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CALL TO ORDER

The Senate was called to order by the President at 9:00 a.m. A quorum present—38:

Mr. President	Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf	Siegel
Bankhead	Dudley	Jenne	Silver
Beard	Dyer	Jennings	Sullivan
Boczar	Foley	Johnson	Thomas
Brown-Waite	Forman	Jones	Turner
Burt	Grant	Kirkpatrick	Weinstein
Casas	Grogan	Kiser	Wexler
Childers	Gutman	Kurth	Williams
Crist	Harden	Meadows	
Dantzler	Hargrett	Scott	

Excused: Senators McKay and Myers

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Evangelist John Butler Book, Northside Church of Christ, Orlando.

PLEDGE

Senator Boczar led the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS

On motion by Senator Weinstein, by unanimous consent—

By Senators Weinstein, Jenne, Meadows and Forman—

SR 1902—A resolution commending the Rainbow Crusaders of Broward County and recognizing February 17, 1993, as Rainbow Crusaders' Day.

WHEREAS, the Rainbow Crusaders is a nonprofit, multi-ethnic troupe of young singers and dancers, who are based in Broward County, and are dedicated to saying "no" to drugs and "yes" to staying in school, and to spreading a message of brotherhood and racial harmony, and

WHEREAS, the Rainbow Crusaders were formed in 1986 and are the idea of William "Popsie" Thompson, a one-time New York musical performer, who now lives in Sunrise, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Thompson's intent was to find an activity for the children who spent their spare time in his tailor shop, so that their self-esteem and confidence would be boosted and they would avoid the growing dangers of crack cocaine, and

WHEREAS, since that time, Popsie Thompson and the Rainbow Crusaders have become familiar fixtures at numerous holiday celebrations and parades across the county, where they perform without charge for diverse groups that range from the elderly residents of senior citizen facilities to the inmates of county jails and stockades, and

WHEREAS, the ranks of the Rainbow Crusaders have grown to include more than 200 youngsters, who range in age from 4 years to 20 years, and

WHEREAS, the Rainbow Crusaders have been honored as the first drug-awareness program to be formally recognized by the Boy Scouts of America and have been designated as Explorer Post #358, and

WHEREAS, in 1990, the Crusaders traveled to Atlanta where, during a week-long tour, they performed at the Braves baseball stadium and at Six Flags Over Georgia, and

WHEREAS, with the support of volunteers, professionals, community leaders, the Rainbow Crusaders staff, and business organizations, including NaBANCO, Publix, FP&L, Barnett Bank, KFC, SunBank, K-Mart, Home Depot, Airport Hilton Hotel, and many others, the children are also exposed to an educational program that includes workshops, field trips, rap sessions, and formal lectures from law-enforcement personnel, and

WHEREAS, in 1992, the Rainbow Crusaders took their musical message of peace, brotherhood, and drug-free living to other communities in this state, were hailed by the Palm Beach County Commission, who proclaimed a day in their honor, and were also welcomed in the City of Orlando, and

WHEREAS, plans are being formulated for an eventual overseas goodwill trip to Asia, including Taiwan and other destinations in the Far East, and

WHEREAS, the Crusaders are an appealing moral example to their peers, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That the Florida Senate commends the Rainbow Crusaders of Broward County for their outstanding accomplishments in spreading a message of brotherhood and racial harmony and in encouraging their members and other young people to remain in school and avoid drugs; and that this body recognizes February 17, 1993, as "Rainbow Crusaders' Day."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution, with the Seal of the Senate affixed, be presented to William "Popsie" Thompson and the Rainbow Crusaders as a tangible token of the sentiments of the Florida Senate.

—was introduced out of order and read by title. On motion by Senator Weinstein, **SR 1902** was read the second time in full and adopted.

Special Guests

Senator Weinstein introduced the following guests who were seated in the gallery: Mr. William "Popsie" Thompson and the Rainbow Crusaders.

On motion by Senator Childers, by unanimous consent—

By Senators Childers and Harden—

SR 1860—A resolution commending Naval Air Station Whiting Field, the home of Training Air Wing FIVE, engaged in training future Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and foreign pilots for its contribution to the United States of America's Naval Forces, the State of Florida, and Santa Rosa and Escambia Counties.

WHEREAS, Naval Air Station Whiting Field conducts 80 percent of the Navy's primary flight training, and

WHEREAS, Training Air Wing FIVE, the largest of five training air wings, was formed on January 6, 1972, to oversee the entire training operation at Whiting Field, a naval base located 7 miles north of the City of Milton in Santa Rosa County, and

WHEREAS, the Wing consists of the Commander, his staff, the Naval Air Station, and five training squadrons, with squadrons TWO, THREE, and SIX conducting primary and intermediate fixed-wing flight training in the T-34C "Turbo Mentor" and squadrons EIGHT and EIGHTEEN training in the TH-57B and C helicopters, and

WHEREAS, Whiting Field employs approximately 3,635 military, Department of the Navy, civilian, contract, and private industry personnel, including 975 officer student pilots, 491 staff officers, 849 enlisted servicemen, 11 enlisted student pilots, 838 contractors, and 33 private industry workers, and

WHEREAS, the total economic impact of salaries was more than \$109 million for the last calendar year, accounting for approximately 18.1 percent of employment, 15 percent of personal income, and 28.2 percent of business sales in Santa Rosa County alone, and

WHEREAS, there are approximately 4,874 military retirees living in the area with an approximate aggregate income of \$82,858,000, and

WHEREAS, each year 916 Navy men and women arrive at Whiting Field for a permanent tour of duty, and of this group approximately 607 flight students are assigned to the squadrons for periods ranging from 6 months to 1 year, and

WHEREAS, the local community provides the housing required for approximately 1,447 married and single or unaccompanied military personnel not living in the bachelor quarters and 1,300 Department of the Navy, civilian, contractor, and private industry personnel, with approximately 64 percent of those personnel living in Santa Rosa County and 34 percent in Escambia County, and

WHEREAS, the contribution of the 64 percent of the personnel to the Santa Rosa School District accounts for approximately 1,537 students and \$173,000 in school impact aid, and

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of this body that the Base Realignment and Closure Commission under the Commander in Chief of the Armed Forces may be considering recommending the closing of the Naval Air Station Whiting Field located in Santa Rosa County, Florida, and moving its operations and personnel to Fort Rucker, Alabama, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That the Senate of the State of Florida joins the citizens of Santa Rosa and Escambia Counties in urging the President of the United States of America, as the Commander in Chief of the Armed Forces, to reject any Naval Base Closure List that includes Naval Air Station Whiting Field.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution, signed by the President of the Senate, with the Seal of the Senate affixed, be dispatched to the President of the United States, President of the United States Senate, Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and to each member of the Florida Congressional delegation.

—was introduced out of order and read by title. On motion by Senator Childers, **SR 1860** was read the second time in full and adopted.

On motion by Senator Childers, by unanimous consent—

By Senators Childers and Harden—

SR 1862—A resolution expressing opposition to the decommissioning of the USS Forrestal.

WHEREAS, the USS Forrestal, the Navy's only training aircraft carrier afloat off the coast of Pensacola, Florida, was commissioned into service on October 1, 1955, and

WHEREAS, the USS Forrestal completed a \$550-million Service Life Extension Program in 1985, designed to extend the life of aircraft carriers for at least 15 years, and

WHEREAS, the USS Forrestal has been involved in many international training exercises including a joint U.S.-Egyptian training exercise, low-level coordinated strikes, air-combat training over Turkey in 1986, and a 6-week deployment to the fjords of Norway in 1987 to participate with NATO forces in "Ocean Safari '87", and

WHEREAS, the USS Forrestal received the Meritorious Unit Citation for her superior operational performance in support of America's "Earnest Will" operations in the North Arabian Sea in 1988, during which she operated in three ocean areas, spent 108 consecutive days at sea before her first liberty port, and spent only 15 days in port throughout her nearly 6-month deployment, and

WHEREAS, in 1989, the USS Forrestal became part of history by providing support to President George Bush during his Malta Summit, and which included hosting a 3-hour presidential visit,

WHEREAS, the USS Forrestal completed drydocking in 1990, which included the installation of flush-deck catapults, in catapults one and two, to prepare the carrier for the full operation of the F/A-18 Hornet strike-fighter to become part of the carrier's air wing, and

WHEREAS, from December 1990 to March 1991, the USS Forrestal completed greatly accelerated workups and went on standby to be deployed in support of operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm, and

WHEREAS, there are approximately 2,050 crew members assigned to the USS Forrestal, and

WHEREAS, the USS Forrestal is currently undergoing a \$157-million overhaul, and

WHEREAS, a package of suggested budget cuts included a recommendation to retire the USS Forrestal as part of a plan to decrease the number of carriers in the Navy from 14 to 10, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That the Florida Senate urges the President of the United States, as Commander in Chief of the Armed Forces, to reject any Navy proposal to decommission the USS Forrestal.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution, with the Seal of the Senate affixed, be dispatched to the President of the United States, the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and each member of the Florida Congressional delegation.

—was introduced out of order and read by title. On motion by Senator Childers, **SR 1862** was read the second time in full and adopted.

MOTIONS RELATING TO COMMITTEE REFERENCE

On motions by Senator Jennings, by two-thirds vote **SB 722** was withdrawn from the Committees on Judiciary; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations; and referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations; **SB 778** was withdrawn from the Committees on Judiciary; Health and Rehabilitative Services; Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations; and referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Health and Rehabilitative Services; Corrections, Probation and Parole; and Appropriations; **SB 930** was withdrawn from the Committees on Judiciary, Criminal Justice and Appropriations and referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice, Judiciary and Appropriations; and **Senate Bills 788, 1230, 1284 and 1350** were withdrawn from the Committees on Judiciary; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations; and referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Appropriations.

On motions by Senator Jennings, by two-thirds vote **SB 144** was withdrawn from the Committees on Health Care; and Finance, Taxation and Claims; and referred to the Committees on Health Care; Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

On motions by Senator Jennings, by two-thirds vote **CS for SB 344** was withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Appropriations; and **SB 426** was withdrawn from the Committees on Community Affairs; and Finance, Taxation and Claims; and referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Judiciary; and Finance, Taxation and Claims.

On motions by Senator Jennings, by two-thirds vote **CS for SB 42** was withdrawn from the Committee on Community Affairs; **SB 1254** was withdrawn from the Committee on Health Care; and **SB 1482** was withdrawn from the Committees on Judiciary and Health Care and referred to the Committees on Health Care and Judiciary.

On motions by Senator Johnson, by two-thirds vote **SB 1360** was withdrawn from the committees of reference and further consideration.

On motions by Senator Grant, by two-thirds vote **Senate Bills 1492 and 1494** were withdrawn from the committees of reference and further consideration.

On motions by Senator Diaz-Balart, by two-thirds vote **SB 214** was withdrawn from the committees of reference and further consideration.

On motions by Senator Casas, by two-thirds vote **Senate Bills 54, 274 and 1012** were withdrawn from the committees of reference and further consideration.

SPECIAL ORDER

On motion by Senator Jennings, by two-thirds vote **HCR 1337** was withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

HCR 1337—A concurrent resolution providing for Joint Rules of the Senate and of the House of Representatives relating to implementation of Section 19(d) of Article III of the State Constitution.

—was read the second time in full. On motion by Senator Jennings, **HCR 1337** was adopted and certified to the House. The vote on adoption was:

Yeas—37 Nays—None

CS for SB 460—A bill to be entitled An act relating to appropriations; providing that funds appropriated for a beach renourishment project may be used for that purpose or other erosion control regardless of whether federal matching funds are available for the project; directing the Department of Natural Resources to periodically review and permit innovative technologies for beach renourishment; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Williams, by two-thirds vote **CS for SB 460** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—37 Nays—None

Motion

On motion by Senator Williams, the rules were waived and **CS for SB 460** was ordered immediately certified to the House.

SB 6—A bill to be entitled An act relating to road designations; designating a portion of Highway A1A in Brevard County as the Flagg Hartmann Highway; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Grogan, by two-thirds vote **SB 6** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—37 Nays—None

SB 72—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disposition of dead bodies; amending s. 245.16, F.S.; providing exceptions to the application of ch. 245, F.S., regulating the disposition of dead bodies or parts thereof; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

One amendment was adopted to **SB 72** to conform the bill to **CS for HB 53**.

Pending further consideration of **SB 72** as amended, on motions by Senator Kirkpatrick, by two-thirds vote—

CS for HB 53—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disposition of dead bodies; amending s. 245.16, F.S.; providing exceptions to the application of ch. 245, F.S., regulating the disposition of dead bodies or parts thereof; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **SB 72** and by two-thirds vote read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Kirkpatrick, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 53** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—37 Nays—None

SB 206—A bill to be entitled An act relating to road designations; designating a portion of West 49th Street in Hialeah as Sergeant Pedro "Pete" Cainas Drive; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Casas, by two-thirds vote **SB 206** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—36 Nays—None

SB 150—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire dogs; amending s. 843.19, F.S.; prohibiting injuring or killing a fire dog under specified circumstances, for which criminal penalties are provided by law; providing a definition; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Senator Wexler moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 1 (with Title Amendment)—On page 1, line 10, insert:

Section 1. This act may be cited as the "Holly-Villain Fire Dog Protection Act" in honor of "Holly" and "Villain," who are invaluable fire dogs in the state, whose handlers actively pursued the protection of all fire dogs through legislation.

(Renumber subsequent sections.)

And the title is amended as follows:

In title, on page 1, line 2, after the semicolon (;) insert: providing a short title;

Senator Burt moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 2—On page 1, line 22, after "fire department" insert: ; *special fire district, or State Fire Marshal,*

On motion by Senator Wexler, by two-thirds vote **SB 150** as amended was read the third time by title, passed, ordered engrossed and then certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38 Nays—None

CS for SB 204—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of professions and occupations; amending s. 11.62, F.S.; requiring proponents of legislation that provides for the regulation of a profession or an occupation to provide specified information to certain legislative committees or to the appropriate regulatory agency; revising references to the Department of Professional Regulation; repealing subsection of s. 20.30, F.S., as amended, which provides legislative intent for all newly regulated professions under the Department of Professional Regulation; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Sullivan, by two-thirds vote **CS for SB 204** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—37 Nays—None

SB 154—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prescribed pediatric extended care centers; amending part II of chapter 391, F.S.; modifying definitions; providing responsibilities of the Agency for Health Care Administration; deleting references to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; prescribing fees; providing for deposit of fees and fines; correcting and updating references relating to rules and standards; requiring adoption of rules relating to nonresidency and provision of services; saving part II of chapter 391, F.S., from Sunset repeal; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

The Committee on Health Care recommended the following amendments which were moved by Senator Gutman and adopted:

Amendment 1—On page 3, strike line 5 and insert: *not be less than \$500 or more than \$1,500 exceed \$500*

Amendment 2—On page 9, line 4, after "agency" insert: *in conjunction with Children's Medical Services of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services*

On motion by Senator Gutman, by two-thirds vote **SB 154** as amended was read the third time by title, passed, ordered engrossed and then certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38 Nays—None

SB 46—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Panther Technical Advisory Council; reviving and readopting s. 372.673, F.S., notwithstanding its repeal under the Sundown Act; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Dantzler, by two-thirds vote **SB 46** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—37 Nays—None

SB 170—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Parole Commission; repealing ss. 16 and 17, ch. 89-531, Laws of Florida, as amended; abrogating the repeal of s. 20.32 and ch. 947, F.S.; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Siegel, by two-thirds vote **SB 170** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—36 Nays—1

Motion

On motion by Senator Siegel, the rules were waived and **SB 170** was ordered immediately certified to the House.

SB 222—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Arabian Horse Council; amending s. 570.382, F.S.; revising the terms of office for members of the council; deleting a future repeal under the Sundown Act of provisions that establish the council; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Foley, by two-thirds vote **SB 222** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—35 Nays—None

Motion

On motion by Senator Foley, the rules were waived and **SB 222** was ordered immediately certified to the House.

CS for SB 224—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of horse sales, shows, and exhibitions by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending s. 535.11, F.S.; redefining the term "forbidden substance" with respect to the prohibition against unlawfully administering certain drugs to a horse being exhibited at a horse show or entered in a sale; deleting provisions that allow, under certain circumstances, phenylbutazone to be administered to horses entered or shown in a horse show; revising requirements under which a horse may receive certain medications; providing additional powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services with respect to inspecting and testing for forbidden substances; providing for the return of a horse after sale if it is found to have been administered a forbidden substance; repealing s. 11 of ch. 83-13, Laws of Florida; abrogating the repeal of ch. 535, F.S., under the Regulatory Sunset Act; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Foley, by two-thirds vote **CS for SB 224** was read the third time by title, passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—37 Nays—None

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Rules and Calendar submits the following bills to be placed on the Special Order Calendar for Wednesday, February 17, 1993: HCR 1337, CS for SB 460, SB 6, SB 72, SB 206, SB 150, CS for SB 204, SB 154, SB 46, SB 170, SB 222, CS for SB 224

Respectfully submitted,
Toni Jennings, Chairman

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 50 with 1 amendment, SB 678

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 368 with 1 amendment, SB 410

The Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims recommends the following pass: SB 498 with 3 amendments

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends the following pass: SB 28, CS for SB 60

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining recommends the following pass: SB 148

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

The Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims recommends the following pass: SB 504 with 2 amendments

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

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 168 with 1 amendment, SB 488

The bills were referred to the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole under the original reference.

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 190

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

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 466, SB 654, SB 794 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends the following pass: SB 558 with 1 amendment, SB 662 with 1 amendment

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

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 782

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 1038 with 2 amendments

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on International Trade, Economic Development and Tourism under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Care recommends the following pass: SB 652 with 1 amendment

The bill was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 692

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 412 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Finance, Taxation and Claims recommends the following pass: SB 92 with 5 amendments, SB 276, SB 352, SB 442 with 2 amendments

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

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 272

The Committee on Health Care recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 132, SB 156

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 344, SB 430

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

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 176

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 528

The bills with committee substitutes attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Community Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 306

The Committee on Professional Regulation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 398

The Committee on Transportation recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 266, SB 278

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

The Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 146

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

The Committee on Health Care recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 152

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

The Committee on Health Care recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 160, SB 370

The Committee on Judiciary recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 112, SB 322, Senate Bills 340 and 358

The Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 138

The Committee on Transportation recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 438, SB 450, SB 506, SB 512, SB 586

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

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The Committee on Rules and Calendar respectfully recommends the attached amendment to the Senate Rules concerning the 72-hour review period before passage of the general appropriations bill.

Sincerely,
Toni Jennings, Chairman

JOINT RULE GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS BILL

2.1—General Appropriations Bill; Review Period

(1) A general appropriations bill shall be subject to a 72-hour public review period before a vote is taken on final passage in the house in which the bill originates.

(2) A review period is not required prior to a vote being taken on final passage of the same bill in the nonoriginating house, provided the bill is not amended. If a bill is amended, the amendment being a bill previously furnished pursuant to this rule, another review period is not required. If, however, the amendment was not previously furnished pursuant to this rule, another 72-hour public review period shall be provided before a vote is taken on final passage.

(3) If a bill is returned to the house in which the bill originated and the originating house does not concur in all the amendments or adds additional amendments, no further action shall be taken on the bill by the nonoriginating house, and a conference committee shall be established by operation of this rule to consider the bill.

(4) If a bill is referred to a conference committee by operation of this rule, a 72-hour public review period shall be provided prior to a vote being taken on the conference committee report by either house.

(5) A copy of the bill, a copy of the bill with amendments adopted by the nonoriginating house, or the conference committee report shall be furnished to each member of the Legislature, the Governor, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and each member of the Cabinet. Copies for the Governor, Chief Justice and members of the Cabinet shall be furnished to the official's office in the Capitol or Supreme Court Building. A member's copy shall be furnished to the member's desk in the appropriate chamber. The Secretary of the Senate shall be responsible for furnishing copies under this rule for Senate bills, House bills as amended by the Senate, and conference committee reports on Senate bills. The Clerk of the House shall be responsible for furnishing copies under this rule for House bills, Senate bills as amended by the House, and conference committee reports on House bills.

(6) The 72-hour public review period shall begin to run upon completion of the furnishing of copies required to be provided herein. The Speaker of the House or the President of the Senate, as appropriate, shall be informed of the completion time and such time shall be announced on the floor prior to vote on final passage in each house and shall be entered in the journal of each house. Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays shall be included in the computation under this rule.

