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CALL TO ORDER

The Senate was called to order by the President at 11:30 a.m. A quorum present—40:

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzler	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Thomas
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Turner
Cowin	Harris	McKay	Williams

Excused: Senator Thomas at 12:28 p.m.

PRAYER

The following prayer was offered by Senator John Grant:

Our Father, and not ours alone, but Father of all mankind, who art in heaven, help us in our works and deeds to honor your name. In the midst of a selfish world, may your kingdom come and may your will, not ours, be done here on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day and not to us alone, but to all who hunger through the sin of human greed, our daily bread. Forgive us where we have erred and strayed from your ways, as we forgive those who have transgressed against us.

As this session winds its way to closure, keep us from harm and temptation and protect us and our families from the evils and greed of the world. For yours is the world which you, by your mighty power, have made, and to you we give glory for our very existence and being.

Guide us, we pray, in our deliberations that we may have the wisdom of Solomon, the patience of Job and the courage of our own individual moral convictions, as we strive to do your will, nothing more, nothing less and nothing else. Amen.

PLEDGE

Senate Pages, Joseph Curtis Ketterer of Milton and Porsha Sanford of Tallahassee, led the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

MOTIONS RELATING TO COMMITTEE REFERENCE

On motion by Senator Kurth, by two-thirds vote **SB 124** and **SB 2144** were withdrawn from the committees of reference and further consideration.

On motion by Senator Williams, by two-thirds vote **SB 1816** was withdrawn from the committees of reference and further consideration.

On motion by Senator Sullivan, by two-thirds vote **CS for CS for SB 786**, **CS for SB 940**, **SB 1174**, **SB 1980** and **CS for SB 2004** were withdrawn from the Committee on Ways and Means.

MOTIONS

On motion by Senator Bankhead, a deadline of 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 8, was set for filing amendments to Bills on Third Reading to be considered Wednesday, April 9.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS ON THIRD READING

CS for SB 1002—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; amending s. 316.066, F.S.; deleting a penalty for failure to provide proof of insurance to a law enforcement officer under certain circumstances; amending s. 316.2065; providing that a violation is a pedestrian violation; amending s. 318.1451, F.S.; authorizing the clerks of the court to establish notification procedures in regards to DUI schools; amending s. 318.18, F.S.; providing a fine for pedestrian and bicycle violations; revising the date by which the clerks of the court must transmit required information; authorizing chief judges to set maximum court costs for civil traffic offenses; authorizing court costs for civil traffic offenses to be used to fund regional criminal justice assessment centers; amending s. 318.19, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to infractions requiring a mandatory hearing, to include a cross-reference; amending s. 319.24, F.S.; requiring motor vehicle dealers who purchase a motor vehicle to satisfy the outstanding lien within 10 days of purchase; requiring the lienholder to deliver the certificate of title indicating the lien satisfaction or notify the person satisfying the lien that the title is not available within 10 days of receipt of payment; creating ss. 319.40, 320.95, 322.70, 327.90, and 328.30, F.S.; authorizing the department to accept applications by electronic or telephonic means; amending s. 320.072, F.S.; providing an exemption to the additional fee imposed on certain motor vehicle registration transactions; creating s. 320.08048, F.S.; providing for sample license plates; providing a fee; amending s. 320.131, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to temporary tags; amending s. 321.24, F.S.; allowing an auxiliary of the Florida Highway Patrol to make arrests; amending s. 322.121, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 322.1615, F.S.; authorizing certain nighttime operation with respect to certain persons who have a learner's driver license; amending s. 322.32, F.S.; requiring certain knowledge for possession or display of certain invalid licenses to constitute a criminal violation; defining the term "knowledge"; providing for the use of other evidence to impute knowledge; providing for notification of certain cancellations, suspensions, or revocations of driving privileges; providing penalties; amending s. 322.34, F.S.; providing penalties for driving with certain invalid driver's licenses; defining the term "knowledge"; providing for the use of other evidence to impute knowledge; providing for notification of certain cancellations, suspensions, or revocations; providing penalties for habitual offenders; amending s. 328.16, F.S.; providing for the electronic transmission of certain lien information; amending 316.063, F.S.; providing maximum fine and term of imprisonment for damaging an unattended vehicle; amending s. 316.614, F.S., provides that the living quarters of

a recreational vehicle is not included in the definition of a motor vehicle; providing that children under the age of 16 must wear a safety belt; amending s. 316.640, F.S.; authorizing university police officers to enforce traffic laws on property adjacent to the university; amending s. 316.655, F.S., correcting a cross-reference; amending s. 318.14, F.S.; extending the timeframe for a person to show proof of insurance to 30 days; creating s. 320.091, F.S.; authorizing the issuance of speciality license plates to vehicles held in trust; amending s. 320.535, F.S.; exempting airport fuel trucks and equipment from the payment of license taxes and the display of license plates when transporting aviation fuel within the airport facility of any public use airport; authorizing the incidental operation of airport fuel tanks or equipment on roads of this state within the airport facility; amending s. 320.8232, F.S.; providing that used mobile homes may be moved as long as the mobile home meets federal safety codes which were in effect at the time the mobile home was constructed; providing that certain aesthetic and land use and zoning requirements are reserved for local jurisdiction; amending s. 322.38, F.S.; providing that persons who rent motor vehicles must fill the fuel tank before renting the vehicle; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

Senator Hargrett moved the following amendment which was adopted by two-thirds vote:

Amendment 1—On page 6, line 23, delete “*course*”, and insert: *courses*

Senator Ostalkiewicz moved the following amendment:

Amendment 2—On page 16, lines 17-19 and on page 24, lines 20-22, delete those lines and insert: *means.—In addition to any current authority, the department is authorized to accept any renewal application provided for under this chapter by electronic or telephonic means.*

Senator Ostalkiewicz moved the following substitute amendment which was adopted by two-thirds vote:

Amendment 3—On page 16, lines 17-19 and on page 24, lines 26-28, delete those lines and insert: *means.—In addition to any current authority, the department is authorized to accept any renewal application provided for under this chapter by electronic or telephonic means.*

Senator Silver moved the following amendment which was adopted by two-thirds vote:

Amendment 4—On page 18, line 18 and on page 20, line 18, after the semicolon (;) insert: *or*

Senator Ostalkiewicz moved the following amendment:

Amendment 5 (with title amendment)—On page 25, lines 16-21, delete those lines and renumber subsequent sections.

And the title is amended as follows:

On page 1, line 31, delete “327.90, and 328.30” and insert: *and 327.90*

Senator Ostalkiewicz moved the following substitute amendment which was adopted by two-thirds vote:

Amendment 6 (with title amendment)—On page 11, lines 4-9 and on page 25, lines 16-21, delete those lines and renumber subsequent sections.

And the title is amended as follows:

On page 1, delete line 31 and insert: *320.95, 322.70, and 327.90,*

Senator Ostalkiewicz moved the following amendment which failed to receive the required two-thirds vote:

Amendment 7 (with title amendment)—On page 26, line 16 through page 27, line 14, delete those lines and renumber subsequent sections.

And the title is amended as follows:

On page 3, lines 5-10, delete those lines and insert: *damaging an unattended vehicle; amending s. 316.640,*

Senator Hargrett moved the following amendment which was adopted by two-thirds vote:

Amendment 8 (with title amendment)—On page 27, line 15 through page 29, line 10, delete section 24 and renumber subsequent sections.

And the title is amended as follows:

On page 3, lines 10-13, delete those lines and insert: *must wear a safety belt; amending s. 316.655, F.S.,*

On motions by Senator Hargrett, **CS for SB 1002** as amended was passed, ordered engrossed and then by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Myers
Bankhead	Dantzer	Horne	Ostalkiewicz
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jones	Rossin
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Burt	Dyer	Klein	Silver
Campbell	Forman	Kurth	Sullivan
Casas	Grant	Latvala	Thomas
Childers	Gutman	Lee	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	McKay	Williams
Cowin	Harris	Meadows	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Jenne

SB 98—A bill to be entitled An act relating to outdoor advertising; amending s. 479.16, F.S.; allowing certain unpermitted signs in rural areas; prohibiting the implementation of this provision in certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

Senator Bankhead moved the following amendment which was adopted by two-thirds vote:

Amendment 1 (with title amendment)—On page 1, line 25, after “*this subsection*” insert: *does not apply to charter counties and*

And the title is amended as follows:

On page 1, line 4, after the semicolon (;) insert: *providing exceptions;*

On motions by Senator Williams, **SB 98** as amended was passed, ordered engrossed and then by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Myers
Bankhead	Dantzer	Horne	Ostalkiewicz
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jones	Rossin
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Burt	Dyer	Klein	Silver
Campbell	Forman	Kurth	Sullivan
Casas	Grant	Latvala	Thomas
Childers	Gutman	Lee	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	McKay	Williams
Cowin	Harris	Meadows	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Jenne

CS for SB 442—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating a pilot project to promote school readiness for preschool chil-

drin; requiring a report; authorizing the use of certain funds; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Turner, **CS for SB 442** as amended was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Crist	Holzen Dorf	Myers
Bankhead	Dant zler	Horne	Ostalkiewicz
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jones	Rossin
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Burt	Dyer	Klein	Silver
Campbell	Forman	Kurth	Sullivan
Casas	Grant	Latvala	Thomas
Childers	Gutman	Lee	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	McKay	Williams
Cowin	Harris	Meadows	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Jenne

