



The Calendar OF THE Florida House of Representatives

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Thursday, April 29, 1999 - Day 59

The House will convene on Thursday, April 29, 1999, at 9:20 a.m.

Schedule for Week of April 26 - 30, 1999

MONDAY April 26	TUESDAY April 27	WEDNESDAY April 28	THURSDAY April 29	FRIDAY April 30
9:20-6:00 SESSION	9:20-6:00 SESSION	8:00-10:00 Agriculture -214C Comm. Affairs -Morris Hall	9:20-6:00 SESSION	9:20-6:00 SESSION
		10:20-6:00 SESSION		

Important Legislative Dates

1999

January 4-8	Interim Committee Meetings Notice Deadline - December 21	<i>Speaker's Office Policy [Rule 68] 7 days before Friday preceding the week of the committee meeting</i>
January 19-22	Interim Committee Meetings Notice Deadline - January 8	<i>Speaker's Office Policy [Rule 68] 7 days before Friday preceding the week of the committee meeting</i>
February 1-5	Interim Committee Meetings Notice Deadline - January 22	<i>Speaker's Office Policy [Rule 68] 7 days before Friday preceding the week of the committee meeting</i>
February 8-12	Interim Committee Meetings Notice Deadline - January 29	<i>Speaker's Office Policy [Rule 68] 7 days before Friday preceding the week of the committee meeting</i>
February 15-19	Interim Committee Meetings Notice Deadline - February 5	<i>Speaker's Office Policy [Rule 68] 7 days before Friday preceding the week of the committee meeting</i>
March 2	Regular Session convenes [79th House since Statehood; 101st Regular Session since Statehood; 16th House since 1968 Constitutional Revision]	<i>[A. III, s. 3(b), Const.]</i>
March 2	12 Noon Deadline for filing Local Bills	<i>1st Day [Rule 44]</i>
April 15	Last day for committees to meet after giving 2 days (excluding Saturday and Sunday) notice on bills (24 hours notice thereafter)	<i>45th day [Rule 66]</i>
April 15	Last day on which the Committee on Rules & Calendar shall publish Special Order Calendar in 2 Calendars of the House (24 hours notice thereafter)	<i>45th day [Rule 127]</i>
April 15	Last day on which committee amendments must be filed by 5:00 p.m., 1 day in advance of committee meetings (2 hours thereafter)	<i>45th day [Rule 84]</i>
April 15	Last day on which Member amendments must be filed by 3:00 p.m., 1 day in advance of Session (1 hour thereafter)	<i>45th day [Rule 142]</i>
April 17	All bills immediately certified to the Senate	<i>Last 14 days [Rule 139]</i>
April 26	Reconsideration may not be left pending in committee	<i>Last 5 days [Rule 72]</i>
April 26	No House bills on second reading may be taken up and considered	<i>After 55th day [Rule 131]</i>
April 29	House shall consider only Senate Messages, Conference Reports, and Concurrent Resolutions	<i>After 58th day [Rule 132]</i>
April 30	Last day of Regular Session, if Legislature completes work in 60 days	<i>60th day [A. III, s. 3(d), Const.]</i>

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12. Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading

HB 1999 by Utilities & Communications (CAC), Rojas, Arnall, Feeney, C. Smith and Stansel (Compare CS/S 1008)

1999 Rate Reduction & Equity Act; extends application of universal service provisions & carrier-of-last-resort obligations; requires PSC to make recommendations to Legislature for universal service support mechanism; requires reduction in standard residential service rates by certain time; authorizes local exchange telecommunications companies to set or change rates for premium residential services under certain circumstances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Read second time and amended April 8

CS/CS/HB 2021 by General Government Appropriations (FRC), Water & Resource Management (RLC), Environmental Protection (RLC), Dockery, Constantine, Alexander, Putnam, Pruitt, Sembler, Logan, Hart, Eggelation, Minton, Greenstein, Kyle, Tullis, Murman, Prieguez, Levine, Waters, Bilirakis, Farkas, Bronson, Flanagan, Stansel, Kelly, J. Miller, Harrington, Sorensen and Crist (Compare H 1765, CS/H 2115, H 2259, CS/CS/S 0908, CS/S 2066, CS/S 2336)

State Land Acquisition & Management; revises provisions re distribution of certain documentary stamp tax revenues; provides for issuance of Stewardship Fla. bonds; provides for sale of surplus state lands; revises acreage requirements for horse park-agricultural center; revises provisions re individual land management plans; creates Acquisition & Restoration

Commission; creates Stewardship Fla. Act; includes waterways in statewide system of greenways & trails, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Read second time and amended April 22

CS/HB 2115 by General Government Appropriations (FRC) and Dockery (Compare CS/CS/H 2021)

Stewardship Florida Trust Fund; creates said trust fund; provides sources of moneys; provides purposes & requirements; provides duties of DEP. Creates 259.1051. Effective Date: Contingent.