2.2—General Appropriations Bill; Definition

For the purposes of Joint Rule 2, the term "general appropriations bill" means a bill which provides for the salaries of public officers and other current expenses of the state and contains no subject other than appropriations. A bill which contains appropriations which are incidental and necessary solely to implement a substantive law is not included within this term.

(HCR 1337 was adopted by the Senate this day in lieu of this report.)

BILLS REFERRED TO SUBCOMMITTEE

The following has been referred to the Select Subcommittee on Cross Florida Greenbelt which will report to the full committee within 10 days: Senate Bill 1780

Rick Dantzler, Chairman
Committee on Natural Resources
and Conservation

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

FIRST READING

By Senator Diaz-Balart—

SB 1200—A bill to be entitled An act relating to building designations; designating the Little Havana Clinic in Dade County as the Dr. Rafael A. Penalver Clinic; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Harden—

SB 1202—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public assistance; creating the Human Support System Act of 1993; providing definitions; providing legislative intent and purpose for a 5-year plan to convert the state's social services delivery system into a new statewide Human Support System; providing goals, principles, and critical success factors; requiring pilot projects to test and evaluate programmatic features in rural and urban settings and to acquire certain family responsibility concept data; providing that the Human Support System be operated on the principle of time-limited duration of benefit payments in exchange for concentrated, intensive case management featuring high-quality holistic services provided on a continuum progressing from dependence through independence to contribution; providing for waivers from state and federal law; requiring data collection and a comprehensive evaluation component for all phases and programs of the Human Support System and its pilot projects; providing for twin pilot project site selection and advisory board establishment; providing for a 5 percent across-the-board reduction of benefits at the inception of the pilot projects, for all participants, to defray the costs of the program; providing for certain exemptions and exceptions to system limitations; providing for screening and assessment, family resource centers, colocated integrated services delivered through a single delivery system, participant notification, certain changes in AFDC requirements intended to encourage independence, employment, education, and two-parent families, including certain asset accumulation, options for support services and intent to utilize private alternatives to provide optional support services, required and optional workfare programs, revision in funding source for the child-support enforcement program and streamlining of child support collection processes by various means, including attorney's fees awards, administrative penalties, and inducements to women to identify the fathers of their children, income and earnings and other disregards, and expansion of Project Independence, subsidized child care, and Medicaid programs; providing program participation requirements and nonparticipation penalties, including contempt, the withholding of benefits, and the payment of costs and attorney's fees; requiring hours of community service; providing requirements for the conduct of the marriage encouragement and family responsibility variant of the twin pilot projects; providing for marriage bonuses under certain circumstances and providing for certain family size restrictions on benefits; providing additional duties of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services relating to conduct of the Human Support System, including reorganization of services, development of public and private partnerships, interagency cooperation to end disincentives to employment, rental subsidy programs, expedited recommendations for adjusting all entitlement programs, the conduct of public awareness programs, and annual reporting on the progress of the Human Support System; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1204—A bill to be entitled An act relating to court-ordered mediation and arbitration; amending s. 35.22, F.S., relating to fees collected by the district courts of appeal; authorizing teleconferencing fees; amending s. 44.102, F.S.; revising the confidentiality privilege in court-ordered mediation cases; amending s. 44.103, F.S.; providing specific authorization for the practice of having parties pay for court-ordered, nonbinding arbitration services; providing for compensation of arbitrators by the county or the parties; providing for volunteer arbitrators; repealing s. 44.105, F.S., for the purpose of deleting the limitation on referral to both mediation and arbitration; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Appropriations.

By Senator Hargrett—

SB 1206—A bill to be entitled An act relating to unemployment compensation; amending ss. 443.101 and 443.111, F.S.; modifying requirements to requalify for benefits; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Jones—

SB 1208—A bill to be entitled An act relating to financial matters; amending ss. 159.811, 215.65, and 215.655, F.S.; revising provisions which specify requirements relating to fees collected by the Division of Bond Finance and expenses of the division; amending s. 215.44, F.S.; providing for the confidentiality of records relating to investments by the State Board of Administration; providing for future review and repeal; amending s. 215.47, F.S., which specifies the securities eligible for investment by the State Board of Administration; providing additional eligible securities and revising limitations on investments; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Williams, Dyer and Grant—

SB 1210—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public meetings and records; amending s. 286.011, F.S.; exempting certain meetings of governmental agencies from the requirement that they be open to the public; establishing criteria for such meetings; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1212—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Uniform Commercial Code; amending s. 679.402, F.S.; requiring certain financial statements to be printed in certain type; requiring a debtor to be orally advised of intent to file a financial statement; amending s. 679.501, F.S.; providing for discharge of certain security interests under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Judiciary.

By Senator Turner—

SB 1214—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; authorizing the Department of Education to assist school districts to implement certain programs through the Federal Chapter 1 program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Dudley—

SB 1216—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public construction projects; creating s. 255.061, F.S.; providing penalties for misapplication of funds received for public construction; creating s. 255.071, F.S.; providing for payment of subcontractors, materialmen, and suppliers on public jobs; providing for an evidentiary hearing when undisputed payments are not made; providing remedies for nonpayment; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brown-Waite—

SB 1218—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water and wastewater systems; amending s. 367.071, F.S.; providing a procedure for the determination of the rate base where one utility is acquired by another; providing a definition; providing for the prospective application of the act; amending s. 367.171, F.S.; directing certain utilities to provide annual reports under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Myers—

SB 1220—A bill to be entitled An act relating to persons with disabilities; providing findings and intent; providing for the establishment in each county and municipality of an advisory committee of persons with disabilities; providing for membership and duties of such committees; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jenne—

SB 1222—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care administration; amending s. 20.42, F.S.; renaming and revising organization of the Agency for Health Care Administration; establishing the Department of Health Care Administration; providing for appointment of a secretary, a deputy secretary, and division directors; modifying division responsibilities; renumbering s. 381.0402, F.S.; transferring responsibility for the area health education center network from the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to the department; amending ss. 381.0405 and 409.7015, F.S.; correcting cross references; amending and renumbering s. 409.701, F.S.; replacing the Secretary of Health and Rehabilitative Services with the Secretary of Health Care Administration as a member of the Florida Health Access Corporation; amending s. 624.91, F.S.; providing for administration of the Florida Healthy Kids Trust Fund by the department; including related support activities in the transfer of the Division of Medical Quality Assurance from the Department of Professional Regulation to the department; authorizing certain advancement of funds to the boards of professions formerly regulated by the Department of Professional Regulation, and requiring semiannual reporting thereon and repayment thereof; requiring an interdepartmental agreement for such advancement of funds; transferring powers, duties, and functions of the Medicaid program from the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to the department; transferring powers, duties, and functions of the state employee health insurance program from the Department of Management Services to the department; requiring that certain changes in terminology be made in the Florida Statutes, to conform; requiring preparation of a reviser's bill to make certain changes in terminology and correct cross references and other inconsistencies in the Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grogan—

SB 1224—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health insurance; requiring that all claims be filed on a uniform claims form; directing the Department of Insurance to establish a task force to recommend a uniform claims form and electronic filing system; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Wexler—

SB 1226—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle insurance; amending s. 627.739, F.S.; requiring that motor vehicle insurance policy application forms include a specified statement concerning personal injury protection for loss of income and loss of earnings; prohibiting an insurer from accepting an application form from a retired person whose income would not be interrupted on account of a personal injury and who does not have wages, unless the applicant has initialed the statement; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Grant—

SB 1228—A bill to be entitled An act relating to business development; creating s. 289.001, F.S.; declaring legislative findings and purpose; amending s. 289.011, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 289.021, F.S.; repealing provisions providing for the creation of industrial develop-

ment corporations; providing for creation of the Enterprise Florida Investment Corporation; providing powers, duties, and purposes; amending s. 289.031, F.S.; providing special corporate powers; amending s. 289.041, F.S.; providing for securities of the corporation; creating s. 289.042, F.S.; prescribing authorized classes of stock; providing for limiting the holders of such stock; providing voting requirements; amending s. 289.071, F.S.; prescribing powers of stockholders; amending s. 289.081, F.S.; providing for amendments to articles of incorporation; amending s. 289.091, F.S.; providing for conduct of corporation business and affairs; amending s. 289.121, F.S.; providing for reports by the corporation and examinations of the corporation; amending s. 289.131, F.S.; providing for meetings of the corporation; amending s. 289.151, F.S.; providing for dissolution of the corporation; amending s. 289.191, F.S.; providing for the occupational license tax of the corporation; amending s. 289.201, F.S.; providing for the fiscal year of the corporation; creating s. 289.301, F.S.; prescribing the corporation's affiliation with Enterprise Florida, Inc.; creating s. 289.401, F.S.; providing for qualification of equity capital corporations and of investments; repealing s. 289.051, F.S., relating to membership of financial institutions in industrial development corporations, s. 289.061, F.S., relating to duration of membership in industrial development corporations, s. 289.101, F.S., relating to surplus earned by industrial development corporations, s. 289.141, F.S., relating to corporate existence of industrial development corporations, s. 289.161, F.S., relating to credit of the state, s. 289.171, F.S., relating to applicability of the federal Small Business Act, and s. 289.181, F.S., relating to tax exemptions, credits, and privileges; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on International Trade, Economic Development and Tourism; Commerce; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bankhead—

SB 1230—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile offenders; amending s. 960.001, F.S.; authorizing release to victim of information as to whether the offense was committed by a juvenile; amending s. 960.003, F.S.; requiring disclosure of HIV test results on alleged juvenile offenders to the parent or guardian, and reenacting ss. 381.004(3)(g), (i)6. and 951.27(2), F.S., relating to HIV testing and blood tests of inmates, to incorporate said amendment in references thereto; amending s. 960.20, F.S.; limiting parental liability for an additional cost, and reenacting ss. 316.660(2) and 775.0835, F.S., relating to disposition of fines and forfeitures and the Crimes Compensation Trust Fund, to incorporate said amendment in references thereto; amending s. 316.635, F.S.; limiting parental liability for costs relating to minors who are criminal traffic offenders; amending s. 39.043, F.S.; authorizing detention of a child held in contempt of court in a staff secure dependency shelter in certain circumstances and providing due process rights, and reenacting s. 39.044(1)(a), F.S., relating to detention, to incorporate said amendment in a reference thereto; amending s. 39.0585, F.S.; requiring certain information from delinquency and dependency treatment agencies; deleting a restriction on release of information and requiring certain information sharing upon consent of the parent or guardian; amending s. 39.025, F.S., relating to juvenile delinquency and gang prevention; requiring gang prevention councils to provide an annual report to the Commission on Juvenile Justice; amending s. 784.07, F.S.; adding certain delinquency staff to the list of officers against whom an assault or battery is reclassified one degree upward, for which penalties are provided by law; amending s. 216.136, F.S.; creating the Juvenile Justice Estimating Conference and providing its duties; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1232—A bill to be entitled An act relating to solid waste management fees; amending s. 403.7197, F.S., relating to the advance disposal fee program; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; requiring the department to consider certain proposals for imposing the advance disposal fee on additional items; providing a rate for the advance disposal fee; providing procedures; authorizing a collection allowance; excluding the advance disposal fee from estimated tax payments; authorizing the Department of Revenue and the Department of Business Regulation to recover administrative costs, penalties, and interest; authorizing those departments to adopt emergency rules; requiring the Department of

Environmental Regulation to adopt certain rules; providing for the confidentiality of certain taxpayer information; revising the allocation of moneys in the Container Recycling Trust Fund; requiring the Department of Environmental Regulation to develop a grant program for recycling and litter-prevention programs; providing requirements of the grant program; providing legislative intent with respect to uses of the advance disposal fee; specifying uses of revenues from the fee; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1234—A bill to be entitled An act relating to employment and training; providing legislative intent; requiring the Governor and Cabinet to conduct certain coordination activities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1236—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 236.081, F.S.; deleting a reference to lifelong learning programs; removing authority for state funding based on enrollment of certain students in courses provided by school districts; amending s. 239.113, F.S.; deleting a reference to lifelong learning; amending s. 239.117, F.S.; deleting references to lifelong learning; amending s. 239.301, F.S.; deleting references to lifelong learning programs; amending s. 240.359, F.S.; deleting a reference to life long learning; removing authority for state funding for certain students in community college courses; repealing ss. 228.041(35), 239.105(12), F.S., relating to lifelong learning; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Kurth—

SB 1238—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle license plates; amending ss. 320.0805, 320.08065, 320.08066, 320.0808, 320.0809, 320.083, 320.089, 320.0895, 320.1325, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to issue certain motor vehicle license plates to lessees of those vehicles in the same manner and for the same fees as those license plates are issued to owners of those motor vehicles; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Grant and Dyer—

SB 1240—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; creating s. 121.36, F.S.; authorizing certain hospitals to withdraw from the system; authorizing hospitals to provide a private retirement plan; providing for all new employees to participate in the private plan; providing for all existing employees to declare participation in either the Florida Retirement System or the private plan; providing conditions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Foley and Siegel—

SM 1242—A memorial to the Congress of the United States urging Congress to propose an amendment to the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to provide for the pre-deployment or immediate activation of the military in response to catastrophic natural disasters.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Foley and Siegel—

SB 1244—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sudden infant death syndrome; providing legislative findings and intent; defining the term "Sudden Infant Death Syndrome," or "SIDS"; requiring first responders to have certain training relating to appropriate responses to sudden infant death; providing for adopting rules; requiring medical examiners to perform autopsies in certain infant deaths; requiring the Medical Examiners Commission to develop and implement a protocol for those autopsies; providing an exemption from liability; allowing such an autopsy without consent, except as specified; requiring visitation to parents or caretakers by certain county public health unit personnel; providing for training of the county public health unit personnel; creating the Sudden Infant Death Syndrome Advisory Council; providing for council membership, terms of office, meetings, and duties; requiring the State Health Office to administer and provide support staff to the council; providing for reimbursement; providing duties of the State Health Office; restricting implementation of the act; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care and Appropriations.

By Senators Foley and Siegel—

SB 1246—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome; adopting the recommendations of the Governor's Red Ribbon Panel on AIDS; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Foley and Siegel—

SB 1248—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care providers; repealing s. 9, ch. 92-178, Laws of Florida, which prohibits a health care provider from billing an amount in excess of a \$2-handling fee for services rendered by an entity that is outside the provider's practice; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Health Care.

By Senators Foley, Dudley, Jenne, Casas, Meadows, Forman and Siegel—

SB 1250—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prostitution; amending s. 796.07, F.S.; providing for the forfeiture under the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act of a vehicle used or attempted to be used in committing certain prohibited acts of prostitution, lewdness, or assignation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice and Appropriations.

By Senator Foley—

SB 1252—A bill to be entitled An act relating to securities; amending s. 517.021, F.S.; removing an exclusion from the definition of associated person; amending s. 517.07, F.S.; prohibiting selling unregistered securities, into, from, or within the state; providing for registration of securities of small corporate offerings; creating s. 517.0815, F.S.; authorizing the registration of certain small corporate initiative offerings; amending s. 517.101, F.S.; providing for consent to service of process; amending s. 517.111, F.S.; providing for revocation of registration of small corporate offerings; amending s. 517.12, F.S.; providing effective dates for registration of branch offices; amending s. 517.161, F.S.; providing dates for termination of a registration; clarifying the meaning of the term "ultimate equitable owner"; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Foley—

SB 1254—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health maintenance organization contracts; amending s. 641.28, F.S.; revising the provisions providing for attorney's fees in actions brought to enforce the terms and conditions of health maintenance organization contracts; amending s. 641.31, F.S.; providing for reimbursement of health maintenance organizations in accordance with provisions relating to collateral sources of indemnity, including reimbursement for attorney's fees and costs; amending s. 641.3108, F.S.; revising requirements for cancellation and for notice of cancellation of a health maintenance organization contract; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care and Commerce.

By Senator Foley—

SB 1256—A bill to be entitled An act relating to media personnel; exempting from disclosure in certain legal proceedings the sources of information obtained by certain media personnel; exempting such media personnel from testifying as to personal observations under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Foley—

SB 1258—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prostitution-related offenses and activities; amending s. 796.03, F.S.; increasing the age of the victim applicable to the crime of procuring prostitution, and reenacting ss. 772.102(1)(a)14., 787.01(3)(a)4., 787.02(3)(a)4., and 895.02(1)(a)17., F.S., relating to criminal activities, kidnapping, false imprisonment, and racketeering, to incorporate said amendment in references thereto; amending ss. 796.06, 796.07, and 796.08, F.S.; increasing penalties for second and subsequent violations of renting space for use for prostitution, prostitution, and unlawful transmission of sexually transmissible diseases; reenacting s. 893.138(1), F.S., relating to prostitution-related public nuisances, to incorporate the amendment to s. 796.07, F.S., in a reference thereto; amending s. 381.004, F.S., relating to testing for HIV, to conform a cross-reference and to clarify provisions; amending s. 384.29, F.S., relating to confidentiality, to incorporate the amendment to s. 796.08, F.S., and to clarify provisions; amending s. 796.09, F.S., to incorporate the amendment to s. 796.07, F.S., and to clarify provisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice and Appropriations.

By Senator Foley—

SB 1260—A bill to be entitled An act relating to chemical standards; amending s. 501.916, F.S.; clarifying criteria for mislabeled antifreeze; repealing s. 501.918(6), F.S., relating to use of the term "ethylene glycol"; amending s. 501.921, F.S.; authorizing certain rules of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to contain certain standards or specifications; amending s. 525.037, F.S.; making it unlawful to sell or distribute certain petroleum fuel; creating s. 531.415, F.S.; authorizing the department to establish certain fees for certain purposes; providing for payment and deposit of such fees; providing an exception; repealing s. 20.13(2)(d), F.S., relating to the Division of Liquefied Petroleum Gas in the Department of Insurance; amending s. 527.01, F.S.; redefining department to be the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; transferring the powers, duties, records, personnel, property, and certain funds of the Division of Liquefied Petroleum Gas to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Foley—

SB 1262—A bill to be entitled An act relating to civil liability; creating the Florida Volunteer Protection Act; limiting civil liability for volunteers providing services to nonprofit organizations under certain conditions; providing for liability of the nonprofit corporation; providing for application; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Foley—

SB 1264—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government; amending s. 125.01, F.S.; requiring approval of the electors of a municipality or the affected portion thereof to be included within a municipal service taxing or benefit unit; specifying effect of such inclusion on a municipality's millage obligation; requiring referendum approval for withdrawal from the unit and requiring notice prior thereto; specifying effect on certain service contracts; amending s. 200.071, F.S.; specifying the effect on millage levies of a municipality's inclusion in such unit; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Turner—

SB 1266—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational facilities; amending s. 235.193, F.S.; requiring the local governing body that regulates land use to provide offsite infrastructure for a new school once notified of the site by the school board; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education, Community Affairs and Appropriations.

By Senator Turner—

SB 1268—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational facilities; amending s. 235.26, F.S.; exempting public educational facilities from certain additional fee assessments; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Turner—

SB 1270—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school boards; amending s. 235.31, F.S.; authorizing school boards in certain school districts to purchase services for maintenance, repair, and site improvement of educational facilities and ancillary plants under the contracts of other public agencies; providing that persons providing the services under the contracts may refuse to provide services to the school board; providing that the purchase must be to the economic advantage of the school district and meet certain requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Community Affairs—

SB 1272—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community redevelopment; amending s. 163.340, F.S.; amending the definition of the terms "public body" or "taxing authority"; amending s. 163.346, F.S.; requiring additional notice to taxing authorities; amending s. 163.360, F.S.; requiring a community redevelopment agency to submit to certain taxing authorities any community redevelopment plan that the agency recommends for approval by a governing body; amending s. 163.387, F.S.; providing for certain taxing authorities to be exempt from paying tax increments to a redevelopment trust fund as required under this section; providing procedures for granting certain exemptions; providing a restriction upon granting exemptions; providing for any money that remains in the trust fund to be appropriated to a redevelopment project, which must be completed within a specified time period; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Williams—

SB 1274—A bill to be entitled An act relating to probation; amending s. 948.15, F.S.; requiring a judge of the county court to approve any contract for probation supervision services entered into by the board of county commissioners and a private entity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Corrections, Probation and Parole.

