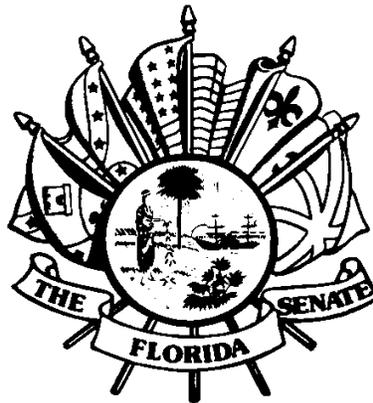


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# **The Florida Senate**



# **Interim Calendar**

**January 13, 1998**

**Number 6**

**COMMITTEE MEETING SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 20 - 23, 1998**

<p><b><u>TUESDAY, JANUARY 20</u></b></p> <p><b>9:30 a.m.-12:00 noon</b> Select Subcommittee on Election Integrity . . . . . Rm. EL (SOB)</p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon</b> Legislative Auditing . . . . . Rm. 309 (CAP) Legislative Information Technology Resources (Previously published meeting has been canceled)</p> <p><b>1:00-2:00 p.m.</b> Ways and Means . . . . . Rm. EL (SOB)</p> <p><b>2:00-3:00 p.m.</b> Ways and Means Subcommittee A (General Government) . . . . . Rm. C (32-LL-SOB) Ways and Means Subcommittee B (Education) . . . . . Rm. EL (SOB) Ways and Means Subcommittee C (Human Services) . . . . . Rm. A (37-LL-SOB) Ways and Means Subcommittee D (Criminal Justice) . . . . . Rm. 309 (CAP) Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax) . . . . . Rm. B (42-LL-SOB)</p> <p><b>3:00-6:00 p.m.</b> Ways and Means . . . . . Rm. EL (SOB)</p> <p><b><u>WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21</u></b></p> <p><b>9:00-11:30 a.m.</b> Children, Families and Seniors . . . . . Rm. A (37-LL-SOB) Commerce and Economic Opportunities . . . . . Rm. EL (SOB) Executive Business, Ethics and Elections . . . . . Rm. 309 (CAP)</p>	<p><b><u>WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, cont.</u></b></p> <p><b>1:30-4:00 p.m.</b> Judiciary . . . . . Rm. 309 (CAP) Natural Resources . . . . . Rm. A (37-LL-SOB) Regulated Industries . . . . . Rm. EL (SOB)</p> <p><b><u>THURSDAY, JANUARY 22</u></b></p> <p><b>9:00-11:30 a.m.</b> Agriculture . . . . . Rm. 301 (CAP) Education . . . . . Rm. A (37-LL-SOB) Governmental Reform and Oversight . . . . . Rm. 309 (CAP) Health Care . . . . . Rm. EL (SOB)</p> <p><b>1:30-4:00 p.m.</b> Banking and Insurance . . . . . Rm. EL (SOB) Community Affairs . . . . . Rm. 309 (CAP) Criminal Justice . . . . . Rm. A (37-LL-SOB) Transportation . . . . . Rm. 301 (CAP)</p> <p><b><u>FRIDAY, JANUARY 23</u></b></p> <p><b>7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.</b> Ways and Means Subcommittee B (Education) . . . . . See agenda</p> <p><b>9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.</b> Ways and Means . . . . . Rm. EL (SOB)</p> <p><b>9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.</b> Juvenile Justice Advisory Board . . . . . See agenda</p>
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**STANDING COMMITTEE MEETINGS  
(Alphabetical)**

Agriculture	Thursday	January 22	9:00-11:30	Rm. 301 (CAP)
Banking and Insurance	Thursday	January 22	1:30-4:00	Rm. EL (SOB)
Children, Families and Seniors	Wednesday	January 21	9:00-11:30	Rm. A (37-LL-SOB)
Commerce and Economic Opportunities	Wednesday	January 21	9:00-11:30	Rm. EL (SOB)
Community Affairs	Thursday	January 22	1:30-4:00	Rm. 309 (CAP)
Criminal Justice	Thursday	January 22	1:30-4:00	Rm. A (37-LL-SOB)
Education	Thursday	January 22	9:00-11:30	Rm. A (37-LL-SOB)
Executive Business, Ethics and Elections	Wednesday	January 21	9:00-11:30	Rm. 309 (CAP)
Governmental Reform and Oversight	Thursday	January 22	9:00-11:30	Rm. 309 (CAP)
Health Care	Thursday	January 22	9:00-11:30	Rm. EL (SOB)
Judiciary	Wednesday	January 21	1:30-4:00	Rm. 309 (CAP)
Natural Resources	Wednesday	January 21	1:30-4:00	Rm. A (37-LL-SOB)
Regulated Industries	Wednesday	January 21	1:30-4:00	Rm. EL (SOB)
Transportation	Thursday	January 22	1:30-4:00	Rm. 301 (CAP)
Ways and Means	Tuesday	January 20	1:00-2:00	Rm. EL (SOB)
Ways and Means	Tuesday	January 20	3:00-6:00	Rm. EL (SOB)
Ways and Means	Friday	January 23	9:00-3:00	Rm. EL (SOB)
Ways and Means Subcommittee A (General Government)	Tuesday	January 20	2:00-3:00	Rm. C (32-LL-SOB)
Ways and Means Subcommittee B (Education)	Tuesday	January 20	2:00-3:00	Rm. EL (SOB)
Ways and Means Subcommittee B (Education)	Friday	January 23	7:30-4:00	See agenda
Ways and Means Subcommittee C (Human Services)	Tuesday	January 20	2:00-3:00	Rm. A (37-LL-SOB)
Ways and Means Subcommittee D (Criminal Justice)	Tuesday	January 20	2:00-3:00	Rm. 309 (CAP)
Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax)	Tuesday	January 20	2:00-3:00	Rm. B (42-LL-SOB)

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# Committee Meetings for the Week of January 20 - 23, 1998

## CHANGE OF COMMITTEE PROCEDURE

The policy of the Florida Senate is to now publish committee meeting notices two days in advance of a meeting instead of one day. The current practice of having amendments filed with committees 24 hours prior to a meeting will be continued and implemented by all committees. Committee materials for morning meetings will be available in the Senate Distribution Center, Room 307 Capitol, the afternoon preceding the meeting. Committee materials for afternoon meetings will be available in the Distribution Center the evening preceding the meeting. Committee materials for the public will not be available at committee meetings.

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1998

### SELECT SUBCOMMITTEE ON ELECTION INTEGRITY:

9:30 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room EL (Senate Office Building):

General testimony from interested parties

### LEGISLATIVE AUDITING: 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 309 (Capitol):

Request by the Florida Alliance of Information and Referral Services (FLAIRS) and the United Way of Florida for the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability (OPPAGA) to conduct an inventory of existing information and referral services

Discussion concerning the Financial Emergency Oversight Board for the City of Miami

### WAYS AND MEANS: 1:00—2:00 p.m., Room EL (Senate Office Building):

Governor's budget policy and recommendations for 1998-1999

### WAYS AND MEANS SUBCOMMITTEE A (GENERAL GOVERNMENT): 2:00—3:00 p.m., Room C (32-LL-Senate Office Building):

Departmental detail of Governor's recommendations for 1998-1999

### WAYS AND MEANS SUBCOMMITTEE B (EDUCATION): 2:00—3:00 p.m., Room EL (Senate Office Building):

Departmental detail of Governor's recommendations for 1998-1999

### WAYS AND MEANS SUBCOMMITTEE C (HUMAN SERVICES): 2:00—3:00 p.m., Room A (37-LL-Senate Office Building):

Departmental detail of Governor's recommendations for 1998-1999

### WAYS AND MEANS SUBCOMMITTEE D (CRIMINAL JUSTICE): 2:00—3:00 p.m., Room 309 (Capitol):

Departmental detail of Governor's recommendations for 1998-1999

### WAYS AND MEANS SUBCOMMITTEE E (FINANCE AND TAX): 2:00—3:00 p.m., Room B (42-LL-Senate Office Building):

SB 0328 by Senator Ostalkiewicz and others—Sales Tax Exemptions/Aircraft  
SB 0338 by Senator Latvala—Sales Tax Exemption on Electricity

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Friday, January 16, 1998, at 1:00 p.m.

### WAYS AND MEANS: 3:00—6:00 p.m., Room EL (Senate Office Building):

SB 0042 by Senator Silver—Relief/Vernelle Lowder/HRS Dept.  
SB 0014 by Senator Forman—Relief/Tirini S. Riley/Broward Co.  
SB 0026 by Senator Turner—Relief/Adela Azcuy/Dade County  
SB 0032 by Senator Silver—Relief/Kathryn Malloy/Palm Beach Co.  
SB 0056 by Senator Klein—Relief/Julie McGinnes/Palm Beach Co.  
SB 0064 by Senator Gutman—Relief/Jose & Johannes Pena/Hialeah  
SB 0034 by Senator Casas—Relief/Bruce Wiggins/Metro Dade Co.  
SB 0060 by Senator Gutman—Relief/Jeanette Alonso/Dade County  
SB 0070 by Senator Klein—Relief/Matthew White/Alachua Co.  
SB 0052 by Senator Grant—Relief/Jemal Kurein/Tampa  
SB 0036 by Senator Horne—Relief/Carrie A. Wilson/Duval County  
SB 0016 by Senator Turner—Relief/Lazaro Gutierrez/Dade County  
SB 0030 by Senator Forman—Relief/Franklin Messick/Collier Co.

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Friday, January 16, 1998, at 1:00 p.m.