CS for CS for SB's 566 and 626—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the WAGES Program; amending s. 414.0252, F.S.; revising definitions; conforming terminology to reflect the reorganization of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services and the creation of the Department of Children and Family Services; amending s. 414.026, F.S.; revising membership of the WAGES Program State Board of Directors; providing immunity from liability for board members, agents, and employees; deleting obsolete provisions; amending s. 414.027, F.S., relating to the WAGES Program statewide implementation plan; conforming terminology to reflect the redesignation of the Enterprise Florida Jobs and Education Partnership as the workforce development board; amending s. 414.028, F.S., relating to local WAGES coalitions; deleting a provision that allowed a member of a local coalition to benefit financially from transactions of the coalition under certain circumstances; requiring the local coalition to select an entity to administer the program and financial plan; prescribing grounds for removal of local coalition members; providing additional duties for the local WAGES coalitions with respect to improving the process for establishing paternity for noncustodial parents and providing work activities for noncustodial parents; providing immunity from liability for coalition members, agents, and employees; amending s. 414.029, F.S.; specifying certain tax exemptions allowed to a business that provides jobs for program participants; amending s. 414.065, F.S., relating to work requirements; clarifying duties of the Department of Children and Family Services and the Department of Labor and Employment Security with respect to program implementation; specifying the age limit for qualifying to receive continuing support through a protective payee in circumstances involving a family member's repeated noncompliance with work requirements of the act; deleting obsolete provisions for implementing the program if the Federal Government failed to enact welfare-reform legislation; amending ss. 414.075, 414.085, 414.095, F.S., relating to resource and income eligibility standards and the determination of eligibility; clarifying certain requirements under which a person is eligible to participate in the WAGES Program; amending s. 414.105, F.S., relating to time limitations for receiving temporary cash assistance under the WAGES Program; deleting a future repeal of such provisions; amending s. 414.115, F.S.; clarifying circumstances under which assistance is limited if additional children are born to a family that receives temporary cash assistance; amending s. 414.122, F.S.; revising procedures for the department in withholding payments based on evidence of fraud; amending s. 414.125, F.S.; providing for sanctions to be imposed if a participant fails to attend a conference with a school official as required under the Learnfare Program; amending s. 414.15, F.S., relating to diversion assistance; clarifying provisions for determining eligibility; amending s. 414.16, F.S., relating to emergency assistance; correcting a cross-reference; amending s. 414.175, F.S., relating to the review of waivers granted by the Federal Government; clarifying provisions; amending s. 414.20, F.S.; clarifying the duties of the Department of Labor and Employment Security with respect to support services provided under the WAGES Program;

amending ss. 414.21, 414.22, 414.23, 414.24, F.S., relating to transitional benefits, evaluations, and the integrated delivery of services; clarifying the duties of the Department of Labor and Employment Security; amending s. 414.25, F.S., relating to an exemption from requirements for leasing real property; correcting provisions to reflect the creation of the Department of Children and Family Services; amending s. 414.27, F.S.; clarifying provisions for paying temporary cash assistance upon the death of the recipient; amending s. 414.28, F.S.; clarifying procedures for making a claim against the estate of a recipient of public assistance; amending s. 414.29, F.S.; providing that lists of persons who have received temporary cash assistance are a public record; amending s. 414.32, F.S.; clarifying provisions under which a person's food stamp allotment is reduced or terminated; amending s. 414.35, F.S., relating to emergency relief; clarifying provisions; amending s. 414.36, F.S.; clarifying requirements for the Department of Children and Family Services with respect to recovering overpayments of public assistance; amending s. 414.38, F.S.; clarifying duties of the department with respect to a pilot work experience and job training program for noncustodial parents; amending ss. 414.39, 414.40, F.S., relating to penalties for fraudulently obtaining public assistance and the Stop Inmate Fraud Program; revising provisions to reflect changes in terminology and the transfer of responsibility for persons receiving temporary cash assistance to the Department of Children and Family Services; amending s. 414.41, F.S., relating to the recovery of payments; requiring the Department of Children and Family Services to initiate an administrative disqualification hearing in certain instances; providing for a disqualification period; clarifying duties of the Agency for Health Care Administration with respect to collecting overpayments of Medicaid funds; amending s. 414.42, F.S.; revising provisions to reflect the responsibilities of the Department of Children and Family Services with respect to public assistance programs; amending ss. 414.44, 414.45, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Labor and Employment Security to collect data, make reports required under federal law, and adopt rules; amending s. 414.55, F.S.; requiring that the Governor take certain actions with respect to implementing a community work program; providing requirements for determining eligibility for individuals assigned to an ongoing evaluation; providing for the evaluation agreement to continue regardless of federal waivers; amending s. 402.313, F.S.; providing requirements for standards established for family day care homes that provide subsidized child care; amending s. 409.2554, F.S.; redefining the term "public assistance" to conform; repealing s. 112 of ch. 96-175, Laws of Florida, that provides that certain authorized positions and funds may be transferred by the Executive Office of the Governor; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Rossin, **CS for CS for SB's 566 and 626** as amended was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Crist	Holzen Dorf	Myers
Bankhead	Dant zler	Horne	Ostalkiewicz
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jones	Rossin
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Burt	Dyer	Klein	Silver
Campbell	Forman	Kurth	Sullivan
Casas	Grant	Latvala	Thomas
Childers	Gutman	Lee	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	McKay	Williams
Cowin	Harris	Meadows	

Nays—None

CS for SB's 780, 520 and 692—A bill to be entitled An act relating to economic development; creating ss. 212.097, 212.098, F.S.; creating the Rural Job Tax Credit Program and the Urban High-Crime Area Job Tax Credit Program; amending ss. 220.02, 220.13, F.S.; conforming provisions; creating s. 220.189, F.S.; allowing credit for the Rural Job Tax Credit Program and the Urban High-Crime Area Job Tax Credit Program; providing for a review of the programs; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Holzen Dorf, **CS for SB's 780, 520 and 692** as amended was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Dantzer	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Thomas
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Turner
Cowin	Harris	McKay	Williams
Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Bankhead

CS for SB 1756—A bill to be entitled An act relating to economic development; amending s. 216.292, F.S.; authorizing an agency selling a building to accept the construction of a replacement building totally or partially in lieu of cash; amending s. 288.047, F.S.; proscribing certain uses of funds for the Quick-Response Training Program; authorizing Enterprise Florida, Inc., to establish a pilot matching grant program for the provision of job-training grants; requiring Enterprise Florida, Inc., to establish guidelines for the program; limiting the use of grant funds; requiring a grant agreement and a report on program results; specifying that the same proposal may not provide the basis for the award of training under this pilot training program and the Quick Response Training Program; amending s. 288.063, F.S.; proscribing certain uses of funds for contracts for economic development transportation projects; amending s. 288.1045, F.S.; providing for the qualified defense contractor tax refund program to be administered by the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development within the Executive Office of the Governor; revising the definition of an applicant under such program; deleting a time requirement to sign agreements; providing for a prorated tax refund with penalty if jobs are less than projected; proscribing certain uses of funds for such program; correcting a statutory reference; amending s. 288.106, F.S.; proscribing certain uses of funds for the tax refund program for qualified target industry businesses; amending s. 288.9015, F.S.; providing for the responsibilities of Enterprise Florida, Inc., with respect to workforce development to include participants in the WAGES Program; specifying that Enterprise Florida shall provide leadership in job creation, including jobs for residents who are economically disadvantaged or who are participants in the WAGES Program or otherwise receive public assistance; requiring Enterprise Florida, Inc., to prepare a guide and checklist for starting and operating a business in Florida; requiring Enterprise Florida, Inc., to develop and maintain certain records on regulatory requirements; amending s. 288.903, F.S.; providing additional requirements for the annual report of Enterprise Florida, Inc.; amending s. 288.905, F.S.; revising requirements for the strategic plan prepared by Enterprise Florida, Inc.; providing for modifications and updates to the strategic plan; providing for the submission of recommendations on development of certain business sectors; amending s. 288.9614, F.S.; authorizing the capital development board of Enterprise Florida, Inc., to take actions for the development of microenterprises; amending s. 288.9620, F.S.; requiring the Enterprise Florida, Inc., workforce development board to include participants in the WAGES Program within populations selected for resources, guidance, or services; amending s. 290.0411, F.S.; revising the legislative intent for the Florida Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Program Act to include pledging public money to guarantee loans; amending s. 290.044, F.S.; expanding administration of the Florida Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Program Fund to include loan guarantees; conforming provisions; creating s. 290.0455, F.S.; creating the Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Loan Guarantee Program; providing for the purpose, administration, and conditions of the program; authorizing the Department of Community Affairs to pledge revenues from the community development block grant program in order to guarantee certain loans; amending s. 290.047, F.S.; exempting the loan guarantee program authorized under s. 290.0455, F.S., from certain grant ceiling requirements; providing for grant ceilings under the Community Development Block Grant Program to be reduced based on defaults on guaranteed loans; amending s. 290.048, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Community Affairs to pledge community development block grant revenues to guarantee certain notes or obligations;

amending s. 380.06, F.S.; requiring local government comprehensive plan amendments related to a proposed development of regional impact to be considered concurrently with the application for development approval; amending s. 455.213, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to appoint the county tax collector as an agent of the department for purposes of accepting applications for licenses or renewals of licenses; amending s. 455.2141, F.S.; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to appoint the county tax collector as an agent of the agency for purposes of accepting applications for licenses or renewals of licenses; authorizing the Department of State to appoint the county tax collector as an agent of the department for purposes of accepting applications for licenses or similar registrations, or renewals of licenses or similar registrations; authorizing the Department of Labor and Employment Security to appoint the county tax collector as an agent of the department for purposes of accepting applications for licenses or similar registrations, or renewals of licenses or similar registrations; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

Senator Harris moved the following amendment which was adopted by two-thirds vote:

Amendment 1 (with title amendment)—On page 5, lines 1-12, delete those lines and insert:

Section 1. Section 337.023, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

337.023 Sale of building; acceptance of replacement building.—Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 216.292(4)(b), if the department sells a building, the department may accept the construction of a replacement building, in response to a request for proposals, totally or partially in lieu of cash, and may do so without a specific legislative appropriation. Such action is subject to the approval of the Executive Office of the Governor, and is subject to the notice, review, and objection procedures under s. 216.177. The replacement building shall be consistent with the current and projected needs of the department as agreed upon by the department and the Department of Management Services.

And the title is amended as follows:

On page 1, lines 3-6, delete those lines and insert: creating s. 337.023, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation, when selling a building, to accept the construction of a replacement building totally or partially in lieu of cash; providing for review and approval of such action; amending s.

On motions by Senator Harris, **CS for SB 1756** as amended was passed, ordered engrossed and then by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Madam President	Crist	Horne	Ostalkiewicz
Bankhead	Dantzer	Jones	Rossin
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Klein	Silver
Burt	Dyer	Kurth	Sullivan
Campbell	Forman	Latvala	Thomas
Casas	Grant	Lee	Turner
Childers	Gutman	McKay	Williams
Clary	Harris	Meadows	
Cowin	Holzendorf	Myers	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Hargrett, Jenne

Consideration of **SB 854** was deferred.