By Senators Silver, Casas, Diaz-Balart and Jones—

SB 1276—A bill to be entitled An act relating to underground facilities; creating the Underground Facility Damage Prevention and Safety Act; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; providing for the creation of the "Sunshine State One-Call of Florida, Inc."; providing for a board of directors; providing annual reports to the Governor; providing for the establishment of a one-call notification system; providing for participation by all underground facility operators; providing procedures; requiring notice of excavations and demolitions; providing immunity for board members of the corporation; providing for liability of member operators, excavators, board members, and the corporation; providing civil and criminal penalties; providing an exemption for emergency excavations and single-family residential property; providing for the assessment of costs among member operators; providing for the applicability of the act to existing law and providing rules of construction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Crist—

SB 1278—A bill to be entitled An act relating to referenda; amending s. 16.061, F.S.; expanding the scope of the Supreme Court's review of initiative petitions to include review for compliance with the United States Constitution and federal law; amending s. 101.161, F.S.; authorizing the Supreme Court to amend the ballot language of a constitutional amendment or other public measure; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Siegel—

SB 1280—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sales and use taxes; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; exempting from the tax on sales, use, and other transactions replacement parts and equipment, and the services and labor involved in installing them, used in aircraft repair or maintenance; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Turner—

SB 1282—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers' licenses; repealing s. 322.0601, F.S., which requires persons 16 and 17 years of age to meet certain educational requirements before they are eligible for drivers' licenses; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dantzler—

SB 1284—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile contempt; amending s. 39.042, F.S.; authorizing the use of detention for juveniles who have been held in contempt; amending s. 39.043, F.S.; authorizing detention care for delinquent juveniles held in contempt and authorizing secure dependency shelter care for dependent juveniles held in contempt; reenacting s. 39.044(1), relating to detention, to incorporate said amendments in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Turner—

SB 1286—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 236.24, F.S.; authorizing district school boards to invest in commercial paper and bankers acceptances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Turner—

SB 1288—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public educational management information systems; amending s. 236.135, F.S.; deleting a requirement that each district school board, community college board of trustees, and the Board of Regents secure approval from the Commissioner of Education before purchasing or leasing electronic data processing equipment or software; authorizing those boards to obtain the equipment or software to maintain the comprehensive management information systems; requiring that the boards, rather than the commissioner, ensure that the software or equipment is compatible with the Florida Information Resources Network and that costs are reduced by making the best use of existing hardware and software; requiring that the commissioner request supplemental funding for school districts to accomplish the objectives of the comprehensive management information systems; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Turner—

SB 1290—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school district drop-out prevention programs; amending s. 230.2316, F.S.; requiring each program to include individual and group counseling each day, rather than as an activity for a minimum of two class periods daily; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Turner—

SB 1292—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State Uniform Building Code for Public Educational Facilities Construction; amending s. 235.26, F.S.; exempting from review and approval by the Office of Educational Facilities plans for leasing an ancillary facility that will be used solely for noninstructional purposes other than housing; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Turner—

SB 1294—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Consultants' Competitive Negotiation Act; amending s. 287.055, F.S.; redefining the term "continuing contract," for purposes of that act, to include certain contracts between firms providing professional services and school districts; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Myers—

SB 1296—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nursing practice; creating s. 464.027, F.S.; providing for recognition of registered nurses who meet specified criteria as "registered nurse first assistants"; providing duties of the Board of Nursing and of health-care institutions; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Professional Regulation.

By Senator Brown-Waite—

SB 1298—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual battery; amending s. 794.011, F.S.; providing a definition and providing technical changes; deleting an evidentiary provision and incorporating into the sexual battery section the substance of s. 794.041, F.S., relating to the offense of sexual activity with a child by or at solicitation of a person in familial or custodial authority and deleting an age minimum for the solicitation offense; repealing s. 794.041, F.S., relating to unlawful sexual activity with a child by or at the solicitation of a person in familial or custodial authority to the child; amending ss. 39.001, 39.076, 39.4105, 110.1127, 242.335, 393.0655, 394.457, 396.0425, 397.0715, 402.305, 409.175, F.S., relating to juvenile program personnel screening, grandparental visitation, employee security checks, and personnel screening for the Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind, developmental disabilities caretakers, mental health and substance abuse treatment personnel, and child care and family foster home personnel, conforming provisions to the amendments to ss. 794.011, 794.041, F.S.; reenacting ss. 775.15(7), 794.023(2), 903.133, 914.16, 944.033(3), 945.091(3), 946.40(4), 951.24(2)(c), 958.09(2), F.S., relating to time limitations, sexual battery by multiple perpetrators, bail on appeal, sexual abuse victims under age 16, community correctional centers, use of prisoners in public works, and extensions of limits of confinement for inmates, to incorporate the amendment to s. 794.011, F.S., in references thereto; amending s. 794.022, F.S., to conform to the amendments to ss. 794.011, 794.041, F.S.; adding an evidentiary provision; reenacting s. 90.404(1)(b), F.S., relating to character evidence, to incorporate the amendment to s. 794.022, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice and Appropriations.

By Senator Bankhead—

SB 1300—A bill to be entitled An act relating to private investigative, private security, and repossession services; amending s. 493.6105, F.S.; authorizing certain licensees to commence work upon submission of a licensure application; providing an exception to a requirement that certain licensees' employment be terminated upon denial of licensure; amending s. 493.6106, F.S.; revising certain licensure requirements; amending s. 493.6108, F.S.; requiring mental health investigations of certain applicants for licensure; amending s. 493.6111, F.S.; requiring an agency license number in certain advertisements or bids; amending s. 493.6118, F.S.; revising grounds for disciplinary action relating to impersonating a law enforcement officer; providing for the suspension of licenses pending the payment of certain fines; specifying persons liable for fines; amending s. 493.6120, F.S.; providing for the license suspension of certain agency managers, owners, or officers; amending ss. 493.6401, 493.6403, F.S.; deleting certain licensure term requirements for agency managers; amending s. 493.6404, F.S.; exempting certain agency vehicles from local ordinances and other regulation; amending s. 713.78, F.S.; exempting certain persons from vehicle identification requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Professional Regulation.

By Senator Diaz-Balart—

SB 1302—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public transportation; creating the Florida Transportation Consumer Protection Act; providing legislative findings and intent; providing definitions; providing for competitive proposal requirements; providing for standards and requirements; providing for requests for proposals; providing for public transit operator proposals; providing for performance audits; providing for facilities and vehicles; providing for restrictive agreements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation and Community Affairs.

By Senator Dyer—

SB 1304—A bill to be entitled An act relating to clinical, counseling, and psychotherapy services; amending s. 491.014, F.S.; exempting from licensure requirements under ch. 491, F.S., relating to clinical, counseling, and psychotherapy services, employees of licensed hospitals who meet specified criteria; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Professional Regulation and Health Care.

By Senator Dyer—

SB 1306—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; amending s. 212.054, F.S.; providing for discretionary sales surtaxes to apply to services that are subject to sales tax; requiring a discretionary sales surtax to be imposed at the rate in effect in the county where the property or service that is subject to the tax is delivered or performed; providing a formula for distributing surtax proceeds that are collected by dealers located in a county in which the surtax is not imposed; providing requirements for the Department of Revenue in distributing proceeds of the surtax; amending s. 212.055, F.S.; deleting a limitation on the period during which the governing authority of a county may impose a local government infrastructure surtax; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Dyer and Harden—

SB 1308—A bill to be entitled An act relating to confidential records; amending s. 403.111, F.S.; providing an exemption from the public records law for certain financial information obtained by the Department of Environmental Regulation with respect to its pollution control activities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Foley, Grant, Beard, Jennings, Thomas, Williams, Silver, Casas, Kirkpatrick and Sullivan—

SB 1310—A bill to be entitled An act relating to animal enterprise disruption; creating the "Florida Animal Enterprise Protection Act of 1993"; providing definitions; prohibiting animal enterprise disruption; describing elements of the offense; providing criminal penalties; requiring restitution; authorizing injunctive relief in ongoing cases; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Childers, Kirkpatrick, Harden, Williams, Forman, Beard, Jenne, Thomas, Casas, Jennings, Grogan, Myers and Weinstein—

SB 1312—A bill to be entitled An act relating to persons with disabilities; establishing the Commission for Persons with Disabilities in the Department of Legal Affairs; providing duties relating to the federal Americans with Disabilities Act; providing for development of a statewide long-range plan; providing for appointment and removal of members; providing for terms, and for officers, providing for meetings, an executive director, staff, a budget, funding, per diem and travel expenses, and committees; requiring an annual report; amending s. 318.21, F.S.; providing for funding through a portion of traffic fines; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wexler—

SB 1314—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 232.246, F.S.; requiring completion of student service work for high school graduation; providing requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senators Meadows, Jones and Dyer—

SB 1316—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Investment Incentive Trust Fund; providing an appropriation to the fund; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on International Trade, Economic Development and Tourism; and Appropriations.

By Senators Williams and Kirkpatrick—

SB 1318—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 229.551, F.S.; expanding participation in the common course designation and numbering system to the State Fire College; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Dantzer—

SB 1320—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public health; amending s. 384.25, F.S.; requiring physicians to report the identity of patients infected with HIV to their county public health unit; requiring county public health units to report certain demographic information to the state health office; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care and Community Affairs.

By Senator Diaz-Balart—

SB 1322—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the elections process; creating the "Elections Reform Act of 1993"; providing for the acceptance of voter registration applications by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles in conjunction with the issuance or renewal of driver licenses or identification cards; providing an exception; providing for the designation of employees to be utilized; providing for forms; creating s. 97.0625, F.S.; providing an alternative procedure for the registration of electors in lieu of registering in person; providing for the creation and approval of alternative registration forms by the Department of State; providing for local variance, completeness, timely presentation, correction of deficiencies, and availability of forms; providing for the forwarding of registrations; amending ss. 97.041, 98.111, and 101.692, F.S., to conform; amending s. 97.071, F.S.; providing requirements for registration identification cards returned as nondeliverable; amending s. 104.012, F.S.; providing penalties for attempting to deter a person from registering and for interfering with the exercise of a person's right to register; prohibiting compensation for registration based on the number of registrations obtained and providing a penalty with respect thereto; repealing s. 97.063, F.S., relating to eligibility for absentee registration; creating s. 97.055, F.S.; providing for election day registration and voting; requiring proof of identity and residency; providing for voting, poll lists, and canvassing of ballots; providing for designation of sufficient locations for such services and for designation of such locations as polling places; providing applicability of other laws; amending s. 97.102, F.S., to conform; amending s. 98.231, F.S.; requiring each supervisor of elections to furnish to the Department of State a list of the number of registered electors following each election; amending ss. 101.5606 and 105.071, F.S., to conform; amending s. 232.246, F.S.; providing that high school graduation requirements shall include emphasis on voter rights and registration; amending s. 98.051, F.S.; authorizing registration on any day of the week at locations other than the main office; eliminating notice requirements for additional registration hours, days, and places; providing for voter registration outside the county of residence; amending s. 99.061, F.S.; requiring candidates at the time of qualifying to subscribe to an oath affirming

reading knowledge and comprehension of state law relating to ethics in government, lobbying, and the code of ethics for public officers and employees; amending s. 106.33, F.S., relating to election campaign financing and penalties for candidate violations, to conform; reenacting ss. 106.18(1) and 106.21, F.S.; relating to when a candidate's name is to be omitted from the ballot and to when certificates of election are not to be issued, to incorporate the amendment to s. 106.19, F.S., in references thereto; amending s. 106.29, F.S., relating to political party contributions and reports, to conform; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Executive Business, Ethics and Elections; Transportation; and Appropriations.

By Senator Kiser—

SB 1324—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxation; creating the Property Appraisal Assistance Program within the Department of Revenue for the purpose of providing funding to assist property appraisers in accurately valuing property; providing requirements for property appraisers to receive funds under the program; providing requirements for counties in allocating funds to the property appraisers; providing circumstances under which the department may withhold certain distributions to a county that does not comply with requirements of the program; providing an appropriation; amending s. 193.114, F.S.; requiring the property appraiser to include on the real property assessment roll a market area code and, under certain circumstances, a neighborhood code; amending s. 193.1142, F.S.; providing circumstances under which the property appraiser must assess for back taxes; providing that, for a limited time, the executive director of the department may issue an administrative order in lieu of disapproving an assessment roll; amending s. 195.096, F.S.; revising certain classifications of property for purposes of review by the Division of Ad Valorem Tax; revising requirements for the division in conducting assessment ratio studies; creating s. 195.0995, F.S.; requiring property appraisers to submit sales transaction information to the department; providing for review of the sales transactions by the department; providing for disapproval of the assessment roll for purposes of the performance review if the sales transactions information does not comply with department rule; authorizing the department to conduct a review of the assessment of certain classes of property; creating additional positions and providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Silver—

SB 1326—A bill to be entitled An act relating to highway construction; amending s. 337.276, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation to advance the construction phases of a project after moneys are allocated for advanced right-of-way acquisition; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Transportation—

SB 1328—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation; establishing the mission of the Department of Transportation; providing requirements relating to such mission; amending s. 334.03, F.S.; providing definitions for use in the Florida Transportation Code; amending s. 339.135, F.S.; repealing references to the department's program and resource plan; providing criteria regarding the matching of federal aid on projects not located on the State Highway System; requiring the Florida Transportation Commission to evaluate the relationship between the department's work program and the Florida Transportation Plan; repealing the requirement that the department continuously monitor and annually report on the compliance of the work program with the program and resource plan and the Florida Transportation Plan; amending s. 339.155, F.S.; providing requirements for the Florida Transportation Plan; amending s. 339.175, F.S.; providing for the creation of metropolitan planning organizations; providing powers, duties, and responsibilities for metropolitan planning organizations; providing that existing metropolitan planning organizations must be reapportioned; providing for the

continuation of existing metropolitan planning organizations; providing exceptions; requiring the department to develop and implement transportation management systems; requiring each metropolitan planning organization to adopt a congestion management system; providing criteria for management systems; providing for the use of existing management systems; amending s. 341.031, F.S.; redefining the term "eligible transit operating costs" to include costs of labor, wages, and fringe benefits; amending s. 341.053, F.S.; repealing the requirement that one-third of the funds allocated under the Intermodal Development Program be distributed based upon the formula defined in s. 339.135(4)(a); repealing the priorities of uses for such funds; repealing s. 334.046, F.S., relating to department program objectives; amending ss. 288.063, 311.07, 311.09, 336.01, 338.222, 479.01, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation and Appropriations.

By Senator Boczar—

SB 1330—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating s. 231.263, F.S.; creating a recovery network program for educators who are impaired as a result of alcohol abuse, drug abuse, or a mental condition; providing an implementation date; providing eligibility for participation; providing for staff; providing for treatment contracts; providing procedures; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain disclosed information and providing for review and repeal of the exemption; providing for determination of ineligibility for further assistance; providing for funds to implement this act; providing for rules; providing for review and repeal; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SR 1332—A resolution honoring Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Crist and Diaz-Balart—

SB 1334—A bill to be entitled An act prohibiting other states from taxing certain income; prohibiting the income of a retired person who is domiciled in this state from being taxed by any state of previous residence; providing a short title; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Siegel—

SB 1336—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public adjusters; amending s. 626.854, F.S.; deleting the authority of public adjusters to act for or to aid an insured in negotiating or settling an insurance claim; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Siegel—

SB 1338—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale of alcoholic beverages; repealing s. 561.501, F.S., relating to a surcharge on the sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Siegel—

SB 1340—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Clean Indoor Air Act; amending s. 386.203, F.S.; amending the definition of the term "public place"; amending s. 386.204, F.S.; providing additional requirements for a designated smoking area; allowing the Division of Hotels and Restaurants of the Department of Business Regulation to grant exemptions, as specified; amending s. 386.205, F.S.; requiring structural or physical modifications to be made, in specified circumstances, to a public place that has a designated smoking area; providing requirements relating to the construction design plan for construction commencing after a certain date; further restricting the portion of certain public places that may be designated as a smoking area and expanding the applicability of the restriction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Siegel—

SB 1342—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the district school system; requiring the transfer of a percentage of administrative salaries to teacher salaries in each school district; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Boczar—

SB 1344—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parent-child tort immunity; abrogating the common law doctrine with regard to actions founded on abuse or incest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Appropriations.

By Senator Hargrett—

SB 1346—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the supplemental corporate fee; amending s. 607.193, F.S.; exempting all not-for-profit corporations from the supplemental corporate fee; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Grogan and Johnson—

SB 1348—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual predators; creating the "Florida Sexual Predators Act"; providing legislative findings and intent; providing that repeat sex offenders and sex offenders who use physical violence are sexual predators and requiring modified indeterminate sentencing of such offenders; requiring registration of sexual predators and providing for the monitoring and tracking of registered sexual predators by law enforcement personnel through a computerized system maintained by the Department of Law Enforcement; providing criminal penalties for violations of the registration requirements and exceptions from such requirements; requiring the provision of certain written notices of the registration requirements; providing legislative findings and purpose as to sexual predators and providing criteria defining sexual predators; requiring enhanced sentencing; establishing the Sexual Predators Review Board and providing membership and powers and duties of the board, including oversight of the release and supervision of sexual predators released into the community; providing procedure for processing of juvenile offenders found to be incapable of being handled within the juvenile justice system as sexual predator adult offenders, and providing for preliminary hearings by the circuit courts to make such findings; providing for funding for treatment of juvenile victims of sex offenders and young juvenile sex offenders; levying a surcharge on certain phone calls to partially fund provisions of the act; providing an appropriation; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Corrections, Probation and Parole; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Dantzer—

SB 1350—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile delinquency proceedings; amending s. 39.052, F.S.; expanding judicial control of commitment decisions at delinquency disposition hearings, and reenacting s. 39.01(21), F.S., relating to definitions, to incorporate said amendment in a reference thereto; amending s. 39.054, F.S., relating to powers of disposition; deleting a restriction relating to commitment orders; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Grogan and Johnson—

SB 1352—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public health and welfare; requiring certain devices on described plumbing fixtures; providing for inspections; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Community Affairs.

By Senator Sullivan—

SB 1354—A bill to be entitled An act relating to weapons and firearms; amending s. 790.31, F.S.; prohibiting the manufacture, sale, delivery, and possession of mini-missile shotgun shells; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1356—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; providing legislative intent; authorizing the establishment of regional consortium service organizations; providing requirements for these organizations; providing eligibility and application procedures for incentive grants; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senators Dyer, Williams and Kirkpatrick—

SB 1358—A bill to be entitled An act relating to financial matters; amending s. 215.22, F.S.; exempting the Communications Working Capital Trust Fund administered by the Department of Management Services from the service charge deducted from trust funds for the cost of general government; providing for retroactive applicability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1360—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ethics and elections; amending s. 106.011, F.S.; redefining the term "independent expenditure"; amending s. 106.03, F.S.; requiring additional information required in political committee statements of organization; amending s. 106.04, F.S.; deleting an assessment on contributions which has been declared unconstitutional; increasing the fine for late filing of reports by committees of continuous existence; amending s. 106.07, F.S.; expanding campaign reporting requirements; deleting an assessment on contributions which has been declared unconstitutional; revising filing deadline requirements; increasing fines for late filing; providing penalties; amending s. 106.071, F.S.; expanding disclosure requirements on independent expenditures; providing penalties; amending s. 106.08, F.S.; providing restrictions on contributions from political committees, committees of continuous existence, and corporations; revising and providing penalties; creating s. 106.083, F.S.; prohibiting legislators from soliciting or accepting campaign contributions during any regular session; providing certain additional campaign contribution reporting requirements covering special sessions and the period from qualifying to the general election; pro-

viding penalties; amending s. 106.141, F.S.; eliminating the disposition of campaign funds to the candidate's political party; amending ss. 106.143, 106.144, and 106.25, F.S.; revising the standards for assessing civil penalties for violations of campaign financing law; amending s. 106.19, F.S.; providing penalties applicable to receipt of unlawful campaign contributions; reenacting s. 106.18(1), F.S., relating to omitting a candidate's name from the ballot, to incorporate the amendment to s. 106.19, F.S., in a reference thereto; amending s. 106.21, F.S., revising cross references, to conform; amending s. 106.265, F.S.; increasing the civil penalty for violations of campaign financing law; amending s. 106.29, F.S.; deleting an assessment on contributions which has been declared unconstitutional; prohibiting national executive committees of political parties from using or expending for an election contributions received within a specified period prior to that election; repealing s. 106.32(3), F.S., relating to deposit into the Election Campaign Financing Trust Fund of the proceeds of certain assessments on contributions which have been declared unconstitutional; amending s. 11.045, F.S.; expanding and modifying registration and disclosure requirements for legislative lobbyists; providing definitions; providing penalties; creating s. 11.063, F.S.; prohibiting legislative lobbyists from contracting for or accepting any contingency fee; providing penalties; creating s. 11.064, F.S.; requiring legislative lobbyists and principals to retain records for a specified period; providing penalties; amending s. 112.3215, F.S., and creating ss. 112.3216 and 112.3217, F.S., to apply the registration and reporting requirements, contingency fee restrictions, record retention requirements, and penalties applicable to legislative lobbyists and principals pursuant to this act to executive branch lobbyists and principals; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Executive Business, Ethics and Elections; and Appropriations.

