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## INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

### First Reading

By Senators Margolis and Mann—

**SB 706**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax exemption; amending s. 196.011(1), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; authorizing counties to waive the annual application requirement; providing exceptions; requiring reapplication when property is sold; requiring filing of an original application for a percentage of parcels each year; requiring property owners to notify the property appraiser of change in exempt status; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Girardeau—

**SB 707**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juveniles; amending ss. 39.33-39.337, Florida Statutes, relating to the community juvenile arbitration program; changing legislative purpose and authorizing mediation as well as arbitration; providing definitions; mandating rather than authorizing, existence of the program in each judicial circuit; providing for administration of the program; changing the types of cases which may be subject to the program; requiring referral of cases to the program through the state attorney, the assistant state attorney, or the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; changing the qualifications and method of selection of community mediators, arbitrators, and arbitration panel members; requiring a written waiver of speedy trial; providing for a hearing within 21 days of receipt of the complaint; requiring notice of arbitration hearings to additional persons; deleting provisions which exempt persons who issue the complaint from appearance at the hearing; providing for judicial review of mediation agreements or arbitration decisions; authorizing state and local matched funding for the program; providing an appropriation and providing for two positions; providing for the transfer of certain funds; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil, Health and Rehabilitative Services, and Appropriations.

By Senator Stuart—

**SB 708**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonprofit sewer and water companies; amending s. 196.2001(1), Florida Statutes; providing an exception to the requirement that ownership revert to the county in order for the company to maintain an ad valorem tax exemption; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senators Gordon and Fox—

**SB 709**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Public Service Commission; creating s. 350.025, Florida Statutes; limiting the powers of the commission; restricting activities of commission staff; transferring certain duties, functions, records, personnel, property, and appropriation balances from the commission to the Office of the Public Counsel; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Rules and Calendar; and Appropriations.

By Senator Weinstein—

**SB 710**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public employees' collective bargaining; amending ss. 447.203(10), 447.207(5), 447.403, 447.405, 447.407, and 447.409, Florida Statutes; modifying provisions relating to resolution of impasse to provide for submission of all unresolved issues to interest arbitration on a best-last-proposal, issue-by-issue basis and to

provide for binding arbitration with respect thereto; providing that proceedings shall be conducted by an interest arbitrator, rather than by a special master; providing limits on the authority of the interest arbitrator; providing for ratification of the agreement; modifying factors to be considered by the interest arbitrator; deleting provisions calling for submission of unresolved issues to the legislative body of the governmental entity involved for final resolution; modifying provisions regulating qualifications, compensation, and records of special masters, to conform; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Vogt—

**SB 711**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to saltwater fisheries; adding s. 370.15(9), Florida Statutes; requiring a turtle excluder device to be installed in certain otter trawl nets; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jennings—

**SB 712**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water management; requiring the Division of Local Resource Management of the Department of Community Affairs to utilize hydrogeologic data made available by a regional water management district to assess the impact of development on groundwater recharge areas; requiring the division to submit a report and make recommendations to the Governor by June 15, 1984; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Dunn, Mann, Henderson, Castor, Gordon, Malchon, Margolis, Girardeau, Stuart, Frank, Fox, Gersten and Vogt—

**SCR 713**—A concurrent resolution to the Secretary of the United States Department of the Interior, urging him to delete certain tracts from the South Atlantic Outer Continental Shelf lease sale 78 and from the Gulf of Mexico lease sale 79 until certain information has been gathered on such tracts.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Jennings—

**SB 714**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the purchase of certain metals and precious metals; amending s. 812.049(4), (5), (6), and (7), Florida Statutes, revising definitions to exclude reference to precious metals; amending s. 812.051, Florida Statutes; removing provisions relevant to precious metals; reducing the period for which records must be maintained from 3 years to 1 year; providing for inspection by law enforcement officers having jurisdiction; creating s. 812.0515, Florida Statutes; providing for regulation of purchases of certain items made of or containing precious metals (gold, silver, or platinum); defining "dealer," "pawn," "pawnbroker," and "precious metals" for purposes of the act; excluding certain items from consideration as "precious metals"; requiring records of purchase; clarifying that records of sales are not required; providing for forms; requiring that copies of records of purchase be provided to law enforcement authorities; providing for collection of same; providing a required 5-day holding period for items purchased and specifying that such items may not be transferred and shall be kept in plain sight during said period; requiring that records be maintained for 1 year from the date of purchase; providing for inspection of records and of items in plain sight by law enforcement officers having jurisdiction; requiring search warrants in certain cases; exempting dealer-to-dealer transactions, wire transactions, and bulk purchases by dentists or dental laboratories; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Jennings—

**SB 715**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational facilities; amending s. 235.04(1), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement, providing that the State Board of Education may establish procedures for the sale of real property by a district school board, a community college board of trustees, or the Board of Trustees for the Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind; providing criteria for leasing; providing for Legislative review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Governmental Operations.

