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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 308 with 1 amendment, SB 439 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole recommends the following pass: SB 921 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 80, SB 122, SB 284, SB 348 with 1 amendment, SB 389, SB 456 with 3 amendments, SB 507 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: CS for SB 527 with 1 amendment, SB 740 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends the following pass: SB 333, SB 546, SB 892

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 408 with 2 amendments, SB 470, SB 523, SB 537

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 545 with 2 amendments

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 626 with 1 amendment

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 544 with 1 amendment

The bill was referred to the Committee on Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Appropriations recommends the following pass: SB 247, SB 248

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 768

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 323, SB 673

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 746

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

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 766 with 1 amendment, SB 880

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 416

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 1009 with 1 amendment

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

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 233

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

The Committee on Appropriations recommends the following pass: SJR 216, SB 357, CS for SJR's 318 and 356

The Committee on Judiciary-Civil recommends the following pass: SB 291, SB 431

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SM 388

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

The Committee on Appropriations recommends the following pass: SB 7 with 1 amendment, CS for SB 141, SB 146, SB 168, SB 380

The Committee on Commerce recommends the following pass: SB 908 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 224

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends the following pass: SB 282, SB 294, SB 679 with 2 amendments, SB 787

The Committee on Judiciary-Civil recommends the following pass: SB 9 with 2 amendments, SB 39, SB 112, SB 170, SB 215, SB 415

The Committee on Judiciary-Criminal recommends the following pass: SB 349 with 2 amendments, SB 394 with 2 amendments, SB 517, SB 555, SB 580

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 710 with 1 amendment

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

The Committee on Commerce recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 619, SB 767

The Committee on Governmental Operations recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 573

The Committee on Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 547

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 Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 711

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 354

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 606

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Appropriations recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 217

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar under the original reference.

The Committee on Appropriations recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 185, CS for SB 368

The Committee on Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 344

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

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

First Reading

By Senator Thurman (by request)—

SJR 1061—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 9 of Article VII of the State Constitution relating to ad valorem taxation for water management purposes.

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

By Senators Woodson, Myers and Dudley—

SB 1062—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 232.26, F.S.; requiring district school board rules to provide for in-school suspensions prior to out-of-school suspension; providing a penalty for a school not in compliance; requiring payment of a fine by a parent whose child receives an out-of-school suspension; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By the Committee on Governmental Operations—

SB 1063—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child care; amending s. 110.151, F.S.; transferring management of the provider contract to operate the Ina S. Thompson Child Care Center from the Department of Administration to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; providing for funding for replacement of state-owned child care furnishings and equipment from the State Employee Child Care Revolving Trust Fund; authorizing the department to adopt rules relating to the center; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Governmental Operations—

SB 1064—A bill to be entitled An act relating to periodic legislative review of regulatory functions and advisory bodies, commissions, and boards of trustees adjunct to executive agencies; repealing the following regulatory laws and providing for review of such laws pursuant to s. 11.61, F.S., the Regulatory Sunset Act, in advance of their respective dates of repeal: ss. 395.032, 395.035, and 395.036, F.S., relating to the regulation of trauma centers; s. 471.008, F.S., relating to the authority of the Board of Professional Engineers to make rules; ss. 554.1011-554.115, F.S., relating to boiler safety; ss. 593.101-593.117, F.S., relating to boll weevil eradication; and ss. 641.261, 641.411, F.S., relating to regulation of health maintenance organizations and prepaid health clinics; repealing the following laws relating to bodies adjunct to executive agencies and providing for review of such laws pursuant to s. 11.611, F.S., the Sundown Act, in advance of their respective dates of repeal: ss. 228.0875(3), (4), F.S., relating to the Governor's Summer Colleges Council; s. 240.551, F.S., relating to the Prepaid Postsecondary Education Expense Program; s. 280.20, F.S., relating to the Security for Public Deposits Task Force; ss. 282.3061, 282.3062, 282.3115, 282.312, F.S., relating to the Information Resource Commission and information resources management operating plans and annual performance reports; s. 316.545(7), F.S., relating to the Commercial Motor Vehicle Review Board and unlawful weights and loads; s. 406.075, F.S., relating to the Medical Examiners Commission and the discipline of medical examiners; s. 413.011(2), relating to the Advisory Council for the Blind; s. 413.605, F.S., relating to the Advisory Council on Spinal Cord Injuries; and ss. 573.112, 573.113, F.S., relating to the advisory councils to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services in administering agricultural commodity marketing orders; amending s. 13,

ch. 87-106, Laws of Florida, to delete the requirement that the review of s. 420.623, F.S., relating to local coalitions for the homeless, in advance of its expiration date be performed in accordance with s. 11.611, F.S.; amending s. 5, ch. 87-131, Laws of Florida, to change the expiration date of s. 339.2405, F.S., relating to the Florida Highway Beautification Council; amending s. 3, ch. 87-185, F.S., to eliminate the scheduled expiration of s. 284.50(1), (3), (4), F.S., relating to the state loss prevention program; amending s. 8, ch. 87-328, Laws of Florida, to change the expiration date of the Florida Recreational Trails Council; amending s. 33, ch. 87-387, Laws of Florida, to delete the requirement that the review of s. 382.025(16), F.S., relating to birth and marriage records, in advance of its expiration be performed in accordance with s. 11.61, F.S.; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

By Senator Peterson—

SB 1065—A bill to be entitled An act relating to gross receipts taxes; amending s. 203.01, F.S.; requiring persons who receive payment for cable service to pay the gross receipts tax on such payment; amending s. 203.012, F.S.; defining the term "cable service"; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Lehtinen—

SB 1066—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the waiver of sovereign immunity in tort actions; amending s. 768.28, F.S.; repealing the limitations on the amounts of damages that may be recovered in tort actions against the state and its agencies and subdivisions, including the executive departments, the Legislature, the judicial branch (including public defenders), and the independent establishments of the state, counties, and municipalities, and corporations primarily acting as instrumentalities of the state, counties, or municipalities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 1067—A bill to be entitled An act relating to noncriminal traffic infraction adjudication; providing legislative intent; amending s. 43.26, F.S.; providing for the appointment of civil traffic hearing officers; amending s. 318.13, F.S.; providing that civil traffic hearing officers may preside over hearings adjudicating traffic infractions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 1068—A bill to be entitled An act relating to epilepsy; creating s. 393.054, F.S.; providing legislative intent; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to establish a program to assist persons with epilepsy and to help with other programs for such persons; establishing additional duties of the department; establishing the Epilepsy Services Task Force; providing for task force duties and membership; providing for travel expenses; requiring the task force to report to the Governor and the Legislature; providing for the abolition of the task force; requiring the department to develop programs for epilepsy prevention and education; creating an Epilepsy Services Trust Fund; providing for the purpose of the trust fund; imposing an additional charge for certain traffic citations to fund such programs; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Weinstein, Crawford and Scott—

SB 1069—A bill to be entitled An act relating to counties and municipalities; creating the "Solid Waste Franchise Act"; providing purposes; providing definitions; providing for grant of local franchises for solid waste services; providing for public hearings; providing restrictions; providing general requirements; providing for franchise fees; providing limitations on the amount of such fees; authorizing a franchisee to pass through to customers certain franchise and disposal fees; providing for regulation of services, facilities, and equipment; providing for enforcement; providing for modification of franchise obligations; providing

requirements and procedures; providing for franchise renewal; providing for administrative proceedings; providing for appeal of denial of, or refusal to act upon, a renewal proposal; providing conditions of sale of a franchise; providing for consumer protection; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 1070—A bill to be entitled An act relating to incendiary devices; amending s. 790.001, F.S.; modifying the definition of “destructive device”; amending s. 790.161, F.S., relating to felony offenses involving destructive devices, to add projecting such a device as a felony, to add activities constituting the attempted offense, and to eliminate intent as an element of the offense; providing exceptions for lawful uses; amending s. 790.162, F.S., relating to threatening to use a destructive device, to add threatening to project such a device as an offense; amending s. 806.111, F.S.; modifying the definition of “fire bomb”; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1071—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical negligence; amending s. 768.135, F.S.; revising the standard of care under which certain health care professionals who act as volunteer team physicians for school athletic events are immune from civil damages; providing an effective date.

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

SR 1072 was introduced out of order and adopted April 19.

By Senator Kiser—

SB 1073—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care facilities; amending ss. 120.57, 120.60, 381.709, F.S.; providing procedures for administrative review of applications to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services for a certificate of need required prior to the construction, expansion, or modification of certain health care facilities; authorizing the hearing officer to issue a written report in certificate-of-need hearings; increasing the time in which the department must issue its final order on an application for a certificate of need; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1074—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Education Finance Program; amending s. 236.081, F.S.; providing an additional method for school districts to calculate full-time equivalent student memberships for purposes of the program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1075—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aquaculture; amending s. 253.69, F.S., relating to the survey of submerged land leased for aquacultural activities; amending s. 253.71, F.S., relating to the performance requirements for such lease; providing a prohibition for certain shellfish leases; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Malchon—

SB 1076—A bill to be entitled An act relating to patient records and communications; amending s. 455.241, F.S.; requiring specified health care practitioners to furnish copies of a person's medical reports and records to such person's spouse or guardian upon request; providing that the furnishing of such records may not be conditioned upon the execution of an assignment or letter of protection or the creation of a lien; requiring a practitioner to obtain certain written authorization prior to discussing a patient's medical condition with persons other than the patient or his spouse, guardian, or legal representative, except as otherwise permitted; requiring practitioners to maintain the confidentiality of patient commu-

nications except under specified circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair (by request)—

SB 1077—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bank loans; amending s. 658.50, F.S.; clarifying the maximum interest rate that may be charged on a credit card or overdraft financing arrangement; defining the term “interest” and the term “billing cycle” for such purpose; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1078—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the registration of motor vehicles; amending s. 320.58, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to delegate the authority to issue uniform traffic citations for violation of certain motor vehicle registration provisions to the personnel of district school boards; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Ros-Lehtinen—

SB 1079—A bill to be entitled An act relating to developmental disabilities; amending s. 393.11, F.S.; revising provisions relating to involuntary admission to residential services; providing for jurisdiction and diagnostic capability; providing for a petitioning commission; requiring notice; providing for appointment of a diagnosis and evaluation team of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; providing for appointment of an examining committee with expertise in developmental disabilities; providing for examination and testimony; requiring reports to the court; providing for compensation; providing for department rules; providing for representation by counsel; providing for appointment of a guardian ad litem; providing for hearing before a court-appointed master; providing procedures; providing for orders and their effect; requiring a hearing to determine continued placement of a minor upon reaching majority; providing duties of the department; providing for separate hearing for appointment of a guardian or guardian advocate; providing for continuing jurisdiction; providing for appeal and for stay of admission during pendency of review proceedings; amending s. 916.13, F.S., correcting a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1080—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcoholic beverages; amending s. 561.25, F.S.; removing a prohibition on the employment of certain certified law enforcement officers at certain business establishments licensed under the Beverage Law under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Crawford—

SB 1081—A bill to be entitled An act relating to savings associations; amending s. 665.0701, F.S.; providing circumstances under which an association may invest in bonds or other obligations that are unrated or rated lower than otherwise required; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1082—A bill to be entitled An act relating to rules of construction for imposition of criminal penalties; amending s. 775.021, F.S.; prescribing legislative intent with respect to multiple offenses committed in the course of a criminal transaction or episode; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senators Myers and Woodson—

SB 1083—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome; creating s. 381.607, F.S.; providing legislative find-

ings and intent; creating s. 381.608, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to establish an AIDS education program; amending s. 232.246, F.S.; including AIDS and other sexually transmitted disease education in the life management skills high school course; amending s. 233.067, F.S.; including certain sexually transmissible diseases in the term "comprehensive health education"; adding required elements to be included in inservice education programs; amending s. 240.2097, F.S.; requiring certain materials related to AIDS to be included in university student handbooks; creating s. 381.609, F.S.; prescribing guidelines for voluntary testing for Human Immunodeficiency Virus; creating s. 381.6105, F.S.; providing safeguards for organ, blood, and other tissue transfers and transplants; creating s. 381.614, F.S.; providing for research by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; amending s. 499.005, F.S.; prohibiting the sale or delivery of self test kits for AIDS or HIV; amending s. 499.0054, F.S.; prohibiting the advertising of any drug or device represented to affect AIDS or HIV or a related disease; amending s. 384.23, F.S.; redefining the term "sexually transmissible disease"; amending s. 384.24, F.S.; conforming the prohibition against certain sexual intercourse to the redefinition of the term "sexually transmissible disease"; amending s. 384.25, F.S.; removing a limitation on reporting of AIDS cases; amending s. 384.27, F.S.; prescribing procedures for requiring persons to undergo AIDS examination and treatment; amending s. 384.28, F.S.; providing for hospitalization and isolation of persons; creating s. 384.281, F.S.; providing procedures for emergency hold of persons suspected of having sexually transmissible diseases; creating s. 384.282, F.S.; requiring the use of pseudonyms in judicial proceedings; creating s. 384.283, F.S.; providing for service of notice and process; creating s. 384.284, F.S.; providing for forms; creating s. 384.285, F.S.; providing for appeals; creating s. 384.286, F.S.; providing for temporary leave for hospitalized or isolated persons; creating s. 384.287, F.S.; providing for adherence to required treatment; creating s. 384.288, F.S.; prescribing fees to be paid for certain services; amending s. 384.34, F.S.; increasing the penalty for engaging in sexual intercourse when infected with a sexually transmissible disease; creating s. 381.612, F.S.; providing for patient care for persons with HIV; amending s. 409.266, F.S.; providing for certain drugs and care for Medicaid recipients; amending s. 796.08, F.S.; increasing the penalty for engaging in prostitution when infected with a sexually transmissible disease; prohibiting discrimination based on AIDS, AIDS-Related Complex, or HIV; creating s. 627.429, F.S.; prohibiting certain discriminatory practices with respect to AIDS and HIV in life and health insurance; amending s. 627.411, F.S.; providing for disapproval of certain insurance forms which exclude AIDS or HIV coverage; creating ss. 627.6265, 627.6646, F.S.; prohibiting cancellation of health or group health insurance due to diagnosis of AIDS or HIV; amending s. 627.666, F.S.; providing liability of a succeeding insurer when the prior insurer was a multiple employer welfare arrangement; providing severability; providing an appropriation; repealing s. 381.606, F.S., relating to testing for infectious disease; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Agriculture—