By Senator Sullivan—

SB 1362—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hospital licensing and regulation; amending s. 395.0191, F.S.; providing for circumstances in which a facility licensed under ch. 395, F.S., may not deny, restrict, revoke, or terminate the staff membership or clinical privileges of a physician or other practitioner; providing definitions; providing for establishing standards and procedures for closing a medical staff department or awarding or renewing certain contracts; providing for due process for a physician or practitioner whose staff membership or clinical privileges are affected by certain actions taken by a licensed facility; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Professional Regulation and Health Care.

By Senator Kiser—

SB 1364—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Division of Historical Resources of the Department of State; amending s. 267.061, F.S.; authorizing the division to purchase liability insurance with respect to volunteers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1366—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vocational education programs; amending s. 239.233, F.S.; revising minimum performance standards and reports required for certain vocational education programs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Holendorf—

SB 1368—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; establishing urban internships for undergraduate students at certain state universities; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senators Kiser and Wexler—

SJR 1370—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 1, Article VII of the State Constitution, relating to taxation.

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

By Senator Jones (by request)—

SB 1372—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Office of Civil Rights in the Department of Legal Affairs; amending s. 16.57, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the Office of Civil Rights; specifying the rights to be secured by the office; authorizing the Office of Civil Rights, rather than the Attorney General, to administer oaths and affirmations, subpoena witnesses or matter, and collect evidence in investigating violations of those rights; providing legislative intent; providing for a liberal construction of the section; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Appropriations.

By Senator Forman—

SB 1374—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale of horses, ponies, mules, or burros; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to administer a program that provides for the inspection and documentation of the sale and transportation of these animals; providing for fees and penalties; providing exceptions; providing for the adoption of rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kiser—

SB 1376—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 627.410, F.S.; providing for filing certificates for certain groups for information purposes; creating s. 627.4102, F.S.; providing additional requirements for rating of individual health insurance policies; providing definitions; amending s. 627.4106, F.S.; revising certain definitions; deleting the requirement of establishing classes of businesses; requiring carriers to use certain specified rating methodologies; deleting restrictions relating to premium rates; deleting certain provisions relating to small employer carriers; deleting disclosure of rating practices and renewability provisions; creating s. 627.6075, F.S.; providing requirements for preexisting conditions with respect to individual health insurance policies; creating s. 627.6076, F.S.; requiring the department to determine certain geographic areas; creating s. 627.6077, F.S.; providing for establishing comprehensive and basic individual health benefit plans; requiring the Insurance Commissioner to appoint a committee; providing for plan provisions; amending s. 627.6515, F.S.; specifying certain groups as out-of-state groups; providing additional requirements; providing application; amending s. 627.6699, F.S.; revising the definition of "small employer"; amending s. 641.30, F.S.; specifying applicability for certain health maintenance organization contracts; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Sullivan—

SB 1378—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical practice; creating ss. 458.3312, 459.0152, F.S.; prohibiting physicians and osteopathic physicians from falsely representing that they are board-certified specialists; providing for the adoption of rules; amending ss. 458.331, 459.015, F.S.; providing that violations are grounds for disciplinary action; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Professional Regulation.

By Senator Dantzler—

SB 1380—A bill to be entitled An act relating to special corrections districts; creating chapter 957, F.S.; creating the "Special Corrections District Act" and providing definitions, policy, and applicability; dividing the state into 20 special corrections districts; providing for district corrections commissions, including terms, membership staff, general and specific powers and duties, rulemaking, administrative procedures, department review of rules, maintenance of actions, and adoption of budget; providing for employee service awards and group insurance; providing for enforcement; providing criminal penalties for violations; providing for rewards; authorizing civil penalties; requiring liberal construction; providing for inmate commitments and classification, documentation, uniform commitment forms, and transferring and transporting of inmates; requiring compliance with educational and vocational goals and policies; providing for extension of limits of confinement, and for restitution and disbursement inmate earnings; providing for substance abuse testing; providing a transition assistance program and a release orientation program; providing intent and procedure for probation violations; providing for probation modification and inmate release; providing inapplicability of certain provisions of law; providing for pilot programs; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1382—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending ss. 229.58, 229.593, F.S.; providing for inclusion on district and school advisory councils and on the Florida Commission on Education Reform and Accountability of representatives of certified student services personnel; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senators Johnson and Forman—

SB 1384—A bill to be entitled An act relating to family services; establishing a family support planning process; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 1386—A bill to be entitled An act relating to lands bordering or being on sovereignty lands; amending s. 253.12, F.S.; granting all right, title, and interest of the state in certain of those lands to the owners having record or other title to the lands or to the uplands; providing a method for a landowner to obtain, from the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund, a legal description of the waterward boundary as of a specified date, in a recordable form; prescribing a fee therefor; declaring these grants to be in the public interest; providing that the boundary between state-owned sovereignty lands and privately owned uplands is ambulatory and will move as a result of nonavulsive changes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz-Balart—

SB 1388—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bail bond agents; amending s. 648.25, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 648.26, F.S.; deleting reference to the Bail Bond Advisory Council; revising confidentiality of department investigations; repealing s. 648.265, F.S., relating to a Bail Bond Advisory Council; amending s. 648.266, F.S.; deleting reference to the council; amending s. 648.27, F.S.; renaming bail bondsmen as bail bond agents; amending s. 648.29, F.S.; changing reference and date statement due by insurer; amending s. 648.30, F.S.; prohibiting certain unlicensed activities and representations; providing a criminal penalty;

amending ss. 648.31 and 648.315, F.S.; conforming terminology; amending s. 648.33, F.S.; providing a criminal penalty for charging unlawful rates; creating s. 648.331, F.S.; providing for a surcharge on bonds written; amending s. 648.34, F.S.; providing additional qualifications for licensure; amending s. 648.35, F.S.; conforming terminology; amending s. 648.36, F.S.; deleting reference to the council and required sworn statement; amending s. 648.365, F.S.; revising statistical reporting requirements; amending s. 648.37, F.S.; providing additional qualifications for licensure; amending s. 648.38, F.S.; revising appointment provisions; amending s. 648.381, F.S.; providing fees for reexamination; amending s. 648.382, F.S.; conforming terminology; amending ss. 648.383 and 648.384, F.S.; clarifying when appointments are renewed; creating s. 648.385, F.S.; requiring continuing education for bail bond agents; amending ss. 648.39, 648.40 and 648.41, F.S.; conforming terminology; amending s. 648.42, F.S.; requiring registration within 10 days after appointment; amending s. 648.421, F.S.; requiring notification to the department; amending s. 648.43, F.S.; conforming terminology; amending s. 648.44, F.S.; prohibiting solicitation and loitering in certain locations; allowing collection of certain taxes; revising criminal penalties; amending s. 648.441, F.S.; conforming terminology; amending s. 648.442, F.S.; revising obligations of insurers; clarifying a prohibition and conforming terminology; amending ss. 648.4425 and 648.45, F.S.; conforming terminology; amending s. 648.46, F.S.; deleting reference to council; amending s. 648.48, F.S.; conforming terminology; amending s. 648.49, F.S.; requiring appointment of successor bail bond agent; amending ss. 624.501, 624.523, 626.022, 648.50, 648.55, 744.631, 839.23, 903.045, 903.09, 903.14, 903.26, 903.27, 903.36, 932.61, 932.64, and 932.66, F.S.; conforming terminology; retitling ch. 648, F.S., to conform; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Williams and Dudley—

SB 1390—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dogracing; amending s. 550.1625, F.S.; authorizing dogracing permitholders to withhold a percentage from pari-mutuel pools; providing for the use of such withheld funds; providing for purses and contractual relationships; creating s. 550.1632, F.S.; providing for a greyhound breeders' program; creating s. 550.1637, F.S.; providing for the distribution of certain funds to greyhound associations; amending s. 550.3551, F.S.; providing for reasonable compensation with respect to greyhound racetrack broadcast signals which go to an out-of-state location; providing for arbitration where necessary; amending s. 550.6305, F.S.; providing for the payment of greyhound purses with respect to certain intertrack wagering; amending s. 550.0951, F.S.; providing for the payment of daily license fees and taxes on handle; providing for credits; amending s. 550.0425, F.S.; requiring access to kennel compound areas for certain minors; amending s. 550.615, F.S.; providing for intertrack wagering on greyhound racing as a guest track while conducting live greyhound performances; amending s. 550.01215, F.S.; providing for revocation and reissue of certain greyhound permitholders' permits; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Silver—

SB 1392—A bill to be entitled An act relating to additional costs in certain criminal cases; amending s. 27.3455, F.S.; providing that such costs may be removed for cause, but if not removed must be paid to satisfy probation, and reenacting s. 27.56(1)(a), F.S., relating to attorney's fees and costs, to incorporate said amendment in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice and Appropriations.

By Senators Hargrett, Crist, Kiser and Sullivan—

SB 1394—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bridge designations; designating a portion of the Skyway Bridge in Pinellas County as "Dick Misener Bridge"; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1396—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nursing; providing for certain persons who have served in the armed forces medical corps to apply for the registered nurse licensure examination; requiring the Board of Nursing to adopt rules prescribing qualifications of such persons to take the examination; requiring the licensure of the applicants that pass the examination; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Professional Regulation.

By Senator Kiser—

SJR 1398—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 16, Article III of the State Constitution, relating to reapportionment, to require the formation of a commission to reapportion the state legislative and congressional districts.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Silver—

SB 1400—A bill to be entitled An act relating to violence in schools; establishing programs to control violence; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Dudley—

SB 1402—A bill to be entitled An act relating to agreements between telecommunications companies and pay telephone service providers; amending s. 364.3375, F.S.; providing that a telecommunications company using the facilities or the services of a pay telephone service provider compensate the provider for that use in completing certain telephone calls; providing an exception; requiring that the compensation be fair, reasonable, and adequate, as provided by the Florida Public Service Commission; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Dyer—

SB 1404—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees charged for public records; amending s. 119.07, F.S.; authorizing an additional fee for public records that are part of an information technology resource that provides information in geographic or map form and that will be used for certain purposes; limiting the information that a public records custodian may require for the purpose of assessing the fee; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Kirkpatrick and Boczar—

SB 1406—A bill to be entitled An act relating to district school system personnel; creating s. 231.185, F.S.; providing for employment of educational support employees; providing definitions; providing for probation and for annual employment; providing for suspension of an employee before termination of employment and for a notice-and-appeals process; amending s. 231.434, F.S.; providing that district school boards are authorized to adopt rules that provide for the earning of annual leave by educational support employees; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1408—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees imposed on corporations; amending s. 607.193, F.S.; exempting certain associations of homeowners, condominium unit owners, residential cooperative unit

owners, and mobile home owners from the annual supplemental corporate fee; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Kurth and Burt—

SB 1410—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.021, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “compensation” and defining the term “effective date of retirement” for purposes of that system; amending s. 121.052, F.S.; deleting the word “compulsory” with respect to membership in the Elected State and County Officers’ Class of that system; amending s. 121.091, F.S.; making the filing of a proper application a prerequisite to the receipt of benefits under the system; providing that the election of an option is void if the member dies before the effective date of retirement; providing that an option becomes final when a benefit payment is cashed or deposited; revising provisions pertaining to payment of benefits to beneficiaries upon the death of a member; improving clarity; amending s. 121.055, F.S.; providing individual certificates for group annuity contracts under the Senior Management Service Optional Annuity Program; amending s. 121.122, F.S., pertaining to renewed membership in the system; revising a cross-reference related to the required employer contributions for such membership; amending s. 121.35, F.S.; providing individual certificates for group annuity contracts under the State University System Optional Retirement Program; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Sullivan—

SB 1412—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction lien notices; amending ss. 713.06 and 713.135, F.S.; providing that the Department of Professional Regulation is responsible for certain Construction Lien Law information; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Professional Regulation and Appropriations.

By Senator Crist—

SB 1414—A bill to be entitled An act relating to saltwater fishing; prohibiting the use of certain nets for catching or taking saltwater finfish, shellfish, and other marine animals; providing definitions; providing penalties; providing severability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Foley—

SB 1416—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the amendment to s. 4, Art. VII of the State Constitution restricting homestead valuation; specifying the effective date of said amendment; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Grogan and Johnson—

SB 1418—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the lottery; amending s. 24.115, F.S.; revising the distribution of unclaimed prize money; providing that a percentage of such moneys be placed in the direct-support organization established by the Prepaid Postsecondary Education Expense Board; providing purposes for such moneys; requiring a report; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Silver and Siegel—

SB 1420—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mortgage foreclosure; amending s. 45.031, F.S.; changing the time for sale of property by the clerk of the court, creating s. 45.0315, F.S.; providing for right of redemption; providing for limitations upon such rights; amending s. 48.021, F.S.; providing for process to be served by a party or party’s attorney; amending s. 48.193, F.S.; expanding the jurisdiction of courts of the state to persons holding a mortgage or lien on certain property; amending s. 48.194, F.S.; providing for alternative service of process in foreclosure proceedings; amending s. 48.23, F.S.; providing for exceptions to the application of lis pendens; amending s. 49.021, F.S.; providing for a cross reference; amending s. 49.09, F.S.; revising language with respect to the return day notice of action; providing a time period; amending s. 49.10, F.S.; reducing the number of publications of notice in foreclosure proceedings; amending s. 55.01, F.S.; providing for the social security number to be included on judgments; amending s. 55.10, F.S.; providing for the address of the person holding a lien to be recorded; providing for application; amending s. 55.505, F.S.; providing for inclusion of the social security number in notice of recording; amending s. 697.07, F.S.; providing for rents to be assigned to a mortgagee; providing a process for rents to be deposited; providing for distribution of said rents; creating s. 702.10, F.S.; providing for an order to show cause in foreclosure proceedings; providing for entry of final judgment of foreclosure; providing for payment during foreclosure; amending s. 701.04, F.S.; requiring delivery of an estoppel letter; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Siegel—

SB 1422—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electronic filing of health insurance claims; providing for funding of a pilot program; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Forman—

SB 1424—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational facilities; amending s. 235.056, F.S.; authorizing boards as defined to rent or lease educational facilities and sites; providing for funding; providing procedures; providing for inspection and compliance with building codes; providing for review by Office of Educational Facilities certain leased space; providing for use of certain funds to correct deficiencies in leased space; providing for annual inspections for fire safety deficiencies; providing for temporary waiver from compliance with Board of Education rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Dyer—

SB 1426—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consultant pharmacists; amending s. 465.0125, F.S.; providing that, if authorized by a nursing home facility, a consultant pharmacist is responsible for ordering and evaluating any laboratory or clinical test that he judges is necessary for a patient residing in the facility; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Professional Regulation and Health Care.

By Senator Dudley—

SB 1428—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hospitals; amending s. 395.0191, F.S.; prohibiting hospitals from denying applications for staff membership or clinical privileges of optometrists solely because of their licensure under ch. 463, F.S.; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Grant, Dudley, Dantzer and Johnson—

SB 1430—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonpublic postsecondary education; amending s. 246.011, F.S.; providing intent relating to regulation of nonpublic religious colleges; amending s. 246.021, F.S.; providing definition of the terms "exemption" and "religious academic degree"; amending s. 246.041, F.S.; revising a duty of the State Board of Independent Colleges and Universities relating to representation before the board; creating s. 246.075, F.S.; providing an exemption from licensing requirements for certain religious institutions upon submission of certain information; amending s. 246.083, F.S.; requiring application to the board for authorization to operate; amending s. 246.085, F.S.; revising provisions relating to colleges eligible for a certificate of exemption; amending s. 246.101, F.S.; providing that fees are inapplicable to certain colleges; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Turner—

SB 1432—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the arts; creating s. 265.2863, F.S.; requiring performing arts and other cultural organizations receiving state funding under specified grant programs to submit, and have approved, minority participation plans for both artists and audiences prior to receiving such funds; providing for the review and approval of such plans by the Division of Cultural Affairs of the Department of State; providing for approval criteria by rule; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Turner—

SB 1434—A bill to be entitled An act relating to minority businesses; amending s. 287.0943, F.S.; providing for the Department of Management Services to recertify minority businesses at specified intervals; providing for automatic eligibility for state contracts for businesses that are certified as minority business enterprises by local governments and that meet additional criteria; amending s. 288.703, F.S.; redefining the term "small business," for purposes of the Small and Minority Business Assistance Act, to include additional businesses; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Operations; and International Trade, Economic Development and Tourism.

By Senator Forman—

SB 1436—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax administration; amending s. 195.022, F.S.; revising requirements relating to use of forms by county officers other than forms prescribed by the Department of Revenue; amending s. 197.254, F.S.; revising the form of the notice to taxpayers of the right to defer payment of taxes and non-ad valorem assessments; amending s. 197.332, F.S.; authorizing tax collectors to collect attorneys' fees and court costs in performing their duties; amending s. 197.343, F.S.; revising requirements relating to mailing of the notice of delinquent taxes on subsurface rights; amending s. 197.502, F.S.; authorizing a tax deed application fee for the tax collector; amending s. 200.065, F.S.; revising the time period within which public hearings must be held on tentative and final budgets and millage rates; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1438—A bill to be entitled An act relating to handicapped persons; creating s. 553.501, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 553.502, F.S.; providing intent; creating s. 553.503, F.S.; adopting certain guidelines; creating s. 553.504, F.S.; providing exceptions to such guidelines; creating s. 553.505, F.S.; providing exceptions to applicability of the act; creating s. 553.506, F.S.; providing powers of the Board of Building Codes and Standards; creating s. 553.507, F.S.; providing exemptions; transfer-

ring and renumbering ss. 553.45 and 553.495, F.S., as ss. 553.508 and 553.509, F.S., respectively; repealing ss. 553.45, 553.46, 553.47, 553.48, 553.481, 553.482, and 553.485, F.S., relating to accessibility by handicapped persons; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz-Balart—

SB 1440—A bill to be entitled An act relating to designation of state buildings; designating the conservatory on the University Park Campus of Florida International University as the Herbert and Nicole Wertheim Conservatory; designating the student center on the North Miami Campus as the Gregory B. Wolfe Building; authorizing Florida International University to erect appropriate markers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Dyer—

SB 1442—A bill to be entitled An act relating to municipalities; authorizing municipalities to enforce ordinances and prescribe penalties for violations of municipal ordinances; prescribing limitations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Criminal Justice; and Corrections, Probation and Parole.

By Senator Harden—

SB 1444—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of criminal cases; prohibiting a court from suspending, deferring, or withholding adjudication of guilt for previous criminal offenders and offenders who have committed certain offenses against a person under 18 years of age; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Silver—

SB 1446—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonpublic postsecondary institutions; creating s. 246.126, F.S.; creating the Florida Nonpublic College Police Act; authorizing certain colleges to provide for college police officers; providing powers, requirements, and rights of college police officers; requiring college rules; providing jurisdiction; requiring indemnification or insurance; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Education; and Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining.