Read second time April 22

CS/HB 2013 by Judiciary (CJC), Brummer and Byrd (Similar CS/S 2000, Compare H 1121)

Judicial Nominating Commissions; provides for appointment of members to each judicial nominating commission; prohibits judges from serving; restricts appointment of members & former members to judicial offices for certain time period; requires consideration of race, gender, & geographical diversity of membership; requires consideration of county representation on circuit judicial nominating commissions, etc. Creates 43.291; repeals 43.29. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Read second time and amended April 28

13. Special Orders

14. Unfinished Business

HB 847 by Ryan, Murman, Trovillion, Stafford, Merchant, Heyman, Patterson, Gay, Rayson and Bloom (Compare CS/S 1724)

Juvenile Detention/Severe Offenses; requires probable cause affidavit or written report to be made within time certain; requires such affidavit or report to be filed with clerk of circuit court within time certain; provides for increased holding times for children charged with offenses of certain severity; requires petitions for delinquency to be filed within time certain under certain circumstances; authorizes court to extend such times, etc. Amends 985.211, .215, .218. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Reconsidered, temporarily postponed, pending roll call

HB 1767 by Insurance (CAC), Bainter, Lawson, Patterson, Waters, Goode, Cosgrove, Wiles and Heyman (Similar S 2552, Compare H 1679, H 2099, S 1662)

Workers' Compensation; excludes employees covered under Defense Base Act; provides requirements & procedures for conducting certain drug tests &

for reporting & preserving results of drug tests; requires employees to provide certain loss of earnings information for purposes of certain average weekly wage calculations; revises requirements & procedures for filing petitions for benefits; provides for payment of compensation by direct deposit, etc. Amends Ch. 440, 627.311. Effective Date: 10/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Read second time, amendment pending, temporarily postponed

HB 1905 by Ryan (Similar S 1218)

Municipalities/Financial Emergency; authorizes certain municipalities to impose discretionary per-vehicle surcharge on gross revenues of sale, lease, or rental of space at parking facilities within municipality that are open for use to public. Amends 218.503. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Read second time April 28, amendment 2 pending

15. Introduction and Reference

End of Order of Business

Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading

HB 7 by Harrington, Fasano, Feeney, Byrd, Heyman, Murman, Jacobs, Detert and Crist (Similar CS/S 0284)

Children/Great-grandparents' Rights; includes references to great-grandparents in definitions re dependent children; provides for great-grandparents visitation rights & right to adopt; provides for great-grandparents visitation rights & standing re evaluating custody arrangements; conforms references re such visitation rights under certain provisions; includes references to great-grandparents in definitions re delinquent children. Amends Ch. 39, 61.13, 63.0425, 172, 984.03, 985.03. Effective Date: Contingent.

Family Law & Children: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

CS/CS/HB 17 by Water & Resource Management (RLC), Community Affairs (PRC), Constantine, Bradley, Goodlette and Murman (Similar CS/S 1078, Compare H 0195, CS/H 0475, CS/S 0260, CS/S 0322, CS/S 2380)

Community Revitalization; creates Growth Policy Act; authorizes counties & municipalities to designate urban infill & redevelopment areas based on specified criteria; provides for amendment of local comprehensive plan to delineate area boundaries; authorizes exemptions from transportation facilities concurrency requirement for developments located in urban infill & redevelopment area; creates State Housing Tax Credit Program, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Read second time and amended April 23

CS/CS/HB 23 by Family Law & Children (CJC), Crime & Punishment (CRC), Ball, Fasano, Constantine, Feeney, Byrd, Harrington, Murman and Brummer (Similar CS/S 0170)

Children's Protection Act of 1999; creates said act; 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 if victim is under specified age; precludes ignorance or belief of age from being raised as defense; provides exception for maternal breastfeeding, etc. Amends & reenacts FS. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Criminal Justice Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/HB 33 by Claims (CJC) and Sembler (Similar S 0040)