SB 1084—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pesticide review; amending s. 487.0615, F.S., relating to the Pesticide Review Council; revising the composition of the council; providing for the appointment and terms of council members; providing for the conduct of council meetings and the transaction of business by the council; providing for record-keeping; reviving and readopting ss. 487.043, 487.0615, F.S., relating to the council and the review of pesticides, notwithstanding the provisions of s. 11, ch. 83-310, Laws of Florida; repealing s. 11, ch. 83-310, Laws of Florida; repealing ss. 487.043, 487.0615, F.S., effective October 1, 1998; providing for review of said sections in advance of that repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1085—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary education; amending s. 240.107, F.S.; revising legislative intent relating to the communication and computation skills examination; replacing the term "upper-division programs" with "upper-level courses"; allowing a community college to exempt a student who has a learning disability from taking the communication and computation skills examination; amending s. 240.115, F.S.; prohibiting a state university or community college from charging fees for credits earned by examination; amending s. 240.116, F.S.; requiring secondary students to complete a minimum number of

credits in order to participate in the early admission program; placing restrictions on who may earn postsecondary credit by examination; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1086—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 627.6515, F.S.; requiring out-of-state group insurers to offer optional coverage for mental and nervous disorders under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1087—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state financial matters; amending s. 215.422, F.S.; extending the period during which certain vouchers must be filed with the Comptroller; reducing the period during which certain warrants must be mailed; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1088—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire prevention and control; amending s. 633.021, F.S.; defining scope of practice of persons engaged in a business relating to fire protection systems for which certification of competency is required; amending s. 633.34, F.S.; revising criteria for qualifications for employment as a firefighter; amending s. 633.35, F.S.; including emergency medical training as a prerequisite for certification as a firefighter; amending s. 633.351, F.S.; revising standards for decertification; amending s. 633.382, F.S.; redefining the term "firefighter" with respect to supplemental compensation; amending s. 633.521, F.S.; providing requirements for examinations; revising prerequisites; reducing insurance requirements for certain contractors; amending s. 633.524, F.S.; providing fees; amending s. 633.527, F.S.; providing revised language with respect to examination procedures and confidentiality; amending s. 633.534, F.S.; providing supervision requirements; amending s. 633.537, F.S.; clarifying language with respect to certificate renewal; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hill—

SB 1089—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.0515, F.S., including certain forensic unit employees within the Special Risk Class of membership of the system; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1090—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mental illness; prohibiting discrimination against mental illness in providing treatment; creating the Mental Illness Benefits Study Commission; providing for membership and the duties of the commission, including a report; repealing s. 627.668, F.S., which requires optional coverage for mental and nervous disorders by insurers and health care providers; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1091—A bill to be entitled An act relating to commercial feed and feedstuffs; amending s. 580.131, F.S.; providing administrative penalties for certain ingredient violations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senators Woodson, Myers and Dudley—

SB 1092—A bill to be entitled An act relating to correctional industries; amending s. 946.515, F.S.; providing for items manufactured or serviced by the corporation operating the prison industry program to meet Department of General Services specifications; providing for nonbinding

arbitration for settling disputes between state agencies and the corporation; providing that certain competitive bidding provisions do not apply to purchases from the corporation; amending s. 946.516, F.S.; providing annual reporting of products sold but not produced, use of consultants, and the amount of non-inmate labor used; amending s. 287.042, F.S.; providing for the Division of Purchasing establishing standards and specifications for products or services produced by the corporation; providing for listing of corporation products on state term contracts; exempting purchases of correctional industry products from competitive bid requirements; amending s. 570.50, F.S.; providing for testing of samples submitted by the corporation operating the prison industry program; creating s. 236.0836, F.S.; providing authority for renovating and rehabilitating school buses; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Grant, Margolis, Plummer, Lehtinen, Ros-Lehtinen, Hill, Meek, Girardeau, Crenshaw, Stuart, Gordon, Thurman, Beard, Jennings, Kiser and Brown—

SB 1093—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care; creating the Medical Education and Tertiary Care Trust Fund within the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; providing for an annual appropriation to the fund from the General Revenue Fund; requiring the Hospital Cost Containment Board to calculate the annual distribution of funds from the Medical Education and Tertiary Care Trust Fund to teaching hospitals in the state; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Girardeau—

SB 1094—A bill to be entitled An act relating to discrimination in public accommodations; creating ss. 760.40-760.45, F.S., the Public Accommodations Act; defining unlawful accommodation practices; providing powers of the Commission on Human Relations; providing for filing of complaints with the commission and investigation thereof; providing for confidentiality and for review and repeal; authorizing aggrieved individuals to file civil actions; providing for injunctive relief, damages, and attorney's fees; providing for filing of civil actions by the Attorney General, the executive director of the commission, or an aggrieved individual under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Margolis—

SB 1095—A bill to be entitled An act relating to international affairs; creating the Florida International Advisory Council; providing functions and duties; providing membership; authorizing employment of an executive director and staff; providing for per diem and travel reimbursement; requiring an annual report by the council; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1096—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state programs in the arts; amending ss. 265.284, 265.285, 265.289, 265.2901, F.S.; repealing ss. 265.287, 265.288, F.S.; creating s. 265.2871, F.S.; replacing the State Orchestra Program, the State Dance Program, the State Opera Program, and the State Theater Program with a state program in the arts, to be known as the Major Cultural Institution Program and to be administered by the Division of Cultural Affairs of the Department of State, and abolishing the State Theater Board of Florida; prescribing powers and duties of the Department of State, the Division of Cultural Affairs, the Florida Arts Council, the state universities and community colleges, and the Department of Education with respect to the program and the use of state facilities; providing for advisory committees to the division; providing for duties of committees and for reimbursement of traveling expenses of committee members; providing for contracts with contract organizations for the conduct of cultural programs; deleting obsolete provisions; conforming terminology; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Woodson, Stuart, Meek, Myers and Dudley—

SB 1097—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans' affairs; creating s. 20.311, F.S.; creating a Department of Veterans' Affairs; providing for the head of the department; creating divisions; transferring the powers, duties, records, personnel, property, and unexpended balances of appropriations, allocations, or other funds from the Division of Veterans' Affairs of the Department of Administration to the Department of Veterans' Affairs; amending s. 20.31, F.S.; deleting the Division of Veterans' Affairs of the Department of Administration; amending s. 292.05, F.S.; providing for the appointment of the secretary of the department; prescribing qualifications; amending ss. 292.04, 292.07, 292.11, 292.12, 292.13, 295.01, 295.016, 295.11, 295.16, 295.17, 320.084, 322.21, 626.833, 744.421, F.S.; conforming said sections to the provisions creating the department; providing for the employment of municipal veteran service officers and prescribing their qualifications and duties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Woodson, Girardeau and Stuart—

SB 1098—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida High Technology Research and Development Fund; amending s. 159.445, F.S.; discontinuing awards from the fund directly to businesses; providing for the creation and capitalization of a Florida strategic fund; transferring administration of the Florida High Technology Research and Development Fund from the Florida High Technology Research and Development Board to the Department of Commerce, under certain circumstances; authorizing the investment of funds from the Florida High Technology Research and Development Fund in a Florida strategic fund, subject to certain conditions; authorizing a Florida strategic fund to invest in certain venture capital pools, subject to certain conditions; providing for an investment in a venture capital entity in lieu of a venture capital pool, under certain circumstances; providing for the transfer of the moneys in the fund to the General Revenue Fund, under certain circumstances; providing rulemaking authority to the Department of Commerce; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 1099—A bill to be entitled An act relating to financial institutions; amending s. 655.061, F.S.; removing certain restrictions imposed by ch. 658, F.S., relating to the establishment of branch banks; creating s. 655.55, F.S.; providing financial institutions with the authority to engage in the securities and insurance activities; amending s. 658.29, F.S.; permitting acquisition of shares of or control over certain financial institutions in this state under certain circumstances; providing criteria under which the Department of Banking and Finance must evaluate whether to approve a financial institution's potential acquisition; providing the Department of Banking and Finance with certain enforcement powers; providing for publication of notice of intent to acquire; providing for a uniform price for all shares of stock; repealing s. 626.988, F.S., relating to the employment of insurance agents by financial institutions; repealing s. 658.295, F.S., the Regional Reciprocal Banking Act of 1984; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senators Woodson, Myers, Dudley and Hollingsworth—

SB 1100—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxes on special fuels; creating s. 212.637, F.S.; exempting from the tax on special fuels sales of special fuel for specified agricultural or aquacultural purposes; amending s. 212.67, F.S.; deleting provision for refund of special fuel taxes paid on such sales; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Gordon, Girardeau and Stuart—

SB 1101—A bill to be entitled An act relating to film industry development; creating s. 288.033, F.S.; establishing the Florida Film Industry Development Program; authorizing the Department of Commerce to participate in film industry promotion events and to expend state funds; providing criteria for the expenditure of such funds; establishing the Florida Film Industry Development Trust Fund; requiring an annual report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senators Gordon, Girardeau, Stuart and Meek—

SB 1102—A bill to be entitled An act relating to enterprise zones; amending s. 212.096, F.S.; defining the term “economically disadvantaged person”; expanding the definition of “new employee” to include such economically disadvantaged persons; specifying the tax credits available to businesses located in an enterprise zone and those located outside of an enterprise zone; deleting the maximum time period for which the tax credits may be allowed; specifying the information which must be submitted in order to claim a tax credit; amending s. 220.03, F.S.; redefining the term “new employee” and expanding the definition of that term to include certain economically disadvantaged persons; amending s. 220.181, F.S.; eliminating the establishment of new jobs requirement; specifying the credits available to businesses located in an enterprise zone and those located outside of an enterprise zone; deleting the maximum time period for which the tax credits may be allowed; specifying the information which must be submitted in order to claim a tax credit; requiring the taxpayer to submit a supplemental form to the Department of Community Affairs; specifying the information to be contained on such forms; amending s. 290.014, F.S.; providing for the rescission of an enterprise zone status under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Woodson, Myers and Dudley—

SB 1103—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the local government half-cent sales tax; amending s. 218.65, F.S.; revising requirements for qualification of county governments for emergency distributions from the Local Government Half-cent Sales Tax Clearing Trust Fund; increasing the annual appropriation to the fund; creating s. 218.66, F.S.; providing for emergency distributions to municipalities from the fund; specifying requirements for qualification for such distributions; providing for an annual appropriation to the fund; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Woodson, Stuart, Gordon and Girardeau—

SB 1104—A bill to be entitled An act relating to export financing; establishing the position of export finance officer in the Department of Commerce; specifying the qualifications and duties of such officer; requiring an annual report by such officer to the Secretary of Commerce; requiring the Department of Commerce to contract with an independent consultant for an export finance feasibility study; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Hair (by request)—

SB 1105—A bill to be entitled An act relating to automobile insurance; repealing s. 627.728(7), F.S., relating to notice of the right to a hearing upon the cancellation of a policy; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Hair (by request)—

SB 1106—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; providing that insurers must provide loss history information to insureds upon request; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senators Jenne, Stuart, Margolis, W. D. Childers, Gordon, Crawford, Frank, Weinstein, Thomas, McPherson, Myers, Malchon, Dudley, Meek, Hill, Scott, Kiser, Brown, Langley, Beard, Johnson and Grant—

SB 1107—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle liability insurance; amending s. 316.066, F.S.; requiring law enforcement officers to file accident reports in certain circumstances; providing that a written report includes a report generated through information technology resources; amending s. 316.646, F.S.; prescribing conditions for suspension of a person's driver's license and registration; amending s. 320.02, F.S.; providing for proof and affidavit of required insurance when registering a motor vehicle; providing for audit of affidavits to determine if any are false; amending s. 324.021, F.S.; increasing the amount of property damage insurance which must be maintained; clarifying applicability

of insurance requirements to owner/lessors; creating s. 324.022, F.S.; providing for financial responsibility for property damage; amending s. 324.151, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to a deductible for property damage coverage; amending s. 626.9541, F.S.; redefining the acts which constitute the unlawful imposition of additional premiums; amending s. 627.4132, F.S.; clarifying when stacking of coverages does not apply to uninsured motorist coverage; amending s. 627.727, F.S.; prescribing criteria for determination of maximum coverage for uninsured motorist coverage; prohibiting stacking of uninsured motorist coverage; deleting provisions relating to optional policy provisions with respect to uninsured motorist coverage; creating s. 627.7275, F.S.; requiring motor vehicle insurance policies to contain certain property damage coverage; amending s. 627.733, F.S.; providing for reinstatement of a driver's license or registration which has been suspended for failure to maintain required security; amending s. 627.736, F.S.; prohibiting insurers from requiring certain purchases of property damage liability insurance; authorizing issuance of short-term policies to attain common expiration dates; requiring insurers to report renewals, nonrenewals, and cancellations of policies providing personal injury protection; amending s. 817.234, F.S.; prohibiting certain solicitations by attorneys; providing appropriations; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1108—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of auctioneering; amending ss. 468.381, 468.383, F.S.; providing additional exemptions from provisions regulating the practice of auctioneering; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1109—A bill to be entitled An act relating to civil penalties for unlawful speed; amending s. 316.193, F.S.; providing an additional surcharge to the fine for driving under the influence; providing for disposition; amending s. 318.18, F.S.; providing an additional surcharge on civil penalties for unlawful speed; providing for disposition; creating s. 413.613, F.S.; creating the Impaired Drivers and Speeders Trust Fund; providing for uses of the fund; providing for a report; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hill—

