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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 26, SB 130 with 2 amendments, SB 113 with 1 amendment, SB 227 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 332

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining recommends the following pass: SB 256, SB 280 with 2 amendments, SB 291, SB 385

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 472 with 3 amendments

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

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 419

The bill was referred to the Committee on Commerce under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 73 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining recommends the following pass: SB 342

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

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 345

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 383

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 292

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

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 250

The bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 475

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

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 263 with 1 amendment, SB 468

The bills were referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 170 with 2 amendments, SB 238, SB 333

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 299

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 454

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 98, SB 213, SB 283 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 334, SB 467

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 228, SB 243

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

The Committee on Commerce recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 221, SB 325

The bills with committee substitutes attached were referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends a committee substitute for the following: Senate Bills 296, 297 and 298

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 60

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 111

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 194

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends a committee substitute for the following: Senate Bills 13 and 293

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

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

First Reading

By the Committee on Governmental Operations—

SB 484—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legislative review of regulatory programs and functions and of advisory bodies, commissions, and boards of trustees adjunct to executive agencies; repealing ss. 390.011(2), 390.012-390.021, F.S., relating to regulation and licensing of abortion clinics; repealing s. 390.026, F.S., relating to internal risk management programs of facilities licensed under ch. 390, ch. 389, or ch. 395; repealing s. 520.085, F.S., relating to simple-interest contracts under The Motor Vehicle Sales Finance Act; repealing s. 520.125, F.S., relating to variable-rate contracts for the purchase of mobile homes; repealing s. 520.345, F.S., relating to simple-interest contracts under The Retail Installment Sales Act; repealing s. 520.785, F.S., relating to simple-interest contracts under The Home Improvement Sales and Finance Act; repealing s. 624.075, F.S., relating to the treatment of certain foreign or alien insurers as commercially domiciled insurers; repealing s. 624.124, F.S., relating to the automobile services exemption from the insurance code; repealing s. 624.21, F.S., relating to the prospective nature of amendments to the insurance code; repealing s. 624.34, F.S., relating to the authority of the Department of Law Enforcement to accept fingerprints of, and exchange history records with respect to, insurers and certain other persons being investigated under the insurance code; repealing s. 624.4095, F.S., relating to the authority of the Department of Insurance to place restrictions on premiums written by insurers; repealing s. 624.4241, F.S., relating to the filing requirements of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners; repealing ss. 624.441-624.446, F.S.,

relating to multiple-employer welfare arrangements; repealing ss. 628.520-628.530, F.S., relating to change of domicile by a foreign insurer to this state and by a domestic insurer to another state and to the effect of redomestication; repealing s. 628.535, F.S., relating to authority of Department of Insurance to adopt rules under ch. 628, F.S.; repealing ss. 628.801-628.803, F.S., relating to registration and regulation of insurance holding companies; repealing s. 631.153, F.S., relating to intervention in insurer delinquency proceedings; repealing s. 641.225, F.S., relating to surplus requirements of health maintenance organizations; repealing s. 641.226, F.S., relating to use of services of unlicensed providers by health maintenance organizations; repealing s. 641.3005, F.S., relating to application of ch. 85-177, Laws of Florida, to health maintenance organizations; repealing pt. V, ch. 626, F.S., relating to regulation and licensing of title insurance agents; repealing s. 627.0652, F.S., relating to insurance discounts for certain persons completing safety courses; repealing s. 627.3515, F.S., relating to the market assistance plan for the placement of property and casualty risks; repealing s. 627.6401, F.S., relating to refund of premiums with respect to certain persons who have reached age 64; repealing ss. 627.7773, 627.7776, 627.7842, 627.791, 627.792, F.S., relating to title insurance provisions respecting accounting and auditing of forms, furnishing of supplies, policy exceptions, determination of insurability, preservation of evidence of title search and examination, penalties for violations by persons or entities not licensed, and liability of title insurers for defalcation by title insurance agents; repealing s. 627.8281, F.S., relating to levy by claimants upon certain deposits of premium finance companies; repealing s. 399.125, F.S., relating to filing of elevator accident reports; repealing s. 381.294, F.S., relating to regulation and permitting of bottled water plants; repealing pt. II, ch. 210, F.S., relating to the tax on tobacco products other than cigarettes or cigars and distributors of such products; providing for legislative review of the foregoing repealed sections pursuant to s. 11.61, F.S.; repealing ss. 943.085(3), 943.131-943.1395, 943.171-943.175, 943.22, 943.25, F.S., relating to the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission and to standards and training for, and employment of, law enforcement officers and correctional officers; repealing pt. II, ch. 427, F.S., relating to telephone communication services for the deaf and the Florida Council for the Hearing Impaired; repealing s. 159.445, F.S., relating to the Florida High Technology Innovation Research and Development Fund and board; repealing s. 229.552, F.S., relating to the Florida Center for Educational Statistics Advisory Committee; providing for legislative review of the foregoing repealed sections pursuant to s. 11.611, F.S.; amending s. 5, ch. 85-200, Laws of Florida, which prospectively repeals certain laws relating to the Florida Inland Navigation District and the West Coast Inland Navigation District, to change the date of repeal of such laws; amending s. 51, ch. 85-175, s. 49, ch. 85-175, s. 3, ch. 85-127, Laws of Florida, which prospectively repeal laws relating to alternative methods of payment of malpractice damage awards against health care providers, court-ordered arbitration in negligence actions against health care providers, and the obligation of district school boards to eliminate major emergency conditions, to delete the provisions for review of such laws under s. 11.61, F.S., and to change the repeal date for the law relating to alternative methods of payment of malpractice damage awards; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole—