Relief/Weathington/Tallahassee; provides for relief of Warren Weathington for injuries sustained as result of negligent conduct of employees of City of Tallahassee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 61 by Lynn (Identical S 1216)

Fla. Retirement System; revises provisions re Senior Management Service Class to remove certain contribution requirements & limitations on amount & type of retirement benefits which may be provided for certain participants who opt to participate in optional annuity program. Amends 121.055. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Governmental Operations: Favorable with one amendment; General Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 73 by Merchant, Feeney, Warner, Villalobos, Barreiro, Cantens, Andrews, Bitner, Wallace, K. Smith, Minton, Fasano, Constantine, Murman, Harrington and Maygarden (Compare CS/CS/S 0230)

LES Dept./Reorganization; provides that dept. shall operate its programs in decentralized fashion; provides for appointment of three assistant secretaries & for powers & duties of such secretaries; provides for creation of field offices; revises divisions within dept.; provides that certain

employees of dept. shall be in Senior Management Service; provides that certain actions contemplated by act shall be done within available resources of dept. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable with five amendments; Governmental Rules & Regulations: Favorable with one amendment; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Favorable with one amendment

HB 91 by Stafford, Pruitt, Heyman and Brown (Similar CS/S 0152)

Controlled Substances; amends provision re scheduling of controlled substances for purpose of penalizing unlawful acts involving controlled substances; deletes references to dextropropoxyphene in its nondosage forms from Schedule II; adds references to propoxyphene in its nondosage forms to Schedule II; deletes references to gamma-hydroxy-butyrate from Schedule II; adds references to gamma-hydroxybutyric acid to Schedule II, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Health Care Licensing & Regulation: Unanimously favorable with two amendments; Crime & Punishment: Unanimously favorable; Criminal Justice Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/CS/HB 95 by Business Development & International Trade (EDC), Regulated Services (CAC), Cosgrove and Sorensen (Similar CS/S 1444)

Beverage License/Historic Structures; defines term "historic structures"; provides for issuance of special alcoholic beverage licenses to certain hotels & motels with no fewer than 10 & no more than 25 guest rooms in municipalities within constitutionally chartered counties which are within specified population range; revises definition of specialty center. Amends 561.01, 20. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn

HB 97 by Crady, Fasano, Kilmer, Harrington, Flanagan and Crist (Identical S 0680)

Keith Ward Act/FRS; creates said act; includes certain correctional probation officers within Special Risk Class of Fla. Retirement System; specifies criteria for inclusion of correctional probation officers in that class; provides for inclusion of probation & parole circuit & deputy circuit administrators in that class; provides finding of important state interest. Amends 121.021, 0515. Effective Date: 01/01/2000.

Corrections: Unanimously favorable; Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; General Appropriations: Favorable with one amendment

HB 99 by Dockery, Crist, Fasano, Alexander, C. Green, Byrd, Constantine, Putnam, Murman, Sobel, Roberts, Posey, Wilson, Ogles, Futch, Goode, Johnson, Sublette, Feeney, Garcia, Ritchie, Melvin, Peaden, J. Miller, Maygarden, Bense, Flanagan, Logan, Betancourt, Kosmas, Brown, Detert, Bitner, Harrington, Farkas, Waters, Spratt, Andrews, Littlefield, Starks, Jones, Cosgrove and Bloom (Similar S 1330)

Sales Tax Exemption/Ad Agencies; defines "advertising agency"; exempts sale of advertising services by advertising agency & certain items sold to, produced by, or sold by advertising agencies & related services from tax on sales, use, and other transactions; provides for administration; provides for retroactive applicability in certain circumstances. Amends 212.08. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Business Development & International Trade: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable; General Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 123 by Wasserman Schultz, Jones, Pruitt, Arnall, Brown, Detert, Fasano, Bradley, Cosgrove, Kelly, Logan, Healey, Ritchie, Crist, Farkas, Frankel, L. Miller, Gottlieb, Peaden, Greenstein, Ritter, Byrd, Heyman, C. Green, Casey, Hart, Jacobs, Murman, Morroni, Fiorentino, Flanagan and Harrington (Identical S 0668)

Special Risk Retirement/EMTs; redefines term "special risk member"; adds to Special Risk Class of membership certain emergency medical technicians & paramedics; provides legislative intent. Amends 121.021,.0515. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable; General Appropriations: Favorable