By Senator McPherson—

**SB 716**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vessels; amending s. 327.01, Florida Statutes; providing a short title; amending s. 327.02(8), (10), (11), (12), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement, and adding subsections (19)-(27) to said section; providing definitions; amending s. 327.03(1), Florida Statutes; providing duties of the Department of Natural Resources; amending ss. 327.10, 327.12, 327.13, 327.14, 327.16, 327.17, 327.18, 327.19, 327.21, 327.24, Florida Statutes; and ss. 327.11, 327.22, 327.23, 327.25, 327.28, Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; providing procedures for registering and numbering vessels; providing for classifying vessels; providing for registration fees; amending ss. 327.30(3), 327.32, 327.33, 327.40, 327.41, 327.50, 327.54, 327.56, 327.60, 327.70, 327.72, Florida Statutes; providing for vessel accident reports and vessel safety regulations; providing standards for safe operation of vessels; providing for liability for negligent operation of a vessel; providing for placement of waterway regulatory markers by ordinance; providing safety regulations for operation of liveries; providing for enforcement; providing penalties; amending ss. 328.01, 328.03, 328.05, 328.07(1), (2), 328.09, 328.11, 328.13(1), 328.15(2), (5), 328.17, Florida Statutes; providing procedures for acquiring a certificate of title of a vessel; providing requirements and penalties regarding certificates of title; providing for notice of liens on vessels; providing for nonjudicial sale of vessels; repealing ss. 327.15, 327.51, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

**SB 717**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sales tax exemption; amending s. 212.08(7)(a), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; exempting certain property sold to the Future Farmers of America Foundation for educational purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senators Kirkpatrick and Castor—

**SB 718**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; creating s. 121.35, Florida Statutes; creating an optional retirement program for faculty and certain administrators within the State University System; providing eligibility criteria; providing procedures for elections of participation in the optional program; specifying contribution rates; providing limitations on benefits; providing for administration of the program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senator Fox—

**SB 719**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a special election for approval or rejection by the electors of Florida of a joint resolution amending Sections 8 and 20 of Article V of the State Constitution relating to the judiciary; providing for publication of notice and for procedures; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil, and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 720**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to thermal efficiency standards; amending s. 553.901, Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; removing a requirement that changes to the Florida Model Energy Efficiency Code be made available to the public by a certain time; amending s. 553.909(1), Florida Statutes; providing electric hot water operating

criteria; amending s. 553.912, Florida Statutes; requiring only air conditioners installed in new buildings in the state to meet certain efficiency standards; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Grant—

**SB 721**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the evaluation and placement of exceptional students; amending s. 230.23(4)(m), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; specifying the hearing officer to conduct a hearing on the evaluation and placement of an exceptional student; providing that a party aggrieved by the outcome of such hearing may seek review in the district court of appeal; providing for educational placement of the child pending completion of proceedings; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education, Governmental Operations, and Appropriations.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 722**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to manufactured housing; amending s. 553.306(12), Florida Statutes; redefining "mobile home" for purposes of construction standards; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Scott—

**SB 723**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to securities transactions; amending s. 517.061(12), Florida Statutes, relating to transactions exempt from provisions requiring the registration of securities; providing a list of purchasers of securities who are excluded from the calculation of the number of purchasers necessary to trigger registration requirements; increasing the number of exempt transactions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Grant—

**SB 724**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school districts; amending s. 200.065(2)(a), (f), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; providing additional time periods for certain required actions to be taken by school districts in fixing millage; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Scott—

**SJR 725**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article V of the State Constitution relating to municipal courts.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil, Rules and Calendar, and Appropriations.

By Senator Fox—

**SB 726**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to job placement; requiring counties to maintain job banks for the use of high school students; providing for notice; providing for public appearances; providing for availability of information; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Education.

By Senator Mann—

**SB 727**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax exemption; amending s. 196.011(1), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; authorizing counties to waive the annual application requirement; providing exceptions; requiring reapplication when property is sold; requiring filing of an original application for a percentage of parcels each year; requiring property owners to notify the property appraiser of change in exempt status; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Castor—

**SCR 728**—A concurrent resolution commending the Belmont Heights Little League Baseball Program in Tampa, Florida.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 729**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state minimum building codes; amending s. 553.73(1), (2), and (7), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement, expanding the requirements within local and state building codes; updating the state minimum building codes; authorizing the Board of Building Codes and Standards to amend the codes; amending s. 553.77(1)(d), Florida Statutes, expanding the authority of the board to issue advisory opinions and providing for the effect of such opinions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Castor—

**SB 730**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 229.814(4), Florida Statutes; raising the minimum age for taking the high school equivalency examination; providing an exception; deleting provisions exempting persons awarded equivalency diplomas from compulsory school attendance requirements; requiring mastery of minimum performance standards; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Weinstein—

**SB 731**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to damages; amending s. 768.042, Florida Statutes; deleting obsolete language; providing that damages shall include interest from the date the cause of action arises; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Thurman—

**SB 732**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to secured transactions; amending s. 679.301(2), Florida Statutes, extending to 20 days the time period for a secured party to file under the Uniform Commercial Code with respect to purchase money security interests; amending s. 679.312(4), Florida Statutes, extending to 20 days the period of time during which a purchase money security interest with respect to the Uniform Commercial Code may be perfected under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Grant—

**SB 733**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 233.067(8), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; specifying the evaluation standards for health education; deleting the requirement of a comprehensive report on health education for the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Myers—

**SB 734**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to obscenity; amending ss. 847.012(1)(f), 847.013(1)(f), 847.07(2), Florida Statutes; expanding the definitions of "Harmful to juveniles", "Harmful to minors", and "obscene"; providing penalties for selling, loaning, exhibiting, or distributing to minors materials or shows which are harmful or obscene; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Myers—

**SB 735**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community development districts; amending s. 190.002(2), (3), Florida Statutes; deleting the distinction between such districts which are under 1,000 acres and those 1,000 acres or larger; amending s. 190.005, Florida Statutes; providing that such districts shall only be established by county or municipal ordinance; amending s. 190.006(1), Florida Statutes; requiring members of a board of supervisors of a district to be citizens of the United States; amending s. 190.007(3), Florida Statutes; authorizing deposit of district funds only in a qualified public depository; renumbering s. 190.021(4), (5), (6), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (4) to said section; providing a limitation on taxes levied by district supervisory boards; amending s. 190.025, Florida Statutes; deleting authority of districts to pay delinquent state, county, district, and municipal taxes on lands in

their boundaries and share in the proceeds of a tax sale; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Myers—

**SB 736**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; providing for the development of a plan for health insurance for retirees of the system; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; Rules and Calendar; and Appropriations.