SB 485—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the private operation of state or county correctional facilities; providing for the development of a model request for proposal; requiring specific bidding and selection procedures and specific contract provisions; providing for the identification of and adherence to performance standards; prescribing qualifications for private correctional officers; amending s. 943.13, F.S.; providing for criminal background checks on private correctional officers; amending s. 944.105, F.S.; requiring an extraordinary vote of the county commissioners and the sheriff before contracting with a private firm in certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole—

SB 486—A bill to be entitled An act relating to correctional probation officers; amending ss. 943.085, 943.10, 943.13, 943.131, 943.133, 943.135, 943.1395, 943.25, F.S.; providing training requirements for correctional probation officers; providing intent; providing definitions; requiring affidavit of compliance prior to employment; providing for continuing educa-

tion; providing for multiple and concurrent certification; specifying uses of the Correctional and Probation Officer Training Trust Fund; providing an effective date.

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

SR 487 was introduced and adopted April 8.

By Senator Deratany—

SB 488—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workers' compensation; amending s. 440.02, F.S.; redefining "wages"; amending s. 440.15, F.S.; revising criteria with respect to wage-loss benefits; amending s. 440.34, F.S.; providing for costs and attorney's fees in certain proceedings; amending s. 440.39, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to compensation for injuries where third persons are liable; amending s. 440.49, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to the rehabilitation of injured employees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 489—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Military Code; amending s. 250.10, F.S., to provide that the Adjutant General shall establish a physical fitness program for state active duty personnel; providing program and cost limitations; providing administrative leave for participating personnel; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Mann—

SB 490—A bill to be entitled An act relating to police dogs; amending s. 843.19, F.S.; prohibiting certain acts against police dogs; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Mann—

SB 491—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor fuel tax revenues; amending s. 206.47, F.S.; providing that the area of certain lakes be excluded from the formula for distribution of the constitutional gas tax revenues; amending s. 206.60, F.S.; providing that the area of certain lakes be excluded from the formula for distribution of county gas tax revenues; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Mann—

SB 492—A bill to be entitled An act relating to natural resources; creating s. 375.075, F.S.; authorizing establishment of a program to provide grants to local governmental entities for acquisition or development of land for outdoor recreation; providing for rules; providing selection criteria; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Mann—

SB 493—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.052, F.S., to provide for the purchase of additional retirement credit by certain members of the system paid for by the state; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Mann—

SB 494—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax on sales, use and other transactions; authorizing school districts to levy an additional tax for educational facilities for a specified period; specifying applicability; providing for refunds to certain contractors; providing a penalty; requiring referendum approval; providing for administration, collection, and enforcement and for application of specified penalties; creating a trust fund; providing for distribution; providing applicable brackets; providing for disposition of excess moneys; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Malchon—

SB 495—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sale, by counties, of real property; amending s. 125.35, F.S.; revising the standards and procedure by which a board of county commissioners may effect the private sale of certain real property; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Malchon—

SB 496—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic violence counselor-victim privilege; creating s. 90.5037, F.S.; providing definitions; providing that a domestic violence victim has a privilege to refuse to disclose, and to prevent others from disclosing except with the victim's written permission, a confidential communication or record made during certain counseling related to domestic violence; providing who may claim the privilege; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Margolis—

SB 497—A bill to be entitled An act relating to downtown development authorities; amending s. 200.001, F.S.; providing that certain downtown development authorities are independent special districts; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Fox—