By Senator Jones (by request)—

SB 1448—A bill to be entitled An act relating to funding of public defenders; amending s. 27.60, F.S.; increasing the percentage of annual appropriated funds that public defenders may transfer between budget entities; providing that a specified percentage of unexpended funds may be carried forward each year by public defenders; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 1450—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State University System; amending s. 240.1201, F.S.; classifying certain persons as Florida residents for tuition purposes; amending s. 240.209, F.S.; revising the master planning process for the State University System; amending s. 240.2094, F.S.; creating a single operating fund at each university; amending s. 240.2111, F.S.; revising provisions of the employee recognition pro-

gram; deleting a reporting requirement; amending s. 240.2112, F.S.; revising provisions of the incentive efficiency program; amending s. 240.235, F.S.; revising provisions relating to tuition and fees for members of the Florida National Guard; providing for an intern participation program; amending s. 240.272, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the carryforward of unexpended funds; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1452—A bill to be entitled An act relating to appropriations; providing legislative findings and determinations relating to the massacre in the town of Rosewood; providing compensation for the victims of the Rosewood massacre; providing for the erection of a monument; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dantzler—

SB 1454—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Pollution Recovery Fund; amending s. 403.165, F.S.; providing purposes for the fund; providing for separate accounts in the fund; providing for solicitation of proposals, eligible applicants, and prioritization of project proposals and submission as part of the legislative budget request; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bankhead—

SCR 1456—A concurrent resolution requesting members of the Florida Congressional Delegation to appear before a joint session of the Florida Legislature to discuss problems relating to unfunded federal mandates.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Forman and Casas—

SB 1458—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state lottery; amending s. 24.105, F.S.; providing for Department of the Lottery employee participation in the meritorious service awards program; amending s. 24.111, F.S.; revising provisions relating to department investigation of and contracts with vendors; amending s. 24.115, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the payment of prizes; amending s. 24.122, F.S.; providing that certain equipment and devices used by the department or retailers shall not be subject to other state or local law; providing responsibility for verification of ticket accuracy; providing for issuance of a replacement ticket; limiting liability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Brown-Waite—

SB 1460—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; amending s. 319.231, F.S., which imposes an additional impact fee on certain motor vehicle title or registration-only transactions; providing an exemption for certain vehicles purchased in this state and used outside the state for less than 4 years; authorizing payment of the fee by installment; providing for service fees; providing that a lien shall be placed on the vehicle if payments are not made when due; providing for notice; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 1462—A bill to be entitled An act relating to controlled substance violations; amending s. 893.13, F.S.; prohibiting specified unlawful activities within 1,000 feet of a church, mosque, synagogue, or other facility of an established religion, any public housing, or a recreational facility or public park, for which criminal penalties are provided by law, including a minimum mandatory term of imprisonment for certain violations; reenacting s. 903.133, F.S., relating to bail on appeal, to incorporate said amendment in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dantzler—

SB 1464—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pesticides; amending s. 487.021, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms “commercial applicator,” “labeling,” and “licensed applicator” and defining the term “fumigant”; amending s. 487.031, F.S.; providing that it is unlawful to engage in the application of chlorine gas for the treatment of swimming pools, spas, or hot tubs without a certified applicator’s license; prohibiting the application of a restricted-use pesticide by an unlicensed person under the direct supervision of a licensed applicator if the pesticide label prohibits application by anyone other than a licensed applicator; providing conforming and other editorial changes; providing penalties; amending s. 487.044, F.S.; deleting reference to the standard core examination requirement for licensure; amending s. 487.046, F.S.; revising provisions relating to proof of liability insurance required of aerial applicators and eliminating the option of posting a surety bond in lieu thereof; providing for waiver of the requirement of a certified applicator’s license for persons licensed under chapter 388 or chapter 482, F.S., under certain circumstances; granting the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services rulemaking authority for such exemptions; amending s. 487.047, F.S.; revising provisions relating to purchase and application of restricted-use pesticides by nonresidents or outside the country; amending s. 487.15, F.S.; revising provisions for recall, reimbursement, and disposal of dangerous pesticides; providing for voluntary and mandatory procedures; providing for injunctive relief; amending s. 487.159, F.S.; requiring registrants to report to the department additional factual information coming or brought to their attention concerning unreasonable adverse effects on health or the environment from the use of a pesticide, including all claims and responses thereto; amending s. 487.163, F.S.; providing for cooperation and formal agreements with Indian tribes; reenacting and amending s. 487.175, F.S., relating to penalties; authorizing the department to bring a civil action to impose a specified civil penalty and providing for assessment of court costs and attorney’s fees against the nonprevailing party; reenacting s. 487.101(2), F.S., relating to stop-sale, stop-use, removal, or hold orders, to incorporate the amendment to s. 487.175, F.S., in a reference thereto; repealing s. 487.13, F.S., relating to cooperation with other state and federal agencies; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture and Health Care.

By Senator Wexler—

SB 1466—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 627.728, F.S.; providing sufficient proof of notice of cancellations and nonrenewals of policies; amending s. 627.739, F.S.; providing for application of deductibles in personal injury protection policies; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1468—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 240.209, F.S.; providing a limitation on student fees set by the Board of Regents; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1470—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Martin Luther King, Jr., Institute for Nonviolence; providing legislative findings; creating the institute and providing for a board of directors; providing membership, terms, powers, and duties; authorizing the establishment of fellowships, provision of financial assistance, and receipt of grants and contributions; requiring reporting to the Legislature; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1472—A bill to be entitled An act relating to employment practices; creating part II of chapter 448, F.S.; creating the "Labor Pool Act" and providing policy to secure for certain temporary employees certain protections afforded permanent employees; providing definitions; itemizing prohibited acts and practices; requiring compliance with toxic substances safety regulations; requiring consent if work assignments involve toxic substances, and providing for an administrative hearing and a fine in the case of violations; providing criminal penalties; itemizing required acts and practices relating to compensation, equipment, and facilities; providing remedies, including actual and punitive damages, costs, and attorney's fees; amending s. 760.02, F.S.; defining "homelessness" for purposes of the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992; amending s. 760.10, F.S.; adding homelessness to the prohibitions against discriminatory employment practices, and reenacting s. 760.11(1) and (15), F.S., relating to administrative and civil remedies, to incorporate said amendment in a reference thereto; amending s. 110.112, F.S., relating to equal employment opportunity, to conform; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Harden—

SB 1474—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child support; amending s. 61.1301, F.S.; providing for court-ordered security deposits by obligors under certain conditions; providing procedures; authorizing depositories to collect a fee; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Appropriations.

By Senator Grogan—

SB 1476—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state contracts; prohibiting contracts with certain persons or entities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Boczar—

SB 1478—A bill to be entitled An act relating to attorney's fees in dependency proceedings; amending s. 27.52, F.S., relating to determination of indigency; requiring nonindigent parents or legal guardians to pay costs of legal representation in dependency proceedings and providing liability for appointed counsel; reenacting ss. 27.51(1), 39.041, 39.255(4)(c), and 39.56(3)(c), F.S., relating to duties of public defender, right to counsel in certain juvenile proceedings, physical examination and treatment, and hospitalization, placement, and residential isolation, to incorporate the amendment to s. 27.52, F.S., in references thereto; amending s. 39.415, F.S.; providing authority to order nonindigent parents or legal guardians to pay costs of legal representation appointed to represent the parent or legal guardian in dependency proceedings; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1480—A bill to be entitled An act relating to developmental disabilities; amending s. 393.068, F.S.; expanding services and support authorized under the family care program; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to provide an accounting of in-home subsidies paid to clients in family care programs, upon request; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Sullivan—

SB 1482—A bill to be entitled An act relating to advance directives for health care; amending s. 744.3115, F.S.; providing for court orders to modify or revoke certain authority of a surrogate; amending s. 744.345, F.S.; revising authority of guardians; amending s. 765.101, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 765.105, F.S.; providing additional grounds for review of a surrogate or proxy's decision; amending s. 765.106, F.S.; expanding preservation of rights; amending s. 765.110, F.S.; correcting a reference; amending s. 765.202, F.S.; modifying procedure for designating a health care surrogate and condition for seeking appointment of a proxy; amending s. 765.205, F.S.; relating to respective responsibilities of surrogate and guardian; amending s. 765.304, F.S.; providing additional circumstances requiring selection of a surrogate; amending s. 765.308, F.S.; providing procedure when a health care facility refuses to comply with the patient's wishes; amending s. 765.401, F.S.; providing that designation of a proxy does not preempt certain statutory designations relating to consent to medical treatment of minors; repealing s. 744.3215(4)(f), F.S., relating to right of persons determined incapacitated to remain as independent as possible; repealing s. 765.111, F.S., relating to effect of state and federal constitutions; repealing s. 765.306(2), F.S., relating to a rebuttable presumption in determination of a patient's condition; repealing s. 765.307, F.S., relating to do-not-resuscitate orders; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Health Care.

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1484—A bill to be entitled An act relating to guardianship; creating s. 744.3679, F.S.; providing simplified accounting procedures in certain cases; providing that clerks of circuit courts are not responsible for monitoring these procedures and may receive no fee; amending s. 1(7), (10), ch. 91-306, Laws of Florida; specifying the date by which the Guardianship Oversight Board is to submit its final report and the date on which the board is to expire; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1486—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state buildings; requiring the Department of Management Services in conjunction with other appropriate state agencies to evaluate and develop procedures to improve indoor air quality in state buildings; requiring a report; requiring state agencies to operate mechanical ventilation and filtration systems in compliance with certain industry standards; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1488—A bill to be entitled An act relating to non-ad valorem assessments; amending ss. 197.3631 and 197.3632, F.S., which provide a uniform method for the levy and collection of such assessments; specifying that any charter or enabling legislation provision that limits a local government's power or authority to levy assessments is applicable to these provisions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dyer—

SB 1490—A bill to be entitled An act relating to housing finance authorities; amending ss. 159.605, 159.608, F.S.; allowing housing finance authorities to acquire real and personal property to house and equip their facilities and staffs; allowing the authorities to create and make loans to not-for-profit corporations that acquire, construct, reconstruct, or rehabilitate qualifying housing developments as defined by statute; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Community Affairs.

By Senator Grant—

SB 1492—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public works bonds; amending s. 255.05, F.S.; providing that an action may not be taken against a contractor or surety on payment bonds or the payment provisions of a combined payment and performance bond after a specified time; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations.

By Senator Grant—

SB 1494—A bill to be entitled An act relating to contracts for the construction or repair of public buildings or public works; creating s. 255.054, F.S.; requiring persons receiving payment under contracts for the construction, completion of construction, or repair of public buildings or public works to pay subcontractors, materialmen, and suppliers the undisputed amounts owed under the contracts for labor, services, and materials within a certain time; providing for the filing of complaints for nonpayment; requiring certain information to be included in the complaint; providing for a court hearing; authorizing remedies; providing a criminal penalty; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Johnson and Wexler—

SB 1496—A bill to be entitled An act relating to injury control; creating s. 381.0613, F.S.; creating the "Florida Injury-Control Act"; providing a short title; providing legislative findings and intent; providing definitions; requiring the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to develop a comprehensive injury-prevention and injury-control program and to develop and periodically revise a state injury-control plan; providing requirements for the plan; allowing the department to participate in certain federal, foundation, and corporate grant programs; allowing advertising, publicity, and sales promotion for the injury-control and injury-prevention program; amending s. 119.07, F.S.; providing an exemption from the public-records law for certain records obtained or created under s. 381.0613, F.S.; amending s. 320.0801, F.S.; increasing the additional license tax on certain vehicles and providing for the use of the additional tax proceeds; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jenne—

SB 1498—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the code of ethics for public officers and employees; amending s. 112.313, F.S.; revising provisions relating to conflicting employment or contractual relationships to modify applicability with respect to collective bargaining situations; prohibiting former public officers and employees from disclosing or using, for personal gain or benefit or the personal gain or benefit of others, any information gained from their position which is unavailable to the general public; including appointed state officers, specified employees of the State University System, and elected officers of school districts in the provisions restricting postemployment representation of others before their former agencies; providing definitions and applicability; authorizing

school districts to adopt resolutions regulating postemployment representation of others by former employees before their former agencies; providing penalties; amending s. 112.3135, F.S.; prohibiting the appointment, employment, promotion, or advancement of any individual if such appointment, employment, promotion, or advancement is made by a collegial body of which a relative of the individual is a member; providing penalties; amending s. 112.3144, F.S.; changing deadlines for the Commission on Ethics to prepare and submit to the Secretary of State the list of names, addresses, and offices held by every person required to file full and public disclosure of financial interests; amending s. 112.3145, F.S.; requiring local officers who do not permanently reside in any county in the state to file their statement of financial interests with the supervisor of elections of the county in which their agency maintains its headquarters; changing deadlines for the Commission on Ethics to prepare and submit to the Secretary of State the list of names, addresses, and offices or positions held by every state officer, local officer, or specified employee; amending ss. 112.3148 and 112.3149, F.S., relating to requirements for gift receipt and reporting and for honoraria; revising the definitions of the term "lobbyist" to provide applicability with respect to agency registration systems; revising provisions relating to determining the value of a gift; revising the definition of the term "honorarium" to exclude event or meeting registration fees; repealing ss. 112.3148(10) and 112.3149(8), F.S., relating to advisory opinions requested by members of the Legislature concerning applicability of provisions regulating gift receipt and reporting and honoraria; amending s. 112.3185, F.S.; including the Public Service Commission under provisions applying restrictions on employees and former employees of agencies who participate or participated in the procurement of contractual services for their agencies; amending ss. 112.322 and 112.324, F.S.; providing that it is a duty of the Commission on Ethics to investigate violations of the code of ethics and other breaches of the public trust upon receipt of evidence which is deemed sufficient by the commission and providing procedures for investigation, determination, and reporting thereof; amending ss. 112.3173, 112.3215, 350.041, 350.042, and 350.043, F.S., to conform; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Executive Business, Ethics and Elections; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Dantzler, Dyer, Brown-Waite, Jenne and Kurth—

SB 1500—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the merging of the Departments of Natural Resources and Environmental Regulation; providing a declaration of policy; creating the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Regulation; providing for the head of the department; establishing divisions within the department; transferring the Department of Natural Resources and the Department of Environmental Regulation, including the Environmental Regulation Commission and the Marine Fisheries Commission, to the new department; providing for the appointment of assistant secretaries; repealing ss. 20.25, 20.261, F.S., relating to the Department of Natural Resources and the Department of Environmental Regulation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Williams—

SB 1502—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance field representatives and operations; amending s. 626.051, F.S.; revising a definition; amending s. 626.112, F.S.; requiring agents to be appointed; amending ss. 626.141, 626.171, 626.181, 626.211, 626.221, 626.266, 626.281, 626.311, 626.511, 626.521, 626.561, 626.601, 626.611, 626.621, 626.641, 626.651, 626.727, 626.730, 626.732, 626.733, 626.852, and 626.877, F.S.; including customer representatives within and deleting claims investigators from application of certain provisions; amending s. 616.201, F.S.; providing for interrogatories before reinstatement; amending s. 626.331, F.S.; requiring licensure of certain agents for certain appointments; providing that an appointment fee is not refundable; amending s. 626.342, F.S.; prohibiting furnishing supplies to certain agents; amending s. 626.541, F.S.; specifying names and addresses required of certain personnel of corporations; amending s. 626.681, F.S.; providing for administrative fines in addition to certain actions; increasing such fines; authorizing the Department of Insurance to assess limited costs of investigation and prosecution; amending s. 626.691, F.S.; authorizing the department to place certain persons on probation in addition to suspending, revoking, or

refusing to renew a license or appointment; amending ss. 626.731, 626.7351, 626.785, 626.831, and 626.8414, F.S.; providing additional criterion for qualifying for licensure; amending s. 626.739, F.S.; specifying a temporary license as general lines insurance agent; amending s. 626.7491, F.S.; specifying application of certain provisions; providing exceptions; specifying producers from which insurers may accept business; amending s. 626.837, F.S.; clarifying conditions of placing certain excess or rejected risks; amending s. 626.869, F.S.; requiring certain continuing education courses; clarifying requirements of such courses; amending s. 626.874, F.S.; excluding public adjusters from application of certain provisions; amending ss. 626.927, 626.9271, 626.929, 626.935, and 626.944, F.S.; requiring appointment in addition to licensure of certain persons; amending s. 624.501, F.S.; providing an additional fee; increasing certain fees; providing fees for mediators; amending s. 627.745, F.S.; clarifying a provision related to final examination; amending s. 627.8405, F.S.; deleting a limitation on financing certain accidental death and dismemberment policies; repealing s. 626.532, F.S., relating to insurance vending machine licenses; repealing s. 626.753(4), F.S., relating to revocation of licenses; repealing s. 626.857, F.S., relating to the definition of "claims investigator"; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Turner—

SB 1504—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 229.555, F.S.; adding duties of the Commissioner of Education relating to the comprehensive management information system; providing for distribution of changes in system requirements; providing collection requirements; providing for review of system changes; requiring changes to become effective at specified times; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Foley—

SB 1506—A bill to be entitled An act relating to confidentiality of public hospital records and meetings; amending s. 119.16, F.S.; revising provisions which specify documents that are confidential; requiring hospitals to report to their governing boards periodically regarding confidential records and providing requirements with respect thereto; requiring such governing boards to maintain information relating to closed meetings; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Hargrett—

SB 1508—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drinking water; amending s. 403.860, F.S.; authorizing specified county health units to institute civil actions to enjoin violations of rules or orders issued under the safe drinking water act; amending s. 403.862, F.S.; providing for disposition of penalties received from water suppliers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care and Appropriations.

By Senator Jones—

SB 1510—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public construction; amending s. 255.20, F.S.; requiring counties, cities, special districts, and other political subdivisions to competitively bid construction projects exceeding \$100,000 in costs; providing for competitive bidding of public lease-purchase projects; providing for exceptions; providing for the lowest responsive and qualified bidder; providing for the purpose of this subsection; providing for the nondisplacement of applicable minority business enterprise programs; amending s. 489.103, F.S.; lowering the ceiling amount on maintenance or repair subject to exemption from bid requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Community Affairs.

By Senator Jenne—

SB 1512—A bill to be entitled An act relating to actions under the antitrust laws; amending s. 16.53, F.S., relating to the Legal Affairs Revolving Trust Fund; revising the percentages of moneys recovered by the Attorney General, for purposes of deposit into the fund; revising the amount of excess moneys for transfer to the General Revenue Fund at the end of the fiscal year; reenacting and amending ss. 337.166 and 895.09(2) and (3), F.S., relating to antitrust claims and disposition of forfeiture proceeding funds, to conform; amending s. 542.26, F.S.; imposing a 5-year limitation of actions period for the commencement of criminal and civil antitrust actions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1514—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating an incentive award program for high schools; providing award criteria; providing for the determination of award amounts; providing for the use of awards; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1516—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 231.40, F.S.; limiting the amount of pay certain school employees may receive for unused sick leave upon termination of employment; amending s. 231.481, F.S.; limiting the amount of pay an employee may receive for unused vacation leave upon termination of employment; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Dyer, Jenne, Thomas, Siegel and Diaz-Balart—

SB 1518—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary education; creating s. 240.4077, F.S.; establishing the Assistant State Attorney-Assistant Public Defender Student Loan Forgiveness Program; providing for repayment of student loans by the Justice Administrative Commission on behalf of persons employed as assistant state attorneys or assistant public defenders; providing eligibility requirements and restrictions; providing for adopting rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Williams—

SB 1520—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pollutant discharge elimination systems; amending s. 288.514, F.S.; exempting certain permits from certain certification requirements; amending s. 403.031, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 403.051, F.S.; requiring certain permitting standards, criteria, and requirements of the Department of Environmental Regulation to be adopted by rule; amending s. 403.086, F.S.; applying certain provisions to reclaimed water instead of recovered water; amending s. 403.087, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to renewal of certain permits; exempting certain installations from construction permit requirements; providing an exception; limiting the application of certain permit fees for industrial waste or domestic waste; providing limitations on permit application and regulatory program fees for domestic and industrial waste facilities; providing an exception for startup costs; amending s. 403.0876, F.S.; specifying the processing of certain permits; amending s. 403.088, F.S.; providing for reissuing water pollution operation permits under certain circumstances; deleting certain temporary permit authorization provisions; amending s. 403.0881, F.S.; providing for construction permits for wastewater or reuse systems; providing for issuing an operation permit under certain circumstances; amending s. 403.0885, F.S.; providing for application of certain provisions of ch. 403, F.S., to a pollutant discharge elimination system program; providing

additional requirements for processing and noticing certain permits; amending s. 403.111, F.S.; exempting certain information from confidentiality provisions; subjecting such information to certain federal law; amending s. 403.121, F.S.; providing for imposing administrative penalties; providing an exception; amending s. 403.141, F.S.; providing for imposing an administrative penalty; amending s. 403.201, F.S.; prohibiting variances for discharge of waste into state waters; creating s. 403.5055, F.S.; providing for processing certain permits associated with applications for electrical power plant certifications; amending s. 403.506, F.S.; providing for processing certain permits pursuant to federal guidelines; amending s. 403.511, F.S.; providing for separate processing of certain permits; amending s. 403.707, F.S.; deleting application of temporary operation permits to certain facilities; amending s. 403.805, F.S.; providing employment limitations for certain persons approving certain permits; amending s. 403.809, F.S.; prohibiting delegation of authority to act on certain permit applications; providing an exception; providing an appropriation; providing severability; requiring certain pollutant discharge elimination system program costs to be paid from program fees; requiring a separate account for such fees; providing for implementation contingent on federal approval of such program; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 1522—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of professions and occupations; amending s. 455.225, F.S.; providing limitations on the commencement of certain investigations and administrative complaints of professionals under the jurisdiction of the Agency for Health Care Administration; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Professional Regulation, Health Care and Appropriations.