By Senator Myers—

**SB 737**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tort actions; creating s. 768.58, Florida Statutes, prohibiting the causes of action for wrongful life and wrongful birth; creating s. 768.60, Florida Statutes, prohibiting defense, an award of damages, or a penalty based on the failure or refusal to prevent a live birth; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Myers—

**SB 738**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to physicians; amending s. 458.331(1)(f), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; providing an exemption from disciplinary provisions; creating s. 458.3311, Florida Statutes; providing for prevention and treatment programs for impaired physicians; providing for an advisory committee; providing for consultants; providing for confidentiality; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services.

By Senator Margolis—

**SB 739**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to banking; adding subsection (3) to s. 655.071, Florida Statutes; requiring any state-licensed banking organization to notify the Department of Banking and Finance of its intention to establish an international banking facility; amending s. 658.73(4) and (5), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement, and adding subsection (6) thereto; prescribing examination fees and assessments to be paid by international bank agencies, representative offices and international administrative offices; amending s. 663.01, Florida Statutes; making the definition of "representative office" consistent with an international banking corporation's having more than one representative office; defining "international administrative office"; amending s. 663.02(1), Florida Statutes; providing that international banking agencies shall be subject to state law governing liquidity reserves; amending s. 663.04(2), Florida Statutes; permitting the department to license an international banking corporation to engage in banking business if the international banking corporation could be licensed to operate a federal agency; amending s. 663.06(1) and (5), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; permitting an international banking corporation to establish multiple, separately licensed international bank agencies or representative offices; permitting an international banking corporation to receive certain types of deposits; amending s. 663.07(1), (2), and (4), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement, and adding subsection (5) thereto; providing new asset maintenance and capital equivalency requirements for international banking corporations; requiring international banking corporations to file certain reports with the department; amending s. 663.08, Florida Statutes; relating to certificate of capital accounts; creating s. 663.15, Florida Statutes; providing certain limits on the amounts of the acceptances which an international banking corporation's international bank agencies may create in relation to the corporation's unimpaired capital and surplus and on the amount of liabilities of any one person to the agencies in relation to the corporation's unimpaired capital and surplus; providing for the applicability of certain state laws to loans and investments by international bank agencies; creating s. 663.16, Florida Statutes; permitting any international banking corporation to establish an international administrative office for certain limited purposes; establishing certain licensing and fee requirements for establishing and maintaining an international administrative office; providing for regular examinations of international administrative offices by the department; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senators Scott and Fox—

**SB 740**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 627.727(1), (2), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; providing that uninsured motorist coverage is over and above any motor vehicle liability coverage; prohibiting setoff; deleting requirement that insurer make available excess underinsured motor vehicle coverage; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Barron—

**SR 741**—A Senate resolution honoring secretaries for their contributions to business, industry, education and government.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 742**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Community Affairs; adding s. 163.03(3), Florida Statutes; authorizing the department to adopt rules to implement programs involving awards of funds to other agencies; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gordon—

**SB 743**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Public Service Commission; amending s. 350.01, Florida Statutes; providing for a 5-member, elective commission; specifying terms of office; providing for election from districts; terminating existing terms; repealing ss. 350.001, 350.031, Florida Statutes, relating to legislative intent regarding an elected commission and relating to the Florida Public Service Commission Nominating Council; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Maxwell—

**SB 744**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to district school systems; amending s. 230.03(2), Florida Statutes; providing that a district school board may exercise any power except as expressly prohibited by the State Constitution or general law prerequisites; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Jenne—

**SB 745**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the "Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980"; amending s. 190.002, Florida Statutes; clarifying legislative intent; amending s. 190.004, Florida Statutes; providing technical changes; amending s. 190.005(1), (2), Florida Statutes; providing for a public hearing and a final hearing prior to the establishment of a district; amending s. 190.006(1), (2), Florida Statutes; correcting procedure for staggering the terms of members of a board of supervisors of a district; amending s. 190.011(13), Florida Statutes; deleting authorization for benefit and maintenance taxes; amending s. 190.012, Florida Statutes; providing that a community development district's special powers are subject to approval of state, local, and regional governmental agencies; providing technical changes; amending s. 190.013, Florida Statutes; deleting requirement that the board levy benefit taxes for water control plans; providing for the issuance of bonds and for assessments; amending s. 190.016(2)(a), (8), (9), Florida Statutes; deleting authorization for benefit bonds; authorizing the payment of revenue bonds by special assessment; restricting a district's authority to issue general obligation bonds; amending s. 190.021, Florida Statutes; providing that ad valorem taxes levied by a district to construct, operate, and maintain assessable improvements shall not exceed 5 mills; providing an exception; deleting the district's authority to impose benefit and maintenance taxes; amending s. 190.046(3), Florida Statutes; providing technical changes; amending s. 190.049, Florida Statutes; prohibiting special laws which create an independent special district having certain specified powers of a community development district; amending ss. 190.014, 190.015, 190.023(1), (4), Florida Statutes; providing technical changes and correcting incorrect cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Natural Resources and Conservation; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Plummer—

**SB 746**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Key West, Monroe County; amending section 20 of Article I of Chapter A of chapter 23374, Laws of Florida, 1945, as created by chapter 82-313, Laws of Florida, which provides procedures for sale or lease of city-owned lands; deleting provisions which allow Monroe County an option to purchase; providing that the provisions of said section apply to lease or encumbrance of such lands for 5 years or more, rather than 1 year or more; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Maxwell—

**SB 747**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Indian River County; permitting the possession and use of gill nets for the purpose of fishing on the Indian River within Indian River County; authorizing the Indian River County Commission to issue a gill net license; providing a set fee; providing that such license be valid for a period of 1 year; providing limitations on the use of funds collected; providing that fishing without a license is a criminal offense and misdemeanor; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation, and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Gersten—