SB 498—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 1, ch. 84-192, Laws of Florida; changing the name of the South Florida School for the Performing and Visual Arts to the "New World School of the Arts"; removing limitation that the school is to serve only Dade County students; providing for administration of the school; providing a fiscal agent for the school; authorizing the school to affiliate with certain other institutions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Peterson—

SR 499—A resolution commending Florida Southern College for its national championships in baseball and golf.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Fox—

SB 500—A bill to be entitled An act relating to human resources; directing the Department of Labor and Employment Security, with the assistance of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, to establish a Human Resource Talent Bank; providing for the duties of the Department of Labor and Employment Security; encouraging certain institutions to request services of the bank; authorizing the bank to contact certain people, agencies, and institutions; creating the Human Resource Talent Bank Trust Fund; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Fox—

SM 501—A memorial to the Congress and President of the United States urging Congress to authorize the grant of visas to Cuban refugees presently residing in other countries.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Fox—

SB 502—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the definition of "minority"; amending s. 1.01, F.S.; defining such term as it relates to educational scholarships or admissions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Fox—

SB 503—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child custody investigations and social studies; amending s. 61.20, F.S.; requiring that certain reports of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services or court staff be given to all parties of record in the proceeding; directing the department to submit a bill for its services; providing that the bill be taxed as a cost of the proceeding; directing the department to adopt a fee schedule; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Fox—

SB 504—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arson; amending s. 806.01, F.S.; providing that a person who damages a dwelling, structure, or conveyance, or the contents thereof, by fire or explosion during a burglary or trespass is guilty of arson in the third degree; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Fox—

SB 505—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 626.261, F.S.; requiring the Department of Insurance to offer all licensing examinations in English and Spanish; requiring the department to contract with private testing organizations that offer bilingual examinations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Fox—

SB 506—A bill to be entitled An act relating to massage practice; amending s. 480.042, F.S.; requiring the Department of Professional Regulation to provide translators for certain licensure examination applicants; requiring the applicant to pay the translator's fee; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Fox—

SB 507—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prevention of teenage pregnancy; creating the Florida Commission on Teenage Pregnancy Prevention; providing its membership and duties; providing for a parent advisory council in each school district; requiring that certain materials and programs be approved by the council; providing for review and repeal; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Rules and Calendar; and Appropriations.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 508—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the presidential preference primary election; amending s. 103.101, F.S.; providing that neither the name of a political party's sole presidential candidate nor the names of his delegates shall appear on the presidential preference primary election ballot; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Grant—

SB 509—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Security for Public Deposits Act; amending s. 280.02, F.S.; revising the definition of "required collateral" and defining "treasurer"; amending s. 280.04, F.S.; including a provision relating to market value of required collateral; revising the requirements relating to total public deposits which may be held by a qualified public depository and providing for required collateral; amending s. 280.043, F.S., relating to collateral required if contingent liability is prohibited or inadequate, to revise percentages relating to market value of eligible collateral; amending ss. 280.09 and 280.11, F.S.; removing a requirement that administrative penalties be deposited in the Public Deposit Security Trust Fund; providing for assessment against a depository that withdraws from the program of an administrative penalty equal to any early withdrawal penalties to reimburse depositors for losses; providing for investment of moneys in the trust fund; amending s.

280.16, F.S.; requiring certain public depositories to submit certain quarterly reports; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 510—A bill to be entitled An act relating to road contractors; amending s. 320.38, F.S.; defining “nonresident road contractor”; requiring registration of vehicles operated by such contractors in this state; amending s. 337.14, F.S.; requiring such contractors to include proof of motor vehicle registration with their application for qualification with the department; amending s. 337.141, F.S.; prohibiting payments by the department to such contractors who have not submitted proof of such registration; amending s. 337.16, F.S.; establishing the failure to register motor vehicles by such contractors as a ground for suspension of the contractors’ certificates of qualification; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 511—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fines, civil penalties, forfeitures, and costs; amending ss. 27.3455, 34.191, 142.01, 142.03, 316.061, 316.193, 318.14, 318.15, 318.18, 318.20, 318.21, 401.113, 943.25, F.S.; providing that certain additional court costs do not apply to criminal traffic offenses; providing a schedule for distribution of fines, civil penalties, forfeitures, and costs; removing certain additional fines and surcharges on fines for traffic infractions; increasing amount of civil penalties for noncriminal traffic infractions; extending time for payment of civil penalties; increasing court costs for persons who elect alternatives to fines for infractions; providing penalties for failure to comply with civil penalty or appear for noncriminal traffic infractions; providing for deposit of moneys in the Emergency Medical Services Trust Fund and the Criminal Justice Training Trust Fund; repealing ss. 316.192(3), 316.660, 775.0835(2), (3), F.S., as amended, relating to disposition of fines, civil penalties, forfeitures, and costs; repealing s. 318.19(3), F.S., as amended, relating to mandatory hearings; repealing ss. 960.20, 960.25, F.S., as amended, relating to additional costs and surcharges on fines and bail bonds; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Fox—