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1998

### CHILDREN, FAMILIES AND SENIORS: 9:00—11:30 a.m., Room A (37-LL-Senate Office Building):

Discussion and action relating to Performance Based Program Budgeting: Are the goals DCF has set for itself for FY 1998-1999 reasonable?

Discussion of the priority rankings assigned to departmental programs:

Department of Children and Families  
Department of Elder Affairs

### COMMERCE AND ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES:

9:00—11:30 a.m., Room EL (Senate Office Building):

Discussion of recommended performance measures:

Department of Labor and Employment Security  
Department of Revenue

Discussion of the Senate/House Budget Prioritization Project with proposed recommendations to Ways and Means

Proposed committee bill - JOBS II

SB 0280 by Senator Williams—Farm Equipment & MV Parts/Franchises

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, January 20, 1998, at 12:00 noon.

**EXECUTIVE BUSINESS, ETHICS AND ELECTIONS:**

9:00—11:30 a.m., Room 309 (Capitol):

## SENATE CONFIRMATION HEARING:

A public hearing for consideration of the confirmation of the below-named executive appointments to the office indicated. (All persons wishing to be heard on these appointments are requested to notify the committee secretary (487-5828) on the day preceding the hearing.)

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Board of Architecture and Interior Design Appointee: Shiff, Michael Alan, Parkland	10/31/2001
Florida Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board Appointee: Alexander, Stanton Malone, Ormond Beach	10/31/2001
Hillsborough County Civil Service Board Appointee: Mayor, Ernesto, Jr., Tampa	07/02/2001
Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy, and Mental Health Counseling Appointee: Hicks, Mary W., Tallahassee	10/31/2000
Board of Trustees of Miami-Dade Community College Appointee: Mendoza, Cristina Lagueruela, Coral Gables	05/31/2001
Board of Trustees of Palm Beach Community College Appointee: James, Elaine Johnson, Royal Palm Beach	05/31/1999
Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board Appointee: Morris, Herbert Kent, Jacksonville	10/31/2001
Board of Employee Leasing Companies Appointee: Samuels, Robert J., Tampa	10/31/2001
Board of Professional Engineers Appointee: Springstead, John Walton, Ocklawaha	10/31/2001
Board of Directors, Capital Development Board Appointee: Werner, Patricia Ann, Kissimmee	03/09/2000
Board of Directors, Technology Development Board Appointee: Crissey, Relf Seward, Winter Park	06/14/2001
Board of Funeral and Cemetery Services Appointees: Revitz, Mark Jeffrey, Miami Stiegman, Donald Lawrence, Orlando	09/08/1999 09/08/2001
Commission on Government Accountability to the People Appointee: Palmer, Whitfield McRory, Jr., Ocala	08/21/2001
State Board of Independent Colleges and Universities Appointees: Barker, Robert Hatton, Jr., Winter Park Brock, Jeanette Weatherbee, Bokeelia Keiser, Arthur Edward, Parkland	09/30/2000 09/30/2000 09/30/1998

Southeast Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Commission

Appointee:  
Hodes, Richard Samuel, Tampa 06/30/1999

Board of Medicine

Appointee:  
Acosta-Rua, Gaston Jose, Jacksonville 10/31/2001

Board of Pilot Commissioners

Appointees:  
Buffington, John Michael, Valrico 10/31/2001  
Robas, Victoria Bowen, Fernandina Beach 10/31/2001

Board of Supervisors, Spaceport Florida Authority

Appointee:  
Williamson, Kenneth E., Ft. Walton Beach 06/30/2000

Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers

Appointees:  
Echezabal, Henry Angel, Sr., Tampa 10/31/2001  
Oliver, Patricia Gail, St. Augustine 10/31/2001

Review of budget priority rankings submitted by the Department of State

Hearing on the genesis of the tobacco lawsuit:

Witnesses: Paul Belcher  
Doug Cook  
Rick Farrell**JUDICIARY:** 1:30—4:00 p.m., Room 309 (Capitol):

1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.:

Budget prioritization:

State Courts  
Public Defenders (trial and appellate)  
Capital Collateral Regional Counsel  
Justice Administration Commission

2:00 p.m. until completion:

SB 0092 by Senator Grant—Eminent Domain

Upon completion of SB 92:

SB 0550 by the Committee on Judiciary—Adoption

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, January 20, 1998, at 1:30 p.m.

**NATURAL RESOURCES:** 1:30—4:00 p.m., Room A (37-LL-Senate Office Building):

Presentation by Bob Mandell, Chairman of the Department of Environmental Protection's Solid Waste Management Trust Fund Review Commission

Presentation of staff report on interim project and consideration of proposed committee bills relating to activities funded by the Solid Waste Management Trust Fund

Consideration of proposed committee bills on coastal water quality issues

Presentation by the Department of Environmental Protection on the status of activities to restore the Ocklawaha River at Rodman Dam

SB 0376 by Senator Kirkpatrick—Solid Waste Disposal  
SB 0488 by Senator Forman—Hazardous Waste

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, January 20, 1998, at 1:30 p.m.

**REGULATED INDUSTRIES:** 1:30—4:00 p.m., Room EL (Senate Office Building):

Program and budget prioritization:

Department of the Lottery  
Florida Public Service Commission  
Department of Business and Professional Regulation

Presentation by Secretary Richard Farrell, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, on budget issues relating to tobacco settlement implementation

SB 0472 by Senator Dyer—Veterinary Medicine

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, January 20, 1998, at 1:30 p.m.

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 1998

**AGRICULTURE:** 9:00—11:30 a.m., Room 301 (Capitol):

SB 0410 by Senator Bronson—Ad Valorem Tax/Agricultural Crops

Discussion of State Agency Function/Activity Review and Prioritization Project of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

Discussion of State Agency Function/Activity Review and Prioritization Project of the Department of Citrus

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, January 21, 1998, at 9:00 a.m.

**EDUCATION:** 9:00—11:30 a.m., Room A (37-LL-Senate Office Building):

Dr. Adam Herbert, Chancellor of the State University System

State Government Function/Activity Review and Prioritization Project

SB 0086 by Senator Kirkpatrick—School Districts/Academic Enrichment

SB 0174 by Senator Kirkpatrick—Schools/Education Programs/Funds  
SB 0184 by Senator Kirkpatrick—School District Improvement

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, January 21, 1998, at 9:00 a.m.

**GOVERNMENTAL REFORM AND OVERSIGHT:** 9:00—11:30 a.m., Room 309 (Capitol):

SB 0534 by Senator Kirkpatrick—National Guard  
SB 0156 by the Committee on Governmental Reform and Oversight—Children & Family Services

SB 0108 by Senator Hargrett—Public Records/Child-care Facilities  
SB 0112 by Senator Latvala—Public Records/Employee Assistance  
CS/SB 0306 by the Committee on Education, Senator Grant and others—Universities/Tuition/Credit Cards

SB 0348 by Senator Cowin and others—Public Records/Minors/Statement

SB 0400 by Senator Burt—Florida Single Audit Act  
SB 0498 by Senator Sullivan and others—Tax Administration  
SB 0532 by Senator Grant—Fines/Executive-branch Agencies

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, January 21, 1998, at 9:00 a.m.

**HEALTH CARE:** 9:00—11:30 a.m., Room EL (Senate Office Building):

Presentation of the Final Report of the Commission on Integrated Health Care Delivery Systems

Discussion and adoption of committee recommendations regarding prioritization of programs of the Agency for Health Care Administration and the Department of Health

Discussion and adoption of committee recommendations regarding performance-based program budgeting for the Health Services Quality Assurance Program and the Medicaid Program of the Agency for Health Care Administration

SB 0484 by the Committee on Health Care—Public Assistance/Medicaid Services

SB 0290 by Senator Klein—Paramedics & EMTs

SB 0314 by Senator Brown-Waite—Regulation of Health Care Facilities

SB 0316 by Senator Brown-Waite—Public Record/Health Care Facilities

Workshop on draft Children's Health Insurance Program bill

Reports from the Agency for Health Care Administration and the Department of Health regarding rules that have been identified as exceeding statutory rulemaking authority

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, January 21, 1998, at 9:00 a.m.

**BANKING AND INSURANCE:** 1:30—4:00 p.m., Room EL (Senate Office Building):

SB 0412 by Senator Clary—Premium Finance Agreement Payments  
SB 0414 by Senator Campbell—Osteoporosis

Presentation of review of the Division of Safety, Department of Labor and Employment Security, by the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability

Final committee recommendations on Performance-Based Budgeting for the following programs:

Department of Banking and Finance - Financial Accountability for Public Funds  
Office of State Fire Marshal  
Department of Labor and Employment Security - Safety and Workers' Compensation

Final committee recommendations on prioritization of agency functions for the following agencies:

Department of Insurance  
Department of Banking and Finance

Discussion of implementation of health insurance portability and accountability of 1997 and issues related to increased access to health insurance coverage

Status report on rules needing remedial legislation for the following agencies:

Department of Insurance  
Department of Banking and Finance

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, January 21,  
1998, at 1:30 p.m.

**COMMUNITY AFFAIRS:** 1:30—4:00 p.m., Room 309 (Capitol):

SB 0058 by Senator Meadows—Relief/Kimberly L. Gonzalez  
SB 0140 by Senator Forman—Public Records/Housing Assistance  
SB 0254 by Senator Latvala and others—Baldomero Lopez State  
Nursing Home

Presentation by the Department of Community Affairs on the  
Function/Activity Review and Prioritization Project and the  
department's 1998 legislative package

Presentation by the Department of Veterans' Affairs on the Function/  
Activity Review and Prioritization Project and the department's 1998  
legislative package

Presentation by the Governor's Building Codes Study Commission

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, January 21,  
1998, at 1:30 p.m.