HB 137 by Bloom and Fiorentino (Compare H 0349)

Minors/Use or Possession of Firearms; provides that possession of firearm by minor in violation of specified provisions constitutes felony of third degree instead of misdemeanor of first degree; authorizes secure detention for specified period; provides for performance of community service in manner involving hospital emergency room or other medical environment dealing on regular basis with trauma patients & gunshot wounds, etc. Amends 790.22; reenacts ss. of 943.051, 985.212,.215. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Juvenile Justice: Unanimously favorable; Crime & Punishment: Unanimously favorable; Criminal Justice Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 141 by Russell, Byrd, Feeney, Bense, Argenziano, Putnam, Fasano, Waters, Cantens, Valdes, Alexander, Jones, Sorensen, Hart, Wallace, Flanagan, Goodlette, Fiorentino, Murman and Harrington (Compare CS/S 0166)

Law Enforcement Agencies/Operations; prohibits person from initiating, or attempting to initiate, contact with any person who is directly involved in mobilization, deployment, or tactical operations of law enforcement agency, including commission of kidnapping or other incident involving taking or holding of hostages; prohibits person from broadcasting to public live audio or video transmission of tactical operations of law enforcement agency, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Law Enforcement & Crime Prevention: Unanimously favorable; Judiciary: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Criminal Justice Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 157 by Posey (Similar S 0666)

Law Enforcement/Correctional Officer; provides exception to requirement of informing officer under investigation of name of all complainants; provides that nothing in section shall limit right of law enforcement or correctional agency to discipline or pursue criminal charges against an officer; revises provisions re receipt & processing of complaints to provide for certain recorded statements; provides for agency head to act in capacity of complainant, etc. Amends 112.532,.533,.534. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Law Enforcement & Crime Prevention: Unanimously favorable with three amendments; Governmental Operations: Favorable

CS/HB 165 by Regulated Services (CAC), Heyman and Levine (Similar CS/S 0202)

Beverage Law/Underage Students; provides exemption for giving or serving to certain underage students alcoholic beverages that are delivered as part of required curriculum at accredited institution; provides exemption for possession of alcoholic beverages by underage students in specified circumstances. Amends 562.11,.111. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

HB 167 by Morroni, Sanderson and Crow (Identical S 1426)

Beverage License/Dunedin Fine Arts; authorizes Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco Division to issue special alcoholic beverage license to Board of Directors of Dunedin Fine Art Center, Inc., for use at center; provides definitions; provides for transfer & reverter of license; prohibits package sale

of alcoholic beverages for consumption off premises. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Regulated Services: Unanimously favorable; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn; Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable

HB 215 by Fasano (Similar CS/S 1202)

Workers' Compensation; revises provisions re special requirements for compensability under Workers' Compensation Law to provide that certain injuries suffered by specified law enforcement & correctional officers shall be deemed to be injuries arising out of & in course of employment. Amends 440.092. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Insurance: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Law Enforcement & Crime Prevention: Unanimously favorable; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 235 by Ogles, Byrd, Heyman, Fasano, Jacobs, Sanderson, Constantine, Greenstein and Merchant (Identical S 0816)

Motor Vehicle Registration/MADD; provides that form for motor vehicle registration & renewal must include language permitting voluntary contribution to Florida Mothers Against Drunk Driving, Inc.; provides for distribution of such contributions. Amends 320.02. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Transportation: Unanimously favorable; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 245 by Goode and Sanderson (Compare H 0247, CS/S 0276, S 0674)

Public Records Exemptions; provides exemption from public records requirements for info. about patients of home medical equipment providers which is obtained by employees or service providers or licensing agency & for information obtained by AHCA or home medical equipment provider in connection with background screening; takes effect on same date that HB 247 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in same legislative session or extension thereof, etc. Effective Date: Contingent.