SB 512—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juveniles; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; providing definitions; amending ss. 39.015, 39.403, 39.408, 959.24, F.S.; providing conforming language; amending ss. 39.401, 39.402, F.S.; omitting provisions authorizing that certain juveniles be placed in shelter care; creating a new part IV of ch. 39, F.S.; providing definitions and procedures; authorizing the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to provide services to certain children and families; providing legislative intent; providing procedures and court jurisdiction; providing for taking into custody a child alleged to be from a family in need of services or alleged to be a child in need of services; providing for placement in a shelter of a child from a family in need of services or a child in need of services; providing for investigation of complaints that a child is from a family in need of services; providing for services and treatment to a family in need of services; providing for fees; providing for case review and service-treatment plans; providing for family mediation; requiring the department to establish a family mediation program in each district; authorizing the department to contract for family mediation services; providing for selection and qualifications of family mediators; providing for disposition of cases; authorizing the department to file a petition for a child in need of services; providing duties of the state attorney; providing for summonses and service of process; providing for answer and right to counsel; authorizing physical and mental examination and treatment of the child and, under certain circumstances, the parent, guardian, or person requesting custody; authorizing emergency treatment; providing for hearings; providing for orders of adjudication; providing for disposition; providing for oaths, records, and confidential information; providing contempt of court sanctions; providing for appeals; providing for compensation for appointed counsel; amending s. 232.19, F.S.; conforming provisions relating to habitual truancy; amending s. 27.51, F.S.; requiring the public defender to represent an indigent alleged to be a child in need of services; creating a Child In Need of Services Trust Fund; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thomas—

SB 513—A bill to be entitled An act relating to liability insurance for sheriffs; amending s. 768.28, F.S.; deleting provisions which restricted the joint purchase of liability coverage or self-insurance of such risks by sheriffs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

By Senator Thomas—

SB 514—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 624.404, F.S.; redefining the term “fronting company”; authorizing the Department of Insurance to authorize insurers to transfer risks in excess of specified standards; amending s. 627.915, F.S.; removing products liability insurers from certain insurer experience reporting requirements; amending s. 628.261, F.S.; requiring the inclusion of certain information in the notice of change of director or officer provided to the department by a stock or mutual insurer; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Thomas—

SB 515—A bill to be entitled An act relating to title insurance; amending s. 627.792, F.S.; providing for the apportionment of liability among title insurers for defalcation, conversion, or misappropriation by an agent representing multiple companies; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole—

SB 516—A bill to be entitled An act relating to correctional education; creating s. 242.68, F.S.; providing for vocational and academic education for prisoners under jurisdiction of the Department of Corrections; creating a Correctional Education School Authority, a Board of Correctional Education, and the position of Director of Correctional Education; providing duties; providing for a comprehensive plan for correctional education; providing for legislative appropriations; providing for policies, goals, objectives, and duties; providing for the selection of a site for a vocational-technical center; providing for a comprehensive operational training plan; providing for the transfer of educational programs, personnel, property, and funds from the Department of Corrections to the Correctional Education School Authority; providing for implementation; repealing s. 944.19, F.S., relating to education of prisoners under the jurisdiction of the Department of Corrections; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Gordon and Deratany—

SB 517—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle registration and drivers’ licenses; amending ss. 318.14, 318.18, 320.0605, 320.07, 322.03, 322.15, F.S.; providing that operating a motor vehicle without a valid registration or a valid drivers’ license constitutes a noncriminal infraction; providing exceptions; providing for dismissal of charges in certain cases; providing a fee; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 518—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 232.246, F.S., relating to general requirements for high school graduation; revising the contents of the required one-half credit in life management skills; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Margolis—

SB 519—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire alarm systems and contractors; amending s. 633.021, F.S.; providing definitions; creating s. 633.542, F.S.; requiring fire alarm system contractors to obtain from the State Fire Marshal a certificate to engage in the business of installing, servicing, testing, repairing, inspecting, or improving a fire alarm system; providing for application, examination, and fees; providing standards for installation, servicing, testing, repairing, inspecting, or improving; pro-

viding an exception for certain inspections; creating s. 633.543, F.S.; providing requirements for installation of fire alarm system equipment; creating s. 633.5430, F.S.; regulating the marketing of fire alarm systems; providing penalties; creating s. 633.5445, F.S.; prohibiting installing, servicing, testing, repairing, inspecting, or improving fire alarm systems for consumers without providing the consumer with a test certificate required by the State Fire Marshal; creating s. 633.545, F.S.; providing penalties; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Margolis—