**CRIMINAL JUSTICE:** 1:30—4:00 p.m., Room A (37-LL-Senate  
Office Building):

Review performance-based budgeting. Review budget priority  
ratings:

Department of Corrections

Review budget priority ratings:

Department of Juvenile Justice

SB 0428 by the Committee on Criminal Justice—Domestic Violence  
SB 0444 by Senator Gutman—Criminal Mischief/Graffiti  
SB 0486 by Senator Silver—Department of Law Enforcement  
SB 0194 by Senator Childers and others—Florida Title Loan Act  
SB 0480 by Senator Klein—Controlled Substances/Child Care  
SB 0502 by Senator Gutman—Court Cost/Law Enforcement Funding

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, January 21,  
1998, at 1:30 p.m.

**TRANSPORTATION:** 1:30—4:00 p.m., Room 301 (Capitol):

WORKSHOP — Discussion and testimony only on the following (no  
vote to be taken):

SB 374 relating to "Compliance with Federal Clean Air Act, Mobile  
Sources"

SB 0028 by Senator Forman—Relief/Frank Roster/DOT  
SB 0224 by Senator Ostalkiewicz and others— Motorcycle  
Riders/Safety Equipment  
SB 0476 by Senator Dyer—Drivers' License Revocation

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, January 21,  
1998, at 1:30 p.m.

**WAYS AND MEANS SUBCOMMITTEE B (EDUCATION):**

7:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m., see comment below:

The subcommittee will not meet in Tallahassee on January 23, 1998.  
In lieu of a subcommittee meeting, members will be visiting various  
vocational programs in Seminole and Volusia counties. Members  
from the House Fiscal Responsibility Council (Education  
Appropriations) have also been invited to attend

**WAYS AND MEANS:** 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m., Room EL (Senate  
Office Building):

Full committee will meet if necessary for completion of January 20th  
agenda

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Thursday, January 22, 1998,  
at 9:00 a.m.

**JUVENILE JUSTICE ADVISORY BOARD:** 9:30 a.m.—4:30  
p.m. or upon completion of agenda, 3510 Biscayne Boulevard,  
Room 203, Miami, FL:

Committee Reports:

Outcome Evaluation Committee (OEC):

Presentation, revision and approval of a draft of the 1998  
Outcome Evaluation Report and Recommendations  
Status Report on the Young Chronic Offender Study  
Discussion of SB 334 relating to juvenile justice program  
accountability  
Other recommendations

Strategic Planning and Monitoring Committee (SPAM)

Presentation, revision and approval of a draft of the 1998 Annual  
Report and Fact Book  
Status Report on the Juvenile Transfers to Adult Court Study  
Status Report on Phase II of the Truancy Study  
Discussion of SB 334 relating to juvenile justice program  
accountability  
Other recommendations

Consideration of overall recommendations by the Advisory Board to  
the Legislature, Governor, Department of Juvenile Justice and others

Presentations on the juvenile justice system in District 11 by the  
following:

Katherine Fernandez Rundle, State Attorney, 11th Judicial Circuit  
Lester Langer, Co-Administrative Judge, 11th Circuit, Juvenile  
Division  
Kathy Tuell, Chairperson, District Juvenile Justice Board  
Joseph Ingraham, District Juvenile Justice Manager

Inquiries about additions to the agenda or the meeting should be  
directed to the Juvenile Justice Advisory Board staff at (850)  
922-4377 or SC 292-4377

# Senate Bills Filed

(REFERENCED AS OF JANUARY 13, 1998)

## **SB 2 by Childers—Relief/David Kelley & Kelley Estate**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Transportation; Ways and Means  
12/01/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Transportation  
12/02/97 Committee Action: CS by Transportation  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

## **SLB 4 by Forman—Relief/Garcia/Miami Beach**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
10/29/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs  
11/05/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

## **SLB 6 by Meadows—Relief/Michelle Ponce/Dade County**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
10/29/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs  
11/05/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

## **SLB 8 by Grant—Relief/Heather Roszell**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Health Care; Ways and Means  
10/29/97 Recommendation: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by The Special Master on Claim Bills; Now in Health Care  
11/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable with 2 amendment(s) by Health Care  
11/05/97 Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

## **SB 10 by Crist—Relief/Alice Berdat Estate/DOC**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Criminal Justice; Ways and Means  
11/24/97 Recommendation: Unfavorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills; Now in Criminal Justice  
12/02/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Criminal Justice; Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

## **SB 12 by Crist—Relief/Mary Beth Wiggers/DOC**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Criminal Justice; Ways and Means  
11/24/97 Recommendation: Unfavorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills; Now in Criminal Justice  
12/02/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Criminal Justice; Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

## **SLB 14 by Forman—Relief/Tirini S. Riley/Broward Co.**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Health Care; Ways and Means

11/26/97 Recommendation: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by The Special Master on Claim Bills; Now in Health Care  
12/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Health Care; Now in Ways and Means

## **SLB 16 by Turner—Relief/Lazaro Gutierrez/Dade County**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Education; Ways and Means  
10/29/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Education  
12/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Education; Now in Ways and Means

## **SB 18 by Clary—Relief/Ray Construction/DOR**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means  
10/31/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Governmental Reform and Oversight  
11/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Governmental Reform and Oversight  
11/04/97 Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

## **SB 20 by Clary—Relief/Dale R. Cowie/DMS**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means  
10/31/97 Recommendation: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by The Special Master on Claim Bills; Now in Governmental Reform and Oversight  
11/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Governmental Reform and Oversight  
11/04/97 Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

## **SLB 22 by Campbell—Relief/Triesa Wells/Pembroke Pines**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
10/31/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs  
11/05/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

## **SLB 24 by Forman—Relief/Jeremy Stewart/Sanibel**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Rules and Calendar; Ways and Means

## **SLB 26 by Turner—Relief/Adela Azcuy/Dade County**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
11/24/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs  
12/02/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means

## **SB 28 by Forman—Relief/Frank Roster/DOT**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Transportation; Ways and Means  
01/06/98 Recommendation: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by The Special Master on Claim Bills; Now in Transportation

**SLB 30 by Forman—Relief/Franklin Messick/Collier Co.**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
11/26/97 Recommendation: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by The Special Master on Claim Bills; Now in Community Affairs  
12/02/97 Committee Action: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means

**SLB 32 by Silver—Relief/Kathryn Malloy/Palm Beach Co.**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Education; Ways and Means  
11/24/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Education  
12/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Education; Now in Ways and Means

**SLB 34 by Casas—Relief/Bruce Wiggins/Metro Dade Co.**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
11/26/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs  
12/02/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means

**SLB 36 by Horne—Relief/Carrie A. Wilson/Duval County**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Education; Ways and Means  
11/26/97 Recommendation: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by The Special Master on Claim Bills; Now in Education  
12/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable with 2 amendment(s) by Education; Now in Ways and Means

**SLB 38 by Thomas—Relief/Dena Sheryl Steels/Leon Co.**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Education; Ways and Means  
10/29/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Education  
12/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Education; Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

**SLB 40 by Campbell—Relief/Bruce & Janie Silverman**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Health Care; Ways and Means  
10/29/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Health Care  
11/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Health Care  
11/05/97 Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

**SB 42 by Silver—Relief/Vernelle Lowder/HRS Dept.**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Health Care; Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Health Care  
01/06/98 Committee Action: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Health Care; Now in Ways and Means

**SLB 44 by Turner—Relief/Frank H. Holliday/Manatee Co.**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
10/29/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs

11/05/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

**SLB 46 by Holzendorf—Relief/Frances McGrady**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Transportation; Ways and Means  
12/23/97 Recommendation: Unfavorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills; Now in Transportation

**SLB 48 by Silver—Relief/Alan Taylor/SFWMD**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Natural Resources; Ways and Means  
12/02/97 Recommendation: Unfavorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills; Now in Natural Resources

**SLB 50 by Grant—Relief/Runette J. Bass/Columbia Co.**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Rules and Calendar; Ways and Means

**SLB 52 by Grant—Relief/Jemal Kurein/Tampa**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
11/24/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs  
01/06/98 Committee Action: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means

**SLB 54 by Dyer—Relief/Michelle Jones**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Health Care; Ways and Means  
10/31/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Health Care  
11/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable with 2 amendment(s) by Health Care  
11/05/97 Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

**SLB 56 by Klein—Relief/Julie McGinnes/Palm Beach Co.**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
10/30/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs  
11/05/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means

**SLB 58 by Meadows—Relief/Kimberly L. Gonzalez**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
12/23/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs

**SLB 60 by Gutman—Relief/Jeanette Alonso/Dade County**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Health Care; Ways and Means  
12/01/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Health Care  
12/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Health Care; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 62 by Diaz-Balart—Relief/Joseph B. Farver/CFS Dept.**

08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Children, Families and Seniors; Ways and Means

**SLB 64 by Gutman—Relief/Jose & Johammes Pena/Hialeah**  
08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
12/01/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs  
12/02/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 66 by Williams—Relief/Penny Tilley/FRS**  
08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means  
10/31/97 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Governmental Reform and Oversight  
12/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Governmental Reform and Oversight; Now in Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Committee Action:-Favorable by Ways and Means; Placed on Calendar

