to exempt them from the licensing and penal provisions of chapter 790, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator McKnight—

SB 697—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community colleges; amending s. 240.347, Florida Statutes; providing that funds received by community colleges from revenue sources other than general revenue, federal revenue, and student fees shall remain at the community college which receives them and shall not be considered in the determination of amounts necessary to fund the State Community College Program Fund; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators McKnight, Anderson and Holloway—

SB 698—A bill to be entitled An act relating to land use planning for Monroe County; providing an appropriation to the Monroe County Board of County Commissioners for the purpose of preparing a land use plan element for certain portions of Monroe County; providing, pursuant to agreement, for the inclusion of certain incorporated municipalities in the land use plan element; requiring such agreement to address project cost overruns; providing requirements for such land use plan element; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 699—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation; amending s. 339.08(4)(c), Florida Statutes; authorizing a county to enter into an agreement with the Department of Transportation to provide for the department to acquire rights-of-way for such county under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Henderson—

SB 700—A bill to be entitled An act relating to travel trailer parks; creating part V of chapter 83, Florida Statutes; specifying applicability; providing definitions; requiring good faith; specifying actions which a court may take upon a finding that a travel trailer lot rental agreement is unconscionable; prohibiting certain provisions in rental agreements; providing for

attorney's fees; specifying park owner's right of access; specifying obligations of park owner and trailer owner; providing grounds and proceedings for eviction; providing procedure for removal of trailers; requiring written lease; specifying enforceability of park rules; prohibiting zoning changes and other official action under certain circumstances; providing civil remedies; authorizing enforcement by state attorneys and the Department of Legal Affairs; requiring disclosure of name and address of park owner or agent; providing defenses to action for rent or possession; limiting fees, charges, and assessments; providing penalties; providing restrictions on disposal of trailers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 701—A bill to be entitled An act relating to distress for rent; amending s. 83.11, Florida Statutes; providing for a verified complaint; providing for the filing of an affidavit in support of an action for a distress writ; amending s. 83.12, Florida Statutes; providing that a judge of any competent court may issue a distress writ enjoining the defendant from certain activities; amending s. 83.13, Florida Statutes; providing circumstances under which a levy on property is sufficient service on the defendant; creating s. 83.135, Florida Statutes; providing for a hearing on the motion of the defendant with respect to dissolution of a writ; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 702—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the jurisdiction of the circuit courts; amending s. 26.012(1), Florida Statutes; giving the circuit courts jurisdiction of appeals from county courts except appeals of county court orders and judgments declaring invalid a state statute or provision of the State Constitution; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 703—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporate income tax; amending s. 220.13(1)(a), Florida Statutes; providing for the addition of real property income to the tax base of certain non-U.S. corporations; adding s. 220.13(2)(j), Florida Statutes; defining "taxable income" of non-U.S. corporations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator MacKay—

SB 704—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Florida Probate Code; creating s. 734.1025, Florida Statutes, providing for the determination of the question of claims in Florida against nonresident decedents; providing for the filing by a domiciliary personal representative of authenticated copies of domiciliary probate proceedings in the appropriate Florida circuit court; providing for publication of notice to creditors and the entry of an order deterring that no claims have been filed against the estate; providing for ancillary administration in the event that a claim is filed and validating the publication of notice to creditors after the filing of domiciliary probate proceedings in Florida; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Henderson and Skinner—

SB 705—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida State Museum; amending s. 240.515, Florida Statutes, defining the functions of the Florida State Museum; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Thomas, Henderson, Fechtel, Winn, W. D. Childers, Don Childers, Myers and Steinberg—

**SB 706**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Commerce; creating s. 288.011, Florida Statutes, authorizing the department to determine travel and related expenses with respect to promotional and other duties of the department; providing for rules and creating an advisory committee to approve such rules; repealing ss. 288.03(21)-(23) and 288.34(1)(h), (k), and (l), Florida Statutes, to conform to the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

**SB 707**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to administration and general provisions of the Insurance Code; amending s. 624.502, Florida Statutes; increasing the fee payable to the Department of Insurance when service of process is authorized to be made upon the insurance commissioner and treasurer; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Don Childers—

**SB 708**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school health services; amending s. 402.32(4)(f), Florida Statutes; deleting parent reporting requirement; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Ware and Scott—

**SB 709**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Patient's Compensation Fund; amending s. 768.54(3)(b), Florida Statutes, providing terms for members of the board of governors; providing for alternates; providing for conditional repeal; providing for an effective date.

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

By Senator Anderson—

**SB 710**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcoholic beverage licenses; amending s. 561.20(7)(c), Florida Statutes; permitting racquetball and tennis clubs to be granted licenses without additional municipal and county approval; exempting such clubs from ordinances regulating location; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Carlucci—

**SB 711**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to termination of pregnancies; adding a new subsection (7) to s. 390.001, Florida Statutes, providing for disposal of fetal remains; providing an effective date.

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

The Senate adjourned at 8:45 a.m.