CS for CS for SB 1154—A bill to be entitled An act relating to growth management; amending s. 380.06, F.S.; revising statewide guidelines and standards and substantial deviations for developments of regional impact; amending s. 403.973, F.S.; providing for an expedited permitting

process for economic development projects and comprehensive plan amendments; providing effective dates.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Williams, **CS for CS for SB 1154** as amended was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzer	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Thomas
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Turner
Cowin	Harris	McKay	Williams

Nays—None

CS for CS for SB's 1306 and 1934—A bill to be entitled An act relating to brownfields redevelopment; creating s. 376.77, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 376.78, F.S.; providing legislative intent; creating s. 376.79, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 376.80, F.S.; providing for a brownfield program administration process; creating s. 376.81, F.S.; providing for brownfield site contamination cleanup criteria; creating s. 376.82, F.S.; providing for eligibility criteria and liability protection; creating s. 376.83, F.S.; providing penalties; providing for pilot projects; providing appropriations; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to report annually to the Legislature; providing an exception to deadline for receipt of reimbursement applications received pursuant to s. 376.3071, F.S.; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Latvala, **CS for CS for SB's 1306 and 1934** as amended was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzer	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Thomas
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Turner
Cowin	Harris	McKay	Williams

Nays—None

SB 702—A bill to be entitled An act relating to advisory bodies and other governmental entities; amending s. 20.13, F.S.; deleting a reference to a Bureau of Insurance Systems in the Department of Insurance; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 14.30, F.S.; transferring the Commission on Government Accountability to the People from the Executive Office of the Governor to the Department of Management Services; transferring commission powers, duties, rules, appropriations, and personnel; amending s. 14.203, F.S., relating to the State Council on Competitive Government; correcting a cross-reference; amending s. 27.36, F.S., to conform to the abolition of the Council on Organized Crime; amending s. 228.0875, F.S.; terminating the Governor's Summer Colleges Council; amending s. 230.71, F.S.; terminating the Intergenerational School Volunteer Advisory Board; amending s. 239.505, F.S.; terminating the Advisory Board on Constructive Youth Programs; repealing ss. 288.971, 288.972, 288.973, 288.974, 288.975, 288.976, 288.977, 288.980, F.S., to terminate the Florida Defense Conversion and Transition Commission and its related duties; amending s. 408.033, F.S., relating to local and state health planning; terminating the Statewide Health

Council; amending ss. 186.022, 186.508, 240.5121, 395.604, 408.038, 408.039, 408.0455, F.S., and repealing ss. 186.003(9), 186.503(9), relating to definitions of the council, to conform; repealing chapter 30280, Laws of Florida, 1955, as amended, to terminate the Clay County Hospital District and the Clay County Hospital Authority; repealing chapter 57-700, Laws of Florida, as amended, to terminate the Suwanee River Authority; repealing chapter 59-1939, Laws of Florida, as amended, to terminate the Union County Development Authority; repealing chapter 67-2027, Laws of Florida, to terminate the Santa Rosa County Airport and Industrial Authority; repealing chapter 71-926, Laws of Florida, to terminate the Sumter County Hospital Authority; repealing s. 79, ch. 90-201, Laws of Florida, to terminate the International Language Institute Advisory Council; repealing s. 1, ch. 90-232, Laws of Florida, to terminate the Task Force on County Contributions to Medicaid; repealing proviso language in s. 1, ch. 91-193, Laws of Florida, to terminate the Commission on Long-Term Care; repealing s. 63, ch. 93-164, Laws of Florida, to terminate the Commission to Study the Safety and Security of Railroad-Highway Grade Crossings; repealing ss. 23, 24, ch. 94-292, Laws of Florida, to terminate the Florida Education Facilities Study Committee; repealing proviso language in s. 1A, ch. 94-357, Laws of Florida, to terminate the Task Force on Productivity Enhancement; providing effective dates.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Williams, **SB 702** as amended was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—40

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzer	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Thomas
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Turner
Cowin	Harris	McKay	Williams

Nays—None

HB 399—A bill to be entitled An act relating to coordinated business reporting; providing legislative findings and intent; creating the "Florida Business Coordination Act"; providing definitions; requiring the Department of State to create a master business index for certain purposes; designating the Secretary of State as the custodian of the index; providing duties of the department; requiring the Secretary of State to conduct a study and develop legislation for certain purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Dudley, **HB 399** was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzer	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Williams
Cowin	Harris	McKay	

Nays—None

HB 253—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax administration; amending s. 197.222, F.S.; providing that the tax collector may

accept a late payment of the first installment of ad valorem taxes prepaid by the installment method; providing a penalty; providing for distribution of penalty revenue; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Holzendorf, **HB 253** was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzler	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Williams
Cowin	Harris	McKay	

Nays—None

HB 599—A bill to be entitled An act relating to private activity bonds; amending s. 159.804, F.S.; deleting an expiration and legislative review provision; amending s. 159.8081, F.S.; increasing a threshold percentage for certain allocations from the manufacturing facility bond pool; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Harris, **HB 599** was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzler	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Williams
Cowin	Harris	McKay	

Nays—None

CS for SB 1486—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Lake Apopka restoration; amending s. 373.461, F.S.; providing that interim phosphorus abatement measures apply unless certain conditions are met; providing that construction of certain stormwater facilities will be necessary unless certain conditions are met; providing for cost-sharing for the cost of certain facilities; limiting the price for acquisition of certain lands; providing for the deposit of proceeds from the sale of tangible personal property and for the use of such funds; providing for the establishment of Northwest Orange County Redevelopment Advisory Committee to develop a redevelopment plan for the impacted area; creating s. 290.0067, F.S.; providing for enterprise zone designation for certain communities impacted by Lake Apopka land acquisition; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Dyer, **CS for SB 1486** as amended was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Burt	Clary	Diaz-Balart
Bankhead	Campbell	Cowin	Dudley
Bronson	Casas	Crist	Dyer
Brown-Waite	Childers	Dantzler	Forman

Grant	Jenne	Lee	Scott
Gutman	Jones	McKay	Silver
Hargrett	Kirkpatrick	Meadows	Sullivan
Harris	Klein	Myers	Turner
Holzendorf	Kurth	Ostalkiewicz	Williams
Horne	Latvala	Rossin	

Nays—None

CS for SB 550—A bill to be entitled An act relating to oil and gas drilling; amending s. 377.2425, F.S.; revising surety requirements for drilling permittees; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Latvala, **CS for SB 550** as amended was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzler	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Williams
Cowin	Harris	McKay	

Nays—None

SB 292—A bill to be entitled An act relating to artificial reefs; amending s. 370.25, F.S.; providing requirements with respect to the artificial reef program within the Department of Environmental Protection; directing the department to establish criteria for determining eligibility of nonprofit organizations to apply for and receive available reef development funds; establishing an office to act as a coordinating authority for artificial reef construction; providing that certain acts are unlawful; providing penalties; providing for disposal of certain materials; providing that certain persons are deemed responsible for violations; providing for administrative fines; providing an effective date.

—as amended April 3 was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Klein, **SB 292** as amended was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzler	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Williams
Cowin	Harris	McKay	

Nays—None

SB 1430—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water resources; amending s. 373.083, F.S.; providing authority for the water management districts to accept funds for the planning and implementation of district undertakings and delegations; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Dyer, **SB 1430** was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzer	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Ostalkiewicz
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Rossin
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Scott
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Williams
Cowin	Harris	McKay	

Nays—None

CS for HB 229—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Vessel Registration and Safety Law; amending s. 327.25, F.S.; providing an exemption from annual vessel registration fees for vessels owned and operated by the Safe Harbor Haven, Inc.; amending s. 327.52, F.S.; revising language with respect to maximum loading and horsepower requirements for specified vessels and prohibiting the operation of vessels in an overloaded or overpowered condition; amending s. 327.73, F.S.; creating a noncriminal infraction for overloaded and overpowered vessels; providing effective dates.

—was read the third time by title.

On motions by Senator Holzendorf, **CS for HB 229** was passed and by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Madam President	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bankhead	Dantzer	Horne	Myers
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Jenne	Rossin
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Scott
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Silver
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Sullivan
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Turner
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Williams
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	
Cowin	Harris	McKay	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Ostalkiewicz

SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR

On motion by Senator Klein, by two-thirds vote **HB 115** was withdrawn from the Committees on Community Affairs; and Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Klein—

HB 115—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans; amending s. 295.17, F.S.; eliminating the requirement of renewing identification cards; eliminating a service charge; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **SB 820** and read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **HB 115** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Williams, by two-thirds vote **HB 285** was withdrawn from the Committees on Commerce and Economic Opportunities; and Ways and Means.

On motions by Senator Williams, by two-thirds vote—

HB 285—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulation of trade and commerce; repealing s. 559.04, F.S., relating to requirements of trading

stamp companies prior to distribution of trading stamps; repealing s. 559.05, F.S., relating to required notice of intention to suspend or cease redemption of trading stamps; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **SB 222** and by two-thirds vote read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **HB 285** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Dantzer—

SB 1086—A bill to be entitled An act relating to armories; amending s. 250.40, F.S.; providing for the disposition of money received from the rental of billeting operations at Camp Blanding Training Site; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **SB 1086** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Horne, by two-thirds vote **CS for HB 443** was withdrawn from the Committee on Regulated Industries.

On motions by Senator Horne, by two-thirds vote—

CS for HB 443—A bill to be entitled An act relating to firesafety; amending s. 633.511, F.S.; providing for the State Fire Marshal rather than the Governor to appoint members to the Florida Fire Safety Board; amending s. 633.537, F.S.; revising continuing education requirements with respect to certificates issued by the State Fire Marshal to certain contractors; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for **CS for SB 1310** and by two-thirds vote read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for HB 443** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Lee—

CS for SB 1238—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle license plates; amending s. 316.515, F.S.; changing exemptions from maximum width, height, and length requirements for wreckers; amending s. 316.550, F.S.; providing special-use permits for wreckers; amending s. 320.01, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 320.06, F.S.; requiring the word “wrecker” to be printed on certain license plates; amending s. 320.08, F.S.; revising license tax requirements for wreckers; creating s. 320.0821, F.S.; providing requirements for wrecker license plates; amending s. 206.877, F.S., to conform a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Senator Lee moved the following amendments which were adopted:

Amendment 1—On page 3, lines 3 and 9, delete “department” and insert: *Department of Transportation*

Amendment 2—On page 11, lines 5 and 6, delete those lines and insert:

Section 8. This act shall take effect October 1, 1997.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for SB 1238** as amended was ordered engrossed and then placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Harris—

CS for SB 300—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Comptroller; amending s. 17.20, F.S.; authorizing the deduction of certain fees and expenses from property that has not been claimed and is reportable to the department; amending s. 17.325, F.S.; revising language with

respect to governmental efficiency hotlines; revising requirements with respect to "Get Lean" telephone calls; providing for certain confidentiality; amending s. 687.143, F.S.; requiring the Department of Banking and Finance to deposit certain fines in the Division of Financial Investigations Administrative Trust Fund; amending s. 939.01, F.S.; providing for certain investigative costs to be entered in a judgment; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