**SB 68 by Holzendorf—Relief/Freddie Pitts & Wilbert Lee**  
08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SLB 70 by Klein—Relief/Matthew White/Alachua Co.**  
08/01/97 Prefiled  
09/26/97 Referred to The Special Master on Claim Bills; Community Affairs; Ways and Means  
01/05/98 Recommendation: Favorable by The Special Master on Claim Bills ; Now in Community Affairs  
01/06/98 Committee Action: Favorable by Community Affairs; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 72 by Holzendorf—Public Officers & Employees**  
08/27/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Executive Business, Ethics and Elections

**SB 74 by Bronson—Local Govt. Code Enforcement**  
08/27/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary

**SB 76 by Jenne—School Superintendents/Benefits**  
09/02/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Education; Ways and Means  
01/06/98 Committee Action: Favorable by Education; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 78 by Childers—Athlete Agents**  
09/04/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Regulated Industries; Ways and Means  
01/07/98 Committee Action: Favorable by Regulated Industries; Now in Ways and Means

**SJR 80 by McKay—Legislative Sessions/Odd-years**  
09/04/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Rules and Calendar; Ways and Means

**SJR 82 by Burt—Legislative Authority Limits/Taxes**  
09/04/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Rules and Calendar; Ways and Means

**SB 84 by Burt—Tobacco-free Prisons Act**  
09/10/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 86 by Kirkpatrick—School Districts/Academic Enrichment**  
09/10/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Education; Ways and Means

**SB 88 by Campbell—Wrongful Death/Limitations**  
09/15/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Judiciary

**SB 90 by Campbell—Insurers/Solicitation of Survivors**  
09/15/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Banking and Insurance

**SB 92 by Grant—Eminent Domain**  
09/15/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Judiciary; Governmental Reform and Oversight; Transportation

**SB 94 by Grant—Cancer Control & Research/Prostate**  
09/15/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means  
11/03/97 Committee Action: CS by Health Care  
11/05/97 Now in Ways and Means

**SB 96 by Grant—Unrecognized Academic Degrees**  
09/15/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Education  
01/06/98 Committee Action:-CS by Education; Placed on Calendar

**SB 98 by Crist—Electricity/Use of Oromulsion**  
09/15/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Natural Resources; Regulated Industries

**SJR 100 by Bronson—Executive Depts./Water Mgmt. Depts.**  
09/15/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Agriculture; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

**SB 102 by Bronson—Executive Depts./Water Mgmt. Depts.**  
09/15/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Agriculture; Natural Resources; Ways and Means

**SJR 104 by Dyer—Legislative & Congressional Dist.**  
09/16/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Rules and Calendar; Ways and Means

**SB 106 by Gutman—Assault or Battery/Code Inspectors**  
09/16/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means  
10/07/97 Committee Action: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Criminal Justice  
10/08/97 Now in Ways and Means

**SB 108 by Hargrett—Public Records/Child Placing Agency**  
09/16/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors; Governmental Reform and Oversight  
10/07/97 Committee Action: Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Children, Families and Seniors  
10/08/97 Now in Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SB 110 by Hargrett—Airports/Licensing Exemption**  
09/16/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Transportation; Ways and Means  
12/02/97 Committee Action: CS by Transportation; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 112 by Latvala—Public Records/Employee Assistance**  
09/16/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SB 114 by Latvala—Molder's Liens**  
09/16/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Judiciary  
12/03/97 Committee Action:-CS by Judiciary; Placed on Calendar

**SB 116 by Holzendorf—Public Records/Domestic Violence**  
09/16/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors  
11/05/97 Committee Action:-Favorable by Children, Families and Seniors  
11/06/97 Placed on Calendar

**SB 118 by Holzendorf—Domestic Violence/Confidentiality**

09/16/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors  
11/05/97 Committee Action:-CS by Children, Families and Seniors  
11/06/97 Placed on Calendar

**SB 120 by Campbell—Domestic Violence Remedies**

09/17/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Judiciary; Children, Families and Seniors;  
Ways and Means

**SB 122 by Holzendorf—Medical Examiners/Examinations**

09/17/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Criminal Justice

**SB 124 by Forman—Ad Valorem Tax/School Districts**

09/17/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Community Affairs; Education; Ways and  
Means

**SB 126 by Grant—DOI/Insurance Commissioner**

09/17/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Banking and Insurance; Governmental Reform  
and Oversight; Ways and Means

**SB 128 by Grant—Florida Business Brokerage Board**

09/17/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways  
and Means

**SR 130 by Crist—Vijayanagar, Dr. R.**

09/17/97 Prefiled—Not referred

**SB 132 by Crist—Elections/Soliciting Pledges/Surveys**

09/17/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Executive Business, Ethics and Elections;  
Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SB 134 by Campbell—Motor Vehicle Liability**

09/17/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Banking and Insurance

**SB 136 by Forman—Dog Guides & Service Dogs/Training**

09/18/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Criminal Justice  
11/05/97 Committee Action:-Favorable by Criminal Justice  
11/06/97 Placed on Calendar

**SB 138 by Forman—FRS/Legislative Employees**

09/18/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Rules  
and Calendar; Ways and Means

**SB 140 by Forman—Public Records/Housing Assistance**

09/18/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Community Affairs

**SB 142 by Brown-Waite—Veterans/Employment Preference**

09/18/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Reform and  
Oversight; Ways and Means

**SB 144 by Brown-Waite—Wrongful Death/Recovery of Damages**

09/18/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Judiciary; Banking and Insurance

**SB 146 by Natural Resources—Petroleum Storage Systems**

09/18/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Natural Resources  
11/06/97 Committee Action:-Favorable by Natural Resources  
11/07/97 Placed on Calendar

**SB 148 by Sullivan—Clean Indoor Air**

09/18/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Community Affairs; Commerce and Economic  
Opportunities

**SB 150 by Sullivan—Journalist's Privilege**

09/18/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SB 152 by Latvala—Governor/Powers & Duties**

09/22/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Natural Resources; Executive Business, Ethics  
and Elections

**SB 154 by Campbell—Offenses That Evidence Prejudice**

09/22/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Criminal Justice  
11/05/97 Committee Action:-CS by Criminal Justice  
11/07/97 Placed on Calendar

**SB 156 by Governmental Reform and Oversight— Children & Family Services**

09/23/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways  
and Means

**SR 158 by Forman—Osteopathic Medicine Day**

09/23/97 Prefiled—Not referred

**SB 160 by Kirkpatrick—State University System**

09/23/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Education; Ways and Means

**SB 162 by Brown-Waite—Managed Care/Subscriber Grievances**

09/24/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Health Care; Banking and Insurance; Ways and  
Means  
11/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Health Care  
11/05/97 Now in Banking and Insurance  
01/06/98 Committee Action: CS by Banking and Insurance; Now in  
Ways and Means

**SJR 164 by Jenne—Attorney General**

09/24/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Rules and Calendar

**SB 166 by Brown-Waite—Public Records/Meetings/Managed Care**

09/24/97 Prefiled  
09/29/97 Referred to Health Care; Governmental Reform and  
Oversight  
11/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Health Care  
11/05/97 Now in Governmental Reform and Oversight  
01/06/98 Committee Action:-Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by  
Governmental Reform and Oversight; Placed on Calendar

**SB 168 by Burt—FRS/Elected State & County Officers**

09/30/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways  
and Means

**SB 170 by Childers—Rural Hospitals**

09/30/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means  
12/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Health Care; Now in Ways  
and Means

**SB 172 by Horne—Motor Vehicle License Plates/Seizure**

09/30/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Transportation; Banking and Insurance; Ways  
and Means

**SB 174 by Kirkpatrick—Schools/Education Programs/Funds**

09/30/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Education; Ways and Means

**SB 176 by Meadows—Tenants/Repair to Rental Property**

10/01/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Judiciary

**SB 178 by Burt—Building Designations**

10/03/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Transportation  
01/06/98 Committee Action:-CS by Transportation; Placed on Calendar

**SB 180 by Kirkpatrick—Early Education & Child Care TF**

10/03/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors; Education; Ways and Means

**SB 182 by Kirkpatrick—Early Education & Child Care**

10/03/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors; Education; Ways and Means

**SB 184 by Kirkpatrick—School District Improvement**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Education

**SB 186 by Grant—Personal Injury Protection Insurance**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Banking and Insurance

**SB 188 by Brown-Waite—Transitional Living Facilities**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Health Care  
12/02/97 Committee Action: Favorable with 2 amendment(s) by Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Now in Health Care  
01/06/98 Committee Action:-CS by Health Care; Placed on Calendar

**SB 190 by McKay—Driver's Licenses**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Transportation; Ways and Means  
12/02/97 Committee Action: CS by Transportation; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 192 by Horne—Community Contribution Tax Credits**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Ways and Means

**SB 194 by Childers—Florida Title Loan Act**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/28/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 196 by Klein—Execution**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 198 by Klein—Death by Lethal Injection/Records**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Criminal Justice

**SB 200 by Klein—County Court Assessments**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SJR 202 by Crist—Voter Approval/Taxes**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

**SB 204 by Brown-Waite—Candidates/Reporting Requirements**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Executive Business, Ethics and Elections

**SB 206 by Crist—Crime Victim's Protection Act**

10/06/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary

**SB 208 by Brown-Waite—Nursing Home Facilities**

10/07/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means  
01/06/98 Committee Action: CS by Health Care; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 210 by Rossin—Speedy Trial Reform**

10/07/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Rules and Calendar

**SB 212 by Meadows—Bad Check Charges**

10/07/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary  
12/02/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Criminal Justice; Now in Judiciary

**SB 214 by Jenne—Sentencing/Criminal Punishment Code**

10/07/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 216 by Gutman—Deferred Retirement Option Program**