**SM 748**—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging Congress to extend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, 33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq., for five more years and to leave the provisions of the act essentially unchanged for such period.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Margolis—

**SB 749**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonprofit health care services plan corporations; adding s. 628.4314(5), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; requiring the appointment of osteopathic physicians to mutual insurers boards of directors; providing for revocation of approval by the department for failure to comply with such requirement; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Beard—

**SB 750**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to firefighters; amending s. 112.18, Florida Statutes; revising the criteria applicable to the creation of the presumption that certain medical conditions of firefighters are accidental and suffered in the line of duty; amending s. 175.231, Florida Statutes; applying the presumption specified in s. 112.18, Florida Statutes, to determinations under municipal firefighter pension systems; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Appropriations.

By Senators Kirkpatrick and Rehm—

**SB 751**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corrections; creating chapter 946, Florida Statutes; providing findings of fact; providing intent; providing definitions; providing for establishment of a nonprofit corporation to operate correctional work programs; providing for leases; providing exemption from workers' compensation and unemployment compensation laws; requiring reports; specifying powers of corporation; providing for use and sale of products of correctional work programs; providing for maintenance of industrial plants; providing for adoption of rules; providing for disposition of compensation received by inmates; amending s. 945.16, Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; deleting obsolete language; repealing s. 944.514, Florida Statutes, relating to private employment of inmates; repealing s. 945.135, Florida Statutes, as amended, relating to operation of the prison industry program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By Senator Grant—

**SB 752**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student and pupil records and reports; amending s. 228.093(2)-(5), Florida Statutes; providing definitions; redefining "student" and "pupil" and providing conforming language; providing for inspection of educational records by certain persons; providing for certain persons to place explanatory or rebuttal material in certain educational records; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 753**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to periodic reexamination of all drivers of motor vehicles; amending s. 322.121(1), (2), Florida Statutes; providing for complete reexamination, including a driving test, every 4 years, for all licensed drivers age 65 or older; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation and Appropriations.

By Senator Jenne—

**SB 754**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; amending ss. 319.25(2), 319.36(4), 320.07(3), 320.27(3)-(5), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; increasing various fees charged by the department; providing for late registration fees; specifying expiration date of dealers' licenses; providing for remote display of vehicles by a dealer without additional license; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Governmental Operations; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 755**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electric or gas utilities; creating s. 366.076, Florida Statutes; authorizing limited regulatory proceedings; amending s. 366.06(3), Florida Statutes; permitting discretionary implementation of certain rates; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 756**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pharmacy; amending s. 465.007(1)(b), Florida Statutes; providing alternative education requirements that a graduate of a foreign pharmacy course shall meet in order to qualify for the licensure examination; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Rehm—

**SB 757**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state communications systems; amending s. 287.251, Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; providing municipalities participating in the state long-distance communications system shall pay initial installation costs for being connected to such system and the initial costs for adding additional facilities to the state communications system; deleting references to service charges and equipment charges; deleting a reference to long-distance communications; amending s. 287.255, Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; clarifying a cost benefit criterion for eligibility to use the system; providing for review of qualifications to use the system; providing rulemaking authority; adding s. 287.272(3), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; authorizing nonprofit corporations established by general law and certain associations to use the state long-distance communications system; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator D. Childers—

**SB 758**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vital statistics; amending ss. 382.29 and 382.35(6) and (7), Florida Statutes; providing minimum and maximum fees to be charged by the State Registrar for record searches, filing delayed certifications, corrections, and new birth certificates, record certification, forwarding certain copies, for expedited pro-

cessing, and for records on computer; providing that certain fees entitle the applicant to one certification; providing for establishment of fees by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services by rule; providing certain requirements with respect to such fees; providing for deposit of such fees, and of the additional marriage license fee, in a trust fund to be used for the administration of chapter 382; repealing ss. 382.46 and 382.47, Florida Statutes, relating to fees for delayed birth certificates; amending s. 382.48, Florida Statutes; correcting a cross reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services, Governmental Operations, and Appropriations.

By Senator Gordon—

**SB 759**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; amending s. 20.19(5)(e), (i), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; creating a District Advisory Council State-wide Coordinating Committee and prescribing its purposes and the minimum frequency of its meetings; requiring the department secretary or deputy secretary to attend certain meetings; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health and Rehabilitative Services, and Appropriations.

By Senator Grant—

**SB 760**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to financial matters; requiring each state agency and each unit of local government that receives federal grants to report on such grants to the Executive Office of the Governor; requiring reports to the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations and Appropriations.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 761**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the corporate income tax community contribution tax credit; amending s. 220.03(1)(y), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; defining a "project"; amending s. 220.183(4)(d), (6)(c), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; revising eligibility requirements of such project; authorizing, rather than requiring, the Department of Community Affairs to monitor such projects; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 762**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public utilities; amending s. 366.06, Florida Statutes; changing the procedure for fixing and changing rates charged by public utilities; requiring utility rates to be established by the Public Service Commission for two consecutive 12-month periods; providing procedures for implementation of rate schedules; establishing criteria for altering rate schedules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Commerce.

By Senator Henderson—

**SB 763**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public service taxation; amending s. 166.231(2), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; increasing the maximum allowable municipal public service tax rate on fuel oil and liquefied natural gas purchases; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Crawford—

**SB 764**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to security required by the Florida Automobile Repairs Reform Act; creating s. 316.647, Florida Statutes; forbidding the operation of certain motor vehicles by certain persons without security; requiring display of proof of security; providing exceptions; providing for dismissal of prosecution upon display of proof of security; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Johnston—

**SB 765**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public educational facilities construction; amending s. 235.26(5)(a), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; providing for reusing certain construction documents under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senators Beard and Barron—

**SB 766**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corrections; amending s. 944.49(1), Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Corrections to require certain inmates to work for political subdivisions; amending s. 945.11, Florida Statutes; requiring the department to enter into agreements with political subdivisions, agencies and institutions of the state, and nonprofit corporations for the use of prisoners in public works; providing that state agencies, state institutions, and nonprofit corporations may be required to reimburse the department for such services; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations.