The Committee on Governmental Reform and Oversight recommended the following amendment which was moved by Senator Harris and adopted:

Amendment 1 (with title amendment)—On page 2, line 23, after the period (.) insert: *The department shall annually report to the Governor, President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives the total amount collected or recovered by each contractor during the previous fiscal year and the total fees and expenses deducted by each contractor.*

And the title is amended as follows:

On page 1, delete line 6 and insert: department; providing a report; amending s. 17.325, F.S.; revising

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for SB 300** as amended was ordered engrossed and then placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Harris—

SB 1498—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Museum of Florida History programs; amending s. 267.072, F.S.; requiring the Division of Historical Resources of the Department of State to establish and administer a program to recognize and record achievements of certain Floridians; providing criteria; providing requirements; providing for nominations and selection; authorizing the division to undertake certain recording and marketing activities; authorizing the division to collect a charge for providing certain materials; providing for deposit of such charges; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

The Committee on Governmental Reform and Oversight recommended the following amendment which was moved by Senator Harris and adopted:

Amendment 1—On page 3, line 14, delete "*designated*" and insert: *nominated*

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **SB 1498** as amended was ordered engrossed and then placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Bronson, the rules were waived and the Senate reverted to—

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS ON THIRD READING

SB 854—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state lands; amending s. 253.68, F.S.; deleting a requirement that precludes the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund from granting a lease for aquaculture activities in areas objected to by resolution of the county commission; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

Senators Bronson, Kurth, Dudley and Rossin offered the following amendment which was moved by Senator Bronson and adopted by two-thirds vote:

Amendment 1 (with title amendment)—On page 1, lines 23-30, delete those lines and insert: either commercial or experimental purposes. However no lease shall be granted by the board when there is filed with it a resolution of objection adopted by a majority of the county commission of a county within whose boundaries, if the same were extended to the extent of the interest of the state, the proposed leased area

would lie ~~may~~. ~~Said resolution shall~~ be filed with the board of trustees within 30 days of the date of the first publication of notice as required by s. 253.70.

And the title is amended as follows:

On page 1, line 3, delete "deleting" and insert: modifying

On motions by Senator Bronson, **SB 854** as amended was passed, ordered engrossed and then by two-thirds vote immediately certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—36

Madam President	Cowin	Harris	McKay
Bankhead	Crist	Holzendorf	Meadows
Bronson	Diaz-Balart	Horne	Myers
Brown-Waite	Dudley	Jones	Ostalkiewicz
Burt	Dyer	Kirkpatrick	Rossin
Campbell	Forman	Klein	Silver
Casas	Grant	Kurth	Sullivan
Childers	Gutman	Latvala	Turner
Clary	Hargrett	Lee	Williams

Nays—1

Dantzler

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends the following pass: SB 960 with 1 amendment

The bill was placed on the calendar.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 930

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Children, Families and Seniors under the original reference.

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 336

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 722

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1970

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 Care recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 2142

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 806

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

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1234

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

The Committee on Judiciary recommends committee substitutes for the following: CS for SB 248, SB 650, SB 914

The Committee on Natural Resources recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1094

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 954

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

The Committee on Judiciary recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 652, Senate Bills 818, 1136 and 1242

The Committee on Natural Resources recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 582, SB 584

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

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

FIRST READING

Senate Resolutions 2440 and 2442—Not referenced.

By Senator Forman—

SB 2444—A bill to be entitled An act relating to confidentiality of provisions relating to health quality assurance; providing exemptions from s. 119.07(1), F.S., and s. 24(a), Art. I of the State Constitution for any notification of an adverse incident which is made to the Agency for Health Care Administration by a hospital or ambulatory surgical center, and for the results of background screening of direct care employees of assisted living facilities and of adult day care centers; providing the public necessity justifying these exemptions; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care; and Governmental Reform and Oversight.

By Senator Jenne—

SB 2446—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; amending s. 20.315, F.S.; deleting a requirement that the Florida Corrections Commission review proposed changes to the statewide sentencing guidelines; amending s. 39.0581, F.S.; providing for the criteria under which a juvenile is committed to a maximum-risk residential program to be based on specified offenses rather than on the ranking of the offense under the sentencing guidelines; amending s. 775.0823, F.S.; providing for a person convicted of certain violent offenses against a law enforcement officer, correctional officer, state attorney, assistant state attorney, justice, or judge to be sentenced under certain uniform penalties rather than under the sentencing guidelines; amending s. 775.084, F.S.; deleting a requirement that the courts submit reports to the Sentencing Commission; deleting a reference made obsolete by the act; amending ss. 775.0845, 775.087, 775.0875, F.S., relating to wearing a mask while committing an offense, possessing a weapon while committing a felony, and taking a law enforcement officer's firearm; deleting requirements that such offenses be ranked under the sentencing guidelines; amending s. 777.03, F.S., relating to the offense of being an accessory to a crime; providing for uniform penalties for such offense; amending s. 777.04, F.S.; requiring that a person convicted of criminal attempt, criminal solicitation, or criminal conspiracy be sentenced under certain uniform penalties rather than under the sentencing guidelines; amending s. 782.051, F.S.; deleting requirements that certain offenses that result in

bodily injury be ranked under the sentencing guidelines; amending s. 784.08, F.S.; deleting a requirement that a person convicted of assault and battery against an elderly person be sentenced under the sentencing guidelines; authorizing the court to impose a term of imprisonment and a fine; amending ss. 794.023, 874.04, F.S., relating to sexual battery by multiple perpetrators and to criminal street-gang activity; deleting requirements that such offenses be ranked under the sentencing guidelines; amending s. 893.13, F.S., relating to the offense of selling, manufacturing, or possessing certain controlled substances; deleting provisions made obsolete by the act; amending s. 893.135, F.S.; deleting a requirement that a person convicted of certain drug-trafficking offenses be sentenced under the sentencing guidelines; providing that the court may impose a term of imprisonment and a fine; amending s. 893.20, F.S.; requiring that a person convicted of engaging in a continuing criminal enterprise be sentenced under certain uniform penalties rather than under the sentencing guidelines; amending s. 921.187, F.S., relating to disposition and sentencing; deleting provisions made obsolete by the act; amending s. 921.188, F.S.; revising conditions formerly based on the sentencing guidelines under which a felon may be placed into the custody of a local detention facility; amending ss. 924.06, 924.07, F.S., relating to appeals; deleting a reference to the sentencing guidelines to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 944.17, F.S.; deleting a requirement that the sentencing guidelines scoresheet for a prisoner be submitted to the Department of Corrections; amending ss. 947.141, 947.168, F.S., relating to violations of conditional release or control release and parole eligibility; deleting provisions made obsolete by the act; amending s. 948.015, F.S.; revising conditions under which the court may request that the department make a presentence report; amending s. 948.034, F.S., relating to terms and conditions of probation; deleting references to the sentencing guidelines to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 948.51, F.S.; revising requirements for a county or county consortium in developing a public safety plan; amending s. 958.04, F.S.; providing that the sentencing limitations provided under certain uniform penalties, rather than the limitations provided under the sentencing guidelines, apply to a youthful offender; repealing ss. 921.0001, 921.001, 921.0011, 921.0012, 921.0013, 921.0014, 921.0015, 921.0016, F.S., relating to legislative intent, the Sentencing Commission, sentencing guidelines offense levels, the ranking of offenses not listed in the sentencing guidelines, sentencing guidelines scoresheets, adoption of the sentencing guidelines, and departures from the sentencing guidelines; amending s. 947.16, F.S.; providing that a person sentenced for an offense committed on or after a specified date is eligible for parole consideration after serving 85 percent of his court-imposed sentence; providing that the Legislature intends the Florida Supreme Court to review the sentencing practices of circuit judges; providing that the Legislature intends that the Florida Supreme Court submit a report of the review to the Legislature; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; and Ways and Means.

By Senator Childers—

SB 2448—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the practice of social work; separating the regulation of social work from the regulation of marriage and family therapy and mental health counseling; amending ss. 491.002, 491.003, 491.004, 491.005, 491.006, 491.007, 491.008, 491.0085, 491.009, 491.0111, 491.0112, 491.012, 491.014, 491.0141, 491.0143, 491.0147, 491.0148, 491.0149, F.S., relating to marriage and family therapy and mental health counseling; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; redesignating the Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy, and Mental Health Counseling as the Board of Marriage and Family Therapy and Mental Health Counseling; providing for licensure by examination; providing for licensure or certification by endorsement; providing for continuing education; providing for discipline; defining and prohibiting sexual misconduct; providing exemptions; providing penalties; providing for injunctions; providing requirements for practicing hypnosis; providing requirements for practicing sex therapy; providing for confidentiality and privileged communications; providing requirements for the maintenance and transfer of records; providing for the display of professional licenses and for the use of professional titles on promotional materials; creating ss. 491.101, 491.102, 491.103, 491.104, 491.105, 491.106, 491.107, 491.108, 491.1085, 491.109, 491.111, 491.112, 491.113, 491.114, 491.115, 491.116, 491.117, 491.118, 491.1185, 491.119, 491.121, F.S., relating to the practice of social work; providing legislative

intent; providing definitions; creating the Board of Social Work Practice; providing for licensure by examination; providing for licensure or certification by endorsement; providing for renewal of a license or certificate; providing for inactive licensure status and for the expiration and reactivation of licenses; providing for continuing education; providing for discipline; defining and prohibiting sexual misconduct; providing violations; providing penalties; providing for injunctions; providing exemptions; providing for the practice of hypnosis; providing for the practice of sex therapy; providing for designation as a licensed clinical social worker, as a licensed master social worker, and as a licensed bachelor social worker; providing for confidentiality and privileged communications; providing for the maintenance and transfer of records; providing for the display of professional licenses and the use of professional titles on promotional materials; providing for reciprocity; repealing ss. 491.0145, 491.015, F.S., relating to certified master social workers and the Department of Business and Professional Regulation's duties toward such social workers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care; Governmental Reform and Oversight; and Ways and Means.

By Senator Clary—

SB 2450—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of professions; requiring the Legislature to adopt additional regulations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Governmental Reform and Oversight; and Ways and Means.

By Senator Horne—

SB 2452—A bill to be entitled An act relating to inmate furloughs; amending s. 945.091, F.S.; limiting the period that an inmate may be allowed to leave the confines of a correctional institution; deleting a provision that authorized a furlough for certain compelling reasons; prohibiting an inmate from engaging in conjugal visits or sexual activity during the period the inmate is authorized to leave a correctional institution; authorizing the Department of Corrections to impose fines against an inmate who violates such prohibitions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice.