SB 520—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax administration; amending s. 197.363, F.S., relating to optional method of collecting special assessments and service charges; correcting a reference; amending s. 197.413, F.S., relating to delinquent personal property taxes; revising tax collector's fee; amending s. 197.472, F.S.; revising provisions relating to redemption of tax certificates; amending s. 197.473, F.S., relating to disposition of unclaimed redemption moneys; revising tax collector's service charge; amending s. 197.502, F.S., relating to tax deeds; revising provisions relating to consolidated applications; providing for taxes on lands listed as available for taxes; providing for escheat to the county; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Margolis—

SB 521—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 624.307, F.S., authorizing the Department of Insurance to employ actuaries who shall be at-will employees and serve at the pleasure of the commissioner; providing qualifications; providing salaries and benefits; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jennings—

SB 522—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cruelty to animals; creating s. 828.032, F.S., authorizing county animal control agents to issue notices to appear to any person for the violation of any county animal control ordinance; providing for a fine; prohibiting county animal control agents from carrying weapons or making arrests; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Malchon—

SB 523—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; amending s. 320.0848, F.S.; providing for biennial renewal of the exemption entitlement parking permit for handicapped persons; revising permit specifications; providing for renewal decals; providing for fees and the disposition thereof; continuing certain existing permits; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Malchon—

SB 524—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax exemptions; amending s. 196.195, F.S.; providing additional criteria for determining the profit or nonprofit status of applicants for exemption; amending s. 196.1975, F.S.; deleting certain ownership requirements for exempting property used by homes for the aged; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Malchon—

SB 525—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fireworks; amending s. 791.01, F.S.; excluding certain items from the definition of "fireworks"; allowing the sale of such items; providing a definition; amending s. 791.04, F.S.; providing that the exceptions provided for out-of-state shipment of certain fireworks applies only to shipments by wholesalers and licensed shipping companies; requiring the display of certain permits for public fireworks displays; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Plummer—

SR 526—A resolution commending Head Coach Ron Fraser and his 1985 national champion University of Miami baseball team.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Plummer—

SB 527—A bill to be entitled An act relating to airports; amending s. 332.007, F.S.; revising the criteria for certain state funding of land acquisition for the expansion of existing airports; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation and Appropriations.

By Senator Johnson—

SB 528—A bill to be entitled An act relating to an Independent Tax Reform Commission; establishing such commission and providing its duties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Finance, Taxation and Claims; Appropriations; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Johnson—

SB 529—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cremation; creating s. 470.0255, F.S., providing a procedure for declaration of intent with respect to cremation; providing for the disposition of cremated remains; providing for review and repeal; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 530—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water resources; amending s. 403.859, F.S.; prohibiting the discharge of certain treated or untreated wastes into the underground drinking waters or aquifers; deleting provision relating to the direct pumping of certain wastes into the Floridan and Biscayne Aquifers; amending s. 403.860, F.S.; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 531—A bill to be entitled An act relating to requirements for high school graduation; amending s. 232.246, F.S., providing that a course in speech and debate may be taken to satisfy a credit requirement in performing arts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Johnson—

SB 532—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of scuba diving; providing definitions; creating the Board of Scuba Instruction and providing for its composition; providing exemptions; providing for the regulation of scuba instructors and scuba instructor's assistants; establishing qualifications and providing for the examination and licensure of scuba instructors; providing for the renewal of licenses; providing for the adoption of rules; establishing qualifications for scuba instructor's assistants; requiring registration of such assistants; establishing guidelines for scuba instructor training schools and providing for the licensure of such schools; requiring reports; establishing prohibited acts; providing grounds for the discipline of licensees and registrants; providing penalties; providing an exemption from examination for certain persons; providing standards for compressed air used in recreational sport diving; providing for the testing of compressed air; providing exemptions from such testing; requiring certification for certain air stations providing compressed air; providing penalties; amending s. 20.30, F.S.; providing conforming language; amending s. 861.065, F.S.; requiring persons operating vessels within a certain distance of a divers-down flag to take certain actions; providing penalties; providing for future repeal and review; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs; Health and Rehabilitative Services; Natural Resources and Conservation; and Appropriations.