By Senator Grant—

SB 1524—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the grand jury; creating s. 905.235, F.S.; providing for the recording of grand jury proceedings; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Appropriations.

By Senators Hargrett, Kirkpatrick, Holzendorf, Jones, Turner, Dyer and Meadows—

SB 1526—A bill to be entitled An act relating to campaign financing; amending s. 106.08, F.S.; revising prohibited expenditures; providing for retroactive application; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Executive Business, Ethics and Elections.

By Senators Dudley and Foley—

SB 1528—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile justice; amending s. 39.042, F.S.; expanding the use and purpose of detention and modifying the requirements of the risk assessment instrument; authorizing substance abuse or mental health treatment during secure detention where indicated; amending s. 39.043, F.S.; revising prohibitions on the use of detention to punish, treat, or rehabilitate the child; amending s. 39.044, F.S.; expanding circumstances warranting continued detention; providing criteria for good cause to extend or terminate detention; reenacting s. 39.01(17), F.S., relating to definitions, to incorporate the amendments to ss. 39.042 and 39.044, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 39.052(1)(a), F.S., to incorporate the amendment to s. 39.044, F.S., in a reference thereto; amending ss. 39.002 and 39.074, F.S.; requiring interagency cooperation in the siting of facilities; creating s. 39.0615, F.S.; providing criminal penalties for committing battery on detention or commitment facility staff; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Silver—

SB 1530—A bill to be entitled An act relating to discrimination; expanding applicability of the Civil Rights Act, the Fair Housing Act, provisions relating to certain clubs, and provisions relating to certain employment practices, by requiring prohibitions against discriminatory practices based on actual or perceived race, color, religion, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, age, handicap, or marital status; amending ss. 760.01, 760.02, 760.05, 760.07, and 760.10, F.S., relating to the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992; conforming terminology and adding sexual orientation to the classifications protected from discrimination; defining "sexual orientation," and reenacting s. 760.11(15), F.S., relating to administrative and civil remedies, to incorporate the amendment to s. 760.10, F.S., relating to unlawful employment practices, in a reference thereto; amending s. 509.092, F.S., relating to public lodging and food service, to conform; amending ss. 760.22, 760.23, 760.24, 760.25, and 760.29, F.S., relating to the Fair Housing Act; conforming terminology and adding sexual orientation to the classifications protected from discrimination in housing; defining "sexual orientation"; amending s. 760.60, F.S.; adding sexual orientation to the classifications protected from discriminatory practices of certain clubs; amending s. 110.112, F.S., relating to affirmative action and equal employment opportunity; correcting references; amending s. 420.9075, F.S., relating to local housing assistance programs, to conform; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator McKay—

SB 1532—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 230.33, Florida Statutes; providing for a Cost Deduction Advisory Council appointed by the superintendent of public instruction to review school board proposals for cost-effective use of capital outlay funds; providing for terms of members; providing staffing; providing per diem and travel expenses; providing for public meetings; providing notice; providing for revealing conflicts of interests; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bankhead—

SB 1534—A bill to be entitled An act relating to services for persons having alcohol-related, drug-related, or mental health-related problems; amending s. 394.65, F.S.; redesignating The Community Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Services Act as the "Community Alcohol, Other Drug, and Mental Health Services Act"; amending s. 394.66, F.S.; revising legislative intent with respect to provision of these services; amending s. 394.67, F.S.; revising applicable definitions to conform; adding definitions; amending s. 394.675, F.S.; providing a revised system for provision of alcohol, other drug, and mental health services; amending s. 394.715, F.S., pertaining to district alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health planning councils, to conform terminology and to delete an obsolete provision concerning periodic legislative review; amending s. 394.73, F.S., pertaining to joint agreements by two or more counties for providing service programs, to conform terminology; amending s. 394.74, F.S.; revising provisions concerning contracts for provision of local programs; amending s. 394.75, F.S.; revising provisions concerning district plans for providing services; amending s. 394.76, F.S.; revising provisions for financing district programs and services; amending s. 394.77, F.S., pertaining to the uniform management information and fiscal accounting systems used by providers, to conform terminology; amending s. 394.78, F.S., pertaining to standards applicable to and procedure for monitoring service providers, to conform terminology; amending s. 394.79, F.S., pertaining to the state plan for delivering and financing the system of services, to conform terminology; amending s. 394.875, F.S.; exempting the provision of certain programs and services from the requirement that they be provided by a licensed crisis-stabilization unit or residential treatment facility; amending s. 394.876, F.S.; revising requirements concerning the content of applications for license under ch. 394, F.S.; repealing s. 11, ch. 85-167, Laws of Florida, and s. 26, ch. 88-398, Laws of Florida, which contain provisions providing for termination of ss. 394.715 and

394.876, F.S., which provisions have been superseded; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz-Balart—

SB 1536—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement and correctional officers; amending s. 112.193, F.S.; authorizing the employer of deceased officers to give their uniforms, badges, and service weapons to their spouses or beneficiaries; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1538—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state university system; providing legislative intent; creating the Faculty Teaching Incentives Program; providing program requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-Balart—

SB 1540—A bill to be entitled An act relating to building construction standards; amending s. 553.73, F.S.; prescribing requirements for building codes; deleting the One and Two Family Dwelling Code from the State Minimum Building Codes; creating s. 553.735, F.S.; providing minimum wind-load design standards; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Community Affairs.

By Senator Dudley—

SB 1542—A bill to be entitled An act relating to intangible personal property taxes; requiring property appraisers to submit to the Department of Revenue the names and addresses of persons who claim the homestead exemption from ad valorem taxes; requiring the Department of Revenue to notify those persons of their obligation to pay intangible personal property taxes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Wexler and Dyer—

SB 1544—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pharmacy; creating s. 465.192, F.S.; establishing the Committee on Therapeutic Alternatives; providing membership; requiring development of a formulary of therapeutic alternatives; providing for adoption of the formulary by the Boards of Medicine, Osteopathic Medicine, and Pharmacy; providing duties of pharmacists with respect to therapeutic alternatives; creating s. 465.195, F.S.; providing for annual registration of pharmaceutical representatives; providing for application; providing a fee; specifying persons who are ineligible for registration; authorizing rules of the Department of Professional Regulation; requiring an annual report; providing a penalty; providing for unfair discrimination in certain distribution of prescription drugs; providing exemptions; providing for civil actions by persons injured by unfair discrimination; directing the Agency for Health Care Administration to study state procurement of prescription drugs and provide recommendations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Professional Regulation, Health Care and Appropriations.

By Senator McKay—

SB 1546—A bill to be entitled An act relating to recording of real property conveyances; amending s. 28.222, F.S.; requiring that a metes and bounds description that is submitted for recordation by the clerk of the circuit court be accompanied by a drawing prepared by a land surveyor; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Meadows—

SB 1548—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending ss. 627.311, 627.351, F.S.; including minorities and consumer representatives on boards of governors of joint underwriting associations; providing that associations are not a state agency, board, or commission; providing exemptions from intangible personal property tax, corporate income tax, insurance premium tax; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1550—A bill to be entitled An act relating to funding of services for children and families; providing legislative intent; requiring each state agency, district school board, or local governmental entity that improves its process of applying for federal funds to be matched by the agency, board, or entity to use the new or additional funds to improve services for children and families; providing that each school board or local governmental entity that receives those new or additional funds establish a collaborative planning process and prepare a report; requiring each state agency, that receives federal funds to be matched by the agency, to set guidelines and standards for other state agencies, district school boards, and local governmental entities, to submit claims for federal reimbursement; authorizing state agencies to enter into contracts to facilitate the process of obtaining new or additional federal funds to be matched by the agencies; requiring that the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services adopt rules establishing procedures that permit agencies to retain the nonfederal matching share of such claims and permit the passing through of the federal reimbursement to the agencies; providing that an agency that submits a claim is liable for any federal disallowance caused by failure of the agency to follow a federal or state requirement; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz-Balart—

SB 1552—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction contracting; amending s. 489.105, F.S.; changing the term “underground utility contractor” to “underground utility and excavation contractor”; amending ss. 489.107 and 633.521, F.S.; conforming language; amending s. 489.113, F.S.; authorizing certain contractors to perform additional duties within their licenses; creating s. 489.1135, F.S.; providing for the designation of underground utility and excavation contractors; providing for certification; providing that persons licensed as underground utility contractors on the effective date of the act are automatically licensed as underground utility and excavation contractors; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Professional Regulation.

By Senator Bankhead—

SB 1554—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale of liquefied petroleum gas; amending s. 527.01, F.S.; revising definitions relating to installer license categories; amending s. 527.02, F.S.; revising certain license fees and requirements for issuance of a license; revising examination requirements; providing for issuance of a qualifier identification card; providing for confidentiality of examinations and exemption from public records requirements; providing a fee for a duplicate license or qualifier card; deleting reference to requalification of portable cylinders; amending s. 527.065, F.S.; providing definition and requirements relating to accidents; amending s. 527.10, F.S.; revising provisions relating to restrictions on use of unsafe containers; amending s. 527.13, F.S.; allowing administrative action to continue; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

By Senator Siegel—

SB 1556—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parent and child; amending s. 63.032, F.S.; expanding the definition of “abandoned” and making it grounds for contested adoption, and adding new definitions relating to contested adoption; repealing s. 63.185, F.S., relating to a residency requirement to adopt; amending s. 63.062, F.S.; correcting technical errors and excepting contested adoptions from adoption consent requirements; creating s. 63.145, F.S.; providing procedure for contested adoption proceedings; amending s. 39.465, F.S.; requiring right to counsel for child at court’s discretion in termination of parental rights proceedings; amending s. 39.467, F.S.; correcting technical errors and removing the dependency adjudication requirement in termination of parental rights cases, and reenacting ss. 39.468 and 39.469(2)(a), F.S., relating to orders of adjudication and powers of disposition, to incorporate said amendment in references thereto; amending s. 39.474, F.S., relating to compensation of appointed counsel, to conform; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1558—A bill to be entitled An act relating to rate of interest; amending s. 55.03, F.S.; providing post judgment rate of interest; amending s. 687.01, F.S.; providing rate of interest for certain contracts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Commerce.

By Senator Kurth—

SB 1560—A bill to be entitled An act relating to personnel files; creating s. 448.11, F.S.; requiring a private-sector employer to allow each of his employees to inspect, examine, and duplicate the employee’s own personnel file; providing a remedy for violations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Judiciary.

By Senators Dyer and Wexler—

SB 1562—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local occupational license taxes; creating s. 205.066, F.S.; providing a civil cause of action for certain persons who are required to pay a local occupational license tax following proof of exemption; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dudley—

SJR 1564—A joint resolution proposing the repeal of Section 6 of Article V of the State Constitution, proposing amendments to Sections 1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 16, and 20 of Article V of the State Constitution, and proposing the addition of Section 21 to Article V of the State Constitution, relating to the judiciary, to abolish the county courts and to transfer jurisdiction and judges of the county courts to the circuit courts.

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

By Senator Kiser—

SB 1566—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Marine Fisheries Commission; reviving and readopting ss. 370.025, 370.026, 370.027, 370.028, 370.029, F.S., notwithstanding the repeal of those sections under the Sundown Act; providing for future legislative review and repeal of ss. 370.025, 370.026, 370.027, 370.028, 370.029, 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 1568—A bill to be entitled An act relating to telecommunications companies; amending s. 364.02, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 364.355, F.S.; providing authority of certified pay telephone providers; amending s. 364.3375, F.S.; providing that a limitation imposed on a pay telephone provider may not provide a preference to an individual provider or class of providers; providing conformity of rates, terms, conditions for monopoly services of pay telephone providers; amending s. 364.338, F.S.; providing for competition among pay telephone providers enforced by the Public Service Commission; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

By Senator Forman—

SB 1570—A bill to be entitled An act relating to solar energy; amending s. 377.703, F.S.; providing duties and responsibilities of the Department of Community Affairs with respect to solar energy resource promotion and development; requiring a report; requiring the department to submit a proposal to the United States Department of Energy for certain purposes; creating s. 288.041, F.S.; providing legislative intent; providing duties and responsibilities of the Department of Commerce with respect to solar energy resource promotion and development; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; and International Trade, Economic Development and Tourism.

By Senator Siegel—

SB 1572—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assignment of rents; amending s. 697.07, F.S.; providing specific requirements with respect to assignment of rents; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Silver—

SB 1574—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tenants; amending s. 83.63, F.S.; providing additional remedies for tenants whose premises are substantially damaged by major disasters; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Dyer—

SB 1576—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance; amending s. 624.501, F.S.; providing an administrative surcharge on title insurance agencies; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1578—A bill to be entitled An act relating to beverage taxes; imposing an excise tax on soft drinks and soft-drink base products produced in this state or imported into this state; providing definitions; providing for payment of the tax proceeds to the Department of Revenue; providing for the adoption of rules; providing for penalties and interest on delinquent payments; providing for depositing and for the use of the tax proceeds; providing for dealer registration and licensure; providing license fees; requiring certain records to be kept and made available for inspection by the department; requiring dealers to take inventory on a specified date, report to the department, and pay the taxes due; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Holzendorf—

SB 1580—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending s. 99.095, F.S.; providing limitations to use of alternative method of qualifying; amending s. 99.0955, F.S.; providing primary ballot access to independent candidates; providing dates for obtaining forms; providing for voting by all qualified electors in first primary to nominate an independent candidate when more than one independent candidate qualifies for an office; providing that the name of the independent candidate who gets the most votes in the primary election will be placed on the general election ballot; providing for grouping the names of independent candidates on the first primary ballot; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Executive Business, Ethics and Elections.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1582—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 229.591, F.S.; deleting requirement that school boards provide for sequential instruction in mathematics, science, reading, writing, and social sciences and for appropriate educational materials, equipment and pupil-teacher ratio; amending s. 229.592, F.S.; authorizing waiver of the requirements of specified statutes for district school boards under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1584—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary education; directing the Board of Regents and the State Board of Community Colleges to plan clustered-service networks; providing planning criteria; providing for a report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Grant—

SB 1586—A bill to be entitled An act relating to circuit and county courts; amending ss. 28.241 and 34.041, F.S.; authorizing the use of the proceeds of excess service charges imposed by counties to provide and maintain equipment for the use of the courts of the county wherein collected; amending s. 28.30, F.S.; authorizing clerks of the circuit courts to destroy vouchers and canceled warrants pursuant to rules under the records and information management program of the Division of Library and Information Services of the Department of State; authorizing the use of imaging systems; amending s. 57.081, F.S.; limiting the services of the courts, sheriffs, and clerks provided without charge to indigent persons; requiring detailed financial disclosure in the affidavit required for certification of indigency; amending s. 382.022, F.S.; changing monthly filing deadline for county court judges and clerks of the circuit courts to transmit marriage application fees; repealing s. 28.17, F.S., relating to verification of documents by clerks of the circuit courts and judges of probate; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brown-Waite—

SB 1588—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regional planning councils; creating s. 186.5055, F.S.; prohibiting regional planning councils from responding to any request for proposals or invitation to bid for the provision of services from any public or private entity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs and Governmental Operations.

By Senator Weinstein—

SB 1590—A bill to be entitled An act relating to collateral sources of indemnity; amending s. 768.76, F.S.; providing exceptions to the definition of collateral sources; requiring notice of tort claims to providers of collateral sources; requiring providers of collateral sources to assert their rights of subrogation within a specified time; providing for waiver of rights; specifying rights of reimbursement; providing for resolution of disputes between claimants and providers of collateral sources; limiting rights of subrogation of insurers and health maintenance organizations; requiring providers of collateral sources to cooperate with claimants under certain circumstances; amending s. 641.31, F.S.; revising reimbursement entitlement of health maintenance organizations to accord with provisions relating to collateral sources of indemnity, including attorney's fees; repealing s. 627.7372, F.S., which provides for collateral sources of indemnity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary, Health Care and Commerce.

By Senators Weinstein, Burt and Williams—

SB 1592—A bill to be entitled An act relating to volunteer firefighters; providing a legislative finding; providing death benefits, including lump-sum payments and children's educational expenses, for volunteer firefighters; establishing the Volunteer Firefighters' Special Death Benefit Trust Fund under the Department of Insurance, to be used to fund the lump-sum death benefits; requiring each affected municipality, county, special fire district, or other governmental entity to contribute to the trust fund; authorizing the purchase of insurance to fund lump-sum payments; providing rulemaking authority; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; Community Affairs; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Jones—

SB 1594—A bill to be entitled An act relating to information technology resources; amending s. 287.073, F.S.; expanding the membership of the Information Technology Resource Procurement Advisory Council; eliminating specified approval of certain agency information technology resources procurements; amending s. 287.063, F.S.; removing an exemption from specified approval of equipment acquisition through a lease or deferred payment purchase arrangement; amending s. 282.313, F.S.; eliminating specified data processing councils and establishing data processing policy boards; providing board membership and functions; amending s. 216.272, F.S.; authorizing the creation of reserve accounts within the Working Capital Trust Fund; authorizing the Division of Purchasing of the Department of Management Services to implement specified contracts on a pilot basis; requiring the division to develop specified criteria with respect to the purchasing of information technology resources; providing for reports by the division; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dyer—

SB 1596—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale or lease of business opportunities; amending s. 559.801, F.S., and creating s. 559.8015, F.S.; revising and adding definitions of terms related thereto; rearranging provisions; creating s. 559.802, F.S.; providing for a 1-year exemption from ss. 559.80-559.815, F.S., for the sale of a franchise if the franchisor files an application with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, pays a fee, and provides a copy of the disclosure statement and any exhibits in substantial compliance with the Federal Trade Commission rule; providing for annual renewal of the exemption and for a renewal fee; limiting the information about the franchisor that may be required by the department; providing for rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Professional Regulation.