Health Care Licensing & Regulation: Unanimously favorable; Governmental Operations: Withdrawn; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 247 by Goode and Sanderson (Similar CS/S 0276, Compare H 0245, S 0674)

Home Medical Equipment Providers; provides for regulation of home medical equipment providers by AHCA; provides for licensure & exemptions & unlawful acts; provides for license application & for fees; provides for background screening; provides for provisional licenses & temporary permits; provides for notice of toll-free telephone number for central abuse registry; prohibits patient referrals & rebates, etc. Creates 400.92-.965. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Health Care Licensing & Regulation: Unanimously favorable with two amendments; Health Care Services: Withdrawn; Governmental Rules & Regulations: Withdrawn; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

CS/HB 273 by Education/K-12 (AEC), Barreiro and Byrd (Similar CS/S 1034)

Fla. High School Activities Assn.; revises provisions which require Florida High School Activities Association to adopt specified bylaws re eligibility for participation in student athletic competition; provides for period of ineligibility for students who transfer or relocate to another school; provides exceptions. Amends 232.61. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 313 by Fuller, Byrd and Murman (Identical S 0290)

Community Contribution Tax Credits; increases annual limitation on amount of such credits which may be granted against corporate income tax & insurance premium taxes. Amends 220.183, 624.5105. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable; Insurance: Withdrawn;
Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable; General Appropriations:
Withdrawn

CS/HB 331 by Corrections (CRC), Trovillion and Kosmas (Similar CS/S 0734)

State Correctional Facility/Smoking; requires DOC & private vendors operating state correctional facilities to make smoking-cessation assistance available to inmates; requires full implementation of section by specified date; prohibits inmate within said facility from using tobacco products in prohibited areas; prohibits employees or visitors from using tobacco products in prohibited areas; provides penalties; authorizes dept. to adopt rules, etc. Creates 944.115. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; Criminal Justice
Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/HB 337 by Health Care Services (HFC), Goode, Melvin, Peaden, Hart, Barreiro, Brown, Farkas, Fiorentino, Valdes, Casey, Greenstein, Villalobos, Sanderson, Ritchie, Fasano, J. Miller and Cosgrove (Compare CS/S 0232)

HMOs/Deceptive Practices/Contracts; provides that described adverse actions by HMO against health care provider constitute unfair method of competition & unfair or deceptive act or practice; prohibits termination of contract between HMO & said provider under specified conditions; provides for continued coverage & care of subscribers when contractual agreement between HMO or prepaid health clinic & treating provider is terminated for any reason other than for cause, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with
one amendment

CS/HB 379 by Crime & Punishment (CRC), Russell, Bense, Fasano, Greenstein, Effman, Jacobs, Gottlieb and Posey (Identical CS/S 1262)

Dog & Cat Fur/Sale; prohibits killing of dog or cat with sole intent of selling or giving away pelt of animal; provides third degree felony penalty for violation; prohibits possession, import into this state, selling, buying, giving away, or acceptance of any pelt of dog or cat with sole intent of selling or giving away pelt; provides that it is unlawful to sell any item of clothing made in whole or in part from dog or cat fur, etc. Creates 828.123,.1231. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Criminal Justice Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

CS/HB 389 by Judiciary (CJC), Cantens, Villalobos, Barreiro, Kyle, Russell, C. Green, Wilson, Fiorentino, Prieguez, Byrd and Crist (Similar CS/S 0748)

Trooper Robert Smith Act; permits court to order pretrial detention under specified circumstances when it finds substantial probability that defendant committed charged crime of DUI manslaughter as defined by provision re DUI, & that defendant poses threat of harm to community; authorizes court to detain defendant at bail hearing without separate hearing or motion for pretrial detention, etc. Amends 903.31, 907.041; reenacts 790.065(2)(c), 943.0585,.059. Effective Date: 10/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Criminal Justice Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 405 by Goode (Similar CS/S 0984)

County Govt./Charter Commission; revises requirements re number of members of charter commission & method of appointment of such

members; specifies additional persons who may not serve on said commission. Amends 125.61. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with one amendment;
Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 451 by Posey, Bush and Bullard (Similar CS/S 0174)

Truth in Campaigning Act; provides statement of legislative intent; expands applicability of prohibition against making false or malicious charges against, or false statements about, candidates; eliminates requirement of actual malice in prohibition against making false statements about candidates & provides for personal liability with respect thereto; clarifies & provides penalties. Amends 104.271. Effective Date: 01/01/2000.