By Senator Johnson—

SB 533—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fine arts; creating the Florida Artists Hall of Fame; providing procedures for selecting members to the Hall of Fame; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 534—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale of art; providing definitions; providing restrictions upon the sale of art on consignment; requiring written consignment agreements and specifying certain provisions thereof; creating certain warranties of authenticity in the sale of art by art dealers; providing for the construction of warranties and limitations thereon; providing for the effect of the act on existing rights and liabilities; limiting liability in certain circumstances; providing a penalty for violations; providing exemptions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator D. Childers—

SB 535—A bill to be entitled An act relating to expressway authorities; repealing part V of chapter 348, F.S.; abolishing the Palm Beach Expressway Authority; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Scott—

SB 536—A bill to be entitled An act relating to decedents' estates; amending s. 733.705, F.S.; creating s. 733.7074, F.S.; providing for the protection and preservation of unmatured claims and contingent claims; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Scott—

SB 537—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; creating ss. 627.162-627.167, F.S.; providing for prior approval by the Department of Insurance of rates for liability insurance covering the common elements of condominium property; specifying content of filings; providing that certain rating organization meetings are open to the public; providing for review, public examination, and hearings; specifying when a filing becomes effective; providing for subsequent disapproval of filing; specifying basis for approval or disapproval of filing; requiring notice to policyholders; providing that certain rates may remain in effect; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Stuart—

SB 538—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of psychological services providers; amending ss. 490.003, 490.004, 490.005, 490.006, 490.007, 490.008, 490.009, 490.0111, 490.012, 490.014, 490.015, F.S.; deleting certain definitions; deleting provisions relating to the regulation of clinical social workers, marriage and family therapists, and mental health counselors; providing for renewal of certain certificates; providing for inactive certificates; providing penalties for unauthorized use of certain professional designations; providing for the regulation of certified master social workers; providing conforming language; creating s. 490.0145, F.S.; providing for the certification of master social workers; creating s. 490.0147, F.S.; providing for confidentiality and evidentiary privilege; creating ss. 490.0212, 490.0215, 490.022, 490.023, 490.024, 490.025, 490.026, 490.027, 490.028, 490.029, 490.0291, 490.0292, 490.032, 490.033, 490.034, 490.035, F.S.; providing for the licensing and regulation of clinical social workers, marriage and family therapists, and mental health counselors; providing definitions; creating the Board of Examiners for Interdisciplinary Psychotherapy under the Department of Professional Regulation; providing for advisory councils; defining the scope of practice for certain professions; providing for licensing by endorsement; providing for license renewal; providing for inactive licenses; specifying the payment of fees; providing for continuing education; providing for the approval of continuing education programs, providers, and courses; providing for discipline; providing for confidentiality and evidentiary privilege; prohibiting sexual misconduct; providing penalties for unauthorized use of certain professional designations; providing exemptions; providing

for standards of ethical conduct; providing for advanced designations; providing for nonabrogation of rules and legal or administrative proceedings; providing for future repeal and legislative review; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 539—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retired justices and judges; amending s. 25.073, F.S.; deleting provisions which limit a retired justice or judge to serving on temporary duty for no more than 60 days each year; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hill—

SB 540—A bill to be entitled An act relating to traffic infractions and criminal traffic offenses; amending s. 318.14, F.S.; making certain driver's license and motor vehicle registration offenses noncriminal traffic offenses; amending ss. 318.18, 320.07, and 322.15, F.S., relating to civil penalties, drivers' licenses, and motor vehicle registration, to conform; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 541—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state uniform traffic control; amending s. 316.2065, F.S.; requiring that bicycles in use at night be equipped with a rear lamp and reflector; amending ss. 316.224, 316.235 and 316.2397, F.S.; allowing buses to be equipped with a deceleration lighting system; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 542—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hospitals; designating the Miami Project at the University of Miami/Jackson Memorial Hospital as the "State Center for the Study of Spinal Cord Injuries"; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Dunn, D. Childers, Johnson, Jennings, McPherson, Frank, Malchon, Grant and Weinstein—

SB 543—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual performances by children; amending ss. 827.071, 933.02, 933.03, 895.02, F.S.; prohibiting the use of a child in a sexual performance; defining "sexually explicit conduct"; providing penalties; limiting defenses; specifying category of offense for sentencing guidelines purposes; providing for seizure and forfeiture or destruction of specified property; providing for search warrants; including violations within the definition of "racketeering activity"; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Beard, Castor and Frank—

SB 544—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Hillsborough County; repealing ch. 72-455, Laws of Florida, relating to the circuit court commissioner of Hillsborough County; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Frank, Beard and Castor—