By Senator Carlucci—

**SB 767**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to victims' bill of rights; amending s. 921.143, Florida Statutes; allowing victims of crimes or their next of kin to appear at the sentence hearing and make oral statements under oath or to submit written statements under oath; requiring state attorneys or assistant state attorneys to notify the victims or their next of kin of the time and place of the hearing; amending s. 921.185, Florida Statutes; providing that victims of crimes or their next of kin have a right to restitution from the person committing the crime for loss of property or injury to person incurred; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Johnston—

**SB 768**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to acquisition of lands and waters for outdoor recreation and conservation; creating s. 375.044, Florida Statutes; requiring that the Department of Natural Resources submit to the Legislature and the Executive Office of the Governor a 10-year comprehensive budget request for the Land Acquisition Trust Fund; amending s. 375.051, Florida Statutes; providing that no individual series of revenue bonds for such acquisition may be issued unless the first year's debt service is appropriated in the General Appropriations Act; revising provisions relating to approval of such bonds; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation, and Appropriations.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 769**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle license taxes; amending s. 320.10(1)(f) and (2), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement, providing that nationally chartered veterans' organizations maintaining state headquarters in Florida, rather than the American Legion, shall be eligible for reduced rate, series "X" license plates; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 770**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax on sales, use and other transactions; adding new paragraph (b) to s. 212.06(5), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; exempting sales of tangible personal property to a nonresident dealer who does not hold a Florida sales tax registration if the property is to be transported outside of the state for resale; requiring such nonresident dealers to furnish a statement declared to be true under penalty of perjury; providing duties of the seller; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

By Senator Margolis—

**SB 771**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electrolysis; providing a short title; providing definitions; creating the Board of Electrolysis in the Department of Professional Regulation; providing membership and terms; requiring licensure of electrologists and providing civil penalties; providing for application and examination for licensure; providing for temporary licenses; providing for establishment and collection of fees; authorizing disciplinary actions against licensees; providing circumstances for renewal of license; requiring that electrolysis be practiced in a permanent establishment; providing exemptions from the act; providing for continuing education; providing for the approval of electrology schools by the department; providing curriculum; providing for licensure of instructors; providing a code of ethics; providing for review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Governmental Operations; and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurman—

**SB 772**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to visitation rights; providing for visitation rights to an unmarried child for parents or grandparents of a deceased parent under certain circumstances; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 773**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans; directing the Secretary of Administration to apply to the Veterans Administration for federal funds for a certain purpose; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Plummer—

**SB 774**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to towing; amending s. 715.07(2)(a), Florida Statutes, increasing the permissible distance for the storage of towed vehicles in certain counties in the state; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Transportation.

By Senator Gersten—

**SB 775**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disabled veterans; amending ss. 196.081(1) and (2), 295.016(1), 295.16, and 322.21(7), Florida Statutes, adding a new subsection (2) to s. 320.084, Florida Statutes, and amending ss. 295.01 and 372.57(4)(e), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; providing that valid identification cards issued in accordance with the provisions of s. 295.17, Florida Statutes, shall be accepted by agencies of state and local governments as proof of eligibility for benefits provided by state law for 100-percent service-connected totally and permanently disabled veterans; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; and Appropriations.

## MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*The Honorable Curtis Peterson, President*

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed as amended House Bills 71 and 498 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

*Allen Morris, Clerk*

By Representative Clements and others—

**HB 71**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement; requiring a law enforcement agency receiving a written missing child report to take certain actions with respect to the report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal.

By the Committee on Judiciary and Representative Drage—

**HB 498**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to service of process; amending s. 48.183, Florida Statutes, allowing service of process on per-

sons 15 years of age or older residing at the usual place of residence of a tenant in an action for possession of residential premises; requiring the landlord to provide the clerk of the court with an additional copy of the summons and complaint together with a prestamped envelope in certain actions for possession of residential premises; requiring the clerk to mail the copy to the defendant at the premises involved; requiring the clerk to keep certain records with respect to such actions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

*The Honorable Curtis Peterson, President*

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed as amended HB 869 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