SB 1110—A bill to be entitled An act relating to capital felonies; amending s. 921.141, F.S.; requiring the provision of jury instructions; requiring that verdicts recommending death designate the jury's findings in writing; providing for the court to enter sentence in accordance with the jury recommendation; providing for determination of sentence by the court if the defendant waives recommendation of sentence by the jury; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1111—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Small Community Sewer Construction Assistance Act; amending s. 212.235, F.S.; providing for certain payments from the State Infrastructure Fund to the Small Community Water and Sewer Construction Assistance Trust Fund; amending s. 403.1838, F.S.; renaming the Small Community Sewer Construction Assistance Act and the Small Community Water and Sewer Trust Fund; prescribing the uses of the Small Community Water and Sewer Construction Assistance Trust Fund; modifying certain grant match funds requirements; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1112—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school finance and taxation; amending s. 236.25, F.S.; increasing the maximum millage for

capital outlay purposes that a district school board may levy; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1113—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child care facilities; amending s. 196.198, F.S., exempting licensed child care facilities, that is used exclusively for educational purposes, from taxation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1114—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sheriffs; amending s. 30.48, F.S.; providing that a sheriff's salary is payable either monthly or biweekly; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1115—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the thermal efficiency code; amending s. 553.901, F.S.; revising the time for giving notice of changes in the code; amending s. 553.902, F.S.; defining or redefining terms; amending s. 553.904, F.S.; providing additional criteria to be considered in setting standards for new nonresidential buildings; amending s. 553.906, F.S.; providing additional criteria to be considered in setting standards for renovated buildings; amending s. 553.907, F.S.; providing procedures with respect to certification of compliance of buildings when alterations are made in design, materials, or equipment during construction or renovation; amending s. 553.9085, F.S.; revising provisions related to energy performance disclosure for residential buildings; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1116—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water resources; amending s. 373.019, F.S.; defining the term "major supply location"; amending s. 373.073, F.S.; providing for appointment of an at-large member to the governing board of the Southwest Florida Water Management District to represent a county that is a major supply location; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Thurman, Peterson, Brown, Meek, Woodson and Hollingsworth—

SB 1117—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Marine Fisheries Commission; amending s. 370.026, F.S.; adding two members to the commission; specifying the interest groups which must be represented in the appointment of commission members; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1118—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 229.555, F.S.; prescribing certain limitations on transmittal of information within the Florida Information Resource Network; prescribing additional duties of the Commissioner of Education with respect to management information systems; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1119—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public lodging establishments; amending s. 509.215, F.S.; prescribing firesafety standards for such establishments; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1120—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle dismantling and recycling; providing legislative intent; requiring a motor vehicle salvaging and recycling license in specified circumstances; providing for fees; providing standards for licensure; providing for rulemaking authority; allowing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to deny or revoke a license to a person found guilty of specified criminal acts; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1121—A bill to be entitled An act relating to handicapped parking; amending s. 320.0848, F.S.; providing that certain handicapped persons are not required to obtain exemption entitlement parking permits to be entitled to the parking privileges authorized pursuant to such permits; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Peterson and Hair—

SB 1122—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; providing for the establishment of residential schools by the district school systems; providing for criteria guidelines and administration; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1123—A bill to be entitled An act relating to unemployment compensation; amending s. 443.101, F.S.; providing that certain persons who receive social security benefits are not disqualified to receive unemployment compensation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Brown—

SB 1124—A bill to be entitled An act relating to handicapped persons; providing handicapped accessibility requirements for structures and parking areas used by the public; amending s. 316.1956, F.S.; providing handicapped parking space requirements for certain entities; amending s. 318.18, F.S.; increasing penalties for parking illegally in spaces designated for disabled persons; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1125—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child abuse; amending s. 415.503, F.S.; redefining the term "harm" to exclude injuries resulting from the application of reasonable force in certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1126—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state agency acquisition of professional services; amending s. 287.055, F.S.; requires government agencies to obtain sealed fee proposals from certain firms before competitively negotiating for services; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator McPherson—

SB 1127—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state records and documents; amending s. 257.36, F.S.; requiring the Division of Library and Information Services of the Department of State to sell certain documents, records, and duplicates thereof at public sale in lieu of disposing of or destroying them; authorizing the division to charge a fee to cover the cost of the public sale; providing for disposition of the moneys derived from the sale; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 1128—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind; amending s. 110.205, F.S.; revising a provision that exempts officers and employees of the school from the career service system; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator McPherson—

SB 1129—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.055, F.S.; providing for participation of marshals and clerks of the appellate courts in the Senior Management Service Class of membership in that system; providing for participation of such persons in the Senior Management Service Optional Annuity Program in lieu of participation in such class; providing for election to remain in an existing system or in another class of the Florida Retirement System; providing for employer contributions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Lehtinen—

SB 1130—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parole, probation, and community control; amending s. 947.18, F.S.; making tests for alcohol, drugs, or controlled substances a condition of parole; amending s. 948.03, F.S.; making tests for alcohol, drugs, or controlled substances a condition of probation or community control; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Lehtinen—

SB 1131—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle licenses; amending s. 320.0845, F.S., which provides for license plates for members of the Paralyzed Veterans of America; providing that persons qualified for membership in said organization may also be issued such plates; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Weinstein, Plummer, Malchon, Crawford and McPherson—

SR 1132—A resolution calling upon Kurt Waldheim, President of Austria, to resign his position because of his complicity in Nazi war crimes.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Frank, Plummer and Stuart—

SB 1133—A bill to be entitled An act relating to meetings of public bodies and officials; declaring state policy with respect to openness in the formulation and determination of public policy; requiring meetings of certain public bodies and of certain public officials to be open to the public; providing that political caucuses are considered meetings under the act; providing exceptions; providing for the invalidity of actions taken at meetings that are not open; providing for notice of such meetings; providing for the contents of such notices; prohibiting the holding of meetings where public access is restricted; providing for the right to be heard at such meetings before formal action is taken; providing for recording of minutes of such meetings and for inspection of such minutes; providing for the contents of such minutes; prescribing voting requirements for members of such bodies; prohibiting a public official from attending a meeting of a body of which he is a member if he knows the meeting is held in violation of the act; providing penalties; providing for the enforcement of the act; providing for investigations by the Commission on Ethics; providing for jurisdiction of the court; prescribing powers of the court with respect to enforcement of the act and the punishment of violators; providing for when gatherings of legislators constitute meetings subject to the act; providing for attorney's fees; repealing s. 286.011, F.S., relating to open public meetings and records; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Stuart—

SB 1134—A bill to be entitled An act relating to information resources management; amending s. 240.225, F.S.; providing for the Department of General Services to delegate certain procurement functions to the State University System; providing for the State Board of Education to review specified procurements; amending ss. 282.308, 282.311, 282.3115, F.S.; designating information resource managers to serve the Justice Administrative Commission and the state attorney office and public defender office of each judicial circuit; requiring information resource managers to approve certain procurements; amending s. 282.314, F.S.; providing for additional representation on the Information Resources Management Advisory Council; amending s. 287.062, F.S.; requiring the Division of Purchasing of the department to negotiate and execute certain volume purchasing agreements; amending s. 287.073, F.S.; providing definitions; providing requirements for information technology resources bid solicitations; exempting certain procurements from bid requirements; providing additional duties of the Information Technology Resource Procurement Advisory Council; providing appropriations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1135—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the offense of driving while under the influence; amending s. 316.193, F.S.; authorizing the court to sentence a defendant who is convicted of such offense to serve any incarceratory sentence required under that section, or a portion thereof, in a residential treatment program for substance abuse; requiring the court to credit such time spent in the treatment program toward the incarceratory portion of the sentence; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1136—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary education; amending s. 240.137, F.S.; creating a linkage institute between the New College of the University of South Florida and Florida State University and a counterpart organization of higher education in France; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1137—A bill to be entitled An act relating to adult congregate living facilities; amending s. 400.424, F.S.; providing that certain adult congregate living facilities may provide accommodations pursuant to leases in accordance with the residential tenancy law instead of pursuant to contracts complying with provisions applicable to adult congregate living facilities, provided such leases comply with specified requirements; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Stuart—

SB 1138—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcoholic beverages; creating ss. 562.52-562.528, F.S.; providing a short title, the "Florida Responsible Vendor Act"; providing intent; providing definitions; requiring the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business Regulation to establish a responsible vendors program; providing for certification of participating vendors; providing qualifications; providing for license suspension and revocation; providing third-party civil liability for the sale and service of alcoholic beverages to underaged and obviously intoxicated persons; providing a defense for sale to underaged persons; providing exemptions from license suspension and revocation for responsible vendors; providing mitigation for Beverage Law violations; imposing a surcharge on alcoholic beverage license fees; providing for disposition and use of surcharge funds; creating s. 562.115, F.S.; prohibiting the sale or service of alcoholic beverages to obviously intoxicated persons; providing a penalty; providing third-party civil liability for sale and service to obviously intoxicated persons; providing for administrative fines; amending s. 561.025, F.S.; providing for deposit of surcharge funds; amending s. 562.11, F.S.; removing a civil defense for selling, giving, or serving alcoholic beverages to underaged persons; repealing s. 768.125, F.S.; removing provisions which impose civil liability upon persons who

sell or furnish alcoholic beverages to underaged and habitually addicted persons; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1139—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state uniform traffic control; amending s. 316.1967, F.S.; providing that when an affidavit is submitted with respect to parking ticket violations indicating that the owner of the vehicle was not the violator, the affidavit shall be admissible under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Crenshaw—

SB 1140—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; creating s. 627.971, F.S.; providing definitions; creating s. 627.972, F.S.; providing organizational and financial requirements for financial guaranty insurance corporations; creating s. 627.973, F.S.; providing limitations under which financial guaranty insurance corporations and certain property and casualty insurers may operate; creating s. 627.974, F.S.; requiring the filing of certain policy forms with the Department of Insurance; prohibiting excessive rates by financial guaranty insurance corporations; providing criteria for determining the adequacy of such rates; providing that such filings shall be available for public inspection; creating s. 627.975, F.S.; providing that certain financial guaranty insurance corporations shall receive credit for certain reinsurance; creating s. 624.6081, F.S.; defining "residual value insurance"; amending s. 624.606, F.S.; redefining "surety insurance"; creating s. 624.6065, F.S.; defining "fidelity insurance"; amending s. 624.605, F.S.; limiting the definition of casualty insurance as it relates to certain credit insurance; providing for legislative review and repeal; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Frank, Margolis, Stuart, Meek, Jenne, Lehtinen, Ros-Lehtinen, Thomas and Woodson—

SB 1141—A bill to be entitled An act relating to governmental reorganization; creating a Department of Elder Affairs; providing for its organization; transferring specified powers, duties, records, personnel, property, appropriations, allocation, and funds from the Aging and Adult Services Program Office of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to the Department of Elder Affairs; transferring to the department the state nursing home and long-term facility ombudsman council; providing for an advisory council; prescribing council membership and terms of office; providing for requests for appropriations for council expenses; amending ss. 410.011, 410.016, 410.023, 410.024, 410.0241, 410.032, 410.035, 410.201, 410.2015, 410.401, 410.402, 410.501, 410.502, 410.503, 415.106, F.S., to conform; providing departmental responsibilities; defining "area agency on aging"; providing for funding certain services through such agencies; revising provisions relating to a contribution schedule; deleting provisions pertaining to purchase-of-service contracts; requiring annual reports; providing a conditional effective date.

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

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1142—A bill to be entitled An act relating to civil actions; amending ss. 768.73, 768.76, 768.78, 768.81, F.S.; exempting actions arising out of injuries or death due to the operation of a motor vehicle while impaired, gross or repeated malpractice by a physician or osteopathic physician, or gross negligence from provisions which limit or reduce the amount of a damage award or limit punitive damages; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 1143—A bill to be entitled An act relating to deputy sheriffs; amending s. 454.18, F.S.; removing the prohibition against such an officer's engaging in the practice of law; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Peterson—

SB 1144—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public school funding; amending ss. 216.151, 236.081, F.S.; providing for the Florida Price Level Index to be calculated on a regional basis; requiring such index to be used in determining the annual allocation for operating expenses for school districts; amending s. 229.555, F.S.; providing for reporting regions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1145—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care practitioners; amending s. 455.28, F.S.; providing for the reporting of certain health care practitioners to the Division of Medical Quality Assurance for disciplinary action; amending s. 458.307, F.S.; prescribing the qualifications for members of the Board of Medicine and increasing the membership of the board; amending s. 458.309(2), F.S.; removing provisions which limit the applicability of specified rules of the Board of Medicine; amending s. 458.311, F.S.; providing certain preprofessional postsecondary education and residency requirements for physician licensure applicants; removing requirement that the department license as a physician persons who have passed specified examinations; providing for the imposition of certain limitations, conditions, or restrictions upon a physician's license by the Board of Medicine; amending s. 458.313, F.S.; providing that certain applicants for licensure as a physician by endorsement may not be licensed; providing for the imposition of limitations, conditions, or restrictions upon a physician's license by the Board of Medicine; amending s. 458.348, F.S.; deleting certain notice requirements related to the supervision of physician's assistants; repealing s. 455.218, F.S., relating to the special examination and licensure provisions for foreign-trained professionals; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Crenshaw—

SB 1146—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the University of North Florida; naming the baseball stadium at the university "Harmon Stadium"; directing the university to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Myers—

SB 1147—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health services; amending s. 394.75, F.S.; requiring the district alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health planning council to include a summary budget request in the biennial plan it files with the district administrator; requiring the district administrator to report to the planning council regarding funding for the plan; amending s. 394.76, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to develop alternative financing systems for district alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health services; amending s. 394.79, F.S.; requiring the alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health program office within the department to submit biennially the state alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health plan and a summary budget request and summary statement of priorities from each service district to the Legislature; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1148—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Citrus County, Homosassa Special Water District; amending section 1 of chapter 59-1177, Laws of Florida, as amended, increasing the territorial limits of the district; providing for a referendum.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Brown—

SB 1149—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor and other fuel taxes; amending s. 206.9225, F.S.; expanding the definition of "pollutants"; amending s. 206.9935, F.S.; changing the rate of the tax for water quality; providing for variability in the rate of such tax based on the unobligated balance in the Water Quality Assurance Trust Fund; repeal-

ing s. 206.9941(4), F.S., relating to certain exemptions from the taxes imposed in s. 206.9935(1) and (2), F.S.; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dudley—

SB 1150—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state financing of low-cost housing; amending ss. 420.803, 420.805, 420.806, F.S.; designating the community of Immokalee as a “pocket of poverty” and establishing a pilot pocket-of-poverty program in that community; authorizing the expenditure of state funds to encourage the construction and rehabilitation of low-cost housing units in that community; providing for preparation of a local comprehensive farmworker housing plan for that community; providing for review and approval of the plan by the Department of Community Affairs; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Meek—

SM 1151—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging Congress to amend s. 143 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, in order to extend the authorization for the issuance of mortgage revenue bonds through 1993.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Woodson, Myers and Dudley—

SB 1152—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corrections; amending s. 946.009, F.S.; providing for priority of assignment of inmates to correctional work programs; amending s. 946.512, F.S.; providing for reimbursement to the Department of Corrections for expenses of incarcerating inmates; providing for funding nonbudget items at certain institutions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Langley—

SB 1153—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vocational rehabilitation; creating s. 413.341, F.S.; providing for confidentiality of applicant and client records; creating s. 413.371, F.S.; establishing an independent living program within the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation of the Department of Labor and Employment Security; creating s. 413.381, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 413.39, F.S.; providing for the administration of the independent living program; creating s. 413.395, F.S.; creating the Florida Independent Living Advisory Council; providing for membership and duties; amending s. 413.40, F.S.; providing the division with certain powers and duties relating to the independent living program; creating s. 413.401, F.S.; providing for eligibility for independent living services; creating s. 413.405, F.S.; creating a state Vocational Rehabilitation Advisory Council; providing for membership and duties; amending s. 413.41, F.S.; providing conforming language; amending s. 413.42, F.S.; authorizing the division to cooperate with agencies of the Federal Government regarding administration of laws relating to individuals with disabilities and independent living; repealing s. 413.34, F.S., relating to the misuse of vocational lists and records; repealing s. 413.37, F.S., relating to the self-care program for the handicapped; repealing s. 413.38, F.S., relating to definitions; providing for future review and repeal of ss. 413.395, 413.405, F.S.; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1154—A bill to be entitled An act relating to traffic control; creating ss. 316.1936, 316.1937, F.S.; authorizing, in addition to other penalties for driving under the influence, the requirement of ignition interlock devices as a condition of probation; providing penalties; providing unlawful acts with respect to such devices; providing an exemption; providing for certification of such devices by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; providing rulemaking authority; amending s. 322.271, F.S., to authorize the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to order ignition interlock devices as a condition of reinstatement of driving privilege for certain individuals; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Criminal, Transportation and Appropriations.