10/09/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means  
01/06/98 Committee Action: CS by Governmental Reform and Oversight; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 218 by Rossin—Employment Screening/Criminals**

10/09/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities  
01/06/98 Committee Action:-Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Placed on Calendar

**SB 220 by Forman—Unemployment Compensation**

10/09/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities

**SB 222 by Burt—Bond Requirements/Public Officers**

10/09/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SB 224 by Ostalkiewicz—Motorcycle Riders/Safety Equipment**

10/09/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Transportation; Banking and Insurance; Ways and Means

**SB 226 by Banking and Insurance—Family Day Care Homes/Insurance**

10/09/97 Prefiled  
10/23/97 Referred to Banking and Insurance  
01/06/98 Committee Action:-CS by Banking and Insurance; Placed on Calendar

**SB 228 by Gutman—Health Ins./Cranio-facial Anomalies**

10/09/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means

**SB 230 by Agriculture—Food & Building Permits**

10/09/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Agriculture; Ways and Means  
11/03/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Agriculture; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 232 by Banking and Insurance—Windstorm Insurance**  
10/09/97 Prefiled  
10/23/97 Referred to Banking and Insurance  
01/06/98 Committee Action:-Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by  
Banking and Insurance; Placed on Calendar

**SB 234 by Regulated Industries—Water & Wastewater Utility Systems**  
10/10/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Regulated Industries

**SB 236 by Children, Families and Seniors—Mental Health/Children & Adolescents**  
10/10/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors; Ways and Means  
01/06/98 Committee Action: CS by Children, Families and Seniors;  
Now in Ways and Means

**SB 238 by Regulated Industries—Professions & Occupations/Regulation**  
10/13/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Regulated Industries  
12/03/97 Committee Action:-Favorable by Regulated Industries;  
Placed on Calendar

**SB 240 by Executive Business, Ethics and Elections— Overseas Electors & Faxed Ballots**  
10/13/97 Prefiled  
10/24/97 Referred to Executive Business, Ethics and Elections;  
Ways and Means  
11/05/97 Committee Action: Favorable by Executive Business,  
Ethics and Elections; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 242 by Grant—Fla. Safety Belt Law**  
10/15/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Transportation; Judiciary

**SB 244 by Natural Resources—Drycleaning Solvent Cleanup**  
10/15/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Natural Resources; Ways and Means

**SJR 246 by Diaz-Balart—Homestead Tax Exemption**  
10/20/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Community Affairs; Ways and Means; Rules  
and Calendar

**SB 248 by Brown-Waite—Health Care Professionals**  
10/20/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care

**SB 250 by Health Care—Certificates of Need**  
10/20/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means  
12/03/97 Committee Action: CS by Health Care; Now in Ways and  
Means

**SB 252 by Brown-Waite—Telecommunications**  
10/20/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Regulated Industries; Ways and Means

**SB 254 by Latvala—Baldomero Lopez State Nursing Home**  
10/21/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Community Affairs

**SB 256 by Health Care—Health Care Professionals/Regulation**  
10/22/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means

**SB 258 by Williams—Motor Vehicle Title Loans**  
10/24/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Banking and Insurance; Ways  
and Means

**SB 260 by Health Care—Confidentiality/Medical Records**  
10/29/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care

**SB 262 by Rossin—Firearms/Safe Storage**  
10/29/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 264 by Rossin—Adoption/Sibling Communication**  
10/29/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Judiciary; Children, Families and Seniors

**SB 266 by Childers—Firefighters & Police Pension TF**  
10/29/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Community Affairs; Ways and Means

**SB 268 by Grant—Mental Illness Insurance Parity Act**  
10/29/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Banking and Insurance; Ways and Means

**SB 270 by Childers—Firefighters & Police Pension TF**  
10/29/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Community Affairs; Ways and Means

**SB 272 by Grant—Citizen Participation in Govt. Act**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Judiciary; Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SB 274 by Grant—Sales Tax/Commercial Property Leases**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance  
and Tax); Ways and Means; Commerce and Economic  
Opportunities

**SB 276 by Brown-Waite—Controlled Substances**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 278 by Grant—Taxation of Intangible Property**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance  
and Tax); Ways and Means; Banking and Insurance

**SB 280 by Williams—Farm Equipment & MV Parts/Franchises**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities;  
Judiciary

**SB 282 by Crist—Keep Kids Drug-Free License Plate**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Transportation; Ways and Means

**SB 284 by Crist—Prisoners/Work Requirements**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 286 by Crist—Pharmacy Practice**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care; Banking and Insurance

**SB 288 by Thomas—Rural Hospitals**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means  
01/06/98 Committee Action: Favorable with 2 amendment(s) by  
Health Care; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 290 by Klein—Paramedics & EMTs**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care

**SB 292 by Brown-Waite—Public Records/Patient Information**  
11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care; Governmental Reform and  
Oversight

**SB 294 by Brown-Waite—Home Medical Equipment Providers**

11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means

**SB 296 by Grant—Religious Freedom Restoration Act**

11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Judiciary; Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SJR 298 by Grant—Religious Freedom**

11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Judiciary; Governmental Reform and Oversight; Rules and Calendar

**SB 300 by Hargrett—Enterprise Zones**

11/05/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax); Ways and Means; Community Affairs

**SB 302 by Lee—Emergency Medical Services**

11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Community Affairs

**SB 304 by Childers—Organ & Tissue Donation**

11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means

**SB 306 by Grant—Universities/Tuition/Credit Cards**

11/05/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Education; Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means  
01/06/98 Committee Action: CS by Education; Now in Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SB 308 by Clary—Victim of Crime/Rights**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary

**SB 310 by Bronson—Parole/Sex Offender/Murderer/ID Card**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Transportation; Ways and Means

**SB 312 by Brown-Waite—Ground or Surface Water/Transport**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Natural Resources; Community Affairs

**SB 314 by Brown-Waite—Regulation of Health Care Facilities**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care; Banking and Insurance; Ways and Means

**SB 316 by Brown-Waite—Public Record/Health Care Facilities**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Health Care; Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SB 318 by Dyer—Real Estate Appraisals**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Regulated Industries

**SB 320 by Ostalkiewicz—Intangible Personal Property Tax**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax); Ways and Means; Commerce and Economic Opportunities

**SB 322 by Ostalkiewicz—Taxpayer Rights**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Ways and Means

**SJR 324 by Ostalkiewicz—Taxes/Tangible Personal Property**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Rules and Calendar; Ways and Means

**SB 326 by Ostalkiewicz—Revenue Estimating Conference**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax); Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

**SB 328 by Ostalkiewicz—Sales Tax Exemptions/Aircraft**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax); Ways and Means; Commerce and Economic Opportunities

**SM 330 by Campbell—Older Americans Act**

11/06/97 Prefiled  
11/19/97 Referred to Rules and Calendar

**SB 332 by Forman—Juvenile Justice**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice

**SB 334 by Criminal Justice—Juvenile Justice Programs**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 336 by Commerce and Economic Opportunities—International Economic Development**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities

**SB 338 by Latvala—Sales Tax Exemption on Electricity**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax); Ways and Means; Commerce and Economic Opportunities

**SB 340 by Clary—Real Estate**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Regulated Industries; Ways and Means

**SB 342 by Campbell—Condominium Association Liens**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Regulated Industries; Judiciary; Banking and Insurance

**SB 344 by Campbell—Arrestment of Juvenile**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary

**SB 346 by Campbell—Law Enf. & Correctional Officers**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice

**SB 348 by Cowin—Public Records/Minors/Statement**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight

**SB 350 by Klein—Execution by Lethal Injection**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 352 by Brown-Waite—Foster Care/Privatization**

11/10/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors; Ways and Means

**SB 354 by Rossin—Elections/Absentee Ballots**

11/12/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Executive Business, Ethics and Elections

**SB 356 by Williams—Death Penalty Appeals Reform Act**

11/12/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Ways and Means

**SB 358 by Burt—Controlled Substances/Public Housing**

11/20/97 Prefiled  
12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 360 by Burt—Execution by Lethal Injection**  
 11/20/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

**SB 362 by Crist—Public Office/Candidacy/Leave**  
 11/20/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Executive Business, Ethics and Elections

**SB 364 by Health Care—Public Records/Natural Persons**  
 11/20/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Health Care

**SB 366 by Williams—Concealed Weapons/Nonresidents**  
 11/20/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice

**SB 368 by Kurth—Motorcycle Safety Education**  
 11/24/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Transportation; Ways and Means

**SB 370 by Silver—Municipal Water & Sewer Utilities**  
 11/24/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Community Affairs; Regulated Industries

**SB 372 by Silver—Workers' Comp/Chiropractic Services**  
 11/24/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Banking and Insurance

**SB 374 by Transportation—Motor Vehicle Emissions Inspections**  
 11/25/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Transportation; Natural Resources; Ways and Means

**SB 376 by Kirkpatrick—Solid Waste Disposal**  
 11/25/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Natural Resources; Ways and Means

**SB 378 by Rossin—Forensic Client Services Act**  
 11/25/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Children, Families and Seniors; Ways and Means

**SB 380 by Williams—Florida Retirement System**  
 12/01/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means  
 01/06/98 Committee Action: CS by Governmental Reform and Oversight; Now in Ways and Means

**SB 382 by Dantzer—Secondhand Goods Definition**  
 12/01/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Banking and Insurance

**SB 384 by Grant—Children's Services/Special Dist.**  
 12/01/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Community Affairs

**SB 386 by Holzendorf—Educ./Teacher Preparation Program**  
 12/01/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Education; Ways and Means