SR 2454—Not referenced.

By Senator Silver—

SB 2456—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Health; providing an appropriation for the relief of Vernelle Lowder, to compensate her for damages she sustained due to the negligence of the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Childers—

SB 2458—A bill to be entitled An act relating to organ and tissue donation; amending s. 732.911, F.S.; defining the term "death"; amending s. 732.912, F.S.; specifying who may make an anatomical gift in the absence of a declaration by a decedent; amending s. 732.913, F.S.; providing that entities, as well as persons, may be donees of anatomical gifts; amending s. 732.914, F.S.; clarifying who must comply with certain procedures; amending s. 732.916, F.S.; amending procedures for revoking an anatomical gift; amending s. 732.922, F.S.; specifying duties of organ procurement organizations, eye banks, and tissue banks; defining the term "organ procurement organization"; limiting the civil or criminal liability of organ procurement organizations, eye banks, tissue banks, hospitals, and hospital administrators or their designees; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to expend moneys from the

Organ and Tissue Procurement Trust Fund for specified purposes, notwithstanding s. 381.6024(4)(b), F.S.; providing legislative intent; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Grant—

SB 2460—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Heather Roszell, a minor; providing appropriations to compensate her for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of the State of Florida, Board of Regents and the Hillsborough County Hospital Authority, d.b.a. Tampa General Hospital; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Meadows—

SB 2462—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Metropolitan Dade County; providing for the relief of Michelle Ponce, a minor; providing for an appropriation to compensate her for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of Metropolitan Dade County; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Forman—

SB 2464—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Miami Beach; providing for the relief of Juan A. Garcia, Jr., and Juan and Barbara Garcia, as natural parents of Juan A. Garcia, Jr.; providing for an appropriation to compensate them for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of the City of Miami Beach; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Bronson—

SB 2466—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Orlando Utilities Commission; amending s. 9, ch. 9861, Laws of Florida, 1923, as amended; revising authority of the commission to provide water and energy services; authorizing the commission to conduct its activities in Osceola County; providing for the commission to contract with other utilities for the sale, purchase, or interchange of services; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

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

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

FIRST READING

By the Committees on Judiciary; Children, Families and Seniors; and Senator Burt—

CS for CS for SB 248—A bill to be entitled An act relating to termination of parental rights; amending s. 39.464, F.S.; providing additional grounds for the termination of parental rights; amending s. 39.469, F.S.; revising language with respect to the powers of disposition of the court concerning termination of parental rights; amending s. 39.471, F.S.; eliminating the provisions stating that certain orders are admissible in

evidence in subsequent adoption proceedings relating to the child; amending s. 61.13, F.S.; including reference to one of the grounds for termination of parental rights as a rebuttable presumption of detriment to the child when the court is determining matters relating to the custody of a minor child; amending s. 63.072, F.S.; including certain parents whose consent to an adoption may be waived; providing for application of the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Casas—

CS for SB 336—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcoholic beverages; repealing s. 561.501, F.S., relating to the surcharge on the sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises contingent upon certain conditions being met; amending ss. 561.025 and 561.121, F.S.; conforming to the act contingent upon the repeal of s. 561.501, F.S.; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Natural Resources and Senator Latvala—

CS for SB 582—A bill to be entitled An act relating to marine fisheries; amending s. 370.021, F.S.; providing that specified violations of administrative rules, the Florida Statutes, and the constitutional ban on the use of certain nets are major violations; providing penalties; prohibiting a court from suspending, deferring, or withholding adjudication of guilt in specified circumstances; providing for the suspension of violators' licenses and prohibiting participation in the fishing during the period of suspension; providing restrictions on operation; deleting obsolete provisions; requiring a court to notify the Department of Environmental Protection of the disposition of cases; for purposes of ch. 370, F.S., defining the term "conviction"; providing for judicial notice of Marine Fisheries Commission rules; amending s. 370.06, F.S.; providing for special activity licenses; amending s. 370.061, F.S.; revising provisions governing confiscation and sale of products; amending s. 370.07, F.S.; providing penalties; providing for license suspension for nonpayment of civil penalties; amending s. 370.092, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to the carriage of proscribed nets across Florida waters, major violations, and fines and penalties; prohibiting the harvest of marine life with nets inconsistent with s. 16, Art. X of the State Constitution; prohibiting the use of any net not approved by the Marine Fisheries Commission; defining the terms "net," "netting," and "miles"; providing for forfeiture of nets illegally used; authorizing the Marine Fisheries Commission to adopt rules implementing the constitutional net ban; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to adopt specified rules; amending s. 370.06, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to issue special activity licenses for specified activities; amending s. 370.061, F.S.; providing for a cash bond to be given in the value of confiscated seafood products in advance of their sale; amending s. 370.07, F.S.; providing penalties for violation of reporting and record-keeping requirements of wholesale and retail saltwater products dealers; amending s. 370.14, F.S.; deleting a requirement that a marine patrol officer be present at the weighing of crawfish during the closed season; creating s. 370.1401, F.S.; providing procedures for the sale of crawfish during the closed season; providing penalties; amending s. 370.142, F.S.; providing additional penalties for violation of crawfish laws; amending s. 370.15, F.S.; revising shrimp trawling regulations; repealing ss. 370.13(2), 370.135(4), 370.14(6), F.S., relating to major violations involving stone crab regulations, blue crab regulations, and crawfish regulations; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Natural Resources and Senators Kirkpatrick and Horne—

CS for SB 584—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mining; amending s. 378.601, F.S.; providing that certain heavy mineral mining operations are not required to undergo development-of-regional-impact review; amending s. 378.901, F.S.; providing conditions when a life-of-the-mine permit for sand mines may be issued; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Dudley—

CS for SB 650—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Uniform Land Sales Practices Law; amending s. 498.005, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 498.007, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to the general powers and duties of the Division of Florida Land Sales, Condominiums, and Mobile Homes; amending s. 498.011, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to per diem and mileage; amending s. 498.017, F.S.; revising certain fees; deleting certain fees; amending s. 498.022, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to jurisdiction over fraudulent acts; providing that it is a violation of the act to dispose of, conceal, or divert any funds or assets of any person so as to adversely affect the interest of a purchaser; amending s. 498.023, F.S.; providing additional criteria with respect to permitted disposal of an interest in subdivided lands; amending s. 498.024, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to reservations; amending s. 498.025, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to exemptions; amending s. 498.027, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to application for registration; amending s. 498.029, F.S.; eliminating the registration of certain subdivided lands; amending s. 498.031, F.S.; providing for the time period during which registration becomes effective; revising provisions with respect to inquiry and examination; amending s. 498.033, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to the registration of subdivided lands; amending s. 498.035, F.S.; authorizing, rather than requiring, the division to approve advertising material; revising provisions with respect to advertising material; requiring the full disclosure of certain pertinent information; amending s. 498.037, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to public offering statements; amending s. 498.039, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to certain trust and escrow accounts; amending s. 498.041, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to annual renewal; providing for termination of registration; amending s. 498.047, F.S., relating to investigations; amending s. 498.059, F.S.; providing penalties with respect to certain violations; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Dudley—

CS for SB 652—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 498.047, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for information relative to an investigation by the Division of Florida Land Sales, Condominiums, and Mobile Homes; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain identifying information of a purchaser or account holder, or a complainant; providing for specific use of the confidential information; providing for future review and repeal; providing a finding of public necessity; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary and Senators Horne, Grant and Kirkpatrick—

CS for SB 722—A bill to be entitled An act relating to court funding; creating s. 25.402, F.S.; providing for mandatory compensation to counties for certain costs through a trust fund administered by the Supreme Court; requiring adoption by the Supreme Court of an allocation and disbursement plan; providing for appointment of a committee to develop the plan; providing guidelines for deposit in the trust fund of moneys generated from certain civil penalties; providing that the funds paid to counties shall be grants-in-aid for specified purposes; providing for future repeal; amending s. 318.21, F.S., 1996 Supplement, relating to the disposition of civil penalties by county courts; providing for distribution of civil penalties to the County Article V Trust Fund beginning July 1, 1998; providing for future repeal of specified provisions; creating s. 939.18, F.S.; providing for an additional assessment on persons pleading guilty or nolo contendere to, or found guilty of, a crime to be used to provide and maintain court facilities; requiring clerks of court to submit specified financial reports; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Grant—

CS for SB 806—A bill to be entitled An act relating to eminent domain; amending s. 73.0511, F.S.; providing for a written offer of settlement as part of the prelitigation notice; requiring property owners who intend to claim business damages to provide certain documentation; providing for a notice; amending s. 73.071, F.S.; providing that the jury

must determine compensation in eminent domain actions; providing for consideration of business damages; providing for the determination of compensation in inverse condemnation proceedings; providing for consideration of mitigation by a property owner; providing for construction of the term "property"; creating s. 74.0205, F.S.; providing for presuit negotiations; creating s. 74.042, F.S.; providing for mandatory nonbinding mediation; amending s. 337.271, F.S.; providing for the simplification of the acquisition negotiation process; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary and Senators Grant, Lee and Dudley—

CS for SB's 818, 1136 and 1242—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the administration of trusts and estates; amending s. 689.225, F.S.; providing a statement of the rule against perpetuities; amending s. 709.08, F.S.; authorizing certain corporations to serve as an attorney in fact; amending s. 733.707, F.S.; increasing the ceiling on funeral expenses; defining the term "right of revocation" with respect to the order of payment of expenses and obligations of an estate; amending s. 737.111, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to execution requirements for express trusts; providing for the application of the section; amending s. 737.2041, F.S., relating to trustee's attorney's fee; revising procedures for determining attorney's fees; providing for determining fees for an attorney who is retained for limited services; revising the list of services that constitute ordinary services in an initial trust administration; deleting an exception from the applicability of presumptive fees for a corporate fiduciary that serves as a trustee or cotrustee; amending s. 737.303, F.S.; revising provisions with respect to the duty of the trustee to inform and account to beneficiaries to require information to the grantor with respect to certain trusts; amending s. 733.08, F.S.; providing for specified notice to the trustee and caveator; amending s. 518.112, F.S.; providing for delegation of investment functions; amending s. 733.817, F.S.; revising provisions of law with respect to the apportionment of estate taxes; amending s. 738.12, F.S.; providing conditions under which a trust beneficiary is considered an income beneficiary; amending s. 744.441, F.S.; increasing the ceiling on funeral expenses; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Silver—