By Senator Plummer—

SB 1155—A bill to be entitled An act relating to designation of a state pie; creating s. 15.0325, F.S.; designating the Key lime pie as the official state pie; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

By Senator Beard—

SB 1156—A bill to be entitled An act relating to acquisition of real property by governmental entities; prohibiting a person from soliciting representation of, or other services to, the owner of real property the acquisition of which is being sought by a governmental entity, under certain circumstances; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1157—A bill to be entitled An act relating to government efficiency; creating the “Fiscal Responsibility Underwriting Gubernatorial and Legislative Expenditures Act”; requiring the Governor to produce an annual report proposing improvements to executive department efficiency and productivity, as specified; requiring distribution of the report; providing definitions; requiring the Joint Legislative Auditing Committee to hold public hearings and meet with certain consumer groups; requiring the committee to submit to the Governor and the Legislature certain recommendations; requiring written responses to such recommendations; amending s. 216.164, F.S.; requiring the Governor to submit certain supplementary budget materials; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 1158—A bill to be entitled An act relating to radiation; amending s. 404.056, F.S.; revising provisions relating to land radiation emission standards to provide for environmental radiation standards and programs; establishing the Florida Coordinating Council on Radon Protection; providing council membership, organization, and responsibilities; providing for reimbursement of traveling expenses; creating the Radon Trust Fund to be administered by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; providing for collection of a surcharge on local building permits to fund the trust fund; providing for review and repeal; requiring department certification of certain persons who perform measurements or mitigation of buildings for radon gas or radon progeny; providing fees; requiring reports; providing an exemption from public records law; providing for review and repeal; authorizing inspection of records; providing for denial, suspension, or revocation of certification; providing an administrative fine; directing the department to initiate a public information program; requiring testing of school buildings and certain 24-hour care facilities and day care centers for radon; requiring specified notice on real estate documents; providing rulemaking authority; creating s. 553.98, F.S.; providing for development of building codes for radon-resistant buildings; providing powers and duties of the Department of Community Affairs; authorizing use of funds from the Radon Trust Fund; precluding certain local ordinances; providing for review and repeal; providing appropriations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Lehtinen—

SB 1159—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parole, probation, and community control; creating s. 947.183, 948.035, F.S.; amending ss. 39.11, 39.111, F.S.; permitting drug testing as a condition of parole, probation, and community control; providing that failure to take a test, and failure to pass a test, are grounds for revocation of parole, probation, and community control; amending s. 39.02, F.S.; correcting cross-references; providing applicability; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 1160—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tuberculosis control; creating s. 392.50, F.S.; creating the "Tuberculosis Control Act"; creating s. 392.51, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; creating s. 392.52, F.S.; providing definitions; creating s. 392.53, F.S.; requiring certain health care providers and laboratories to report cases of tuberculosis to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; providing such health care provider or laboratory immunity from liability; creating s. 392.54, F.S.; authorizing the department to interview certain persons who may be infected with tuberculosis; creating s. 392.545, F.S.; prohibiting the department from disclosing the identity of such persons, under certain circumstances; creating s. 392.55, F.S.; providing for examination and treatment of such persons; providing for court ordered examination and treatment of such a person under certain circumstances; creating s. 392.56, F.S.; providing for court ordered hospitalization, placement and residential isolation of such a person; specifying a procedure for the issuance of the order; creating s. 392.57, F.S.; providing authority for confinement of such a person prior to the procedure, under certain circumstances; creating s. 392.58, F.S.; requiring service of notice and process of the procedure; creating s. 392.59, F.S.; requiring the department to develop forms; creating s. 392.60, F.S.; providing for rights to appeal an order of hospitalization, placement, or residential isolation and to immediate release from such order; creating s. 392.61, F.S.; providing for community tuberculosis control programs; creating s. 392.62, F.S.; providing for hospitalization and placement programs; creating s. 392.63, F.S.; providing for temporary leave from a hospital, facility, or isolation; creating s. 392.64, F.S.; providing for treatment, adherence to treatment plans, and penalties; creating s. 392.65, F.S.; providing for confidentiality of records and information relating to persons who may be infected with tuberculosis; authorizing disclosure of such information under certain circumstances; creating s. 392.66, F.S.; authorizing the department to adopt rules to implement the act; creating s. 392.67, F.S.; specifying unlawful acts and criminal penalties; creating s. 392.68, F.S.; requiring the board of county commissioners to pay certain fees and court costs; creating s. 392.69, F.S.; providing for legislative appropriations to the department; requiring the Treasurer to deposit certain moneys received from the department in the hospital interest and sinking hospital maintenance trust funds; repealing ss. 392.03-392.36, F.S., relating to tuberculosis hospitals; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Woodson—

SB 1161—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government; authorizing each county and municipality to establish a Visions 2000 Committee; providing powers and duties of such committees; providing for grants to committees administered by the Department of State; providing for reports; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator D. Childers—

SB 1162—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale of dogs; prohibits persons in the business of selling dogs at retail from keeping certain dogs caged for more than 45 days; providing for placement after that time; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 1163—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workers' compensation; amending ss. 112.3145, 120.52, 440.02, 440.021, 440.13, 440.15, 440.16, 440.17, 440.185, 440.19, 440.20, 440.24, 440.25, 440.271, 440.28, 440.29, 440.30, 440.31, 440.32, 440.33, 440.34, 440.385, 440.41, 440.42, 440.44, 440.47, 440.49, 440.51, 440.54, 627.311, 960.03, 960.09, 960.15, F.S., and ss. 61, 63, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, chapter 88-1, Laws of Florida; abolishing the positions of deputy commissioner and Chief Commissioner; providing for workers' compensation hearings and other proceedings conducted by deputy commissioners to be conducted by examiners and hearing officers; providing definitions; prescribing procedures with respect to workers' compensation hearings; providing for wage-loss benefit calculation when an employee voluntarily limits his salary; requiring certain statements to be included in forms for the reporting of wage loss; prohibiting lump-sum payments in lieu of vocational rehabilitation

expense; providing penalties for parties who do not cooperate in the investigation of a claim; requiring hearing officers to give due consideration to determinations; creating the Office of Workers' Compensation Determinations; repealing ss. 440.442, 440.45, F.S., relating to deputy commissioners; providing for selection of vocational rehabilitation providers; correcting cross-references; prescribing legislative intent with respect to designation of judges to review administrative actions by examiners or hearing officers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Beard—

SB 1164—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Transportation; amending s. 20.23, F.S.; reorganizing the department; specifying the titles and duties of certain employees of the department; amending s. 110.205, F.S.; specifying classifications for certain employees exempted from the Career Service System; amending s. 334.14, F.S.; requiring that certain employees of the department be professional engineers; providing conforming language; amending s. 288.15, F.S.; providing conforming language; amending s. 316.515, F.S.; providing conforming language; amending s. 332.001, F.S.; providing conforming language; amending s. 348.52, F.S.; specifying composition of the governing board of the Tampa-Hillsborough County Expressway Authority; amending s. 348.753, F.S.; specifying composition of the governing board of the Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority; amending s. 348.967, F.S.; specifying composition of the governing board of the Santa Rosa Bay Bridge Authority; amending s. 349.03, F.S.; specifying composition of the governing board of the Jacksonville Transportation Authority; repealing ss. 334.18 and 334.19, F.S., relating to the employment of legal counsel and a comptroller by the Department of Transportation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator D. Childers—

SB 1165—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the siting of facilities for electrical power; amending s. 235.19, F.S.; restricting the proximity of new school sites to electrical power plants and transmission lines; creating s. 403.5041, F.S.; prohibiting the issuance of a certificate for a new electrical power plant site in certain circumstances; creating s. 403.5231, F.S.; prohibiting the issuance of a certificate for a new transmission line site in certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grizzle—

SB 1166—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state employment; providing legislative intent; amending s. 110.221, F.S.; revising current provisions on maternity leave to include paternity leave; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Deratany—

SB 1167—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax on sales, use, and other transactions; amending s. 212.031, F.S.; exempting the lease of certain storage buildings from the tax on the lease or rental of real property; providing that certain subleases of such property are taxable; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1168—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dentists and dental hygienists; amending s. 466.006, F.S.; increasing the dentistry licensure examination fee; amending s. 466.007, F.S.; increasing the dental hygienist licensure examination; creating s. 466.0282, F.S.; providing that a dentist who accepts or renews a license to practice dentistry in this state has given his implied consent to submitting a handwriting sample to the Department of Professional Regulation under certain circumstances; providing that such a dentist has waived the confidentiality of certain medical reports relating to him, has consented to release them pursuant to an

order to do so by the department, and has waived any objection to the admissibility of such reports as evidence under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1169—A bill to be entitled An act relating to commercial fishing operations; prohibiting the curtailment of such activities under certain circumstances; prohibiting certain local ordinances which prohibit such activities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Woodson—

SB 1170—A bill to be entitled An act relating to confidential tax information; amending s. 213.053, F.S.; specifying certain information that the Department of Revenue must provide to the governing body of certain county or subcounty districts; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Deratany—

SB 1171—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxes; amending s. 193.023, F.S.; specifying methods for assessing cooperative parcels; amending s. 197.322, F.S.; specifying information which must be contained in tax notices; amending s. 197.342, F.S.; providing a title for a certain statement of tax information; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Frank—

SJR 1172—A joint resolution proposing the creation of Section 11 of Article IV of the State Constitution relating to a Department of Elder Affairs.

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

By Senator Hill—

SB 1173—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Corrections; amending s. 945.48, F.S.; providing procedures for court-ordered treatment orders for inmates who refuse consent for the treatment of mental illness; providing for notice, appointment of counsel, and a standard of proof; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 1174—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Probate Code; amending s. 731.303, F.S.; providing for the binding effect of certain agreements, waivers, consents, approvals, accounts, or other statements upon persons who may take by virtue of the exercise or nonexercise of a power of appointment; amending s. 737.307, F.S.; providing limitations on proceedings against trustees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Malchon—

SB 1175—A bill to be entitled An act relating to beverage containers; providing legislative findings; providing definitions; providing refund values for certain beverage containers; requiring certain practices by consumers, dealers, distributors, manufacturers, and vending machine operators; providing for establishment of redemption center; providing for a handling fee; prohibiting certain metal beverage containers; prohibiting certain devices to connect beverage containers; authorizing the adoption of rules by the Department of Business Regulation; requiring the Department of Education to distribute certain materials; providing penalties; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; providing a sales tax exemption for certain materials and equipment; providing for escheat to the state of certain unclaimed deposits; providing for adoption of rules by the Department of

Revenue; limiting the effect on local governmental authority; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Margolis—

SB 1176—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical faculty certificates; amending s. 458.3145, F.S.; specifying the conditions under which a holder of such a certificate may practice medicine; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Langley—

SB 1177—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Seminole County; amending sections 1, 2, 3, 9, 12, and 13, of chapter 70-942, Laws of Florida, as amended; increasing membership of the Civil Service Board; deleting requirement that board members reside in the county for 1 year prior to appointment; removing certain positions from unclassified service; removing certain age requirements for employment as deputy sheriff; increasing number of board members required for approval of payment for certain expenses; deleting prohibition of soliciting; repealing section 19 of chapter 70-942, Laws of Florida, relating to prohibition of participation by employees in political activities; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Jenne—

SB 1178—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational programs for students in residential care facilities operated by local governmental agencies; amending s. 230.23, F.S.; requiring each district school board to coordinate a plan with local noneducational governmental agencies to construct facilities to house such programs; providing for funding from the Public Education Capital Outlay and Debt Service Trust Fund and from certain local governmental agencies; requiring certain local governmental agencies to provide for the operation, maintenance, insurance, and control of the facilities; requiring the local governmental agencies to lease the facilities to the district school boards for a specified period of time; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator McPherson—

SB 1179—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcoholic beverages; amending s. 565.095, F.S.; regulating the withdrawal of brands or labels of certain beverages from a distributor by a manufacturer; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1180—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle liability insurance; amending s. 316.066, F.S.; requiring law enforcement officers to file accident reports in certain circumstances; providing that a written report includes a report generated through information technology resources; amending s. 316.646, F.S.; prescribing conditions for suspension of a person's driver's license and registration; providing for reinstatement; amending s. 320.02, F.S.; providing for proof and affidavit of required insurance when registering a motor vehicle; providing for audit of affidavits to determine if any are false; amending s. 324.021, F.S.; increasing the amount of property damage insurance which must be maintained; clarifying applicability of insurance requirements to owner/lessors; creating s. 324.022, F.S.; providing for financial responsibility for bodily injury and property damage; amending s. 324.051, F.S.; revising language with respect to suspension of a driver's license for failure to maintain required security; amending ss. 324.061, 324.071, and 324.191, F.S.; correcting cross-references in conformance to the act; revising language with respect to reinstatement; amending ss. 324.121 and 324.131, F.S.; deleting the requirement of mandating security for 3 years under certain circumstances; amending s. 324.201, F.S.; providing for the seizure of motor vehicle license plates under certain circumstances; providing that certain information available to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles shall also be available to local law enforce-

ment agencies; amending s. 324.221, F.S.; providing additional penalties for certain violations; amending s. 324.151, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to a deductible for property damage coverage; repealing s. 324.251, F.S.; deleting the short title of the "Financial Responsibility Law of 1955"; amending s. 626.9541, F.S.; redefining the acts which constitute the unlawful imposition of additional premiums; amending s. 627.0651, F.S.; providing for return of premiums with respect to certain rates which are excessive, inadequate, or unfairly discriminatory; amending s. 627.727, F.S.; prescribing criteria for determination of maximum coverage for uninsured motorist coverage; requiring insurers to offer certain uninsured motorist coverage; creating s. 627.7275, F.S.; requiring motor vehicle insurance policies to contain certain liability coverage; creating s. 627.7295, F.S.; providing for motor vehicle insurance contracts; amending s. 627.733, F.S.; providing for reinstatement of a driver's license or registration which has been suspended for failure to maintain required security; amending s. 627.736, F.S.; prohibiting insurers from requiring certain purchases of liability insurance; requiring insurers to report renewals, nonrenewals, and cancellations of policies providing personal injury protection; amending s. 817.234, F.S.; prohibiting certain solicitations by attorneys; providing appropriations; providing applicability; providing effective dates.