**SB 388 by Holzendorf—Math & Sciences Academy/Study Committee**  
 12/01/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Education; Ways and Means

**SB 390 by Holzendorf—Community College Faculty Diversity**  
 12/01/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Education; Ways and Means

**SB 392 by Holzendorf—Substance Abuse Treatment**  
 12/01/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors

**SB 394 by Forman—Human Rights Committees**  
 12/01/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Judiciary

**SB 396 by Forman—Human Rights Advocacy Councils**  
 12/01/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors

**SB 398 by Klein—Sexually Violent Predator Treatment**  
 12/02/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Criminal Justice; Children, Families and Seniors; Ways and Means

**SB 400 by Burt—Florida Single Audit Act**  
 12/02/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means

**SB 402 by Meadows—Social Work Practice**  
 12/02/97 Prefiled  
 12/16/97 Referred to Health Care; Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means

## Newly Filed Senate Bills

(REFERENCED SINCE LAST CALENDAR)

**SB 404 by Bronson**  
**Criminal Penalty/Jail Rules;** provides criminal penalty for refusing to obey jail rules & regulations. Amends 951.23. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.  
 12/02/97 Prefiled  
 01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice

**SB 406 by Clary**  
**Land Platting;** defines terms re platting; requires plats & replats of subdivisions submitted for approval to be accompanied by boundary survey of platted lands; revises provisions re naming & replatting subdivisions; provides requirements for recording of plat; revises provisions re approval of plats by governing bodies; requires plats to be reviewed by professional surveyor & mapper before approval by governing body, etc. Amends Ch. 177. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.  
 12/02/97 Prefiled  
 01/06/98 Referred to Regulated Industries

**SJR 408 by Gutman**  
**Homestead Exemption/Age 65 or Older;** constitutional amendment to authorize Legislature to provide additional homestead exemption of up to \$25,000 to persons age 65 or older. Amends s. 6, Art. VII.  
 12/03/97 Prefiled  
 01/06/98 Referred to Community Affairs; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

## SB 410 by Bronson

**Ad Valorem Tax/Agricultural Crops;** specifies types of additional use factors that property appraiser may consider in assessing agricultural land; provides that property appraiser, when utilizing income methodology approach, shall rely on 5-year moving average data for certain crops; provides applicability. Amends 193.461. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Agriculture; Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Ways and Means

## SB 412 by Clary

**Premium Finance Agreement Payments;** provides that any installment paid to premium finance company under premium finance agreement shall be deemed to be timely payment if it is received with postmark on or before due date; provides applicability. Amends 627.841. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Banking and Insurance

## SB 414 by Campbell

**Osteoporosis;** includes osteoporosis education in instruction required for high school graduation; expands groups targeted to receive educational materials under osteoporosis prevention & education program to include women of all ages; expands required insurance coverage for osteoporosis-related matters. Amends 233.061, 381.87, 627.6409,.6691. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Banking and Insurance; Education; Ways and Means

## SB 416 by Campbell

**Children's Protection Act of 1998;** creates said act; redefines offense of unlawful exposure or exhibition of sexual organs to prohibit appearing naked under specified circumstances; creates offenses of "lewd or lascivious battery," "lewd or lascivious molestation," "lewd or lascivious conduct," & "lewd or lascivious exhibition"; precludes consent from being raised as defense except in certain circumstances; provides exception for maternal breastfeeding, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

## SB 418 by Bronson

**Judicial Nominating Commissions;** provides for judicial nominating commission to include at least one resident from each county within judicial circuit. Amends 43.29. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Judiciary

## SB 420 by Holzendorf

**Firearms;** defines term "locking device"; provides that locking device may be used for purpose of lawfully storing firearm within access of minor, as defined; requires person to secure firearm with locking device under specified circumstances when firearm is left or stored on premises where such minor resides; prohibits person who is not licensed firearms dealer from purchasing more than one handgun within 30-day period, etc. Amends Ch. 790. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

## SB 422 by Meadows

**Community Outreach Partnership Act;** creates Florida Community Outreach Partnership Act; directs Community Affairs Secretary to carry out demonstration program to determine feasibility of facilitating partnerships between state universities & communities to solve urban problems; authorizes grants to state universities to establish Fla. Community Outreach Partnership Centers; provides requirements re state & nonstate share of grants; requires reports, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Community Affairs; Education; Ways and Means

## SB 424 by Crist

**Violent Offenders/Public Notices;** requires sheriff or chief of police of county or municipality wherein offender released from incarceration plans to reside to notify public if offender is violent offender; specifies information to be provided to public; defines term "violent offender" for certain purposes, to mean person who has been convicted of specified violent felonies or convicted of attempt or conspiracy to commit such felonies. Creates 775.212. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Community Affairs

## SB 426 by Crist

**Public Service Commission;** provides for nonpartisan election of members of commission; provides for initial election of commissioners under this act; amends provisions to conform; repeals certain provision re Florida Public Service Commission Nominating Council. Amends 350.01,.001,.04,.041,.043,.0605, 112.324; repeals 350.031. Effective Date: 01/02/2001 except ss. 2 & 10 effective upon becoming law.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Regulated Industries; Governmental Reform and Oversight; Rules and Calendar

## SB 428 by Criminal Justice

**Domestic Violence;** redefines term "domestic violence"; requires that if person is ordered by court to attend a batterers' intervention program, the program must be program certified by DOC; authorizes chief judge of each judicial circuit to establish court to hear cases against violent career criminals, habitual felony offenders, habitual violent felony offenders, & prison releasee reoffenders. Amends 741.28,.281,.2909, 775.084. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Ways and Means

## SB 430 by Brown-Waite

**School Health Services Program;** requires Education Dept. consultation with Health Dept.; provides staff requirements for school health services program; provides for use of funds; provides for reports; provides for appropriations. Amends 381.0056. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Health Care; Education; Ways and Means

## SB 432 by Cowin

**Water & Wastewater Utilities;** requires Public Service Commission to extend time periods & reschedule events by number of days utility

is late in providing discovery. Amends 367.081. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Regulated Industries

### SB 434 by Dyer

**Sales Tax Exempt./Pollution Control;** provides exemption for certain processes, facilities, equipment, & machinery used for pollution prevention or control, & for structures or equipment associated with replacement thereof; provides for certification by DEP. Amends 212.051. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/03/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax); Ways and Means; Natural Resources

### SB 436 by Regulated Industries

**Harness Horse Taxes;** revives & readopts provision re harness horse taxes; repeals certain provision as created by ch. 93-288, Laws of Florida. Abrogates repeal of 550.09512. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Regulated Industries; Ways and Means

### SB 438 by Regulated Industries

**Tax on Handle & Jai Alai Taxes;** reenacts provisions re tax on handle & jai alai taxes; abrogates certain future amendments of said provisions. Reenacts 550.0951(3),.09511(2). Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Regulated Industries; Ways and Means

### SB 440 by Regulated Industries

**Thoroughbred Horse Taxes;** provides legislative intent re thoroughbred horse taxes; reenacts provision re minimum purse requirements. Reenacts 550.2625(1). Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Regulated Industries; Ways and Means

### SB 442 by Campbell

**Forensic Client Services;** specifies persons or entities that may file petition for proposed involuntary admission to residential services re forensic services; provides for petitions for defendants with autism; prohibits release from order for involuntary admission except by court order; amends & reorganizes Forensic Client Services Act; provides for client protection & security, etc. Amends 40.29, 393.11, Ch. 916; reenacts 394.467(7)(a). Effective Date: Contingent.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors; Criminal Justice

### SB 444 by Gutman

**Criminal Mischief/Graffiti;** provides that county or municipality is not preempted by state law from establishing ordinance that prohibits marking of graffiti or other graffiti-related offenses & penalizes such offenses with higher penalties than those provided by state law or with mandatory penalties; provides for arrest without warrant when there is probable cause to believe that person has committed criminal mischief, etc. Amends 806.13, 901.15. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Community Affairs; Ways and Means

### SB 446 by Diaz-Balart

**Opticianry;** updates definition of "department"; defines term "refracting optician" & revises definition of "opticianry," to conform; authorizes refracting opticians to prescribe corrective lenses under certain circumstances; grants Board of Opticianry authority to adopt rules re standard of practice for refracting opticians & minimum equipment required to perform their work, etc. Amends Ch. 484; reenacts 484.011,.013(1)(c). Effective Date: Contingent.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Regulated Industries; Health Care

### SB 448 by Diaz-Balart

**Tangible Personal Property/Donations;** provides exemption for tangible personal property donated by dealer to nonprofit organization that holds current certificate of exemption; provides that taxes imposed by provisions re tax on sales, use & other transactions before effective date of act & not actually collected on transactions qualified for such exemption are not due from any person. Amends 212.06. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means; Commerce and Economic Opportunities

### SB 450 by Campbell

**Scalp Hair Prostheses/Health Care;** requires certain health insurance policies, health care services plans, or other contracts to provide coverage for scalp hair prostheses. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Banking and Insurance

### SB 452 by Brown-Waite

**Fla. Mobile Home Act;** revises definition of "pass-through charge"; revises provisions re bona fide offer of purchase made to mobile home park owner; provides for rights of mobile home owners when such offer of purchase includes other property or more than one mobile home park; revises definition of term "affiliate"; revises provisions re number of members which constitutes quorum re homeowners' associations, etc. Amends 723.003,.071,.072,.078. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary

### SB 454 by Gutman

**Sovereign Immunity/Prison Guards;** provides limited waiver of sovereign immunity for liability for torts committed by private prison guards. Amends 768.28. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary

### SB 456 by Crist

**Congressional Candidates;** requires certain information to be placed on ballot informing electors of candidates' acts re proposal to limit Congressional terms; provides duties of Department of State; provides for appeal of department determinations; provides repealer & legislative intent; amends provisions to conform. Amends 101.181,.191. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Executive Business, Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules and Calendar

## SB 458 by Crist

**Sales Tax Exempt./Credit Counseling;** provides exemption for consumer credit counseling services. Amends 212.08. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax); Ways and Means; Commerce and Economic Opportunities

## SB 460 by Crist

**Victim Assistance;** requires that Crime Victims' Services Office of Legal Affairs Dept. establish toll-free telephone number to provide information on status of person accused or convicted of crime; provides for information to be available to crime victim, relative of homicide victim, or witness of crimes; provides requirements for operating number; requires said office to provide updated address info for victim, relative, or witness to specified agencies, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Ways and Means

## SB 462 by Crist

**Court Enforcement Program Act;** creates "Comprehensive Court Enforcement Program Act"; provides for creation of program by Supreme Court; provides for screening of cases for inclusion in program; provides for hearings, negotiated settlements, & alternatives to full payment; provides fees & definition; provides for transfer of certain community service matters to program for compliance sanctions; provides for effective date of implementation of program, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Judiciary; Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

## SB 464 by Crist

**Conserve Wildlife License Plate;** creates Conserve Wildlife license plate; provides for distribution of annual use fees received from sale of such license plates. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Transportation; Natural Resources; Ways and Means

## SB 466 by Crist

**Surplus Food Distribution;** provides legislative intent & application; requires certain persons & organizations to make reasonable efforts to provide, collect, transport, & distribute certain excess or surplus food; provides definitions; clarifies application. Amends 570.0725, 768.136. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities

## SB 468 by Klein

**Community Hospital Protection Act;** creates said act; provides for sale, lease, exchange, conveyance, merger, or other transfer of assets or management authority of nonprofit hospital to for-profit enterprise; provides prerequisites to such transfer, including provision by nonprofit hospital of certain statements & notice, & conduct of public hearings; provides for Attorney General or state attorney to challenge such proposed transaction through action for declaratory judgment, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Health Care; Community Affairs

## SB 470 by Bronson

**Land Use by G&FWFC;** provides for recreational user permit fee to hunt, fish, or otherwise use for outdoor recreational purposes, land leased by Game & Fresh Water Fish Commission from private nongovernmental owners; provides for setting of fee by rule; provides for exceptions to application of fee. Amends 372.57. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Natural Resources; Ways and Means

## SB 472 by Dyer

**Veterinary Medicine;** revises & provides exemptions from regulation under provisions re veterinary medical practice; requires criteria for providers of continuing education to be approved by board; exempts veterinarians licensed in another state from certain requirements for temporary licensure in this state; requires limited service permittees to register each location & provides registration fee, etc. Amends Ch. 474. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Regulated Industries; Ways and Means

## SB 474 by Dyer

**Community Policing Innovations;** includes reduction or prevention of crime within community redevelopment activities under Community Redevelopment Act of 1969 & defines "community policing innovation"; authorizes county or municipality to appropriate funds for community policing innovations; includes community policing innovations within safe neighborhood improvement plans, etc. Amends Ch. 163; creates 943.1729. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Community Affairs

## SB 476 by Dyer

**Drivers' License Revocation;** provides for revocation of defendant's driver's license to commence only after expiration of defendant's term of incarceration following conviction for certain offenses involving driving under influence, manslaughter resulting from operating motor vehicle, or vehicular homicide. Amends 322.28. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/04/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Transportation

## SB 478 by Forman

**Managed-Care-Subscriber/Rights;** creates "Managed-Care-Subscriber's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities"; specifies purpose of act; requires organization that offers managed-care plan to provide certain information about plan to prospective subscriber in the plan; requires that health-care provider observe certain standards in providing health care for subscribers in managed-care plan; provides for access to health care & medical treatment, etc. Creates 641.555,.5551. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Health Care; Banking and Insurance; Ways and Means

## SB 480 by Klein

**Controlled Substances/Child Care;** corrects misplaced statutory provision re unlawful sale or possession of controlled substance within specified area surrounding child care facility; provides that certain enhanced penalties do not apply unless owner or operator of

facility posts sign identifying facility as a child care facility. Amends 893.13. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice

### SB 482 by Rossin

**Educational Facilities;** requires boards to prequalify bidders for construction contracts according to Education Commissioner rule; requires certification or licensure of bidders or contractors; conforms language re construction contractors; repeals certain provisions re electrical & alarm system contractors & fire protection system contractors, to conform. Amends 235.31, 489.125; repeals 489.527, 633.551(5). Effective Date: contingent.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Education; Regulated Industries

### SB 484 by Health Care

**Public Assistance/Medicaid Services;** requires agency to establish reimbursement methodology for long-term-care services for Medicaid-eligible nursing home residents; specifies requirements for methodology; provides certain limitations on payments made by agency for Medicare services rendered to Medicaid-eligible persons; authorizes agency to include disease-management initiatives in providing & monitoring Medicaid services, etc. Amends Ch. 409, 414.28, 198.30, 733.212. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Health Care; Ways and Means

### SB 486 by Silver

**Department of Law Enforcement;** provides additional authority for executive director of department re organization of department; provides for department to be reorganized into specified programs; deletes division structure; requires department to develop & maintain information system; authorizes department to enter into contracts; deletes requirement that certain agencies inform department of persons incarcerated or released from jail, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means

### SB 488 by Forman

**Hazardous Waste;** authorizes DEP to exercise control over hazardous waste corrective-action programs; redefines term "hazardous waste facility"; provides legislative intent for state implementation of corrective-action provisions of federal law; provides for delegation of federal corrective-action program to dept.; provides criteria for state corrective-action program for hazardous waste facilities, etc. Amends Ch. 403. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Natural Resources; Ways and Means

### SB 490 by Silver

**Health Maintenance Organizations;** establishes exclusive liability of health maintenance organizations; provides additional criteria for certain provider contracts; specifies additional practices as unfair methods of competition or unfair or deceptive acts or practices; authorizes civil actions against HMOs by certain persons under certain circumstances; prohibits punitive damages under certain circumstances, etc. Amends 440.11, 641.28,.315,.3903,.3917. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Ways and Means

### SB 492 by McKay

**Property Tax/Value Adjustment Board;** revises time for notice to petitioner of scheduled time of appearance before said board. Amends 194.032. Effective Date: 01/01/1999.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Community Affairs; Ways and Means

### SB 494 by Silver

**Domestic Violence;** redefines term "domestic violence" for purposes of training provided by Florida Court Educational Council; prohibits court from awarding visitation rights to parent who has been convicted of capital felony or first-degree felony that involved domestic violence; requires that Supreme Court require judges who hear cases involving domestic violence to attend educational programs on domestic violence, etc. Amends 25.385, 61.13. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Judiciary; Ways and Means

### SB 496 by Kirkpatrick

**State Employee Telecommuting Program;** repeals s. 3 of ch. 94-113, Laws of Florida; abrogates repeal of provision which establishes state employee telecommuting program. Abrogates repeal of 110.171. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means

### SB 498 by Sullivan

**Tax Administration;** authorizes DOR to initiate certified audits project under which taxpayers may hire qualified practitioners to review & report on their tax compliance; provides requirements for participation by such practitioners & taxpayers; authorizes settlement or compromise of penalties & abatement of interest for taxpayers who participate in project, etc. Creates 213.285; amends 213.053,.21. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/08/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means

### SB 500 by Burt

**Tax Exemption/Industrial Machinery;** provides sales tax exemption for industrial machinery & equipment purchased for use in expanding certain printing or publishing facilities. Amends 212.08. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/09/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax); Ways and Means; Commerce and Economic Opportunities

### SB 502 by Gutman

**Court Cost/Law Enforcement Funding;** imposes additional court cost on fines for criminal offenses in county & circuit courts; authorizes courts to increase amount under certain conditions; provides for deposit in Crime Stoppers Trust Fund; provides for distribution of such funds in trust fund by Legal Affairs Department to counties to support official Crime Stoppers & their programs. Creates 938.06; amends 16.555. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/09/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Ways and Means

## SB 504 by Latvala

**Firearms-related Licenses;** extends licensure period for certain licenses; extends licensure period for concealed weapons licenses; requires persons who conduct or instruct certain gun safety & licensure courses to maintain records. Amends 493.6111,.6113, 790.06. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/09/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

## SB 506 by Rossin

**Public Records/CFS Department;** deletes provisions re release of records of Children & Family Services Department which pertain to investigation of death of disabled adult or elderly person as result of abuse, neglect, or exploitation or death of child as result of abuse, neglect, or abandonment; revises provisions re release of records in event of death of child as result of abuse, abandonment, or neglect, etc. Amends 119.07, 415.107,.51; repeals 415.107(1)(b),.51(1)(b). Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/10/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Children, Families and Seniors;  
Governmental Reform and Oversight

## SB 508 by Horne

**Alcohol Impairment Notification;** authorizes certain health care providers who become aware of person's unlawful blood-alcohol level to notify law enforcement officials; prescribes form for notice; provides that such reporting is not violation of any ethical or moral duty; prohibits any action or administrative proceeding being brought against anyone participating in good faith in making such report, etc. Amends 316.1932,.1933. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/12/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Criminal Justice