SB 545—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Hillsborough County; creating the Hillsborough River Interlocal Planning Board; prescribing membership and terms; providing for quorum and meetings; providing objectives and duties of the board; requiring development of a coordinated master plan for the Hillsborough River Corridor; providing for incorporation of elements of the coordinated master plan into local comprehensive plans; authorizing local governments to impose user fees and remit them to the board; authorizing the board to accept and expend

grants and donations; providing for budgets; creating the Hillsborough River Technical Advisory Council; prescribing membership and terms; providing for quorum and meetings; prescribing its duties; providing for traveling expenses; granting the council standing to appeal certain local government actions; providing for meetings and notice of meetings of the board and council; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Castor, Beard and Frank—

SB 546—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Hillsborough County; repealing chapters 78-528 and 79-475, Laws of Florida, relating to the county administrator; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Beard, Frank and Castor—

SB 547—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Hillsborough County; repealing chapter 24572, Laws of Florida, 1947, which authorized the county to acquire, own, and operate recreational facilities; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Frank, Beard and Castor—

SB 548—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Hillsborough County; repealing chapter 65-1658, Laws of Florida, relating to issuing building permits for structures to which there is no access; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Malchon, Johnson and Neal—

SB 549—A bill to be entitled An act relating to radon gas emission; amending s. 404.056, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to identify land affected by certain levels of radon gas; providing for inspection of newly constructed dwellings; providing that the department may request a certificate of occupancy be withheld for certain newly constructed dwellings; creating s. 404.057, F.S.; specifying language to be included on contracts and deeds for the sale or lease of certain buildings and lands; providing remedies for a purchaser of certain buildings and lands; providing penalties; requiring a report to the Legislature; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Malchon—

SB 550—A bill to be entitled An act relating to constitutional initiatives; requiring cases before the Supreme Court involving constitutional amendments proposed by initiative to be heard as expeditiously as possible; requesting the Supreme Court to adopt emergency rules to allow expeditious review of such cases; allowing a sponsor of an initiative to request review of such initiative by the Secretary of State or to request revision assistance from a legislative bill drafting office; providing requirements for requesting such review or assistance; requiring the Secretary of State to review certain constitutional initiatives and to issue statements with respect thereto; providing for publication of such statements; requiring the legislative bill drafting offices to provide assistance under certain circumstances in revising the wording of certain constitutional initiatives; authorizing the Secretary of State to adopt rules with respect to requests for review or revision assistance and review criteria; providing for review of actions taken by Secretary of State; amending s. 99.097, F.S.; eliminating fees required for verification of signatures on initiative petitions; amending s. 100.371, F.S.; providing an early verification process for signatures on initiative petitions; providing for publication of a constitutional amendment proposed by initiative; prohibiting payment for obtaining signatures on an initiative petition; providing penalties; providing severability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kiser—

SB 551—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public food service establishments; creating s. 509.214, F.S.; requiring certain notification of automatic gratuity charges at such establishments; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senators Weinstein, Beard, Crawford and Plummer—

SB 552—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; providing legislative adoption and implementation of revisions to sentencing guidelines promulgated by the Florida Supreme Court in accordance with s. 921.001, F.S.; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Castor—

SB 553—A bill to be entitled An act relating to funds for operation of schools; amending s. 236.081, F.S.; providing a method of adjusting for underallocation or overallocation of current operating funds; providing for reallocation of moneys appropriated for education which are not allocated through the Florida Education Finance Program; requiring the reallocated funds to be spent for instructional materials; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Hill—

SB 554—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state service contracts; amending s. 287.058, F.S.; exempting medical treatment services for inmates in the state correctional system from certain procurement requirements; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hill—

SB 555—A bill to be entitled An act relating to probation and community control; amending s. 948.01, F.S.; including persons in pretrial intervention programs as state employees for purposes of workers' compensation coverage; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hill—

SB 556—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public employees collective bargaining; amending s. 447.203, F.S., modifying definition of "bargaining unit"; amending s. 447.309, F.S., deleting provisions relating to failure to appropriate sufficient funds to fund a collective bargaining agreement; amending s. 447.403, F.S., relating to resolution of impasses; correcting a cross reference; requiring a public hearing before imposing an agreement when the parties have waived appointment of a special master; requiring that all matters agreed to prior to special master hearings be included in any new or imposed agreement; creating s. 447.604, F.S., providing for state certification of certain locally certified bargaining agents; repealing s. 447.603, F.S., relating to establishment of public employees collective bargaining commissions by local option; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hill—

SB 557—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state correctional system; amending s. 944.47, F.S.; correcting a definitional cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Hill—

SB 558—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.052, F.S.; providing for optional participation of appointed district school superintendents in the Elected State

Officers' Class of that system; providing for contributions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hill—