By Senator Jenne—

SB 1598—A bill to be entitled An act relating to false claims; creating "Florida's False Claims Act"; providing purpose to prevent causing state government to pay fraudulent claims; providing definitions; itemizing acts which incur liability for treble damages; providing mitigating factors which result in nonliability for treble damages, but continued liability for compensatory damages; providing procedure for civil actions for false claims, including investigation by the Attorney General; providing rights of the parties in civil actions; providing for awards to plaintiffs bringing actions; providing for recovery of reasonable expenses, costs, and attorney's fees; providing certain exemptions to civil actions; providing protection for participating employees; providing for limitation of actions; providing the burden of proof; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Hargrett, Grant, Beard and Brown-Waite—

SB 1600—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary education programs and institutions; amending s. 240.512, F.S., relating to the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute; providing for creation of subsidiaries with approval of Board of Regents; providing duties; providing for annual post audit report; providing an exemption from public records requirements and providing for review and repeal of such exemption; providing for equal employment opportunity; providing for sovereign immunity; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

SB 1602—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Animal Fighting Act; amending s. 828.122, F.S.; providing definitions; providing additional prohibited acts and penalties therefor; providing for the forfeiture of certain animals or equipment; providing that certain evidence is prima facie evidence that certain property is kept for the purpose of animal baiting or fighting; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Forman—

SB 1604—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hate-crimes; requiring the Legislature to enact new hate-crimes legislation in certain situations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Williams, Kirkpatrick, Thomas, Sullivan, Jenne, Grant, Bankhead and Dyer—

SB 1606—A bill to be entitled An act relating to economic development; creating the Florida Jobs Siting Act to provide a process for consolidated, expedited review of permit applications for projects that meet certain criteria with respect to creation of jobs; creating s. 403.95, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 403.951, F.S.; providing legislative intent; creating s. 403.952, F.S.; providing definitions; creating s. 403.953, F.S.; prescribing criteria for projects to be subject to the act; creating s. 403.954, F.S.; prescribing duties of the Department of Commerce with respect to certification of projects; creating s. 403.955, F.S.; prescribing duties of the Department of Environmental Regulation with respect to certification of projects; creating s. 403.956, F.S.; providing applicability of the act; creating s. 403.957, F.S.; prescribing the process to be followed by applicants for certification of projects; creating s. 403.958, F.S.; providing for determination of completeness and sufficiency of permit applications; creating s. 403.959, F.S.; providing for a public meeting; creating s. 403.96, F.S.; providing for assignment of a hearing officer; creating s. 403.961, F.S.; providing for all affected agencies to file with the hearing

officer and other agencies their statements of issues, reports, and analyses; providing for submission of certain reports to the Department of Commerce; providing for a compiled report by that department; creating s. 403.962, F.S.; providing for a certification hearing; listing agencies and others that may request a hearing; providing for a recommended order; creating s. 403.963, F.S.; providing for final disposition of an application by the Governor and Cabinet, sitting as the Siting Board; creating s. 403.964, F.S.; providing for alteration of time limits; creating s. 403.965, F.S.; providing for this act to supersede certain other laws, rules, and ordinances; creating s. 403.966, F.S.; providing effect of certification; creating s. 403.967, F.S.; providing for notices; providing for costs of proceedings; creating s. 403.968, F.S.; providing for review under ch. 120, F.S.; creating s. 403.969, F.S.; providing for compliance and enforcement; creating s. 403.97, F.S.; providing for public access to records; creating s. 403.971, F.S.; providing for modification of certification; creating s. 403.972, F.S.; providing for renewal of certification; creating s. 403.973, F.S.; providing for fees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on International Trade, Economic Development and Tourism; Community Affairs; Finance, Taxation and Claims; and Appropriations.

By Senator Kirkpatrick—

SB 1608—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community colleges; amending s. 240.311, F.S.; revising duties of the State Board of Community Colleges; amending s. 240.313, F.S.; revising membership of district boards of trustees; amending s. 240.324, F.S.; revising community college planning relating to the accountability process; requiring automated student records systems; amending s. 240.325, F.S.; revising provisions relating to guidelines for community colleges; amending s. 240.331, F.S.; conforming provisions; amending s. 240.347, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the State Community College Program Fund; providing community college program requirements; amending s. 240.359, F.S.; providing for community college budgets and budget categories; repealing ss. 240.349 and 240.361, F.S., relating to requirements for participation in the Community College Program Fund and budgets for community colleges; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education and Appropriations.

By Senator Jones (by request)—

SB 1610—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fair employment practices; creating s. 760.501, F.S.; prohibiting employment discrimination based on participation in lawful activities away from the workplace during nonworking hours; providing sanctions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Judiciary.

By Senator Silver—

SB 1612—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Act; amending s. 766.313, F.S.; changing the period of limitations on claims from 7 years to 30 months; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care and Judiciary.

By Senator Diaz-Balart—

SB 1614—A bill to be entitled An act relating to operating a vehicle while under the influence; amending s. 316.193, F.S.; requiring that a specified amount of the mandatory minimum term of imprisonment for a second conviction of driving under the influence must be served consecutively; amending s. 322.2615, F.S.; providing a time period during which certain persons whose licenses have been suspended may not be eligible to receive a driver's license; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Beard—

SB 1616—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.051, F.S., relating to optional participation for cities and special districts; authorizing a city or independent special district that has opted to participate in the Florida Retirement System to revoke its election as to future employees and officers in order to establish an alternative retirement plan for those employees and officers; providing for public hearing; providing for an actuarial report; providing for adoption of a revocation resolution; providing conditions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1618—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legal process; amending s. 30.231, F.S.; increasing fees for docketing and service of process in civil cases; providing procedures for making a levy; amending s. 48.031, F.S.; providing procedure for service of witness subpoena in a criminal case; amending s. 48.183, F.S.; providing service of process in actions for possession of premises; amending s. 56.21, F.S.; providing notice of execution sales; amending s. 83.62, F.S.; authorizing fee for sheriff for standing by and keeping the peace while a landlord takes possession of premises; amending s. 475.483, F.S.; providing procedures for creditors seeking recovery from the Real Estate Recovery Fund; amending s. 701.04, F.S.; providing responsibility for return of a writ of execution upon payment of a judgment upon which it was issued; amending s. 723.062, F.S.; providing rights of a landowner upon a writ of possession for removal of mobile home owner from premises; authorizing a fee for sheriff who is standing by during repossession by the landlord; absolving sheriff and landlord from liability for damage to tenants property; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dantzler—

SB 1780—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Cross Florida Greenbelt State Recreation and Conservation Area; providing legislative intent; assigning the initial responsibility for managing that area to the Division of Recreation and Parks of the Department of Natural Resources; establishing the initial boundary of the greenbelt area; authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund to modify the boundary under certain circumstances; providing authority for coordinated management of greenbelt lands and other lands; providing for the identification and sale or exchange of former barge canal lands; providing for the semiannual payment of funds due specified counties; requiring the payment of full assessed value for the use of former canal lands by other state agencies; providing for recreational uses of greenbelt lands; providing for the disposition of specific canal structures; requiring the Department of Natural Resources to determine the requirements and manner for restoring the Ocklawaha River and conduct certain studies; specifying information that must be obtained; requiring the Governor and Cabinet to review the studies and make certain determinations; amending s. 253.781, F.S.; deleting an obsolete provision related to the boundary of the greenbelt area; replacing a requirement that the Governor and Cabinet acquire the fee title to specified lands with an authorization to acquire that fee; amending s. 253.782, F.S.; replacing a requirement that the Governor and Cabinet acquire the fee title to specified lands, with authorization to do so; amending s. 253.783, F.S.; deleting obsolete provisions related to the management plan for the greenbelt area; authorizing the Governor and Cabinet to exchange, to dispose of as surplus, or to acquire certain lands and easements for specified purposes; restricting the use of funds for these transfers; amending s. 253.783, F.S.; deleting a requirement that repayment of funds to specified counties is secondary to the costs of acquiring lands pursuant to s. 253.781(3), F.S.; requiring the sum of at least \$32 million in cash or surplus lands to be paid to the counties that were included in the former Cross Florida Canal Navigation District; deleting a requirement that certain excess funds be used for maintenance of the greenbelt corridor; providing authorization for such use; deleting obsolete provisions pertaining to the former canal

authority, the Department of Natural Resources, and the preparation of the management plan for the greenbelt area; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Kirkpatrick, Holzendorf and Williams—

SB 1782—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Cross Florida Greenbelt State Recreation and Conservation Area; providing legislative intent; assigning the initial responsibility for managing that area to the Division of Recreation and Parks of the Department of Natural Resources; establishing the initial boundary of the greenbelt area; authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund to modify the boundary under certain circumstances; providing authority for coordinated management of greenbelt lands and other lands; providing for the identification and sale or exchange of former barge canal lands; providing for the semiannual payment of funds due specified counties; requiring the payment of full assessed value for the use of former canal lands by other state agencies; providing an exception; providing for recreational uses of greenbelt lands; providing for the disposition of specific canal structures; providing for a study of the effects of draining or retaining Rodman Reservoir; specifying information that must be obtained for that study; providing for transportation and utility crossings over greenbelt lands; amending s. 253.781, F.S.; deleting an obsolete provision related to the boundary of the greenbelt area; replacing a requirement that the Governor and Cabinet acquire the fee title to specified lands with an authorization to acquire that fee; amending s. 253.782, F.S.; replacing a requirement that the Governor and Cabinet acquire the fee title to specified lands, with authorization to do so; amending s. 253.7829, F.S.; deleting obsolete provisions related to the management plan for the greenbelt area; authorizing the Governor and Cabinet to exchange, to dispose of as surplus, or to acquire certain lands and easements for specified purposes; restricting the use of funds for these transfers; amending s. 253.783, F.S.; deleting a requirement that repayment of funds to specified counties is secondary to the costs of acquiring lands pursuant to s. 253.781(3), F.S.; requiring the sum of at least \$32 million in cash or surplus lands to be paid to the counties that were included in the former Cross Florida Canal Navigation District; deleting a requirement that certain excess funds be used for maintenance of the greenbelt corridor; providing authorization for such use; deleting obsolete provisions pertaining to the former canal authority, the Department of Natural Resources, and the preparation of the management plan for the greenbelt area; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Dantzler—

SB 1904—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the advance disposal fee on beverage and other containers; amending s. 403.7197, F.S., relating to the advance disposal fee program; revising legislative findings; providing definitions; requiring that the Department of Environmental Regulation consider proposals for designating additional containers to be subject to the advance disposal fee; requiring the department to determine the recycling rates of types of containers; providing for the imposition, in 1995, of an advance disposal fee on containers; providing for collection of the fee and moving the Container Recycling Trust Fund to the department; providing for consumer notice of the fee; providing for exemptions from the fee; providing recycled-material-content goals; requiring that the department adopt certain rules; providing that certain information is confidential and exempt from ch. 119, F.S.; requiring that the department evaluate the imposition of a material-specific, advance disposal fee; providing for a report; requiring that the department recommend a program whereby container manufacturers may purchase and transfer credit for meeting certain goals; creating the Florida Packaging Council; providing for membership, terms, per diem and travel expenses, reports, confidentiality, and duties; providing an effective date.

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

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

FIRST READING

By the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Foley—

CS for SB 112—A bill to be entitled An act relating to civil liability; creating the Florida Volunteer Protection Act; limiting civil liability for volunteers providing services to nonprofit organizations under certain conditions; providing for liability of the nonprofit corporation; providing for application; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Care and Senator Myers—

CS for SB 132—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical practice; amending s. 455.2141, F.S.; modifying a continuing education requirement; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining; and Senators Diaz-Balart, Kurth, Kirkpatrick, Thomas, Casas, Grogan, Holzendorf, Silver, Meadows, Myers, Bankhead, Wexler, Forman, Boczar, Grant, Beard, Jones, Hargrett, Johnson, Brown-Waite, Childers, Crist, Foley, Dudley, Turner, Burt, Williams, Dyer and Weinstein—

CS for SB 138—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement; creating s. 112.194, F.S.; authorizing the award of a Medal of Valor to law enforcement and correctional officers; providing criteria; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation; and Senator Kirkpatrick—

CS for SB 146—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state lands; amending s. 253.002, F.S.; providing for delegation of duties of the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund; amending s. 253.025, F.S.; specifying procedures for acquisition of state lands; allowing state agencies other than the Division of State Lands to perform certain functions that only the division currently may perform; amending confidentiality provisions relating to appraisals; expanding the types of costs for which the state may reimburse the owner of lands that the state proposes to acquire; amending s. 259.101, F.S.; authorizing the disposition and alternate governmental use of lands acquired through the Florida Preservation 2000 program; providing criteria for such disposition or use; providing for retroactive application; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Care—

CS for SB 152—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mobile home parks, lodging parks, recreational vehicle parks, and recreational camps; revising ss. 513.01-513.151, F.S., relating to the regulation and permitting of mobile home parks and recreational vehicle parks, and extending the applicability of certain of those provisions, as revised, to lodging parks, recreational camps; providing definitions; providing for enforcement of public health laws with respect to mobile home, lodging, and recreational vehicle parks and recreational camps; providing for applicability of recreational vehicle park provisions to certain mobile home parks and lodging parks; providing for permitting of private parks and camps; providing for issuance of a permit upon transfer of a park or camp; providing for application for and issuance of permits; providing for permit fees and providing for collection and disposition of such fees; providing rulemaking authority to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services for purposes of the chapter; providing for state preemption of sanitary standards; providing for inspection of such parks and camps; providing for prosecution of operators who commit specified violations; prescribing penalties for such violations; providing for revocation and suspension of permits; authorizing administrative fines and providing for disposition of such fines; providing for enforcement of chapter and rules adopted under the chapter by issuance of citations by department personnel; providing for disposition of fines imposed by citation; regulating the disposal of sewage from mobile homes and recreational vehicles and at recreational campsites; providing penalties for operating without a permit; regulating posting, advertising, and charging of site rates and providing penalties for violations related thereto; requiring operators to maintain guest registers

and current copies of the laws; prescribing liability of operators for property of guests; providing for disposition of unclaimed property left by guests of recreational vehicle parks; providing for park rules and regulations; authorizing refusal of services for specified conduct on the premises of a park; prescribing penalties for obtaining accommodations in a park with intent to defraud; providing penalties for theft of property from such a park and providing for detention and arrest of violators; providing penalties for resisting such an arrest; providing for eviction from such a park and specifying grounds therefor; prescribing an operator's rights and remedies against transient guests in such a park; repealing s. 15, ch. 83-321, Laws of Florida, which provides for the expiration of specified sections of ch. 513, F.S., effective October 1, 1993, pursuant to Regulatory Sunset Review; amending s. 381.006, F.S., pertaining to environmental health, to conform to the expansion of the scope of ch. 513, F.S., to include lodging parks and recreational camps; amending s. 509.502, F.S., pertaining to definitions of terms used in ch. 509, F.S., to exclude recreational camps from regulation as campgrounds under that chapter; amending s. 633.022, F.S., pertaining to uniform firesafety standards, to authorize the Department of Insurance to establish uniform firesafety standards for lodging parks and recreational camps; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Care—

CS for SB 156—A bill to be entitled An act relating to clinical laboratories; amending s. 483.021, F.S.; providing legislative intent; amending s. 483.031, F.S.; providing for application of part I, ch. 483, F.S.; creating s. 483.035, F.S.; providing for exclusive use clinical laboratories; amending s. 483.041, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 483.051, F.S.; providing powers and duties of the Agency for Health Care Administration in regulating clinical laboratories; requiring the agency to prescribe certain standards; amending s. 483.061, F.S.; requiring the agency to inspect clinical laboratories; authorizing inspections by private accrediting organizations; amending s. 483.091, F.S.; prohibiting the operation of certain clinical laboratories without a license issued by the agency; requiring certain out-of-state laboratories to be licensed by the agency; amending s. 483.101, F.S.; providing application requirements for licensure of clinical laboratories; creating s. 483.106, F.S.; providing requirements for clinical laboratories that perform certain tests under a certificate of exemption; amending s. 483.111, F.S.; providing certain limitations on licensure; amending s. 483.172, F.S.; revising license fees; amending s. 483.181, F.S.; providing requirements for reporting and accepting the results of clinical laboratory tests; amending s. 483.191, F.S.; providing requirements for branch offices and collection stations operated by clinical laboratories; amending s. 483.201, F.S.; providing grounds under which the agency may take disciplinary action against clinical laboratories; amending ss. 483.221, 483.23, F.S.; providing penalties; amending s. 483.245, F.S.; prohibiting rebates for referring patients to a clinical laboratory; providing penalties; amending s. 483.25, F.S.; providing for injunctions; authorizing the agency to establish a technical advisory panel; amending s. 483.800, F.S.; expanding legislative purpose and policy provisions; amending s. 483.811, F.S.; divesting the Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel to approve certain laboratory technician training programs; repealing s. 30, ch. 83-276, Laws of Florida; abrogating the repeal of part I, ch. 483, F.S., under the Regulatory Sunset Act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Care—

CS for SB 160—A bill to be entitled An act relating to multiphasic health testing centers; amending s. 483.28, F.S.; revising the short title provision; amending s. 483.282, F.S.; revising policy and purpose; amending s. 483.285, F.S.; revising applicability of multiphasic health testing center licensure requirements; providing exemptions; amending s. 483.288, F.S.; revising applicable definitions; amending s. 483.291, F.S.; providing powers and duties of the Agency for Health Care Administration; requiring the agency to adopt rules; providing an additional fee; amending s. 483.294, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to conduct inspections of multiphasic health testing centers; amending s. 483.30, F.S.; providing requirements for licensing multiphasic health testing centers; prohibiting the operation of a multiphasic health testing center without a license; amending s. 483.302, F.S.; requiring applications for licensure of multiphasic health testing centers to be made to the Agency for Health Care Administration; amending s. 483.305, F.S.; revising requirements for advertisement of centers; amending s. 483.308, F.S.; revising requirements for and duties of a medical

director; amending s. 483.311, F.S.; revising requirements for display of licenses; creating s. 483.312, F.S.; requiring notice of fees charged; amending s. 483.314, F.S.; requiring test results to be forwarded to the person tested within a specified time; limiting the types of specimens that can be collected by testing centers; requiring centers that offer certain types of testing to comply with specified statutes; amending s. 483.317, F.S.; revising a ground for disciplinary action to conform; amending s. 483.32, F.S.; revising provisions relating to administrative penalties; amending s. 483.322, F.S.; revising those actions that constitute violations; amending s. 483.325, F.S.; revising criminal penalties; amending s. 483.328, F.S.; revising provisions for injunctions; repealing s. 30, ch. 83-276, Laws of Florida; abrogating the repeal of part II of ch. 483, F.S., relating to multi-phasic health testing centers, notwithstanding the repeal of that part scheduled under the Regulatory Sunset Act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Senator Dantzer—

CS for SB 176—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcohol and other drug abuse; amending s. 893.13, F.S.; authorizing the court to provide an additional assessment for any criminal violation of s. 316.193, s. 856.011, s. 856.015, or chapter 562, chapter 567, or chapter 568; amending s. 893.16, F.S.; including alcohol along with drug abuse programs and providing for the use of the assessment; providing for a County Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Trust Fund; providing for a Community Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Services Grants and Donations Trust Fund; amending s. 893.165, F.S.; providing for county alcohol and other drug abuse treatment or education trust funds; conforming to the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator Forman—

CS for SB 266—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; amending s. 320.04, F.S.; providing for a service charge on registration renewal applications made through an automated touch-tone vehicle registration service; amending s. 320.07, F.S.; increasing delinquency fees for motor vehicle registrations; creating s. 320.0701, F.S.; providing for failure to register a vehicle; providing delinquency fees; providing for notice of violation; providing exemptions; repealing s. 207.029, F.S., relating to proof of liability insurance; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice and Senator Sullivan—

CS for SB 272—A bill to be entitled An act relating to substance abuse; amending s. 893.03, F.S., relating to controlled substance standards and schedules; deleting methylhydromorphinone from Schedule I; moving mecloqualone within Schedule I; increasing penalties applicable thereto; providing technical changes to update and clarify the schedules; reenacting ss. 893.08(1)(b) and 893.13, F.S., relating to distribution of certain substances at retail without a prescription by a registered pharmacist and to prohibited acts and penalties, to incorporate the amendment to s. 893.03, F.S., in references thereto; amending s. 893.135, F.S., relating to trafficking in a controlled substance; providing editorial clarifications; correcting cross-references; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator Childers—

CS for SB 278—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle titles; amending s. 319.231, F.S.; providing additional exemptions to the required impact fee on original certificates of title; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services—

CS for SB 306—A bill to be entitled An act relating to adult day care centers; amending s. 400.55, F.S.; revising the purpose of pt. IV, ch. 400, F.S.; amending s. 400.551, F.S.; adding and revising definitions for purposes of pt. IV, ch. 400, F.S.; amending s. 400.552, F.S.; transferring responsibility for licensure from the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to the Agency for Health Care Administration; amending s. 400.553, F.S.; revising the exemptions from licensure and regulation; amending s. 400.554, F.S.; requiring biennial licensure and replacing the

existing annual license fee with a biennial participant capacity fee; amending s. 400.555, F.S.; requiring additional information from licensure applicants; amending s. 400.556, F.S.; adding grounds for action against the owner of a center or its operator or employee; amending s. 400.5565, F.S.; specifying that the owner of a center, or its operator or employee, found in violation of this part or the rules adopted under this part is subject to an administrative fine; amending s. 400.557, F.S.; requiring biennial renewal of licenses; requiring additional information of applicants for renewal; providing for issuance of a conditional license; amending s. 400.5575, F.S.; providing for the deposit of fees and fines; providing for the use of these moneys; amending s. 400.558, F.S.; transferring responsibility relating to injunctive proceedings from the department to the agency; amending s. 400.559, F.S.; requiring notice of change of owner or operator; amending s. 400.56, F.S.; providing right of entry and inspection to the agency; amending s. 400.562, F.S.; requiring rules consultation by the department with the agency; describing information that may form the basis for rules establishing standards; authorizing a fee for copies of statutes or rules; providing for abbreviated biennial inspections; amending s. 400.563, F.S.; updating cross-references with respect to construction and renovation requirements; amending s. 400.564, F.S., relating to prohibited acts, to delete an unnecessary cross-reference and otherwise clarify the section; reviving and readopting ss. 400.55-400.564, F.S., as amended, notwithstanding their scheduled repeal October 1, 1993; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary—