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

By Senators W. D. Childers, Hollingsworth and Kirkpatrick—

SB 1181—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hunting and fishing licenses; amending s. 372.57, F.S.; deleting a provision that exempts, under certain circumstances, residents of Georgia who are age 65 or older from license and stamp requirements; increasing the fee charged to a nonresident for a hunting license; deleting a provision that charges, under certain circumstances, residents of a state contiguous to this state the same fee charged for a hunting license in that state; prescribing a fee charged to nonresidents for a license to take game for 10 consecutive days; deleting a provision that charges, under certain circumstances, a reciprocal fee to residents of states contiguous to this state for a hunting license for 10 consecutive days; providing for a commercial hunting preserve license; specifying a fee for the license; specifying eligibility criteria for the license; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Frank—

SB 1182—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending s. 101.72, F.S.; providing the supervisor of elections discretion in determining the number of voting booths needed in the county; amending s. 101.5609, F.S.; authorizing certain alternative procedures relating to absentee ballots; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1183—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Ringling Museum of Art; amending s. 265.26, F.S.; repealing provisions which require certain revenues to be held in trust by the museum's direct-support organization; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Lehtinen—

SB 1184—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school personnel certification; amending s. 231.24, F.S.; authorizing certain persons who have taught college courses to count the course credits as if they had taken the courses, if the course credits are required or permitted to satisfy a requirement to extend their certificates; providing for retroactive application under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Myers—

SB 1185—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Mental Health Institute; transferring the institute from the University of South Florida to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; repealing s. 240.514, Florida Statutes, which establishes the institute within the University of South Florida; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1186—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Arts Council; amending s. 265.285, F.S.; revising the term of office of each member appointed to the council after a specified date; deleting an obsolete provision relating to the initial appointments to the council; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

By Senators Weinstein and Meek—

SB 1187—A bill to be entitled An act relating to weapons and firearms; creating s. 790.085, F.S.; prohibiting the manufacture, sale, or offer for sale of certain plastic or nonmetallic firearms; providing exceptions; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Peterson, Crawford, McPherson, Margolis, Plummer, Thurman, Brown, Ros-Lehtinen, Thomas, Crenshaw, Jenne, Myers, Hill, Stuart, Malchon, Grizzle, Meek, Kiser, Weinstein and Hair—

SB 1188—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary and vocational education; amending s. 240.147, F.S.; requiring review by the Postsecondary Education Planning Commission of certain programs, grants, and contracts with independent institutions; amending s. 240.409, F.S.; revising conditions for eligibility for student assistance grants; revising amount of grants; creating s. 240.4095, F.S.; establishing the Florida Student Assistance Grant Fund; providing eligibility for grants; providing amount of grants; providing for priority in the awarding of grants; providing for transfers; creating s. 240.4097, F.S.; establishing the Florida Postsecondary Student Assistance Grant Fund; providing eligibility for grants; providing amount of grants; providing for priority in the awarding of grants; providing for transfers; amending s. 240.401, F.S., relating to state tuition vouchers; revising conditions for eligibility; revising the amount of vouchers; creating s. 240.609, F.S.; establishing the Florida Postsecondary Endowment Grants Trust Fund; providing eligibility for matching endowment grants; specifying matching provisions and providing restrictions; providing for rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1189—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Citrus County; amending s. 3 of ch. 84-407, Laws of Florida, as amended; authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Citrus County to levy special assessments against certain taxable real property in a portion of an unrecorded subdivision for the purpose of making road and drainage improvements; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Margolis—

SB 1190—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bond financing and investment; amending s. 125.01, F.S.; authorizing a county government to approve or disapprove the issuance of certain private activity bonds; amending s. 159.34, F.S.; authorizing a local agency, as defined in s. 159.27, F.S., to provide for the issuance of private activity bonds to finance certain capital projects; providing that such bonds may be issued only if they are payable solely from revenue derived from the sale, operation, or leasing of such projects; amending s. 159.47, F.S.; authorizing a county industrial development authority to authorize, issue, and sell private activity bonds to finance the cost of projects developed pursuant to the Florida Industrial Development Financing Act; authorizing such authority to secure the issuance and repayment of such bonds by an instrument encumbering that part of a capital project the cost of which is financed by the bonds; amending s. 159.705, F.S.; authorizing a local research and development authority to authorize, issue, and sell private activity bonds to finance certain capital projects; authorizing such authority to secure the issuance and repayment of such bonds by an instrument encumbering that part of a capital project the cost of which is financed by such bonds; amending s. 218.31, F.S.; defining, for purposes of the "Uniform Local Government Financing Management and Reporting Act," certain obligations as "private activity bonds" instead of as "industrial development bonds" as is currently provided; updating an obsolete reference to the Internal Revenue Code; amending s. 218.32,

F.S.; requiring units of local government to annually report to the Governor and Legislature on indebtedness in the form of private activity bonds; amending s. 288.075, F.S.; defining "economic development agency" to include an agency that advises a county commission on the issuance of private activity bonds; amending s. 290.0065, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Community Affairs to promulgate rules to be used by the secretary in assessing, for the purpose of determining whether a certain area will be designated an enterprise zone by the department, a local government's commitment to issue private activity bonds in that area; amending s. 290.007, F.S.; providing incentives to certain local governments in the form of private activity bonds to be issued by the state and used by such local governments in revitalizing enterprise zones; amending s. 290.014, F.S.; requiring each county or municipality that received private activity bonds in conjunction with having an enterprise zone approved to submit to the department a copy of the report filed pursuant to s. 149(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; amending s. 658.67, F.S.; limiting the amount of its funds that a bank can invest, and the amount of its corporate funds that a trust company may invest, in any single issue of private activity bonds; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Peterson—

SB 1191—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student financial aid; amending ss. 240.404, 231.621, 295.01, 295.015-295.018, 240.401-240.403, 240.4062, 240.4064, 240.4066, 240.4068, 240.408, 240.409, 240.412, 240.413, 240.421, 240.60, 240.601, 240.604, F.S.; creating s. 240.410, F.S.; specifying the qualifications for participation in student financial aid programs; prescribing procedures and requirements for such programs; providing penalties for making certain false statements to receive financial aid; renaming the Student Loan Forgiveness Program as the Critical Teacher Shortage Student Loan Forgiveness Program; specifying purposes of the program and persons who may participate in the program; requiring all financial aid programs to include specified student eligibility criteria; establishing the Regents Scholarship Program; increasing the number of scholarships in the Chappie James Most Promising Teacher Scholarship Program; allowing advanced funding on a term-by-term basis; changing the name of the Challenger Astronauts Memorial Scholarship Program to that of the Challenger Astronauts Memorial Undergraduate Scholarship Program; allowing universities and community colleges to use a specified portion of their College Career Work Experience and Public School Work Experience Programs' Funds for administrative purposes; allowing the Commissioner of Education or his designee to meet with the Florida Council of Student Financial Aid Officers at specified intervals; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senators Kirkpatrick, Hollingsworth, Weinstock, McPherson and Lehtinen—

SB 1192—A bill to be entitled An act relating to waste management; amending s. 403.701, F.S.; providing a short title; amending s. 403.702, F.S.; providing legislative findings; amending s. 403.703, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 403.704, F.S.; revising powers and duties of the Department of Environmental Regulation; amending s. 403.7045, F.S.; providing conforming language; repealing s. 403.705, F.S., relating to the state resource recovery and management program; amending s. 403.706, F.S.; requiring counties to operate solid waste disposal facilities; prohibiting municipalities from operating such facilities after a specified date; prohibiting special assessments for the purpose of funding solid waste management services except under certain circumstances; providing requirements for county recycling programs; providing that local governments not in compliance with the act are ineligible for certain revenue sharing moneys; amending s. 403.7065, F.S.; revising procurement requirements for state agencies; amending s. 403.707, F.S.; revising permitting requirements for solid waste management facilities; amending s. 403.7075, F.S.; providing conforming language; amending s. 403.708, F.S.; providing prohibitions relating to the disposal of solid waste; providing prohibitions relating to the sale of certain beverage and food containers; providing a penalty; creating the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund within the department; providing for the use of the fund; amending s. 403.709, F.S.; providing for grant programs to be developed by the department; providing requirements for the selection of grant recipients; providing for the funding of grants; amending s. 403.712, F.S.; providing for the use of revenues from certain bonds; amending s. 403.713, F.S.; revising certain prohibitions relating to the transport of solid waste;

amending s. 403.714, F.S.; providing for recycling programs within certain state agencies; providing for a demonstration project at the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; requiring the legislative and executive offices to institute a recycling program; amending ss. 403.715, 403.721, 403.722, 403.723, 403.724, 403.725, 403.727, 403.73, F.S.; providing conforming language; amending s. 403.7221, F.S.; providing for research, development, and demonstration permits for solid waste management facilities; amending s. 403.7264, F.S.; revising requirements for the program of amnesty days for disposing of hazardous wastes; amending s. 403.7265, F.S.; revising requirements for hazardous waste collection; providing for regional hazardous waste collection centers; amending s. 403.75, F.S.; providing definitions relating to used oil recycling; amending s. 403.751, F.S.; providing additional prohibitions; amending s. 403.753, F.S.; authorizing state agencies and local governments to procure certain recycled oil products; amending s. 403.754, F.S.; revising registration requirements for used oil collection facilities; amending ss. 403.756, 403.758, 403.759, F.S.; providing conforming language; amending s. 403.757, F.S.; providing additional duties for certain state agencies in promoting the use of recycled oil; creating s. 403.760, F.S.; providing requirements for used oil collection facilities; providing for immunity from liability for the owner or operator of a used oil collection center under certain circumstances; creating ss. 403.7601, 403.7602, F.S.; providing for the department to establish an incentive program and administer a grant program to encourage the collection, reuse, and disposal of used oil; requiring a report; creating ss. 403.761, 403.762, 403.763, F.S.; providing requirements for persons who transport or recycle used oil; requiring the department to certify operators of solid waste landfills; requiring owners and operators of landfills to maintain an escrow account to provide funds for the closure of such landfills; providing definitions; providing account requirements; providing for a fee or surcharge to ensure the financial resources to close a landfill; authorizing an owner or operator to establish proof of financial responsibility in lieu of escrow account requirements; requiring a permit to collect or process waste tires; providing a prohibition; requiring persons selling new tires to pay a fee to the Department of Revenue; providing for the deposit of such fee; authorizing the Department of Transportation to contract for certain supplemental litter removal; creating a nonprofit corporation to issue annual assessments against businesses who are members of the corporation; providing that both membership in the corporation and the annual assessment shall be based upon the results of a survey of litter from state highways; providing for a board of directors of the corporation; providing board membership; providing powers and duties of the board; providing penalties for failure to pay an assessment; providing for a lien against the business of a member of the corporation; requiring counties to designate sites for solid waste management facilities; providing for such a site to be designated by the Governor under certain circumstances; amending s. 187.201, F.S.; revising certain policies and goals of the State Comprehensive Plan; amending s. 196.199, F.S.; requiring payment of ad valorem taxes under certain circumstances; creating s. 287.074, F.S.; authorizing the Division of Purchasing of the Department of General Services to review and modify certain specifications to facilitate the purchase of recycled paper and paper products by state agencies; creating s. 336.044, F.S.; requiring the Department of Transportation to review and modify certain specifications to facilitate the use of certain recycled materials; requiring the department to undertake certain demonstration projects and report to the Legislature; authorizing certain local governments to form regional solid waste management authorities; providing requirements for local government participation; providing for a governing body of the authorities; providing for financing the operations of the authorities; providing the authorities with power of eminent domain; providing for joint liability and obligations of the participating local governments; providing for issuance of revenue bonds; creating s. 381.80, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to regulate the packaging, storage, treatment, and certain disposal of infectious waste; providing definitions; providing for rules, enforcement, and penalties; creating s. 220.185, F.S.; providing a tax credit for the procurement of operating equipment by a commercial recycling facility; providing a secondary recyclable materials investment tax incentive; amending s. 159.445, F.S.; revising duties of the Florida High Technology Innovation Research and Development Board; amending s. 240.539, F.S.; revising duties of the Florida High Technology and Industry Council; requiring the Board of Regents to establish a Solid and Hazardous Waste Institute within one of the state universities; specifying research activities of the institute; imposing a fee for the sale of daily newspapers in the state; requiring such fee to be reported and paid to the Department of Revenue; providing a fee credit for newspapers accepted for recycling purposes; amending s. 377.709, F.S.; revising the advanced funding program for

solid waste facilities administered by the Public Service Commission; authorizing the commission to establish rules to exempt solid waste facilities operated by, or on behalf of, a local government from certain risk considerations used in setting rates; amending s. 316.550, F.S.; allowing certain exemptions from weight limits on highways; providing legislative findings; providing definitions; providing for deposits on beverage containers; prescribing procedures for payment and refund of deposits; providing for notification of refundability; providing for establishment of redemption centers; providing for rules; requiring the distribution of certain information; prescribing penalties; limiting the effect on local governmental authority; providing for appointment of a Solid Waste Management Advisory Council; amending s. 212.12, F.S.; altering certain allowances for the collection of taxes; amending s. 212.18, F.S.; requiring an annual registration fee; creating s. 212.237, F.S.; providing for the deposit of certain tax collections in the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund; levying an additional license tax on the operation of a motor vehicle; amending s. 320.20, F.S.; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to deposit the revenue derived from the additional tax in the State Transportation Trust Fund; prescribing the use of funds so deposited; amending s. 339.08, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation to expend revenue deposited in the trust fund to reimburse owners and operators of motor vehicle towing and storage businesses certain costs of towing, storing, and disposing of certain abandoned vehicles; amending s. 713.78, F.S.; authorizing the disposal of certain abandoned vehicles; authorizing owners and operators of motor vehicle towing and storage businesses to apply to the Department of Transportation for reimbursement of certain costs; providing appropriations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Beard—