SB 559—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.052, F.S.; providing a limited period within which an elected county officer may purchase additional retirement credit in the Elected State Officers' Class of that system by paying only one-half of the contributions and interest due the system trust fund for the purchase of such additional retirement credit if the other half is paid by the county employer or district school board employer, as appropriate; prohibiting counties or district school boards from making such payments after that period has closed; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Vogt, Deratany, Myers, Peterson, McPherson, Jennings, Plummer, Thomas, Langley and Kiser—

SB 560—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental and public health administration; creating an Environmental Efficiency Study Commission; providing for public hearings and a report to the Legislature; requiring specified state and regional environmental agencies to submit reports; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Langley—

SB 561—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Lake Apopka Restoration Council; amending section 2 of chapter 85-148, Laws of Florida; increasing the membership of the council; specifying that county scientific representatives are nonvoting; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Langley—

SB 562—A bill to be entitled An act relating to executions; amending s. 922.09, F.S., providing for continued effect of death warrants; amending s. 922.06, F.S., prescribing a period in which the date of execution of a death sentence shall be set following dissolution of a stay of the sentence; amending s. 922.08, F.S., requiring the Governor to notify the Attorney General when he lifts a stay of execution for pregnancy; amending s. 922.11, F.S., requiring the appropriate medical examiner to determine cause of death following an execution and to maintain certain records; amending s. 922.12, F.S., providing that the warrant shall be returned to the Secretary of State rather than the Governor following execution; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Langley—

SB 563—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcohol and drug abuse; amending s. 396.032, F.S.; providing a definition; creating s. 396.0815, F.S.; providing criteria and procedures for the involuntary evaluation of minors believed to be alcoholic; providing alternative dispositions upon evaluation; amending s. 397.021, F.S.; providing a definition; creating s. 397.0515, F.S.; providing criteria and procedures for the involuntary evaluation of minors believed to be drug abusers or drug dependents; providing alternative dispositions upon evaluation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Peterson—

SB 564—A bill to be entitled An act relating to unemployment compensation; amending s. 443.036, F.S.; postponing coverage of alien agricultural workers contingent upon a consistent change in federal law; providing for retroactive application; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture, Commerce, and Appropriations.

By Senator Scott—

SB 565—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle insurance; amending s. 627.733, F.S.; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to suspend the registration and operator's license of persons whose required security has been canceled or terminated for specified reasons; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Deratany—

SB 566—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fee time-share real property; providing that the assessed valuation of such property for purposes of taxation be based on the present fair market value of the real property taken as a whole; requiring the provision of certain information to the titleholder by the managing entity; providing for the proration of the taxes among all titleholders; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Deratany—

SB 567—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disabled persons; providing for the issuance of a temporary disability parking permit to a person who is certified by a physician to be temporarily disabled; providing for the duration of the permit and for its format and display; specifying the permit fee; prohibiting fraudulent use of the permit; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SM 568—A memorial honoring the American astronauts who have lost their lives in service to their country, and requesting the Congress of the United States to designate January 28 annually as "Space Pioneers Memorial Day."

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Vogt and Deratany—

SB 569—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating s. 240.408, F.S., the Challenger Astronauts Memorial Scholarship Program; providing for administration by the Department of Education pursuant to rules of the State Board of Education; providing eligibility criteria; providing for nomination; providing for award and requirements with respect thereto; creating the Challenger Astronauts Memorial Scholarship Trust Fund for the purposes of the program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

FIRST READING OF COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

By the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal and Senators Fox and Kirkpatrick—

CS for SB's 13 and 293—A bill to be entitled An act relating to testimony; allowing the use of anatomically correct dolls to assist persons under a specified chronological or mental age in testifying in criminal proceedings or civil actions involving sexual abuse or unlawful sexual acts; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Senators Myers and Jennings—

CS for SB 60—A bill to be entitled An act relating to utilities; amending s. 366.04, F.S.; providing that the Public Service Commission shall have exclusive authority to prescribe and enforce safety standards for transmission and distribution facilities of certain utilities and cooperatives; providing that certain standards shall be adopted by the commission as initial standards; providing for modification and revision; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Senator Frank—

CS for SB 111—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Council on Organized Crime; amending s. 27.37, F.S.; providing that the council is a criminal justice agency; exempting certain records and meetings from the public records and meetings laws; providing for review of exemptions pursuant to the Open Government Sunset Review Act; specifying effect of act; providing an effective date.

CO-INTRODUCERS

Senator Dunn—SB 328; Senator Castor—SB 669; Senator W. D. Childers—Senate Bills 722, 668; Senator Frank—Senate Bills 669, 752; Senator Hill—Senate Bills 442, 349; Senator Grizzle—SB 137; Senator Weinstein—SB 291; Senator Peterson—SB 419