CS for SB 914—A bill to be entitled An act relating to service of process; amending s. 48.031, F.S.; providing for service upon a sole proprietorship; amending s. 48.183, F.S.; providing for service in action to recover residential property; amending s. 48.27, F.S.; providing for application and fee for inclusion on list of certified process servers; amending s. 55.03, F.S.; providing for docketing and indexing of civil process generally; providing for rates of interest; amending s. 56.27, F.S.; providing for payment to execution creditor of money collected; amending s. 56.28, F.S.; prescribing procedure for demand for payment of moneys collected; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary and Senator Gutman—

CS for SB 930—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mental health; creating the "Robert Newman and Stuart Simon Act of 1997"; amending s. 394.463, F.S.; providing for court hearings on requests for ex parte orders for involuntary examination of mentally ill persons; providing for findings; providing for rescission of orders under certain circumstances; providing for release of persons being held for examination; providing civil and criminal penalties; amending s. 394.4599, F.S.; providing for immediate notice about minor patients; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Brown-Waite—

CS for SB 954—A bill to be entitled An act relating to telecommunications; amending s. 364.163, F.S.; requiring certain local telecommunications companies to reduce their intrastate switched access rates; providing an effective date for the reductions; authorizing a local exchange telecommunications company to petition the Florida Public Service Commission if it believes a reduction in intrastate switched access rates will impair its financial viability; providing for a hearing; providing for

determining the company's achieved rate of return; authorizing the commission to examine books and records of the petitioning company and its affiliated companies; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Natural Resources and Senator Dantzler—

CS for SB 1094—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental protection; amending s. 253.03, F.S.; prohibiting the control, regulation, permitting, or imposition of charges on certain severed materials; amending s. 369.20, F.S.; authorizing certain riparian owners to remove certain types of aquatic plants under certain circumstances; exempting certain permits from certain water pollution operation permit requirements; amending s. 403.813, F.S.; exempting installation and repair of certain piers and docking facilities and associated structures and the removal of aquatic plants, tussocks, and organic material from certain permitting requirements under specified circumstances; prohibiting the Department of Environmental Protection from adopting certain rules; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Dudley—

CS for SB 1234—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominiums and cooperatives; amending ss. 718.112, 719.106, F.S.; revising procedures relating to written complaints by unit owners; amending s. 718.1255, F.S.; redefining the term "dispute"; adding mediation to the dispute resolution process; revising the arbitration process; amending ss. 718.501, 719.501, F.S.; providing rulemaking authority for penalties; providing for the certification of mediators; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Diaz-Balart—

CS for SB 1464—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workers' compensation; amending s. 440.45, F.S.; revising term of office, qualifications and method of nomination for the Chief Judge of the Office of the Judges of Compensation Claims; providing for expiration of term of office for members of the statewide nominating commission for judges of compensation claims; providing for new appointments to the nominating commission and staggered terms; revising the procedures for nominating commission regarding performance of sitting judges and regarding nominations of applicants; providing for expiration of the term of office and reappointment of the Chief Judge of Compensation Claims; amending s. 440.49, F.S.; revising procedures and requirements for reimbursement from the Special Disability Trust Fund; providing for barring the filing of a claim for reimbursement under certain circumstances; providing a maximum fund assessment rate; requiring certain fees; requiring the Department of Labor and Employment Security to prepare an annual report; providing a schedule for reimbursements from the fund under certain circumstances; amending s. 624.468, F.S.; requiring self-insurance funds to maintain a positive surplus to policyholder; amending s. 624.470, F.S.; establishing standards for the use of future investment income as an asset for self-insurance funds; amending s. 624.488, F.S.; applying certain portions of the insurance code to self-insurance funds; amending s. 628.6014, F.S.; establishing standards for the use of future investment income as an asset for assessable mutual insurers; amending s. 625.091, F.S.; requiring the Department of Insurance to adopt rules for accounting for anticipated recoveries under the Special Disability Trust Fund; amending s. 631.021, F.S.; requiring the Department of Insurance to notify the Florida Self-Insurance Fund Guaranty Association of all hearings pertaining to insolvency of a self-insurance fund; amending s. 631.915; providing for retroactive coverage of pre-1994 claims of the Florida Self-Insurance Fund Guaranty Association; amending s. 631.93, F.S.; revising the membership of the board of the association; amending s. 631.935, F.S.; revising the powers of the association; providing standing to the association to appear before a court under certain circumstances; removing the prohibition against allocating state funds to the association; amending s. 631.94, F.S.; authorizing the association to assess insurers under certain conditions; providing limitations on such assessments; amending s. 215.22, F.S.; exempting certain fees to the Special Disability Trust Fund from the surcharge to the General Revenue Fund; providing an appropriation from the Insurance Commissioner's Regulatory Trust Fund and the Workers' Compensation Administration Trust Fund to the Florida

Group Self-Insurance Fund Account; providing a limitation on the appropriation to the Division of Safety of the Department of Labor and Employment Security; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Economic Opportunities; and Senator Ostalkiewicz—

CS for SB 1660—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation; amending s. 212.02, F.S., relating to sales, use, and other transactions; defining the terms “self-propelled farm equipment,” “power-driven farm equipment,” and “power-driven farm equipment” for purposes of ch. 212, F.S.; amending s. 212.05, F.S.; exempting transactions in excess of a specified amount from the tax on the sale of coins or currency; amending s. 212.08, F.S., relating to sales, use, and other transactions; revising the sales tax exemption provided for food and drinks; providing definitions; revising application of the partial exemption for self-propelled or power-driven farm equipment; including power-driven farm equipment within such exemption; revising the activities that constitute a manufacturing function for purposes of the sales tax exemption on certain uses of electricity; providing a threshold for electricity use; deleting a requirement that the electricity be separately metered; providing a sales tax exemption for the sale of gold, silver, or platinum bullion in excess of a specified amount; providing a sales tax exemption for the sale or lease of certain aircraft used by a common carrier; providing a sales tax exemption for the repair and maintenance of certain commercial aircraft; providing for application of the sales tax when an advertising agency acts as an agent of its client; providing an exemption for the Gasparilla Distance Classic Association, Inc., in specified circumstances; providing an exemption for certain foods, drinks, and other items provided to customers on a complimentary basis by a dealer who sells food products at retail; providing an exemption for foods and beverages donated by such dealers to certain organizations; revising provisions relating to the technical assistance advisory committee established to provide advice in determining taxability of foods and medicines; providing membership requirements directing the Department of Revenue to develop guidelines for such determination and providing requirements with respect thereto; providing for use of the guidelines by the committee; providing for determination of the taxability of specific products by the department; authorizing the department to develop a central database with respect thereto; amending s. 220.15, F.S., relating to the apportionment of adjusted federal income under the Florida Income Tax Code; providing that the property factor fraction may not include real or tangible personal property that is dedicated to research and development activities conducted in conjunction with a state university; providing that the payroll factor fraction does not include compensation paid to any employee who is dedicated to such research and development activities; requiring certification of such activities and providing intent with respect thereto; requiring the Department of Revenue to adopt rules; providing for emergency rules; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries and Senator Gutman—

CS for SB 1970—A bill to be entitled An act relating to residential condominiums; amending s. 718.616, F.S.; prescribing contents of a municipality’s acknowledgment relating to its notification by a developer of a conversion of existing property into a condominium; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Care and Senator Forman—

CS for SB 2142—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health quality assurance; amending s. 112.0455, F.S., relating to the Drug-Free Workplace Act; providing background screening requirements and standards for laboratories that perform tests; authorizing the use of certain body hair for drug testing; amending ss. 381.026, 381.0261, 383.302, 383.305, 390.011, 390.015, 391.206, 391.207, 391.210, 393.063, 393.065, 394.67, 394.875, 395.002, 395.0163, 395.0193, 395.0197, 395.0199, 400.071, 400.411, 400.414, 400.417, 400.4174, 400.4176, 400.461, 400.462, 400.471, 400.474, 400.484, 400.506, 400.509, 400.555, 400.606, 400.607, 400.619, 400.801, 400.805, 408.033, 483.101, 483.106, 483.30, F.S.; creating ss. 381.60225, 395.0055, 400.5572, F.S.; transferring, renumbering, and amending ss. 626.941, 626.942, 626.943, 626.944, 626.945, F.S.; providing background screening requirements and standards for organ

procurement organizations and tissue and eye banks, birth centers, abortion clinics, prescribed pediatric extended care centers, facilities for the developmentally disabled, facilities for treating alcohol and drug abuse and for mental health services, crisis stabilization units and residential treatment facilities, hospitals, private review agents, nursing homes and related facilities, assisted living facilities, direct-care employees, home health agencies, nurse registries, providers of certain home services, adult day care centers, hospices, adult family-care homes, homes for special services, transitional living facilities, clinical laboratories, and multiphasic health testing centers; amending grounds for denial and revocation of licensure or registration for such entities; allowing limited reporting of certain confidential information relating to the internal risk management programs of hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers; transferring duties pertaining to health care risk management from the Insurance Commissioner to the Director for Health Care Administration; amending fees and procedures relating to qualifications for health care risk managers; amending the Florida patient’s Bill of Rights and Responsibilities; providing information about filing complaints with licensing agencies; limiting applicability of the Patient’s Bill of Rights to health care facilities licensed under ch. 395, F.S., that provide emergency care and outpatient care; imposing a fine on facilities for willful and nonwillful violations of the obligation to inform patients of their rights; requiring certain outpatient facilities to submit construction plans to the Agency for Health Care Administration for review; amending provisions relating to who must make application for licensure and for a certificate of exemption on behalf of a clinical laboratory; amending s. 394.4787, F.S.; relating to certain specialty psychiatric hospitals; conforming a cross-reference; deleting the definition of the terms “adverse or untoward incident” and “injury”; revising provisions relating to licensed facility peer review disciplinary actions against practitioners; requiring reports to the Agency for Health Care Administration; providing penalties; revising provisions relating to internal risk management; defining the term “adverse incident”; requiring licensed facilities to make certain reports to the agency; providing an exemption from the Public Records Law; including minors in provisions relating to notification of sexual misconduct or abuse; requiring facility corrective-action plans; amending ss. 395.602, 395.701, 400.051, F.S., relating to rural hospitals, the Public Medical Assistance Trust Fund, and nursing homes; conforming cross-references; amending ss. 408.072, 409.905, 440.13, F.S.; relating to hospital budget review, Medicaid services, and a worker’s compensation definition, respectively; conforming cross-references and terms; amending ss. 458.331, 459.015, 468.505, F.S., relating to grounds for disciplinary action against allopathic physicians and osteopathic physicians and relating to restrictions on practice, service, or activities of allopathic physicians, osteopathic physicians, and other specified professionals; conforming provisions; repealing s. 455.239, F.S., relating to licensure requirements for designated health care services; amending ss. 641.55, 766.1115, F.S., relating to internal risk-management programs of health maintenance organizations and contract requirements for certain health care governmental contractors, respectively; conforming cross-references; transferring the health care risk manager licensure program from the Department of Insurance to the Agency for Health Care Administration; allocating positions to the Agency for Health Care Administration for specified purposes; providing for funding for such positions to be appropriated from the Health Care Trust Fund; providing effective dates.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

The Governor advised that he had filed with the Secretary of State CS for SB 458 which he approved on April 2, 1997.