*Allen Morris, Clerk*

By the Committee on Rules & Calendar—

**HB 869**—A reviser's bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Statutes; amending ss. 11.45(3)(a), 23.0191(1), 23.129, 145.19(2), 160.003(6), 160.02(8), 163.03, 163.3164(18), 165.031(6), 165.052(2), 171.042(2), 189.003(2), 190.009(3), 218.32(1)(c), 218.411(1)(c), 252.34(4), 255.042(3), (4), 288.32(2), 288.503(7), 292.11(4), 295.17(1)(a), 377.703(4), 380.11, 403.504(7)(a), (8)(c), 403.507(1), 403.508(4)(a), 403.517(1)(c), 403.523(7), (8)(b), 403.524(2), 403.526(1), (5), 403.527(3)(a), 403.723(7)(c), 409.503(1), 409.506, 418.12(2), 420.111(8), 420.202(1), (6), 420.424(1), (2), 420.504(1), 420.506, 421.001, 422.001, 423.001, 424.001, 424.03, 424.04, 424.05, 424.06, 424.07, 424.08, 424.09(1), 424.10(1), (3), 424.12, 424.13, 424.14(1), 424.15, 424.16, 424.17, 424.18, 424.19, 424.20, 424.21, 424.22, 427.012(1)(b), 450.211(1), 450.261, 553.36(1), (6), 553.71(2), (4), 744.421, 943.25(4), (11), and 943.405(1), (2), Florida Statutes; amending ss. 20.18(7), (8), 159.27(19), 218.38(3)(b), 220.03(1)(e), (s), (z), 220.181(2), (6), 220.182(9), 259.035, 290.004, 290.009, 290.033, 375.021(2), 404.0617(4)(d), 553.901, 553.902(6), and 553.9085, Florida Statutes (1982 Supplement); replacing references to the "Department of Veteran and Community Affairs" with "Department of Community Affairs," references to the "Secretary of Veteran and Community Affairs" with "Secretary of Community Affairs," and references to the "Division of Veterans' Affairs of the Department of Veteran and Community Affairs" with "Division of Veterans' Affairs of the Department of Administration" to conform to chapter 82-387, Laws of Florida, which changed the name of the department and its secretary and transferred the division to the Department of Administration; deleting provisions that have served their purposes; removing inconsistencies; and otherwise improving clarity and facilitating correct interpretation.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

*The Honorable Curtis Peterson, President*

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed as amended House Bills 393 and 402 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

*Allen Morris, Clerk*

By the Committee on Commerce—

**HB 393**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legal expense insurance; amending ss. 642.011, 642.013, 642.015, 642.017, and 642.019, Florida Statutes, relating to short title, purpose, definitions, exemptions, and organization of legal expense insurance corporations; amending s. 642.021, Florida Statutes; revising certificate of authority application requirements for such corporations; amending s. 642.023, Florida Statutes; revising requirements with respect to amount of required security deposit and reduction thereof; requiring additional securities under certain circumstances; eliminating the option to file a bond in lieu of securities; deleting administrative provisions; amending s. 642.025, Florida Statutes; providing procedure for filing and approval of policy and certificate forms; creating s. 642.026, Florida Statutes; requiring the Department of Insurance to develop a buyer's guide; amending s. 642.029, Florida Statutes; providing a standard for approval of contracts; amending s. 642.032, Florida Statutes; specifying provisions of the Insurance Code applicable to legal expense insurance and deleting authority of department to modify or waive such requirements; creating ss. 642.0331, 642.0332, and 642.0333, Florida Statutes; providing grounds for suspension or revocation of certificate of authority and procedures and requirements related thereto; creating s. 642.0334, Florida Statutes; authorizing

imposition of administrative fine in lieu of suspension or revocation; amending ss. 642.034 and 642.036, Florida Statutes; revising registration requirements; providing for biennial registration; requiring casualty insurers to file information with the department on agents and solicitors who solicit legal expense insurance contracts; amending s. 642.038, Florida Statutes; requiring sales representatives, agents, and solicitors to account for funds received and providing a penalty for misuse; amending ss. 642.041, 642.043, and 642.045, Florida Statutes; revising grounds for refusal, suspension, or revocation of a sales representative's registration and procedures therefor; specifying applicability to agents and solicitors; amending s. 642.047, Florida Statutes; increasing amount of administrative fine which may be imposed in lieu of suspension or revocation of registration; creating s. 642.0471, Florida Statutes; providing that certain investigatory records of the department are confidential and exempt from the public records law for a specified period of time; creating s. 642.0475, Florida Statutes; providing a civil remedy; amending s. 642.049, Florida Statutes, relating to construction; creating s. 642.051, Florida Statutes; providing rulemaking authority; generally clarifying and conforming language; saving chapter 642, Florida Statutes, from sunset repeal scheduled October 1, 1983; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Judiciary-Civil.

By the Committee on Commerce and Representative Young—

**HB 402**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to continuing or life care contracts; amending s. 651.011, Florida Statutes, changing definitions and authorizing regulation of agreements to provide care for less than 1 year; amending s. 651.015, Florida Statutes, specifying the deposit of fees and fines; amending s. 651.021, Florida Statutes, prohibiting persons from engaging in certain activity relating to continuing care without a certificate of authority; requiring approval by the Department of Insurance prior to certain expansion of certificated facilities; creating s. 651.022, Florida Statutes, specifying new requirements for the issuance of provisional certificates of authority; creating s. 651.023, Florida Statutes, providing additional requirements for the issuance of a certificate of authority; amending s. 651.026, Florida Statutes, relating to annual statements, to conform to the act; changing certain information to be included in the statements; repealing s. 651.031, Florida Statutes, relating to provisional certificates of authority, to conform to the act; amending s. 651.033, Florida Statutes, authorizing the establishment of escrow accounts in Florida savings and loan associations; requiring department approval of the release of escrowed deposits; amending s. 651.035, Florida Statutes, increasing minimum liquid reserve requirements; providing an operating reserve requirement and providing a schedule for meeting this requirement; amending s. 651.051, Florida Statutes, making editorial changes in provisions relating to the maintenance of assets and records in the state; amending s. 651.055, Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement, changing notice requirements for cancellation of a continuing care agreement; changing the date refunds are due; amending ss. 651.061, 651.065, and 651.081, Florida Statutes, providing technical changes in provisions relating to dismissals or discharges of residents, waivers of statutory protection, and continuing care facilities residents' organizations; amending s. 651.085, Florida Statutes, authorizing residents' organizations to require certain persons to attend meetings; amending s. 651.091, Florida Statutes, requiring providers to disclose certain information to prospective residents; amending s. 651.095, Florida Statutes, subjecting continuing care providers to the provisions of the unfair insurance trade practices act; repealing s. 651.101, Florida Statutes, deleting provisions allowing providers a period of noncompliance with department rules; amending s. 651.105, Florida Statutes, requiring department examination of providers every 3 years; amending ss. 651.106 and 651.111, Florida Statutes, providing technical changes in provisions relating to discretionary refusal, suspension, or revocation of certificates of authority and requests for inspections; amending s. 651.114, Florida Statutes, requiring the advisory council to report certain findings relating to delinquency proceedings to the department; amending s. 651.121, Florida Statutes, requiring certain disclosures by prospective members of the Continuing Care Advisory Council; amending ss. 651.125 and 651.13, Florida Statutes, providing technical changes in provisions relating to penalties and civil actions; amending s. 651.132, Florida Statutes, providing for the applicability of the act to contracts or agreements; creating s. 651.133, Florida Statutes, providing for preexisting provisional certificates; creating s. 651.134, Florida Statutes, providing for the confidentiality of certain investigatory records; saving certain provisions from sunset and sun-down repeal scheduled October 1, 1983; repealing s. 25 of chapter 81-292, Laws of Florida, relating to the repeal of chapter 651, Florida Statutes, on July 1, 1983; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