## SB 510 by Horne

**Securities Transactions;** specifies additional securities as exempt from certain registration requirements; clarifies exemption of certain securities in certain transactions from registration requirements; authorizes Banking & Finance Dept. to adopt certain rules for electronic deposits & filings; specifies notice filing requirements for federal covered advisers, etc. Amends Ch. 517. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/12/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Banking and Insurance; Ways and Means

## SB 512 by Cowin

**Excess Utility Payments Refund;** requires Comptroller to provide refund to certain utility customers who paid more under uniform rate structure than those customers would have paid under modified stand-alone rate structure; requires Public Service Commission to notify utility customers who are eligible for refund; provides requirements for applying for refund; requires Comptroller to verify eligibility for refund, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/16/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Regulated Industries; Ways and Means

## SB 514 by Grant

**Sexual Predator Registration;** removes exception to sexual predator registration requirements which authorizes court to remove sexual predator designation upon petition by sexual predator who has not been arrested for at least 10 years following release. Amends 775.21. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/18/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Criminal Justice

## SB 516 by Hargrett

**Murphy Act Lands;** provides for conveyance of all Murphy Act transportation easements to govt. entity currently having title to adjacent roadway; requires establishment of procedure for review of deeds containing Murphy Act transportation reservations; sets requirements for review process; provides for compensation of certain property owners when deed has not contained statement of reservation since passage of Marketable Record Title Act. Amends 253.82. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/18/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Transportation; Natural Resources; Judiciary

## SB 518 by Grant

**Mergers/Businesses or Corporations;** provides additional criterion of shareholder agreements; provides for mergers of domestic corporations & other business entities under certain circumstances; requires plan of merger; provides criteria; provides for articles of merger & for effect of merger; provides for mergers of limited liability companies under certain circumstances; provides for rights of dissenting members, etc. Amends Chs. 607, 608, 620. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/18/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Commerce and Economic Opportunities;  
Judiciary; Ways and Means

## SB 520 by Ostalkiewicz

**Intangible Personal Property/Taxes;** creates exemptions from taxation of intangible personal property for taxpayers who are not natural persons. Amends 199.185. Effective Date: 01/01/1999.

12/18/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance  
and Tax); Ways and Means; Commerce and Economic  
Opportunities

## SB 522 by Ostalkiewicz

**Sales Tax Exemption/Nonprofit Orgs.;** provides exemption from sales tax for certain nonprofit organizations. Amends 212.08. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/18/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance  
and Tax); Ways and Means; Commerce and Economic  
Opportunities

## SB 524 by Campbell

**Offense of Murder/Redefined;** redefines offense of capital murder in first degree to include act of unlawfully killing human being while perpetrating, or attempting to perpetrate, murder of another human being; reenacts certain provisions re termination of parental rights, screening standards, violent offenses against law enforcement officers & others, Criminal Punishment Code, blood testing, & Control Release Auth., to incorporate amendment. Amends 782.04; reenacts FS. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/18/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

## SB 526 by Campbell

**Protective Service/Victim & Witness;** redefines term "serious felony offense" to include attempt, solicitation, or conspiracy to commit certain offenses for purposes of provisions that authorize law enforcement agencies to protect victims & witnesses who are at risk of harm. Amends 914.25. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/18/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

## SJR 528 by Latvala

**Conservation & Recreation/Bonds;** constitutional amendment to allow continued use of Land Acquisition Trust Fund in issuance of bonds for acquisition of lands & capital improvements for conservation & recreation. Amends s. 9, Art. XII.

12/23/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Natural Resources; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

## SB 530 by Kirkpatrick

**Organic Material Removal/State Water;** provides exception from permitting requirements for removal by property owner of unconsolidated organic detrital material from water bodies adjacent to owner's property under specified circumstances. Amends 403.813. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/29/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Natural Resources; Governmental Reform and Oversight

## SB 532 by Grant

**Fines/Executive-branch Agencies;** provides for deposit of fines collected by executive-branch agencies to be deposited into General Revenue Fund. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/29/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means

## SB 534 by Kirkpatrick

**National Guard;** revises language re payments under educational tuition assistance program administered by Military Affairs Department. Amends 250.10. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/29/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Governmental Reform and Oversight; Ways and Means

## SB 536 by Kirkpatrick

**College-prep Class/Student Funding;** increases number of times state funding will support student enrolled in same college-preparatory class within skill area; revises certain funding amounts. Amends 239.117,.301, 240.117. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/29/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Education; Ways and Means

## SB 538 by Lee

**Sales Tax Exemption/Nonprofit Org.;** provides exemption for sale of certain goods by nonprofit organizations through thrift shops for charitable purposes. Amends 212.08. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

12/29/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Ways and Means Subcommittee E (Finance and Tax); Ways and Means; Commerce and Economic Opportunities

## SB 540 by Lee

**Emergency Medical Care Providers;** redefines term "emergency medical care providers" to include physician assistants, emergency room orderlies, & emergency room security guards; provides that term includes personnel who are performing official duties whether within or outside emergency room; provides that enhanced penalties & certain minimum sentences apply if person is convicted of assault

or battery against emergency medical care provider. Amends 784.07. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/29/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

## SJR 542 by Bronson

**Water Management Districts/Budgets;** constitutional amendment to provide that Legislature may approve, disapprove, or modify, in whole or in part, budget of each such district, beginning in fiscal year 2000-2001. Amends s. 19, Art. III.

12/29/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Natural Resources; Ways and Means; Rules and Calendar

## SB 544 by Dyer

**Homeowners' Associations;** prohibits commingling of certain funds; revises language re transition of homeowners' association control in community; provides list of required documents which must be provided to board by developer; provides for prohibited clauses in homeowners' association documents; revises language re disclosure to prospective purchasers; provides for cancellation of certain contracts, etc. Amends 617.303,.307, 689.26; creates 617.3075. Effective Date: Contingent.

12/29/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary

## SB 546 by Dyer

**Schools/Uniform Dress Code Policy;** requires DOE to adopt statewide uniform dress code policy for public school students. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/29/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Education

## SB 548 by Ostalkiewicz

**Family Bill of Rights Act;** creates said act; specifies circumstances under which agent of CFS Dept. or law enforcement officer may take child into protective custody without court order; requires that court conduct emergency hearing within specified period after child is taken into custody; provides that it is first degree misdemeanor for agent of dept. to take child into custody without court order except under specified circumstances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/29/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Judiciary

## SB 550 by Judiciary

**Adoption;** provides factors for court to consider in determining whether minor child has been abandoned; provides requirements for filing petition for adoption with court; revises legislative intent re adoptions in this state; defines terms "adoption entity," "unlocated parent," & "unidentified parent"; exempts adoption proceedings that result from termination of parental rights from certain provisions of adoption laws, etc. Amends Chs. 39, 63. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/30/97 Prefiled  
01/06/98 Referred to Judiciary; Ways and Means

## SB 552 by Klein

**Jury Districts;** provides method for establishing jury districts, boundaries. Amends 40.015. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/30/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Judiciary; Community Affairs

### **SB 554 by Burt**

**DUI/Subsequent Convictions;** provides third-degree-felony penalty for third or subsequent conviction for driving under influence; increases present fines & penalties to conform; conforms provisions in sentencing guidelines. Amends 316.193, 921.0022. Effective Date: 10/01/1998.

12/30/97 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Criminal Justice; Ways and Means

### **SB 556 by Forman**

**Delinquent Personal Property Taxes;** provides for future review & repeal of exemption from public records provisions re taxpayers' applications to repay their delinquent personal property taxes in installments; provides justification for this exemption; takes effect upon effective date of SB558, which provides for implementing installment payment program for payment of delinquent personal property taxes. Effective Date: Contingent.

01/05/98 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Reform and Oversight

### **SB 558 by Forman**

**Delinquent Personal Property Taxes;** authorizes county tax collectors to implement installment payment program for delinquent personal property taxes; provides conditions under which program is available to delinquent personal property taxpayers; provides requirements for applying for participation in program; provides deadline for filing application; allows flexibility; prescribes limitations upon duration of installment plan, etc. Amends 197.432,.472,.172; creates 197.4155, 213.68. Effective Date: 10/01/98.

01/05/98 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Community Affairs; Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Ways and Means

### **SB 560 by Bronson**

**Determination of Millage;** authorizes taxing authorities to adopt tax levies & budgets of their dependent special taxing districts by single votes, unless member of public requests separate discussion & vote for tax levy or budget of any such district. Amends 200.065. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

01/05/98 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Community Affairs; Ways and Means

### **SB 562 by Kirkpatrick**

**Medical Examiners;** provides additional grounds for suspension of medical examiners; provides penalties for disciplinary violations; specifies medical examiners' duties re autopsies. Amends 406.06,.075,.11. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

01/06/98 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Criminal Justice

### **SB 564 by Kurth**

**Higher Education;** provides reporting requirements for university direct-support organizations; requires community college district board of trustees to annually evaluate college president; provides additional requirement for accountability plan for community colleges; removes authority of board of directors of center of technology innovation to acquire, lease, or sublease property, etc. Amends 240.299,.311,.324,.331,.3315,.3335,.363. Effective Date: 07/01/1998.

01/06/98 Prefiled  
01/09/98 Referred to Education; Ways and Means

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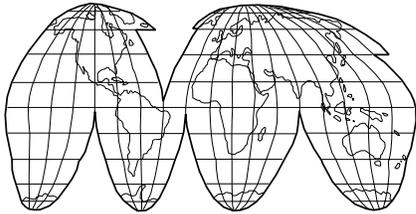
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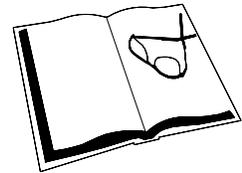
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