Election Reform: Favorable with one amendment; Judiciary: Favorable

HB 457 by Argenziano, Dockery, K. Smith, Feeney, Dennis, Futch, Bainter, Bradley, Putnam, Harrington, Bitner, Logan, Garcia, Hill, Russell, Kelly, Tullis, Lacasa, Villalobos, Goode, Rojas, Albright, Heyman and J. Miller (Compare H 0175, CS/S 0958)

Motorcycle Riders/Safety Equipment; exempts persons of specified age from certain safety equipment requirements. Amends 316.211. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Insurance: Withdrawn; Transportation: Favorable with one amendment;
Health & Human Services Appropriations: Withdrawn; Transportation &
Economic Development Appropriations: Favorable

HB 469 by Sembler (Compare S 0004)

Relief/Joseph B. Farver/CFS Dept.; compensates Joseph Bellamy Farver for injuries & damages sustained as result of negligence of Children & Family Services Dept., formerly Health & Rehabilitative Services Dept. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Claims: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; General
Appropriations: Favorable

HB 481 by Murman and Kelly (Compare H 1879, CS/CS/S 0338, S 0928)

Kayla McKean Child Protection Act; creates said act & provides legislative intent. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Family Law & Children: Unanimously favorable with one amendment;
Children & Families: Withdrawn; Health & Human Services
Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 525 by Eggleton (Similar S 0008)

Relief/Jose & Johannes Pena/Hialeah; provides for relief of Jose Pena, as Personal Representative of Estate of Carmen Pena, deceased, & individually, as surviving father of Katherine Pena & Richard Pena, minor children of Carmen Pena & Jose Pena, deceased; provides for relief of Johannes Pena, surviving son of Carmen Pena; compensates them for death of Carmen Pena, Katherine Pena, & Richard Pena as result of negligence of City of Hialeah. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Claims: Favorable

HB 533 by Goode and Detert (Similar CS/S 1326)

Mortgage Brokers & Lenders; requires Banking & Finance Dept. to charge fee for certain examinations; deletes limitation on aggregate amount of examination fees; requires dept. to conduct certain examinations in this state; prohibits payment of mortgage transaction fee or commission to other than certain actively licensed persons; prohibits simultaneous multiple licensures; requires registration of loan originators, etc. Amends Ch. 494; creates 494.00165; repeals 494.0037. Effective Date: 10/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Financial Services: Unanimously favorable with one amendment;
Business Regulation & Consumer Affairs: Withdrawn; Finance &
Taxation: Withdrawn; General Government Appropriations: Unanimously
favorable with one amendment

CS/HB 545 by **Business Development & International Trade (EDC), Sublette, Goode, Posey, Constantine and Merchant** (Compare CS/S 2028)

Sales Tax/Government Contractors; provides that sale for resale includes sale of certain tangible personal property used or consumed by government contractor in performance of contract with U.S. Dept. of Defense or National Aeronautics & Space Administration under certain conditions; provides exemption for sales to or use by government contractor of overhead materials used or consumed in performance of such contract under certain conditions, etc. Amends 212.02,.06. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable with one amendment;
Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/CS/HB 555 by **Business Regulation & Consumer Affairs (CAC), Law Enforcement & Crime Prevention (CRC) and Bloom** (Compare CS/CS/S 1820)

Pawnbrokers & Secondhand Dealers; provides that Consumer Services Div. of Agriculture & Consumer Services Dept. must approve design & format of pawnbroker transaction forms in consultation with FDLE; provides for statewide system for collecting & accessing pawnshop ticket & secondhand dealer information; requires Fla. Sheriffs' Association Statewide Task Force to administer system; provides for electronic transfer of transactions of secondhand goods, etc. Amends 539.001, 538.04, 812.155. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Criminal Justice Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 567 by **Minton and Lynn** (Compare S 0760)

State Agencies/Administrative Fines; provides for deposit of fines collected by executive-branch agencies to be deposited into General Revenue Fund; provides that any fine, penalty, or settlement agreement costs collected by agency in executive branch must be implemented from specific statutory authority; requires that specified rules must be adopted pursuant to Administrative Procedure Act. Effective Date: 07/01/2000.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; Governmental Rules & Regulations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn; General Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with two amendments

CS/HB 569 by **General Government Appropriations (FRC) and Putnam** (Similar CS/CS/S 0306, Compare CS/H 1535)

Conservation & Recreation Lands; provides for use of Conservation & Recreation Lands funds to manage additional lands; provides for uses of management equipment; provides for exemption to recreational user permit fee. Amends 259.032, 372.57. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

HB 571 by **K. Smith, Spratt, Boyd and Crady** (Similar CS/H 0647, S 1616, Compare CS/H 0881, H 2183, S 0886, CS/CS/ S 1560, CS/CS/S 1566, S 1894)