*The Honorable Curtis Peterson, President*

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed as amended HB 472 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

*Allen Morris, Clerk*

By the Committee on Judiciary—

**HB 472**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to garnishment; amending s. 77.031, Florida Statutes, providing for issuance of writs of garnishment before judgment; amending s. 77.07(1), Florida Statutes, providing for the dissolution of a writ of garnishment; amending s. 77.083, Florida Statutes, providing that no judgment in excess of the amount remaining unpaid on the final judgment against the defendant or in excess of the liability of the garnishee to the defendant, whichever is less, shall be entered against the garnishee; amending s. 77.28, Florida Statutes, providing for the deposit of \$25 with the court before the issuance of a writ of garnishment as partial payment of the garnishee's attorney's fees; providing that where costs are taxed against the defendant in the proceeding, such costs shall be deducted from the debt owed to the defendant; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

*The Honorable Curtis Peterson, President*

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed HB 673 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

*Allen Morris, Clerk*

By the Committee on Commerce—

**HB 673**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retail installment sales; amending s. 520.02(7), (9), and (13), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (10) thereto, amending s. 520.31(9) and (11), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement, and adding a new subsection (12) thereto, and amending s. 520.61(9), (11), (13), (15), and (16), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (18) thereto, to redefine certain terms relating to motor vehicles sales finance, retail installment sales, and home improvement sales and finance; amending ss. 520.07(2), 520.34(2), and 520.73(2), Florida Statutes, and adding new subsections (3) thereto, requiring certain disclosures in certain retail installment contracts; amending s. 520.35(2), Florida Statutes, providing an alternate method of compliance with certain revolving account disclosure requirements; amending s. 520.72, Florida Statutes, requiring notice of right to cancel a home improvement sales contract and changing the period in which the contract may be canceled; creating s. 520.961, Florida Statutes, authorizing the Department of Banking and Finance to seek injunctive relief against violators of provisions relating to home improvement sales and finance; providing for review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

*The Honorable Curtis Peterson, President*

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed HB 868 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

*Allen Morris, Clerk*

By the Committee on Rules & Calendar—

**HB 868**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the official Florida Statutes; amending ss. 11.2421, 11.2422, 11.2424, and 11.2425, Florida Statutes; adopting the Florida Statutes 1983 and designating the portions thereof that are to constitute the official law of the state; providing that the Florida Statutes 1983 shall be effective immediately upon publication; providing that general laws enacted during the 1981 regular and special legislative sessions and prior thereto and not included in the Florida Statutes 1983 are repealed; providing that general laws enacted during the 1982 regular and special sessions, the March 1983 special session, and the 1983 regular session are not repealed by this adoption act.

(Accompanied by Volumes I, II, and III, Florida Statutes, 1981)

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

*The Honorable Curtis Peterson, President*

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed as amended HB 648 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

*Allen Morris, Clerk*

By the Committee on Commerce—

**HB 648**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to deposits of public funds; amending s. 18.02(2), Florida Statutes, authorizing the Treasurer to operate a remote financial service unit at the capitol; amending s. 18.10(1), Florida Statutes, requiring the Treasurer to deposit the money of the state in qualified public depositories pursuant to chapter 280, Florida Statutes; amending s. 18.101(1) and (2), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection, requiring authorized clearing accounts and revolving accounts to be held by qualified public depositories and authorizing the establishment of clearing and revolving accounts outside the state; amending s. 18.102, Florida Statutes, requiring the deposit of public moneys in qualified public depositories; amending s. 18.15, Florida Statutes, providing that the interest earned on state moneys held by qualified public depositories shall be payable to the State Treasurer; amending s. 18.16, Florida Statutes, providing that it is unlawful for the State Treasurer to deposit or keep money not deposited in accordance with s. 18.10, Florida Statutes, in any qualified public depository without the consent of the Governor and Comptroller; amending s. 280.02(1), Florida Statutes, revising the definition of "public deposit"; amending s. 280.03, Florida Statutes, creating exceptions; amending s. 280.04(1) and (2), Florida Statutes, changing the authorization for the transfer of registered securities; changing the circumstances in which the Treasurer may require an increase in required collateral for a violation of the act; changing the methods of valuation of collateral securities; amending s. 280.05, Florida Statutes, authorizing a reduction in the reported value of collateral to ensure the pledging of sufficient marketable collateral; authorizing the disqualification of a public depository that has violated the act; authorizing the Treasurer to verify reports of public deposits; creating s. 280.09, Florida Statutes, establishing the Public Deposit Security Trust Fund; creating s. 280.10, Florida Statutes, providing for the acquisition or merger of a qualified public depository; amending s. 280.11, Florida Statutes, extending the collateral and reporting requirements after withdrawal from the public deposit security program; providing for the return of pledged collateral; amending s. 280.13, Florida Statutes, limiting types of eligible collateral and requiring bonds to be rated by only one investment rating service; amending s. 280.14, Florida Statutes, limiting types of eligible collateral and requiring bonds to be rated by only one investment rating service; amending s. 280.16, Florida Statutes, requiring copies of reports of condition to be filed with the Treasurer; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims.