APPOINTMENTS SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION BY THE SENATE:

The Secretary of State has certified that pursuant to the provisions of Section 114.05, Florida Statutes, certificates subject to confirmation by the Senate had been prepared for the following:

	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Florida Board of Auctioneers	
Appointee: Larrua, Herminia Martinez, Miami	10/31/1997
Florida Citrus Commission	
Appointees: Jackson, Raymond Alvin, Vero Beach	05/31/2000

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Marshburn, Joseph D., Winter Haven	05/31/2000
Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel Appointees: Barr, Norris Holland, Tallahassee Ferguson, Kay Elizabeth, Davie	10/31/2000 10/31/2000
Regulatory Council of Community Association Managers Appointee: Heller, Shirley, Pembroke Pines	10/31/1999
Board of Trustees of Chipola Junior College Appointee: Mason, Gerald V., Campbellton	05/31/1999
State of Florida Correctional Medical Authority Appointee: Rushing, C. Winston, Jacksonville	09/30/2000
Board of Employee Leasing Companies Appointee: Byrd, Bernard Clinton, Jr., Maitland	10/31/2000
Commission on Government Accountability to the People Appointees: Lewis-Brent, Lana Jane, Panama City Tedder, Joseph G., Lakeland	08/21/1997 08/21/2000
Florida Housing Finance Agency Appointee: Hernandez, Victoria, Miami	11/13/1998
Florida Commission on Human Relations Appointees: Flom, Elena Marie Koch, Cocoa Beach Walker, Chriss, Tallahassee	09/30/2000 09/30/2000
State Board of Independent Colleges and Universities Appointee: Ullmann, Steven George, Miami	09/30/1999
Investment Advisory Council Appointee: Nast, Donald Arden, Tallahassee	12/12/2000
Board of Massage Appointee: Keith, Thomasena Banks, Tallahassee	10/31/2000
Board of Medicine Appointee: Woods, Abraham Lincoln III, Longwood	10/31/2000
Board of Opticianry Appointee: Trask, William Alan, LaBelle	10/31/1998
Board of Osteopathic Medicine Appointee: Panzer, Robert George, Ocala	10/31/2000
Board of Physical Therapy Practice Appointee: Lindeblad, Susan Kenville, Miami	10/31/2000
Pilotage Rate Review Board Appointee: Howe, Helen R., St. George Island	10/31/1998
Postsecondary Education Planning Commission Appointee: LaFace, Ron C., Gainesville	08/31/1997
West Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 1 Appointees: Barnard, Robert Franklin, Panama City Buchanan, Fred Allen, Chipley Carlan, Charles Hampton, Pensacola Hood, Russell G., Bonifay Robbins, Delores Jean, Ft. Walton Beach	Pleasure of Governor Pleasure of Governor Pleasure of Governor Pleasure of Governor
North Central Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 3	

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Appointee: Blakewood, Stephen Wyman, Gainesville	10/01/1997
East Central Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 6 Appointees: Chotas, Elias Nicholas, Orlando Ervin, Thomas Lee, Jr., Orlando Grajales, Luis Enrique, Orlando Marbury, Howard William, Winter Garden Schneider, Mark Edward, Clermont Wellman, Labon Ernest, Fruitland Park	10/01/1999 10/01/1997 10/01/1998 10/01/1998 10/01/1998 10/01/1997
Central Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 7 Appointee: Whitlock, Paul Pate, Arcadia	10/01/1998
Florida Transportation Commission Appointees: Asher, Don L., Orlando Roepstorff, Robbie Briggs, Sanibel	09/30/1998 09/30/1999
[Referred to the Committee on Executive Business, Ethics and Elections.]	
Governing Board of the Northwest Florida Water Management District Appointee: Riley, Judith Byrne, Ft. Walton Beach	03/01/2001
Governing Board of the St. Johns River Water Management District Appointee: Hughes, Reid B., Daytona Beach	03/01/2001
Governing Board of the Suwannee River Water Management District Appointee: Colson, Suzanne Kuszyna, Cedar Key	03/01/2001
[Referred to the Committees on Natural Resources; and Executive Business, Ethics and Elections.]	

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FIRST READING

The Honorable Toni Jennings, President

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed CS for HB's 37 and 127, CS for HB 49, CS for HB 55, HB 61, CS for HB 73, CS for HB 97, CS for HB 105, CS for HB 113, CS for HB 147, HB 153, CS for HB 197, CS for HB 217, CS for HB 227, CS for HB 245, HB 285, CS for HB 411, CS for HB 443, HB 449, CS for HB 541, CS for HB 545, CS for HB 825, HB 989; has passed as amended CS for CS for HB 3, HB 157, HB 267, CS for CS for HB 313, CS for HB 419, HB 555; has passed as amended by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of the membership HB 445; has adopted HM 291 and requests the concurrence of the Senate.

John B. Phelps, Clerk

By the Committee on Health Care Services and Representative Stafford and others—

CS for HB's 37 and 127—A bill to be entitled An act relating to genetic testing for insurance purposes; amending s. 624.155, F.S.; permitting civil actions against insurers for violations of s. 627.4301, F.S.; creating s. 627.4301, F.S.; prohibiting health insurers from using genetic information or requiring genetic testing; amending s. 632.638, F.S.; providing applicability of s. 627.4301, F.S., to fraternal benefit societies; creating s. 636.0201, F.S.; providing applicability of s. 627.4301, F.S., to prepaid limited health service organizations; amending s. 641.30, F.S.; providing applicability of s. 627.4301, F.S., to health maintenance organizations; creating s. 641.438, F.S.; providing applicability of s.

627.4301, F.S., to prepaid health clinics; amending s. 760.40, F.S.; defining the term "genetic testing"; providing exceptions; providing standards for informed consent; prohibiting release of genetic testing results without written consent, under certain circumstances; providing civil and criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; and Judiciary.

By the Committee on Crime and Punishment; and Representative Albright and others—

CS for HB 49—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual predators and offenders; amending s. 775.21, F.S.; deleting language prohibiting community and public notification of certain sexual predators and authorizing notification in a manner deemed appropriate by the sheriff and the chief of police; deleting language providing for community and public notification under former s. 775.225 and authorizing notification in a manner deemed appropriate by the sheriff or chief of police; deleting requirement that community and public notice include the age of the victim and providing instead for requirement that notice state whether the victim was a minor or an adult; amending s. 944.606, F.S.; deleting language preventing the Florida Department of Law Enforcement or any law enforcement agency from notifying the community and the general public of a sexual offender's presence in the community; permitting agencies to notify the community and the public of a sexual offender's presence in the community; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice and Community Affairs.

By the Committee on Family Law and Children; and Representative Morse and others—

CS for HB 55—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child custody; amending s. 61.13, F.S.; providing for consideration of the child's primary caretaker, domestic violence, or child abuse in custody proceedings; reenacting ss. 39.408(3)(a) and 741.30(5)(a), F.S., relating to disposition hearings in dependency cases, and relating to temporary injunctions in domestic violence cases, to incorporate said amendment in references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Representative Constantine and others—

HB 61—A bill to be entitled An act relating to battery; creating s. 784.041, F.S.; defining the offense of felony battery, and providing penalties therefor; amending s. 921.0012, F.S., relating to sentencing guidelines offense levels; providing for classification of felony battery offenses in the level 6 category of the offense severity ranking chart; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Tourism and Representative Bradley and others—

CS for HB 73—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax on sales, use, and other transactions; amending s. 212.04, F.S.; exempting admissions to certain collegiate tournament games, baseball all-star games, and postseason collegiate football games from the tax on admissions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Community Affairs; and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Corrections and Representative Heyman and others—

CS for HB 97—A bill to be entitled An act relating to selection of probation and parole office space by the Department of Corrections; amending s. 945.28, F.S.; requiring the department to provide written notification to the county or municipal administrator 30 days prior to signing the lease or purchasing the property for intended probation or parole office space which is within one quarter mile of a place where children or a population especially vulnerable to crime due to age or physical or mental disability regularly congregates; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice and Community Affairs.

By the Committee on Children and Family Empowerment; and Representative Jones and others—

CS for HB 105—A bill to be entitled An act relating to distribution of surplus food; amending s. 570.0725, F.S.; providing legislative intent; providing application; requiring certain persons and organizations to make reasonable efforts to provide, collect, transport, and distribute certain excess or surplus food; amending s. 768.136, F.S.; providing definitions; clarifying application; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Economic Opportunities; and Judiciary.

By the Committee on Community Affairs and Representative Sublette—

CS for HB 113—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homeowners' associations; amending s. 617.303, F.S.; providing that statutory provisions applicable to association board meetings apply to meetings of committees when a final decision will be made regarding the expenditure of association funds; amending s. 617.305, F.S.; increasing the limit on fines that an association may impose on members, tenants, guests, or invitees; providing an exemption from the prohibition against an association suspending the voting rights of a member; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Governmental Operations and Representative Byrd and others—

CS for HB 147—A bill to be entitled An act relating to marriage; providing that same-sex marriages entered into in any jurisdiction, whether within, or outside the State of Florida, the United States, or any other jurisdiction, either domestic or foreign, or any other place or location are not recognized in this state; prohibiting the state and its agencies and subdivisions from giving effect to specified public acts, records, or proceedings respecting such relationships or claims arising from such relationships; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; and Children, Families and Seniors.