CS for SB 322—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonresidential tenancies; amending s. 83.20, F.S.; providing for removal of a tenant for the tenant's breach of the lease; requiring notice; creating s. 83.201, F.S.; providing for withholding of rent upon untenability of premises; requiring notice; providing for termination of lease if premises not made tenable; creating s. 83.202, F.S.; providing for waiver of removal action for nonpayment of rent; amending s. 83.231, F.S.; providing further requirements to obtain a money judgment in an action for removal of a tenant; creating s. 83.232, F.S.; requiring the payment of rent into the court registry in an action by a landlord which includes a claim for possession; providing for a hearing of a dispute on the amount of rent owed; providing for notice; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary and Senators Jenne and Dudley—

CS for SB's 340 and 358—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vital records; amending s. 28.222, F.S.; requiring the clerk of the circuit court to record certain death certificates; repealing s. 382.025(11), F.S., which prohibits the duplication of a certified copy of a certificate of birth, death, or fetal death; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Senators McKay, Williams, Kirkpatrick and Harden—

CS for SB 344—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child support; amending s. 48.031, F.S.; requiring employers to allow access to employees for service of process; amending s. 61.13, F.S.; providing for child support in accordance with the child support guidelines; providing for apportionment of the costs of health insurance for the minor child; amending s. 61.1301, F.S.; providing for contents of and enforcement of income deduction orders; amending s. 733.707, F.S.; prescribing priority to be given to payment of arrears in child support by personal representatives of estates; creating s. 61.13015, F.S.; providing for a petition to suspend or deny a professional license or certificate for delinquent child support obligations; amending s. 61.14, F.S.; providing procedures for issuing notice of delinquency judgments; providing for interest with respect to judgments for child support; providing for equal effect of settlements and court orders on subsequent modifications; amending s. 61.16, F.S.; authorizing the assessment of certain fees against the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; amending s. 61.181, F.S.; extending the period during which an increased fee for receiving, recording, reporting, disbursing, monitoring, and handling child support payments is to be collected; requiring compliance audits; creating s. 231.097, F.S.; providing for the suspension or denial of teaching certificates for child support delinquencies; limiting liability; creating s. 409.2598, F.S.; providing for the suspension or denial of professional licenses or certifications for child support delinquencies; amending s. 455.203, F.S.; providing for the sus-

pension or denial of professional licenses for child support delinquencies; limiting liability; amending s. 559.79, F.S.; providing for the suspension or denial of licenses for child support delinquencies; limiting liability; creating s. 322.058, F.S.; providing for the suspension of driver licenses and vehicle registration for child support delinquencies; providing for notice; limiting liability; requesting the Florida Supreme Court to adopt an amendment to the rules regulating The Florida Bar to discipline attorneys who are delinquent or fail to pay child support; amending s. 742.10, F.S.; authorizing a consenting affidavit as establishment of paternity; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Care and Senator Holzendorf—

CS for SB 370—A bill to be entitled An act relating to patients' records; amending ss. 395.3025, 455.241, F.S.; prohibiting charging for patients' records furnished to support certain appeals under the Social Security Act; requiring such records to be furnished within a specified time; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Professional Regulation and Senators Weinstein and Sullivan—

CS for SB 398—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Motor Vehicle Repair Act; amending s. 559.901, F.S.; correcting a reference; amending s. 559.902, F.S.; providing for application; amending s. 559.903, F.S.; providing definitions; creating s. 559.904, F.S.; providing for motor vehicle repair shop registration; providing for an affidavit for exemption; providing fees; amending s. 559.907, F.S.; correcting a reference; amending s. 559.909, F.S.; revising language with respect to unlawful charges; amending s. 559.911, F.S.; providing for additional information on the required repair invoice; amending s. 559.915, F.S.; requiring the keeping of customer records for an additional time period; providing for access to records and inspection by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; creating s. 559.916, F.S.; providing for required disclosure, signs, and notice to customers; amending s. 559.919, F.S.; correcting a reference; creating s. 559.920, F.S.; providing for unlawful acts and practices; renumbering and amending s. 559.923, F.S., relating to remedies; creating s. 559.922, F.S.; providing for financial assistance with respect to training; creating s. 559.9221, F.S.; providing for industry involvement; providing an appropriation; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Health and Rehabilitative Services; and Senator Turner—

CS for SB 430—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; amending s. 402.33, F.S.; changing the method to be used in determining whether a client of the department is exempt from paying for certain services; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator Johnson—

CS for SB 438—A bill to be entitled An act relating to commercial motor vehicles; amending s. 316.515, F.S.; providing an exemption from length limitations for a truck or truck tractor-semitrailer combination transporting horticultural trees; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senators Siegel, Diaz-Balart, Silver and Brown-Waite—

CS for SB 450—A bill to be entitled An act relating to uniform traffic control; amending s. 316.2015, F.S.; prohibiting certain minors from riding within the body of a pickup truck or flatbed truck; providing exceptions; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator Dantzler—

CS for SB 506—A bill to be entitled An act relating to operating or moving motor vehicles upon the highways; amending s. 316.550, F.S., pertaining to special permits to operate or move vehicles not in conformity with weight limits or other requirements; authorizing the Department of

Transportation or a local highway authority, with respect to highways under its jurisdiction, to issue a special permit for a vehicle transporting a sealed, containerized cargo unit to exceed certain weight limits; providing criteria for the issuance of such permit; providing for fees; clarifying existing provisions pertaining to special permits; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senators Childers and Harden—

CS for SB 512—A bill to be entitled An act relating to designations; naming a bridge connecting Innerarity Point and Perdido Key in Escambia County the "Theo Baars Bridge"; providing for markers; designating a portion of S.W. 62nd Avenue in West Miami an historic highway; limiting authority to widen this road; providing for markers; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation; and Senators Dantzler and Kirkpatrick—

CS for SB 528—A bill to be entitled An act relating to solid waste; amending s. 125.01, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; amending s. 166.021, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; amending s. 212.055, F.S.; expanding the uses of the local option sales tax to include certain solid waste landfill closures; amending s. 287.045, F.S.; deleting obsolete provisions; requiring the purchase of materials with recycled content under certain conditions; authorizing the Division of Purchasing and other state agencies to consider life-cycle costing when evaluating certain bids; requiring the Division of Purchasing to adopt certain rules; providing a price preference for materials or products that contain recycled Florida recovered materials; amending the definition of the term "recycled content"; requiring state agencies and others to procure products with recycled content, except as provided; amending s. 316.003, 377.709, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 381.006, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; amending s. 381.0098, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; deleting exemptions from registration and fee requirements; amending s. 403.1834, F.S.; allowing landfill closures to be financed by certain bonds; amending s. 403.4131, F.S.; abolishing the Clean Florida Commission; amending s. 403.702, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; encouraging school districts and education facilities to participate in certain recycling programs; amending s. 403.703, F.S.; amending definitions pertaining to solid waste and resource recovery and management; prohibiting local governments from adopting definitions that are inconsistent with those in this section; amending s. 403.704, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; allowing certain funds to be used for composting programs; allowing the Department of Environmental Regulation to impose certain conditions on the disposal of solid waste, whether or not it is generated within this state; amending s. 403.7043, F.S.; providing for compost and mulch standards; deleting obsolete provisions; amending s. 403.7045, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; expanding an exemption from liability for unknowingly disposing of certain waste improperly; deleting provisions that pertain to regulating recovered materials; creating s. 403.7046, F.S.; providing for regulation of certain recovered materials; providing for registration, reporting, and inspection; providing for fees; providing for rulemaking; providing for confidentiality for certain information received by the Department of Environmental Regulation; providing for review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 403.7049, F.S.; deleting an obsolete provision that established a deadline; amending s. 403.705, F.S.; correcting a cross-reference; changing the date by which certain reports must be prepared by the Department of Environmental Regulation; deleting certain obsolete provisions; amending s. 403.706, F.S.; requiring steel cans to be separated from the waste stream; providing certain counties with an alternative to meeting solid waste reduction goals; requiring counties to consider composting plans; specifying goals for reducing solid waste; providing guidelines for calculating solid waste reduction; providing that innovative programs for uses of yard trash or of wood that is construction and demolition debris may qualify as a credit toward the waste reduction goal; requiring counties to provide a description of the progress made toward implementing a composting program; requiring certain large counties to enact ordinances that require all institutional, commercial, and industrial generators to establish programs for the separation of certain recyclable materials; encouraging all counties or municipalities to

enact such ordinances; encouraging counties or municipalities to ensure that solid waste programs are separate enterprises and that user fees are sufficient to completely support the program; encouraging counties or municipalities that provide solid waste collection services to charge fees based upon the volume or weight of solid waste that is collected from each user; providing one-time incentive grants to counties or municipalities; deleting obsolete provisions; amending s. 403.7065, F.S.; specifying when state agencies must use products with recycled content; amending the definition of the term "recycled content" to include steel and plastics; amending s. 403.707, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; revising permitting requirements for solid waste management facilities; revising exemptions; revising criteria for denying a permit; requiring an application for a solid waste management facility permit to contain certain affirmations that the proposed facility is in compliance with local zoning requirements and the local comprehensive plan; deleting an obsolete provision; amending s. 403.708, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; describing the triangle that must appear on certain plastic labels; exempting plastic casings for lead-acid batteries from certain labeling requirements; substituting the term "PETE" for "PET"; prohibiting the regulation of packaging under certain circumstances; amending s. 403.7084, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; amending s. 403.709, F.S.; providing for certain research and demonstration projects to be funded from the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund; amending s. 403.7095, F.S.; requiring the Department of Environmental Regulation to consider the progress made by the local government in meeting solid waste requirements when determining whether to continue, eliminate, or place conditions on certain grants to the local government; requiring a county or municipality to demonstrate on grant application how money will be used for recycling at both single-family and multifamily dwellings; requiring that certain information be contained in a grant application regarding the use of the private sector in recycling; revising criteria for grants to certain small counties; deleting obsolete provisions; amending s. 403.7125, F.S.; allowing certain revenues to be deposited into the appropriate solid waste fund of a local government under certain conditions; preserving certain obligations of a landfill owner or operator; amending s. 403.714, F.S.; deleting obsolete provisions; allowing the Legislature, state agencies, and the judicial branch to use proceeds from sale of recyclable materials in certain ways; requiring state agencies, and other persons in certain circumstances, to use compost products; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to report certain information regarding compost products; providing other duties of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending s. 403.717, F.S.; revising certain definitions relating to waste tires; requiring certain persons to maintain certain records; providing for fees; creating s. 403.7184, F.S.; providing certain requirements for consumers, manufacturers, and sellers of certain batteries; providing penalties; providing for the state to recover reasonable administrative expenses, court costs, and attorneys' fees incurred in an action to enforce this section; amending s. 403.719, F.S.; requiring an annual report on the uses of funds from waste-tire grant funds; deleting an obsolete provision; amending s. 403.7195, F.S.; increasing the product waste disposal fee on newsprint, and the credits against the fee, under certain conditions; providing for rescinding the fee under certain conditions; providing goals for minimum recycled fiber content for newsprint and allowing the department to adjust the goals; amending s. 403.727, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; amending s. 483.615, F.S.; redesignating biohazardous waste as biomedical waste; providing for use of the terms "biohazardous" and "biohazard" under certain circumstances; requiring hospitals to conduct a study and report to the Department of Environmental Regulation; repealing s. 403.7145, F.S., relating to the Capitol recycling demonstration area; repealing s. 403.7198, F.S., relating to container deposits; providing certain responsibilities for Keep Florida Beautiful, Inc.; repealing s. 403.708(10), F.S., relating to degradable plastic bags; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Transportation and Senator Meadows—

CS for SB 586—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; amending s. 316.008, F.S., relating to the "combat automobile theft" program; providing for use of a uniform decal approved by the Department of Law Enforcement; providing an effective date.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FIRST READING

The Honorable Ander Crenshaw, President

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed CS for HB 53 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

John B. Phelps, Clerk

By the Committee on Health Care and Representative Smith—

CS for HB 53—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disposition of dead bodies; amending s. 245.16, F.S.; providing exceptions to the application of ch. 245, F.S., regulating the disposition of dead bodies or parts thereof; providing an effective date.

(Substituted for **SB 72** on the Special Order Calendar this day.)

ROLL CALLS ON SENATE BILLS

SB 6

Yeas—37

Mr. President	Dudley	Jenne	Silver
Bankhead	Dyer	Jennings	Sullivan
Beard	Foley	Johnson	Thomas
Boczar	Forman	Jones	Turner
Brown-Waite	Grant	Kirkpatrick	Weinstein
Burt	Grogan	Kiser	Wexler
Casas	Gutman	Kurth	Williams
Childers	Harden	Meadows	
Crist	Hargrett	Scott	
Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf	Siegel	

Nays—None

SB 46

Yeas—37

Bankhead	Dudley	Jenne	Silver
Beard	Dyer	Jennings	Sullivan
Boczar	Foley	Johnson	Thomas
Brown-Waite	Forman	Jones	Turner
Burt	Grant	Kirkpatrick	Weinstein
Casas	Grogan	Kiser	Wexler
Childers	Gutman	Kurth	Williams
Crist	Harden	Meadows	
Dantzler	Hargrett	Scott	
Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf	Siegel	

Nays—None

SB 150

Yeas—38

Mr. President	Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf	Siegel
Bankhead	Dudley	Jenne	Silver
Beard	Dyer	Jennings	Sullivan
Boczar	Foley	Johnson	Thomas
Brown-Waite	Forman	Jones	Turner
Burt	Grant	Kirkpatrick	Weinstein
Casas	Grogan	Kiser	Wexler
Childers	Gutman	Kurth	Williams
Crist	Harden	Meadows	
Dantzler	Hargrett	Scott	

Nays—None

SB 154

Yeas—38

Mr. President	Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf
Bankhead	Dudley	Jenne
Beard	Dyer	Jennings
Boczar	Foley	Johnson
Brown-Waite	Forman	Jones
Burt	Grant	Kirkpatrick
Casas	Grogan	Kiser
Childers	Gutman	Kurth
Crist	Harden	Meadows
Dantzler	Hargrett	Scott

Nays—None

SB 170

Yeas—36

Mr. President	Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf
Bankhead	Dudley	Jenne
Beard	Dyer	Jennings
Boczar	Foley	Johnson
Brown-Waite	Grant	Jones
Casas	Grogan	Kirkpatrick
Childers	Gutman	Kiser
Crist	Harden	Kurth
Dantzler	Hargrett	Meadows

Nays—1

Forman

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Burt

Nay to Yea—Forman

CS for SB 204

Yeas—37

Mr. President	Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf	Siegel
Bankhead	Dudley	Jenne	Silver
Beard	Dyer	Jennings	Sullivan
Boczar	Foley	Johnson	Thomas
Brown-Waite	Forman	Jones	Turner
Burt	Grant	Kirkpatrick	Weinstein
Casas	Grogan	Kiser	Williams
Childers	Gutman	Kurth	
Crist	Harden	Meadows	
Dantzler	Hargrett	Scott	

Nays—None

SB 206

Yeas—36

Mr. President	Dantzler	Hargrett	Meadows
Bankhead	Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf	Scott
Beard	Dudley	Jenne	Siegel
Boczar	Dyer	Jennings	Silver
Brown-Waite	Foley	Johnson	Sullivan
Burt	Forman	Jones	Thomas
Casas	Grogan	Kirkpatrick	Turner
Childers	Gutman	Kiser	Weinstein
Crist	Harden	Kurth	Wexler

Nays—None

SB 222

Yeas—35

Mr. President	Diaz-Balart	Hargrett	Meadows
Bankhead	Dudley	Holzendorf	Scott
Beard	Dyer	Jenne	Silver
Boczar	Foley	Jennings	Sullivan
Brown-Waite	Forman	Johnson	Thomas
Casas	Grant	Jones	Turner
Childers	Grogan	Kirkpatrick	Weinstein
Crist	Gutman	Kiser	Williams
Dantzler	Harden	Kurth	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Burt, Siegel

CS for SB 224

Yeas—37

Mr. President	Dudley	Jenne	Silver
Bankhead	Dyer	Jennings	Sullivan
Beard	Foley	Johnson	Thomas
Boczar	Forman	Jones	Turner
Brown-Waite	Grant	Kirkpatrick	Weinstein
Casas	Grogan	Kiser	Wexler
Childers	Gutman	Kurth	Williams
Crist	Harden	Meadows	
Dantzler	Hargrett	Scott	
Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf	Siegel	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Burt

CS for SB 460

Yeas—37

Mr. President	Dudley	Jenne	Silver
Beard	Dyer	Jennings	Sullivan
Boczar	Foley	Johnson	Thomas
Brown-Waite	Forman	Jones	Turner
Burt	Grant	Kirkpatrick	Weinstein
Casas	Grogan	Kiser	Wexler
Childers	Gutman	Kurth	Williams
Crist	Harden	Meadows	
Dantzler	Hargrett	Scott	
Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf	Siegel	

Nays—None

ROLL CALLS ON HOUSE BILLS

CS for HB 53

Yeas—37

Mr. President	Dudley	Jenne	Silver
Bankhead	Dyer	Jennings	Sullivan
Beard	Foley	Johnson	Thomas
Boczar	Forman	Jones	Turner
Brown-Waite	Grant	Kirkpatrick	Weinstein
Burt	Grogan	Kiser	Wexler
Casas	Gutman	Kurth	Williams
Childers	Harden	Meadows	
Crist	Hargrett	Scott	
Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf	Siegel	

Nays—None

HCR 1337

Yeas—37

Mr. President	Diaz-Balart	Holzendorf	Siegel
Bankhead	Dudley	Jenne	Silver
Beard	Dyer	Jennings	Sullivan
Boczar	Foley	Johnson	Turner
Brown-Waite	Forman	Jones	Weinstein
Burt	Grant	Kirkpatrick	Wexler
Casas	Grogan	Kiser	Williams
Childers	Gutman	Kurth	
Crist	Harden	Meadows	
Dantzler	Hargrett	Scott	

Nays—None

VOTES RECORDED AFTER ROLL CALL

On motions by Senator Childers, by unanimous consent of the Senate, Senators Kirkpatrick and Scott were recorded as voting "yea" in the original roll call on **HCR 1337**.

On motions by Senator Jenne, by unanimous consent of the Senate, he was recorded as voting "yea" in the original roll call on **SB 6, SB 150, CS for SB 204, SB 206 and CS for HB 53**.

On motions by Senator Burt, by unanimous consent of the Senate, he was recorded as voting "yea" on **SB 170, SB 222 and CS for SB 224**.

On motion by Senator Forman, by unanimous consent of the Senate, he was recorded as changing his vote from "nay" to "yea" on **SB 170**.

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

The Journals of February 3, 8 and 11 were corrected and approved.

CO-SPONSORS

Senator Sullivan—SB 28, SB 360, SB 840; Senator Johnson—SB 82, SB 420, SB 480, SB 532; Senator Boczar—SB 94, SB 480; Senators Turner and Wexler—SB 94; Senator Dyer—SB 100, SB 242, SB 480, SB 816; Senator Forman—SB 262, SB 480, SB 526, SB 554; Senator Crist—SB 268, SB 496; Senator Kirkpatrick—CS for SB 288; Senator Diaz-Balart—SB 472, SB 480, SB 496; Senators Brown-Waite, Foley, Gutman, Siegel and Silver—SB 480; Senator Meadows—SB 496, SB 526, SB 1000; Senators Casas, Thomas and Williams—SB 496; Senator Grant—SB 496, SB 1040; Senator McKay—SB 496, SB 500; Senator Jenne—SB 526, SB 1018; Senator Myers—SB 1030

RECESS

On motion by Senator Jennings, the Senate recessed at 10:17 a.m. for the purpose of holding committee meetings and conducting other Senate business until 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 23.

SENATE PAGES

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