SB 1193—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation of hazardous materials over the public highways, roads, and streets; amending s. 316.302, F.S.; revising safety regulations applicable with respect to transporting hazardous materials by commercial motor vehicle; providing exemptions from certain regulations; providing penalties for violating certain regulations; authorizing weight and safety officers of the Department of Transportation and state highway patrolmen to inspect shipping documents and cargo of certain commercial motor vehicles; repealing s. 2, ch. 87-536, and ss. 2, 3, ch. 88-2, Laws of Florida, relating to the expiration of certain prior amendments to s. 316.302, F.S., and the reversion to the text of that section as it existed on July 4, 1987, under certain circumstances; amending s. 320.0801, F.S.; providing for an additional license tax on certain commercial motor vehicles to fund the Safety and Hazardous Materials Enforcement Section of the Department of Transportation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Frank—

SB 1194—A bill to be entitled An act relating to deaf persons; creating the "Deaf Persons' Interpreters Act"; providing definitions; providing for the use of interpreters in certain court and administrative proceedings; providing notification requirements; requiring an oath or an affirmation by the interpreter; providing for fees; amending s. 90.6063, F.S.; conforming to the act; providing for payment of interpreters with county funds; amending s. 901.245, F.S.; providing that a statement taken from a deaf person who has been arrested before a qualified interpreter is present is not admissible in court; extending the right to an interpreter's services to any deaf person who is arrested and taken into custody; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

SB 1195—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the optional retirement program for the State University System; amending s. 121.35, F.S.; permitting any employee who occupies a position classified in the State University System Executive Service to participate in the optional retirement program for the State University System in lieu of participating in the Florida Retirement System; updating cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Beard—

SB 1196—A bill to be entitled An act relating to surety for guaranteed traffic arrest bonds; amending ss. 627.758, 903.36, F.S.; increasing from \$500 to \$1,000 the maximum amount a surety insurer on a guaranteed traffic arrest bond may guarantee; requiring an undertaking to become surety on a guaranteed traffic arrest bond to state an unqualified obligation by the insurer to pay a fine in an amount not to exceed \$1,000; defining the term "guaranteed traffic arrest bond certificate" as a certificate containing, among other things, a guarantee by the surety company that it will pay a fine up to \$1,000 on behalf of the individual who signs such a certificate and who subsequently fails to make an appearance for which the certificate was posted; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Frank—

SB 1197—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disposition of unclaimed evidence; amending s. 705.105, F.S.; providing for disposition of the proceeds when unclaimed evidence is sold; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Girardeau—

SB 1198—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state tuition vouchers; amending s. 240.401, F.S.; requiring an applicant for a state tuition voucher to demonstrate a certain financial need; authorizing the Department of Education to establish eligibility standards for applicants for such vouchers; authorizing the department to establish an applicant rating system; requiring priority to be given to applicants having the lowest family resources; requiring the department, upon an application for a renewal voucher made by a recipient who received his initial voucher by a certain date, to assess his application for renewal according to the same eligibility criteria used at the time of his initial application; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1199—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Palm Beach County; requiring the county to appropriate funds for the relief of Edgar Burnett, to compensate him for severe personal injuries, including permanent quadriplegia, arising out of the negligent operation and maintenance of a recreational park; providing for payment by Palm Beach County; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

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

By Senator Lehtinen—

SB 1200—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; requiring judges to consider psychological injury to the victim in sentencing certain persons; amending ss. 924.06, 924.07, F.S.; providing for appeals of certain sentences imposed outside the sentencing guidelines; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Lehtinen—

SB 1201—A bill to be entitled An act relating to firearms; amending s. 790.33, F.S.; authorizing a county ordinance to provide for an extended cooling-off period between purchase and delivery of a handgun when approved at a referendum; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator McPherson—

SB 1202—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the South Florida Water Management District; authorizing the district to acquire certain lands within certain conservation areas through the exercise of the power of eminent domain; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Deratany—

SB 1203—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax administration; amending s. 213.75, F.S.; providing for specifying application of tax payments; amending s. 108 of ch. 87-6, Laws of Florida, and s. 66 of ch. 87-101, Laws of Florida; providing for application of certain sections of such laws; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Beard—

SB 1204—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation; amending s. 207.004, F.S.; prescribing fees for commercial motor vehicle identifying devices and emergency and trip permits; changing the issuance period for identifying devices; prescribing who is responsible for permits and identifying devices; repealing a provision relating to taxes on out-of-state motor carriers; amending s. 316.515, F.S.; substituting the term "vehicle" for the term "motor vehicle" in certain cases; amending s. 319.23, F.S.; deleting an exemption from certificate-of-title provisions for vehicles registered under the International Registration Plan; amending s. 320.0715, F.S.; prescribing conditions on issuing temporary operating permits for commercial motor vehicles required to register under the International Registration Plan; amending ss. 320.0805, 320.0808, 320.0809, F.S.; prohibiting the issuance of personalized prestige license plates, Challenger license plates, and collegiate license plates for certain vehicles; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Beard—

SB 1205—A bill to be entitled An act relating to toll facilities; amending s. 338.165, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation to continue to collect the toll on a revenue-producing project after the discharge of bond indebtedness of the project; exempts each revenue-producing project constructed under the Florida Turnpike Law from a provision relating to continuation of tolls; amending s. 338.221, F.S.; defining the terms "turnpike system" and "turnpike project" for purposes of ss. 338.22-338.244, F.S.; deleting the definition of the term "turnpike improvement" for such purpose; amending s. 338.222, F.S.; providing that the department is the sole governmental authority over the turnpike system with respect to certain matters; amending s. 338.223, F.S.; requiring the department to specifically refer to each turnpike project in its legislative budget request; deleting certain requirements relating to such projects; amending s. 338.225, F.S.; deleting a prohibition on charging a toll for transit on a feeder road; amending s. 338.227, F.S.; deleting a provision that authorizes the Division of Bond Finance of the Department of General Services to refinance the outstanding bonded indebtedness of the Florida Development Commission and the Division of Bond Finance for the Florida Turnpike; deleting a requirement relating to the expenditure of the proceeds of revenue bonds issued to finance a turnpike project; amending s. 338.228, F.S.; revising provisions relating to statements required to appear on the face of turnpike revenue bonds; amending s. 338.229, F.S.; conforming a state pledge to turnpike revenue bondholders to revised terminology; amending s. 338.231, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation to fix and collect tolls on the turnpike system; requiring the department to pay certain costs with moneys derived from the tolls; requiring the department to set aside tolls to pay the principal and interest on certain outstanding bonds; deleting a requirement that tolls and certain revenue be deposited in a sinking fund for such purposes; amending s. 338.232, F.S.; deleting a provision that authorizes the department to combine turnpike projects; providing for when the department may assume maintenance of the turnpike system; amending s. 338.234, F.S.; authorizing the department to grant certain concessions along the turnpike system; amending s. 338.235, F.S., relating to contracts for services on the turnpike system; conforming provisions to the act; deleting a limitation on the number of service stations a single operator may have on the turnpike system; amending s. 338.237, F.S., relating to municipal signs along turnpike rights-of-way, to conform terminology to the act; amending s. 338.239, F.S., relating to traffic control on the turnpike system, to conform terminology to the act; amending s. 338.241, F.S.; redesignating the Turnpike Project Improvement Fund and deleting a provision relating to how the budget for the fund is to be planned; conforming terminology; amending s. 338.244, F.S., relating to a prohibition against the expenditure of certain funds by the Department of Commerce

to advertise the turnpike system, to conform terminology; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 1206—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the North Brevard County Hospital District; providing for the disposal of surplus real property owned by the North Brevard County Hospital District; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 1207—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Dade County; providing for the relief of Maria Palacios, as personal representative of the estate of Octavio Palacios, deceased, and Maria Palacios, as natural guardian and next friend of Daisy Palacios and Jenny Palacios, minors; requiring the county to appropriate compensation to the survivors of Octavio Palacios for his death arising out of an automobile accident on January 1, 1983, at the entrance to the Key Biscayne Golf Course and Roger's on the Green restaurant in Dade County, Florida; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1208—A bill to be entitled An act relating to operation of motor vehicles; amending s. 316.027, F.S.; revising the criminal penalty imposed for leaving the scene of an accident that involves a death or personal injury; imposing an additional fine for such offense; providing for the use of such fines to fund residential alcohol and drug abuse treatment programs; amending s. 322.34, F.S.; providing that certain persons who drive with concealed, suspended or revoked operator's or chauffeur's licenses are guilty of a misdemeanor of the first degree; imposing an additional fine for such offense; providing for the use of such fines to fund residential alcohol and drug abuse treatment programs; amending s. 316.193, F.S.; authorizing courts to order any person convicted of driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs to receive treatment in a residential alcohol and drug abuse treatment program; providing that time spent in such program be credited toward any period of incarceration that the defendant has been sentenced to; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to establish a pilot program for the treatment of drunk driving offenders; providing for funding such program; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1209—A bill to be entitled An act relating to unemployment compensation; amending s. 443.101, F.S.; providing an exception from disqualification for persons who receive certain social security benefits; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senators Margolis, Grant, Stuart, Johnson and Brown—

SJR 1210—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 9, Article VII of the State Constitution, relating to taxation for municipal purposes.

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

By Senator Meek—

SB 1211—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state retirement systems; amending s. 121.051, F.S.; reopening, for a limited period, membership in the Florida Retirement System to members of certain existing retirement systems; providing for election to transfer; extending, for a limited period, survivor benefits for members transferring from the Teachers' Retirement System of Florida; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 1212—A bill to be entitled An act relating to home health agencies; amending s. 400.462, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 400.478, F.S.; requiring home health agencies to maintain a record of the employment history of certain agency personnel; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to adopt rules relating to the registration of home health agencies; amending s. 400.487, F.S.; requiring home health services to be periodically evaluated in a patient's home by specified health professionals; creating s. 400.495, F.S.; requiring home health agencies to provide each patient with notice of the right to report abusive, neglectful, or exploitive practices and of the toll-free telephone number for such purposes; amending s. 400.497, F.S.; providing employment standards for home health agency personnel; requiring such personnel employed on or after a certain date to undergo screening; providing procedures for such screening; providing exemptions from employment disqualification; providing for contesting disqualification from employment under ch. 120, F.S.; providing penalties; amending ss. 415.107, 415.51, F.S.; providing cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Meek—

SB 1213—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; directing the Department of Education to develop a bilingual literacy program; specifying source of funds for the program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurman—

SB 1214—A bill to be entitled An act relating to violations of a traffic control signal; amending s. 316.003, F.S.; defining the term "traffic control signal photographic system" for purposes of state uniform traffic control; amending s. 316.0745, F.S.; requiring the Department of Transportation to adopt specifications for such photographic system; creating s. 316.1971, F.S.; authorizing any county or municipality to enact an ordinance providing for the issuance of a traffic ticket for certain violations of a traffic control signal; specifying a civil penalty; designating a certification of photographic evidence of the violation as prima facie evidence thereof; authorizing the clerk of the court or traffic violations bureau to release a list of names of certain violators; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1215—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child care; amending s. 402.302, F.S.; describing programs excluded from the definition of "child care facility"; creating s. 402.3025, F.S.; providing for compliance with certain standards by nonpublic schools; providing for compliance review and corrective action; providing for licensure when a nonpublic school fails to comply with a corrective action plan; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 1216—A bill to be entitled An act relating to housing; amending s. 420.502, F.S.; providing legislative findings; amending s. 420.507, F.S.; authorizing the development of the State Apartment Incentive Loan Program and the Florida Homeownership Assistance Program; providing for powers of the Florida Housing Finance Agency; creating s. 420.5087, F.S.; creating the State Apartment Incentive Loan Program; specifying conditions under which loans may be made; creating the State Apartment Incentive Trust Fund; providing for foreclosure and disposition of property upon default; creating s. 420.5088, F.S.; creating the Florida Homeownership Assistance Program; authorizing mortgage loans; providing for loan-loss insurance reserve funds; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SCR 1217—A resolution to the Dade County Commission endorsing the establishment of a working center for the arts.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Gordon—

SB 1218—A bill to be entitled An act relating to beer and malt beverages; amending s. 563.06, F.S.; revising labeling requirements for taxable malt beverages that are packaged in bottles or cans for resale in the state; providing an additional method of applying the required stamp; providing that the stamp may be applied to the bottom of a can; revising the size requirement of the stamp; authorizing the use of an abbreviation; providing an effective date.

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

SR 1219 was introduced out of order and adopted April 19.