By Representative Thrasher and others—

HB 153—A bill to be entitled An act relating to excise tax on documents; amending s. 201.02, F.S.; providing that the tax on instruments relating to real property does not apply to certain conveyances between spouses or former spouses pursuant to an action for dissolution of marriage; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Education Innovation and Representative Bradley and others—

CS for HB 197—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating s. 232.2451, F.S., relating to student readiness for postsecondary education and the workplace; providing legislative intent; providing for end-of-high-school destinations; providing for student progression toward a chosen destination; providing Department of Education duties; providing course requirements; providing duties of school principals; amending s. 232.2462, F.S.; revising provisions relating to definition of high school credit; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Election Reform and Representative Putnam and others—

CS for HB 217—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending s. 106.17, F.S.; prohibiting state agencies from soliciting pledges or authorizing or conducting polls or surveys relating to candidates for public office; exempting polls or surveys conducted by institutions of higher learning for research purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Executive Business, Ethics and Elections; and Governmental Reform and Oversight.

By the Committee on Community Affairs and Representative Maygarden and others—

CS for HB 227—A bill to be entitled An act relating to building designations; designating and naming the Children's Medical Services facility currently under construction at 5192 Bayou Boulevard in the City of Pensacola, Escambia County, as the "Dr. Reed Bell and Dr. John H. Whitcomb Building"; directing the Department of Management Services to erect suitable markers; designating and naming the president's residence at the University of Central Florida as the "Burnett House"; authorizing the University of Central Florida to erect suitable markers; designating and naming the School of Communications at the University of Central Florida as the "Anthony J. Nicholson School of Communications"; authorizing the University of Central Florida to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Health Care.

By the Committee on Crime and Punishment; and Representative Fasano and others—

CS for HB 245—A bill to be entitled An act relating to time limitations for sexual battery prosecutions; amending s. 775.15, F.S.; providing an unlimited time period for the commencement of prosecutions for first or second degree felony violations of s. 794.011, F.S., under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; and Ways and Means.

By Representative Lawson—

HB 285—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulation of trade and commerce; repealing s. 559.04, F.S., relating to requirements of trading stamp companies prior to distribution of trading stamps; repealing s. 559.05, F.S., relating to required notice of intention to suspend or cease redemption of trading stamps; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Economic Opportunities; and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Health Care Services and Representative Byrd and others—

CS for HB 411—A bill to be entitled An act relating to automatic external defibrillators; providing legislative intent that automatic external defibrillators may be used by any person; requiring persons to obtain training and to activate the emergency medical services system upon use of a defibrillator; encouraging certain persons and entities to register a defibrillator; repealing s. 401.291, F.S., relating to automatic external defibrillators; amending s. 768.13, F.S.; providing immunity from liability for certain persons; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Health Care.

By the Committee on Business Regulation and Consumer Affairs; and Representative Trovillion—

CS for HB 443—A bill to be entitled An act relating to firesafety; amending s. 633.511, F.S.; providing for the State Fire Marshal rather than the Governor to appoint members to the Florida Fire Safety Board; amending s. 633.537, F.S.; revising continuing education requirements with respect to certificates issued by the State Fire Marshal to certain contractors; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Regulated Industries.

By Representative Jones and others—

HB 449—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal actions committed through the use of simulated legal process or under false color of law; creating s. 843.0855, F.S.; providing definitions; defining the offense of deliberately impersonating or falsely acting as a public officer or tribunal or public employee or utility employee in connection with or relating to legal process, or taking action under color of law against persons or property, and providing penalties therefor; defining the offense of simulating legal process with knowledge or reason to know of fraud with respect to a legal document, proceeding, or basis for action, and providing penalties therefor; defining the offense of falsely under color of law attempting to influence, intimidate, or hinder a public officer or law enforcement officer in the discharge of official duties, and providing penalties therefor; providing for applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Financial Services and Representative Maygarden—

CS for HB 541—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the management and regulation of financial institutions; amending s. 280.02, F.S.; revising a definition; amending s. 655.005, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 655.0322, F.S.; applying prohibited acts and practices provisions to state or federal savings banks; providing penalties; amending s. 655.045, F.S.; deleting a report requirement; amending s. 655.41, F.S.; revising a definition; amending s. 655.414, F.S.; requiring approval by the Department of Banking and Finance for a financial entity to acquire certain financial entities; providing for a nonrefundable filing fee; deleting a requirement to file a separate application for each branch office; amending s. 658.21, F.S.; revising criteria for approval of applications; amending s. 658.23, F.S.; clarifying information required in articles of incorporation; amending s. 658.26, F.S.; providing for approval of a branch application under certain circumstances; revising provisions providing for relocation of certain offices in this state; providing a definition; amending s. 658.295, F.S.; revising certain acquisition criteria; deleting an obsolete provision; amending s. 658.2953, F.S.; correcting a threshold date reference; deleting certain requirements for notice of establishment and maintenance of a branch in this state by an out-of-state bank; revising certain filing requirements and trust powers; amending s. 658.73, F.S.; revising application fee provisions; providing for partial

refund under certain circumstances; amending s. 663.06, F.S.; providing for indefinite operation of an international banking corporation; deleting temporary operation provisions; amending s. 663.12, F.S.; clarifying certain filing fee provisions; creating ss. 667.001-667.013, F.S.; providing a short title; providing definitions; providing applicability; providing for a name; providing for reorganization, merger, or consolidation; providing for conversion of certain banks or associations to capital stock savings banks; providing requirements; imposing a fee; providing powers and duties of the department under certain circumstances; providing for acquisition of assets or control of savings banks; providing criteria and requirements; specifying powers of savings banks; providing for loans and loan expenses; providing for dealing with successors in interest; providing for foreign savings banks; amending s. 737.101, F.S.; clarifying application of principal place of administration provisions to certain trusts; exempting certain financial institutions resulting from an interstate merger transaction from certain prohibitions; providing for future repeal; repealing s. 658.295(6)(e), F.S., relating to certain notice of acquisitions; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Law Enforcement and Public Safety; and Representative Sindler and others—

CS for HB 545—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specified exceptions from dual office holding requirements for certified officers; creating s. 943.1398, F.S.; providing that a person employed as a law enforcement officer, correctional officer, or correctional probation officer may be employed on a part-time basis by a different employing agency without being considered to be holding an “office” for certain purposes; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Governmental Rules and Regulations; and Representative Valdes and others—

CS for HB 825—A bill to be entitled An act relating to efficiency in government; providing legislative intent; directing the Department of Management Services to work with executive agencies to reduce the layers of management in agencies and to increase agency-wide employee-to-supervisor ratios; providing for reports; requiring notification; directing the department to simplify the state’s job classification system; providing for reports; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Reform and Oversight; Rules and Calendar; and Ways and Means.

By Representative Spratt and others—

HB 989—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending ss. 601.02, 601.15, F.S.; clarifying the use of funds collected under s. 601.15, F.S.; amending s. 601.28, F.S.; providing for fresh citrus fruit inspection rates fees to be set by hourly equivalents to per-box fees; amending s. 601.67, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to impose a fine and suspend the license of a fruit dealer who commingles fresh citrus fruit; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; and Ways and Means.

By the Committees on Finance and Taxation; Business Development and International Trade; and Representative Starks and others—

CS for CS for HB 3—A bill to be entitled An act relating to unemployment compensation; providing for temporary reductions in certain contribution rates for specified employers; amending s. 443.036, F.S.; revising exemption criteria for services performed by children employed by

their parents; amending s. 443.111, F.S.; increasing the maximum weekly benefit amount for unemployment compensation benefits; providing an additional amount under certain circumstances; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Economic Opportunities; and Ways and Means.

By Representative Fischer and others—

HB 157—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxes; amending s. 196.081, F.S.; providing an exemption from taxation for the homestead of the surviving spouse of a veteran who was killed while on active duty; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; and Ways and Means.

By Representative Carlton and others—

HB 267—A bill to be entitled An act relating to campaign financing; amending s. 106.07, F.S.; revising reporting requirements applicable to candidates for other than statewide office who qualify with the Department of State; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committees on Finance and Taxation; Utilities and Communications; and Representative Maygarden and others—

CS for CS for HB 313—A bill to be entitled An act relating to telecommunications; creating ss. 125.421, 166.047, F.S.; specifying circumstances under which a county or other entity of local government may obtain or hold a certificate under chapter 364, F.S., relating to telecommunications companies, and under which the provision of telecommunications services constitutes a municipal or public purpose; providing exceptions; amending s. 196.012, F.S.; providing that certain telecommunications services provided to the public for hire are not exempt from taxation unless provided by the operator of a public-use airport or provided by a public hospital; providing that certain property used to provide such services is exempt until a specified date; amending s. 199.183, F.S.; providing that telecommunication services provided to the public for hire by the state or a political subdivision are not exempt from intangible personal property taxes; providing exceptions; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; providing that telecommunication services provided to the public for hire by the state or political subdivision are not exempt from sales or use taxes; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Transportation and Representative Bush and others—

CS for HB 419—A bill to be entitled An act relating to road and bridge designations; designating a portion of State Road 972 in Dade County as the Lolo Villalobos Way; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; designating a bridge on State Road 45 near Dunnellon as the Brittan Alexander Bridge; designating portions of State Road 9 and of N.W. 54th Street in Dade County as the Brownsville Commercial District; designating a portion of State Road 5 in Dade County as Aventura Parkway; designating the overpass being constructed at Butler Boulevard and State Road A1A in Jacksonville as Whatley Memorial Overpass; designating a portion of State Road 37 in Polk County as W.S. Badcock Boulevard; providing for the effect of such designations; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing legislative intent; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representative Wiles and others—

HB 555—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water and wastewater systems; amending s. 367.171, F.S.; including Collier, Flagler, and Hernando counties within a list of counties excluded from the provisions of the Water and Wastewater System Regulatory Law; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Regulated Industries.

By Representative Starks and others—

HB 445—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax administration; creating s. 194.301, F.S.; providing that the property appraiser's assessment or determination is presumed correct in an administrative or judicial action in which a taxpayer challenges an ad valorem tax assessment of value; providing for a loss of the presumption under certain conditions; providing the taxpayer's burden of proof; providing for the establishment of the assessment if the property appraiser's assessment is determined to be erroneous; providing for a remand of the assessment to the property appraiser under certain conditions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; and Ways and Means.

By Representative Feeney and others—

HM 291—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging Congress to enact amendments to the National Voter Registration Act of 1993.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

The Journal of April 3 was corrected and approved.

CO-SPONSORS

Senators Clary—CS for SB 10; Cowin—CS for SB 546; Crist—SJR 2286; Meadows—SB 1552

RECESS

On motion by Senator Bankhead, the Senate recessed at 1:01 p.m. for the purpose of holding committee meetings and conducting other Senate business to reconvene at 9:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 9.

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