*The Honorable Curtis Peterson, President*

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed by the required constitutional three-fifths vote of the membership of the House CS for HJR 114 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

*Allen Morris, Clerk*

By the Committee on Judiciary and Representative Titone and others—

**CS for HJR 114**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 8, Article V of the State Constitution, relating to eligibility for the office of judge, to require that a county court judge be a member of the bar of Florida for the 5 years preceding his qualification and to allow for exceptions.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil, and Rules and Calendar.

*The Honorable Curtis Peterson, President*

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed House Bills 429, 649, 130 and 473 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

*Allen Morris, Clerk*

By the Committee on Criminal Justice—

**HB 429**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arrests; amending s. 901.15(1), Florida Statutes, permitting arrests without warrant for violations of county ordinances, under certain circumstances; amending s. 901.25(1), Florida Statutes, redefining the term "fresh pursuit" to include violations of chapter 316, Florida Statutes, and county ordinances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil and Judiciary-Criminal.

By the Committee on Ethics & Elections and Representative Martin and others—

**HB 649**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; creating s. 99.0125, Florida Statutes, providing an automatic resignation for state, county, or municipal officers seeking federal office; providing for notification by the Department of State of such candidate's resignation; amending s. 99.061(1), Florida Statutes, establishing a qualifying period for candidates for federal office; amending s. 100.101, Florida Statutes, eliminating, in certain cases, the requirement that a special election be called to fill a vacancy created by virtue of a public officer qualifying as a candidate for a federal office; amending s. 100.111(1), Florida Statutes, and adding a new subsection (2) thereto; specifying offices to which provisions for filling vacancies apply; eliminating the requirement for calling a special election in certain cases; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Representative Titone and others—

**HB 130**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to qualifications of county court judges; amending s. 34.021, Florida Statutes; providing that a candidate for the office of county court judge must have been a member in good standing of The Florida Bar for the 5 years immediately before he qualifies or submits his name for the office; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil, and Rules and Calendar.

By the Committee on Judiciary—

**HB 473**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to judges; amending s. 38.07, Florida Statutes, providing that the chief judge of the circuit may reconsider certain orders entered by a disqualified judge; amending s. 38.09, Florida Statutes, providing that an order of assignment shall be entered pursuant to an order of disqualification as provided for in the Florida Rules of Judicial Administration; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

#### FIRST READING OF COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES ON THE CALENDAR

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator D. Childers—

**CS for SB 116**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state uniform traffic control; amending s. 316.295(1), (2), Florida Statutes; providing criteria for the operation of motor vehicles on which the windows are composed of, covered by, or treated with certain materials; providing a penalty; creating s. 316.2955, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the sale of certain materials or automotive glass without certain information being attached to the vehicle; providing a penalty; amending s. 316.297, Florida Statutes; prohibiting the sale or installation of certain materials; providing a penalty; amending s. 316.298, Florida Statutes; exempting manufacturers; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services and Senator D. Childers—

**CS for SB 368**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child care facilities; revising, reviving, and readopting, notwithstanding the Regulatory Sunset Act, ss. 402.301-402.316, Florida Statutes; amending ss. 402.305, 402.308, 402.310, 402.315, Florida Statutes; providing for minimum standards for personnel and transportation; providing for issuance of license; providing for disciplinary actions and fines; providing for fees; providing for legislative review; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator Carlucci—

**CS for SB 376**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle title and registration certificates; amending s. 319.23(3), Florida Statutes, 1982 Supplement; specifying persons who are to verify vehicle identification numbers for applications for title certificates; specifying those vehicles for which verification is not required; amending s. 320.02(3), Florida Statutes; specifying persons who are to verify vehicle identification numbers for applications for vehicle registration certificates; specifying those vehicles for which verification is not required; providing an effective date.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 316 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 340 with 1 amendment, SB 378 with 4 amendments, SB 458 with 4 amendments

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining recommends the following pass: SB 216, SB 233, SB 283

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 271 with 2 amendments, SB 297 with 2 amendments, SB 341

**The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.**

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 247

**The bill was referred to the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole under the original reference.**

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 694, SB 705

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 379

**The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims under the original reference.**

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 250 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Judiciary-Civil recommends the following pass: SB 191 with 3 amendments

**The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations under the original reference.**

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 411

**The bill was referred to the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services under the original reference.**

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 287

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 123

**The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil under the original reference.**

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 288 with 1 amendment

**The bill was referred to the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining under the original reference.**

The Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 194 with 1 amendment, SB 225 with 3 amendments, SB 261 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends the following pass: SB 363 with 3 amendments

The Committee on Judiciary-Civil recommends the following pass: SB 51 with 2 amendments, SB 264 with 6 amendments

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 84 with 2 amendments, SB 109, SB 121, SB 153 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 428 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 236, SB 257

**The bills contained in the foregoing reports were placed on the calendar.**

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining recommends the following not pass: SB 154

**The bill was laid on the table.**

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 156

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 318

**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 368

The Committee on Transportation recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 116, SB 376

**The bills with committee substitutes attached contained in the foregoing reports were placed on the calendar.**

**CO-INTRODUCERS**

Senator Hair—SB 178; Senator Rehm—SB 355; Senator Weinstein—SB 491; Senator Gersten—SB 571; Senator Carlucci—SB 619; Senator Jennings—SB 558; Senator Carlucci—SB 650; Senator Barron—SB 766