By Senator Vogt—

SB 1220—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Osceola County; repealing chapter 67-1847, Laws of Florida, relating to the creation of the Osceola County Law Library; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Meek—

SB 1221—A bill to be entitled An act relating to housing; creating ss. 420.622, 420.625, 420.303, 420.304, 420.305, 420.306, 420.307, 420.308, 420.309, 420.31, F.S.; creating the Florida Coalition for the Homeless; providing for coalition membership, meetings, purpose, duties, and date to be abolished; allowing reimbursement for expenses; creating a grant-in-aid program to enable local agencies to help homeless persons; providing program purposes; prescribing services to be included in the program; providing for allocating grant funds, for distributing district funds to local agencies, for evaluating spending plans, for local matching funds, and for rulemaking authority; creating the "Housing Predevelopment Assistance Act"; providing legislative findings; providing purpose; providing definitions; creating the Housing Predevelopment Trust Fund; authorizing certain loans and placing restrictions on their purposes, terms, and conditions; providing loan application procedures; providing rulemaking authority; providing for default and for reselling certain land; providing for ad valorem taxation; amending s. 420.606, F.S.; providing legislative findings related to community-based organizations; requiring the Department of Community Affairs to provide for research and planning, to obtain a report of findings, and to make certain recommendations; amending s. 420.609, F.S.; deleting a provision abolishing the Affordable Housing Study Commission; requiring the commission to perform certain duties and to report to the Governor and to legislative officials; creating ss. 420.714, 420.715, 420.716, 420.717, 420.718, F.S., the "Health and Safety Rehabilitation Assistance Act"; providing legislative findings; providing definitions; creating the Health and Safety Rehabilitation Assistance Program, to be administered by the Department of Community Affairs; providing for eligibility for loans and grants for certain housing rehabilitation projects; providing application procedures; restricting maximum loan amounts and the uses of loan proceeds; creating the Health and Safety Rehabilitation Assistance Trust Fund; amending s. 201.15, F.S.; revising the distribution of certain tax proceeds to provide for payments into the Florida Affordable Housing Trust Fund; placing restrictions on the uses of such moneys; providing an appropriation into such trust fund and allocating such appropriation to various housing-related activities; providing for the future review and repeal of s. 420.609, F.S., relating to the Affordable Housing Study Commission; amending s. 36 of ch. 86-192, Laws of Florida, to change the date of the future review and repeal of s. 31 of such act, relating to an advisory group on housing for the elderly; repealing ss. 420.40-420.417, the "Farmworker Housing Assistance Act"; repealing s. 420.607, F.S., relating to a community-based organization loan program; repealing ss. 420.701-420.713, F.S., the "Florida Mobile Home Relocation Site Acquisition and Development Act of 1986"; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 1222—A bill to be entitled An act relating to county court judges; amending s. 34.021, F.S.; specifying qualifications for county court judges; providing for the assignment of certain county court judges to serve in other counties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator Girardeau—

SB 1223—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pharmaceutical assistance for the elderly; creating the "Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly Act"; providing legislative findings; providing definitions; providing for responsibilities of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, which responsibilities include determination of eligibility, determining when reduced assistance is appropriate, preparing requests for proposals, adjusting the copayment amount, determining package size, establishing a pharmacist consultation reimbursement program, establishing a formulary of drugs to be excluded from reimbursement, adopting rules governing the practice of mail-order pharmacy and other enrolled providers, maintaining records and making periodic reports, and entering into a contract to provide prescription drugs under this program; establishing program criteria; prohibiting rebates; precluding certain providers from participating in the program; creating the Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly Trust Fund; providing for moneys from state lottery proceeds to be appropriated to the trust fund; requiring an additional charge for brand-name drugs in certain circumstances; setting deadlines for implementing the program; creating a Pharmaceutical Assistance Review Board; prescribing board membership and functions; prohibiting certain acts; providing criminal penalties and other penalties; setting deadlines for the implementation of the act; providing for future review and repeal of the Pharmaceutical Assistance Review Board, pursuant to the Sundown Act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Peterson—

SJR 1224—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 22, Article I of the State Constitution, relating to trial by jury.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1225—A bill to be entitled An act relating to export of archaeological remains; creating s. 267.131, F.S.; authorizing the Division of Historical Resources of the Department of State to regulate the export of certain archaeological artifacts out of the state; requiring a permit to export certain artifacts out of the state; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

By Senator D. Childers—

SB 1226—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public swimming and bathing places and facilities; amending s. 514.011, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "public bathing place" for purposes of provisions relating to such facilities; defining the term "public saltwater bathing beach" for such purposes; amending s. 514.0115, F.S.; specifying which of certain licensed physical therapy establishments are exempt from supervision under ch. 514, F.S.; amending s. 514.021, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to grant variances from rules relating to public swimming pools and bathing places; amending s. 514.025, F.S.; requiring public health units to routinely check the water quality and to investigate water quality complaints at public saltwater bathing beaches, as defined; amending s. 514.028, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the number of members and the organizations represented on the advisory review board that reviews issues relating to swimming and bathing facilities; amending s. 514.033, F.S.; increasing fees charged for permits to construct, develop, modify, or operate a public swimming pool or bathing place; deleting a provision that requires the department to deposit such fees into the Public Swimming Pool and Bathing Place Trust Fund; imposing a fee for a variance from department rules; amending s. 514.04, F.S.; authorizing department personnel to enter saltwater bathing beaches to examine and investigate the sanitary or safety conditions; creating s. 514.065, F.S.; requiring public health units to post certain notices at any public saltwater bathing beach that has inadequate water-quality conditions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SJR 1227—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 8, Article V of the State Constitution, relating to eligibility for service as a county court judge.

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

By Senator Vogt—

SB 1228—A bill to be entitled An act relating to resource recovery from solid organic wastes; establishing the Applications Demonstration Center for Resource Recovery from Solid Organic Materials at the Reedy Creek Improvement District wastewater treatment plant at Walt Disney World Resort Complex, to be operated by the Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences in cooperation with Reedy Creek Energy Services, Inc.; providing purposes of the center; providing for a program advisory committee; directing the Florida Cooperative Extension Service to conduct technology demonstrations for city, county, and industry managers responsible for waste management; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator W. D. Childers—

SB 1229—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation contracts; amending s. 337.141, F.S.; reducing the time within which the Department of Transportation must pay construction or maintenance contracts; requiring the department to notify a contractor within a certain time if contract documents are incomplete and to list the documents that have not been submitted; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ros-Lehtinen—

SR 1230—A resolution commending Eduardo Martinez for sponsoring the spectacular Fourth of July celebrations at his "Hacienda-Mardenpaz."

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Crawford—

SB 1231—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Highlands County Hospital District; amending section 33 of chapter 61-2232, Laws of Florida, and adding a new section; authorizing the board of commissioners to purchase liability insurance from companies not authorized to do business in the state, if equivalent insurance from companies authorized to do business in the state is not available; providing for the transfer of surplus funds to the county commission; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Grant—

SB 1232—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the lease of real property; amending s. 48.183, F.S.; providing for service of process in actions for possession of residential rental property; amending s. 83.20, F.S.; revising a provision relating to the service of notice for payment of rent or possession of nonresidential rental property; amending s. 83.49, F.S.; authorizing a tenant to provide notice to his landlord of his intention to vacate or abandon residential rental property; providing for the effect of the failure to give such notice; amending s. 83.595, F.S.; specifying conditions under which a landlord may select one of specified remedies after the tenant breaches a lease of residential rental property; amending s. 83.62, F.S.; providing for removal of tenant's personal property from the premises upon execution of a writ of possession for residential rental property; amending s. 83.625, F.S.; requiring courts to enter money judgments for past due rent pursuant to rules of civil procedure; amending s. 83.67, F.S.; specifying exceptions to provisions that prohibit a landlord from removing certain materials or the tenant's personal property from residential rental property; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary-Civil; and Economic, Community and Consumer Affairs.

By Senator Meek—

SB 1233—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome and Human Immunodeficiency Virus; creating ss. 457.1055, 458.318, 459.0078, 460.4066, 461.0061, 462.185, 463.0061, 464.0091, 465.0071, 466.0111, 468.3611, 490.0061, 491.0065, F.S.; requiring education in HIV for acupuncturists, physicians, osteopaths, chiropractors, podiatrists, naturopaths, optometrists, nurses, pharmacists, dentists, respiratory therapists, psychologists and school psychologists, social workers, marriage and family therapists, and mental health counselors; creating s. 110.1125, F.S.; requiring information on AIDS and HIV to be given to new state employees; amending s. 232.246, F.S.; requiring AIDS and HIV education in the life management skills course; amending s. 233.067, F.S.; including sexually transmissible diseases, AIDS, and HIV in comprehensive health education; amending s. 240.2097, F.S.; requiring certain AIDS-related material to be included in university handbooks; creating s. 381.608, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to establish a program of public education; amending ss. 393.067, 394.457, 395.005, 397.031, 400.141, 400.452, 400.497, 400.562, 401.25, 402.305, F.S.; requiring AIDS and HIV education for workers in certain health-care, elderly-care, and child-care facilities; creating s. 470.0135, F.S.; requiring education in HIV for funeral directors and embalmers; creating s. 943.172, F.S.; providing for HIV education for certain officers; creating s. 381.607, F.S.; providing for regulation of HIV testing and for confidentiality of results; providing penalties for test disclosure; prohibiting discrimination based on AIDS or HIV; providing penalties; creating s. 381.6085, F.S.; authorizing establishment of patient care networks; creating s. 381.609, F.S.; providing for epidemiological research; amending s. 384.23, F.S.; redefining the term "sexually transmissible disease" to include HIV; amending s. 384.24, F.S.; increasing the penalty for engaging in sexual intercourse while infected with a sexually transmissible disease; amending s. 384.27, F.S.; prescribing procedural safeguards for requiring a person suspected of being infected with a sexually transmissible disease to submit to treatment; amending s. 384.28, F.S.; providing for hospitalization and placement of persons infected with sexually transmissible diseases; creating s. 384.282, F.S.; providing for anonymity of parties; amending s. 384.34, F.S.; increasing the penalty for engaging in prostitution while infected with a sexually transmissible disease; regulating the use of tests for HIV in the insurance industry; amending s. 627.411, F.S.; providing for disapproval of insurance forms which exclude coverage for HIV or AIDS; creating ss. 627.6265, 627.6646, F.S.; prohibiting cancellation of health insurance and group health insurance policies due to AIDS or HIV; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 1234—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation of real property; amending s. 196.29, F.S.; canceling certain taxes upon real property acquired by a community college district board of trustees; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ros-Lehtinen—

SB 1235—A bill to be entitled An act relating to driving under the influence; amending s. 316.193, F.S., requiring certain notice to persons upon arraignment for a violation of provisions relating to driving under the influence; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hollingsworth—

SB 1236—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workers' compensation; amending s. 440.13, F.S.; providing criteria for valuation of certain medical services when provided by a family member; amending s. 440.34, F.S.; providing a limitation on attorney's fees under certain circumstances; amending s. 440.49, F.S.; providing requirements for selecting a rehabilitation provider; requiring the Division of Workers' Compensation of the Department of Labor and Employment Security to prepare a report; creating the Rehabilitation Study Commission; providing for commission membership and organization; requiring the commission to review the division's report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Ros-Lehtinen—

SB 1237—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the designation of state historic highways; designating Red Road which borders Coral Gables Wayside Park in Miami as a state historic highway; providing a definition; providing restrictions on removing trees and on construction in the area and physical alterations to the area; providing for a public meeting prior to physical alteration; providing for the erection of suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Stuart—

SB 1238—A bill to be entitled An act relating to financial responsibility; amending s. 316.066, F.S., requiring law enforcement officers to file written motor vehicle accident reports with respect to certain accidents; amending s. 324.051, F.S., deleting language with respect to certain owners or operators of motor vehicles who are not subject to the suspension of a motor vehicle license arising from certain traffic accidents; amending s. 324.151, F.S., deleting required optional deductibles for property damage coverage with respect to owner's motor vehicle liability insurance policies; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation and Commerce.

By Senator Margolis—

SB 1239—A bill to be entitled An act relating to witnesses in criminal proceedings; amending s. 901.15, F.S.; authorizing a law enforcement officer to arrest without warrant a person violating a protective order restraining harassment of a victim or witness in a criminal case; amending s. 914.24, F.S.; providing for duration of temporary protective order; creating s. 914.25, F.S.; providing for enforcement of protective orders by contempt; providing for a civil penalty; providing for law enforcement agency notification; providing for detention of the respondent upon arrest for violating the order and for expeditious enforcement proceedings; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Criminal.

By Senator Girardeau—

SB 1240—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a local option surtax on tires; providing intent and definitions; authorizing counties to levy a surtax on the sale of new or recapped tires; providing for use of revenues to abate the public nuisance caused by improper disposal of tires; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Girardeau—

SB 1241—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public nuisances; providing legislative findings and intent; amending s. 320.03, F.S.; authorizing an additional fee on all motor vehicle license registrations sold, transferred, or replaced; authorizing the return of such fees to the several counties to be deposited in a local waste tire removal trust fund to be used for cleaning up and removing improperly disposed of waste tires; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gordon—

SB 1242—A bill to be entitled An act relating to weapons and firearms; amending ss. 119.07 and 790.06, F.S.; authorizing the Department of State to exempt certain persons from the residency requirements for carrying a concealed weapon or firearm; exempting information with respect to such persons from the public records law; authorizing the Department of State to promulgate certain rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ros-Lehtinen—

SB 1243—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 233.0681, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the qualifications and duties of occupational specialists; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Lehtinen—

SB 1244—A bill to be entitled An act relating to charitable, non-profit, and veterans' organizations; creating s. 849.0932, F.S.; providing definitions; authorizing certain charitable, nonprofit, and veterans' organizations to conduct casino games for fundraising purposes; limiting the number of games per week; providing criteria for persons conducting the games; providing requirements for the location of such games; prohibiting persons under 18 years of age from participating in such games; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hollingsworth—

SB 1245—A bill to be entitled An act relating to grandparental visitation rights; amending s. 752.07, F.S.; authorizing grandparents to petition the court for reasonable visitation rights under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary-Civil.

By Senator McPherson—

SB 1246—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pari-mutuel wagering; amending s. 550.041, F.S.; and creating s. 550.2636, F.S.; creating a Breeders' Crown Meet for harness racing to be conducted in the same manner as the Breeders' Cup Meet; authorizing the attendance of minors at the Breeders' Crown Meet under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

FIRST READING OF COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

By the Committee on Appropriations and Senator Kirkpatrick—

CS for SB 185—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aquaculture; amending s. 258.42, F.S.; providing that aquaculture is presumed to be in the public interest; amending s. 597.003, F.S.; providing duties of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services with respect to the development of aquaculture activities; amending s. 597.005, F.S.; modifying membership, terms, and procedures of the Aquaculture Review Council; amending s. 597.006, F.S.; changing the name of the Aquaculture Interagency Coordinating Board; modifying membership; providing procedures and responsibilities; saving ss. 597.005 and 597.006, F.S., from Sundown repeal; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Appropriations and Senator Grant—

CS for SB 217—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans' affairs; creating s. 20.37, F.S.; creating a Department of Veterans' Affairs and providing for its organization; transferring specified powers, duties, records, personnel, property, and appropriations, allocations, and funds from the Department of Education to the Department of Veterans' Affairs; transferring the Florida Commission on Veterans' Affairs from the Executive Office of the Governor to the Department of Veterans' Affairs; transferring the Division of Veterans' Affairs from the Department of Administration to the Department of Veterans' Affairs; providing that department personnel may not be required to move their households solely because of the reorganization effected by this act; amending s. 20.31, F.S.; eliminating the Division of Veterans' Affairs from the Department of Administration; amending s. 292.04, F.S.; assigning the Florida Commission on Veterans' Affairs to the department; amending s. 292.05, F.S.; providing for the duties of the department; amending s. 295.124, F.S.; providing that the department is the state approving agency for purposes of certain veterans' education and training; repealing s. 292.07, F.S., relating to the appointment of veterans' affairs officers; amending ss. 292.11, 295.01, 295.016, 295.11, 295.16, 295.17, 320.084, 322.21, 626.833, and 744.421, F.S.; amending provisions to conform to the reorganization made by this act; providing that administrative rules of the Division of Veterans' Affairs of the Department of Administration shall remain in effect; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator Deratany—

CS for SB 344—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parking; amending s. 316.1945, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation to regulate parking on the roadway or shoulder of a limited access facility; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education and Senator Ros-Lehtinen—

CS for SB 354—A bill to be entitled An act relating to minors; amending ss. 39.12, 39.411, F.S.; authorizing school superintendents to inspect certain confidential records relating to delinquent or dependent children; amending s. 415.51, F.S.; authorizing school superintendents to inspect certain confidential records relating to child abuse or neglect; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Appropriations and Commerce and Senator Thomas—

CS for CS for SB 368—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 624.34, F.S.; providing for the authority of the Department of Law Enforcement to accept fingerprints of any entity which is examined or investigated under the Florida Insurance Code; amending s. 624.404, F.S.; relating to the general eligibility of insurers for a certificate of authority; providing criteria; amending s. 624.501, F.S.; providing fees for registration certificates with respect to certain military installations; amending s. 626.221, F.S.; increasing the time period for an exemption from examination for certain applicants; amending s. 626.231, F.S.; providing for eligibility to take an examination for license; amending s. 626.251, F.S.; deleting a time period with respect to notice of examination date; amending s. 626.281, F.S.; providing for reexaminations; amending s. 626.511, F.S.; eliminating an exemption to a requirement that described persons file a statement with the Department of Insurance describing the reason for the termination of an agent's appointment and license; amending s. 626.521, F.S.; providing for required character and credit reports; creating s. 626.552, F.S.; providing for reporting by insurers and supervising or managing general agents; amending ss. 626.611, 626.621, 634.181, 634.191, 634.320, 634.321, 634.422, 634.423, 642.041, and 642.043, F.S.; providing uniform language with respect to discipline or license refusal, suspension, or revocation for persons having been found guilty of, or having pleaded guilty or nolo contendere to, a felony or a crime punishable by imprisonment of 1 year or more; amending s. 626.731, F.S.; revising criteria for qualifications for a general lines agent's license; amending s. 626.732, F.S.; revising language with respect to required knowledge, experience, or instruction for license as a general lines agent; amending s. 626.735, F.S.; revising language with respect to qualifications for a solicitor's license; amending s. 626.739, F.S.; revising language with respect to a temporary license; amending s. 626.740, F.S.; revising language with respect to temporary limited licenses for industrial fire agents; amending s. 626.785, F.S.; relating to license qualifications; amending s. 626.790, F.S.; revising language with respect to temporary licenses; amending s. 626.792, F.S.; prohibiting the Department of Insurance from issuing a life insurance agent's license to certain nonresidents; amending s. 626.831, F.S.; revising language with respect to license qualifications; amending s. 626.835, F.S.; prohibiting the department from issuing a health insurance agent's license to certain nonresidents; amending s. 626.854, F.S.; redefining the term "public adjuster"; amending s. 626.869, F.S.; revising criteria for the issuance of a limited license as an independent or public adjuster; amending s. 626.88, F.S.; revising the definition of the terms "administrator" and "insurer"; amending s. 626.8805, F.S.; providing criteria for certificates of authority; creating s. 626.8809, F.S.; providing for a fidelity bond; amending s. 626.891, F.S.; relating to grounds for suspension or revocation of certificate of authority; amending s. 626.943, F.S.; relating to powers and duties of the department; amending s. 626.944, F.S.; relating to qualifications for health care risk managers; creating s. 627.4085, F.S.; requiring the name of the insurer on certain applications; amending s. 627.679, F.S.; providing for required disclosure with respect to credit life insurance; repealing s. 627.9175(2), F.S., relating to the publication of health insurance loss ratios; amending s. 628.071, F.S.; relating to the grant or denial of a permit, to include certain criteria; amending s. 631.031, F.S.; providing for discretionary commencement of delinquency proceedings; allowing the department to also commence a delinquency proceeding by application to the court by petition for a consent order; amending s. 631.041, F.S.; providing for an automatic stay; prohibiting certain actions upon commencement of a delinquency proceeding; allowing relief from the stay under certain circumstances; providing authority to issue injunctions or orders without notice; amending s. 631.271, F.S.; revising priority with respect to distribution of claims from the insurer's estate; amending s. 631.281, F.S.; providing that a claim of offset must be fully mature as of the filing of liquidation orders; creating s. 631.392, F.S.; providing for immunity for the department and its agents and employees, including the Insurance Commissioner, in carrying out responsibilities and duties under ch. 631, F.S.; amending s. 632.629, F.S.; relating to annual licenses for certain societies authorized to transact business; amending s. 632.638, F.S.; relating to the applicabil-

ity of the Insurance Code; amending s. 637.415, F.S.; relating to the regulation of employees or representatives of dental service plan corporations; creating s. 648.315, F.S.; providing for the number of applications required for licensure as bail bondsmen; amending s. 648.34, F.S.; revising criteria for qualifications of bail bondsmen; amending s. 648.37, F.S.; revising criteria for qualifications of runners; amending s. 648.38, F.S.; revising language with respect to examination as a bail bondsman; amending s. 648.39, F.S.; relating to notice of appointment of agents; repealing s. 626.881, F.S., relating to the deposit of securities and surety bonds; repealing s. 626.8811, F.S., relating to a prohibition upon a levy upon deposit of certain assets or securities; providing for review and repeal; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator Jennings—

CS for SB 547—A bill to be entitled An act relating to airport zoning; amending s. 333.01, F.S.; redefining the term "airport hazard" and defining the terms "airport layout plan" and "obstruction"; amending s. 333.02, F.S.; providing clarifying language with respect to airport hazards; amending s. 333.025, F.S.; revising language with respect to airports affected under law requiring permits for structures exceeding federal obstruction standards; providing additional criteria for permit issuance; amending s. 333.03, F.S.; requiring airport regulations to require obstruction marking and lighting for certain structures; amending s. 333.07, F.S.; providing timeframes with respect to actions taken for airport variances; providing for appeal by the Department of Transportation; providing for obstruction marking and lighting; amending s. 333.08, F.S.; providing clarifying language with respect to appeals to refer to the Department of Transportation; amending s. 333.11, F.S.; revising language with respect to judicial review; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Senator W. D. Childers—

CS for SB 573—A bill to be entitled An act relating to commissions; amending s. 13.10, F.S.; changing the name of the Commissioners for the Promotion of Uniformity of Legislation in the United States; providing for an increase in the number of representatives to the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws; providing for reimbursement for traveling expenses for all commissioners and the commission secretary; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services and Senator Myers—

CS for SB 598—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trauma care; amending s. 395.031, F.S.; changing definition of "trauma center"; specifying standards for evaluating trauma medical services systems and approving local and regional plans; requiring implementation of plans; specifying rules from which the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services may exempt trauma agencies; providing for the delegation of the pediatric referral center verification process to trauma agencies; prohibiting discrimination by certain hospitals against trauma victims on specified grounds; providing for written notices of intent to cease local plan implementation and local agency operation; specifying time for applications to renew verification; amending s. 395.032, F.S.; specifying where state trauma regions must be designated and their purpose; removing duplication provisions relating to trauma center verification standards, requests, expiration, and service provision; amending s. 395.035, F.S.; prescribing dates by which trauma centers and acute care hospitals must submit registry information; providing trauma registry proceedings and providing that certain proceedings, records, and reports are confidential; amending s. 320.0801, F.S.; specifying uses of revenues in the Emergency Medical Services Trust Fund; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Senator Myers—

CS for SB 606—A bill to be entitled An act relating to long-term care insurance; creating a new part XIX of chapter 627, F.S.; creating the "Long-Term Care Insurance Act"; providing purpose; providing for the scope of the act; providing definitions; providing filing requirements for authorized groups; providing for the use of out-of-state group long-term care insurance under certain circumstances; providing for disclosure, advertising, and performance standards for long-term care insurance; providing for rules; providing for review and repeal; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Senator Hair—

CS for SB 619—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; creating s. 624.4392, F.S., within the Florida Nonprofit Multiple-Employer Welfare Arrangement Act; providing fund balance requirements; providing an exception for certain multiple-employer welfare arrangements under a plan of self-rehabilitation; creating s. 624.4414, F.S.; specifying employer participants' liability for the obligations of the arrangement; creating s. 624.4415, F.S.; providing requirements relating to assessment of employers; creating s. 624.4412, F.S.; providing for the filing of policy forms; providing grounds for disapproval of policy forms; providing for review and repeal; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator Woodson—

CS for SB 711—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle licenses; amending s. 320.0805, F.S.; deleting a time limit on the issuance of prestige license plates; amending s. 320.0808, F.S.; authorizing an additional use for Challenger license plate fees; removing the termination date for availability of such plates; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Senator Thurman—

CS for SB 767—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pugilistic exhibitions; amending ss. 548.002, 548.004, 548.006, 548.007, 548.017, 548.041, 548.043, 548.045, 548.046, 548.047, 548.049, 548.05, 548.053, 548.054, 548.056, 548.057, 548.061, and 548.07, F.S.; prescribing authority of the State Athletic Commission over kickboxing and martial arts matches; providing definitions; providing for certain protective devices; providing for required insurance; authorizing the State Athletic Commission to require each contract regulated by the commission to include language authorizing the commission to withhold all or any part of a manager's share of a purse or implead interested parties over disputed funds into an appropriate court action, in the event of a contractual dispute as to entitlement to any portion of the purse; authorizing the commission to establish standards for referees for matches other than boxing; providing for penalties; creating s. 548.008, F.S.; prohibiting "toughman" or "badman" competitions and prescribing penalties therefor; repealing s. 548.023, F.S., relating to fingerprinting; providing for review and repeal; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services and Senator Gordon—

CS for SB 790—A bill to be entitled An act relating to crisis stabilization units; amending s. 394.875, F.S.; providing for the separation of minors and adults on such units; requiring educational programming for school age children; providing for repeal; providing an effective date.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

First Reading

The Honorable John W. Vogt, President

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed House Bills 173, 174, 177, 178, 183, 633, 776; and has passed as amended HB 212 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

John B. Phelps, Clerk

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Representative Hodges—

HB 173—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pupil and student records and reports; amending s. 228.093, F.S., which provides exemptions from public records and public meetings requirements for pupil and student records and reports and hearings concerning those records and reports; saving such exemptions from repeal; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Representative Hodges—

HB 174—A bill to be entitled An act relating to maintenance and transfer of pupil records; amending s. 232.23, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for pupil records; saving such exemption from repeal; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Representative Hodges—

HB 177—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reports to Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services concerning exceptional students; amending s. 232.145, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for exceptional student records and reports; saving such exemption from repeal; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Representative Hodges—

HB 178—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dropout prevention; amending s. 230.2316, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for the exchange of information contained in student records and juvenile justice records for admission to and administration of dropout prevention programs; saving such exemption from repeal; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Representative Hodges—

HB 183—A bill to be entitled An act relating to municipalities; amending s. 166.045, F.S.; reviving and readopting the exemption from public records requirements for written appraisals, offers, and counteroffers with respect to the proposed purchase of real property by a municipality; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Regulatory Reform and Representative Harris—

HB 633—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Citrus Commission; amending s. 601.04, F.S., relating to certain powers of the Florida Citrus Commission; providing clarifying language with respect to areas of concern of advisory bodies; saving s. 601.04(3), F.S., from Sunset repeal; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By the Committee on Regulatory Reform and Representatives Kelly and Rehm—

HB 776—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Commission for Purchase from the Blind or Other Severely Handicapped; amending s. 413.034, F.S.; revising membership of the commission; amending s. 413.036, F.S.; providing that the act shall have precedence over laws requiring procurement of products or services from other nonprofit corporations; saving ss. 413.032-413.037, F.S., from Sunset repeal; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

By the Committee on Regulatory Reform and Representative Brown—

HB 212—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Medical Advisory Board; amending s. 322.125, F.S.; providing for administrative officer of board to be employed by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; deleting unnecessary language; providing that a member of the board shall be a chiropractic physician; clarifying immunity from liability for board members; saving s. 322.125, F.S., from Sunset repeal; providing for future review and repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

The Honorable John W. Vogt, President

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed Senate Bills 56, 115, 119, 163, 165, 229, 230 and 252.

John B. Phelps, Clerk

The bills contained in the foregoing message were ordered enrolled.

CO-INTRODUCERS

Senators Beard, D. Childers, Dudley, Malchon, Kirkpatrick and Myers—SJR 30; Senator W. D. Childers—CS for SB 93; Senators W. D. Childers, Frank and Meek—SM 302; Senator Jenne—SB 307; Senator Lehtinen—SB 429; Senator Woodson—SB 178, CS for SB 471 and CS for SB 560; Senator Meek—CS for SB 560 and SB 915; Senator Kirkpatrick—SB 561; Senator Scott—SB 685; Senator McPherson—CS for SB 706; Senator Kiser—SB 727; Senator Beard—SB 980; Senators Jenne and Weinstein—SB 1021