Economic Development/Rural Areas; provides requirements for future land use element of local government comprehensive plan re rural areas; authorizes Office of Tourism, Trade, & Economic Development to recommend to Legislature additions to or deletions from list of standard industrial classifications used to determine eligible business for purposes of Rural Job Tax Credit Program; creates Rural Economic Dev. Initiative within said office, etc. Amends 163.3177, 212.098, 288.106. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Business Development & International Trade: Unanimously favorable with two amendments; Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with four amendments

CS/HB 603 by **Transportation (EDC), Eggleton and Harrington** (Similar CS/S 0144)

Murphy Act Lands; provides for conveyance of all Murphy Act transportation easements to governmental 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 if reservation denies property owner current economic use of property, etc. Amends 253.82, 712.04,.05. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Real Property & Probate: Favorable with four amendments;
Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 609 by **Gottlieb, Rayson, Rojas, Chestnut, C. Smith, Sobel, Logan, Wasserman Schultz, Betancourt, Heyman and Greenstein** (Identical S 2082)

Insurance/Rate Filings Arbitration; deletes provisions authorizing certain associations to require rate arbitration of rate filings; repeals provision re insurer's alternative under rate standards to require arbitration of rate filings. Amends 627.351; repeals 627.062(6). Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Insurance: Withdrawn

HB 613 by **Henriquez, Hart, Bradley, L. Miller, Bilirakis, Rayson and Murman** (Similar S 1266)

Tampa Bay Estuary License Plate; creates Tampa Bay Estuary license plate; provides fee; provides for distribution of annual use fees. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Transportation: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 639 by **Ritchie, J. Miller, Bense, Stansel, Gottlieb, Melvin, Rayson, Barreiro, Patterson, Hafner, Frankel, Effman, C. Smith, Greenstein, Russell, Byrd, L. Miller, Dennis, Henriquez, Hart, Fiorentino, Arnall, Levine and Crist** (Similar CS/S 1150)

Military Base Retention; provides Legislative intent; provides for role of Fla. Defense Alliance; provides funding; removes limitation on amount of grant under Fla. Military Installation Reuse Planning & Marketing Grant Program; increases grant limitation re Fla. Defense Planning Grant Program; reduces amount of matching funds required under certain grant programs; provides cap on payment of administrative expenses from certain grants. Amends 288.980. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with one amendment;
Business Development & International Trade: Unanimously favorable;
Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 671 by **Stansel** (Identical CS/S 0706)

Commission on Agricultural Relations; creates Florida Commission on Federal & State Agricultural Relations; provides for its membership & duties; provides for members' per diem & travel expenses; requires reports. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Agriculture: Unanimously favorable; General Government Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 757 by Flanagan (Similar S 1826, Compare CS/S 0376, S 1652, S 1654)

Release of Employee Information; expands provisions re employer immunity from liability & disclosure of info. re former employees to include immunity from liability for current employers & disclosure of info. re current employees; provides specified requirements of employers re background investigation of applicant for employment or appointment as full-time, part-time, or auxiliary law enforcement officer, correctional officer, or correctional probation officer, etc. Amends 768.095. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Judiciary: Unanimously favorable with two amendments; Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 763 by Greenstein, Chestnut, Lynn, Bradley and Crist (Identical S 1532)

Individual Development Accounts; requires DOR to amend Temporary Assistance for Needy Families State Plan to provide for use of funds for individual development accounts; specifies criteria & requirements for contributions to & purposes for use of such accounts; provides for procedures for withdrawals from such accounts; specifies certain organizations to act as fiduciary for certain purposes; provides for penalties for withdrawal of moneys for certain purposes, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Children & Families: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Financial Services: Unanimously favorable; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

CS/HB 767 by Transportation (EDC) and Prieguez (Similar CS/S 1030)

Freight Forwarder Business; requires freight forwarders to provide warehouse receipts or copies of airway bills or bills of lading for certain purposes; provides receipt requirements; requires freight forwarders to maintain certain records for time certain; provides for effect of such documentation; provides penalty for failing to provide such documentation or maintain certain records. Amends 212.13. Effective Date: 01/01/2000.

HB 779 by Eggelton and Greenstein (Compare CS/S 1142)

Waste Management Requirements; provides annual funding from Solid Waste Management Trust Fund to assist private businesses in complying with waste management requirements & attaining waste reduction & recycling goals. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Environmental Protection: Favorable with one amendment; Business Development & International Trade: Unanimously favorable; General Government Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 781 by Heyman, Crist, Villalobos, Cantens, Ball, Trovillion, Morroni, Crady, Cosgrove and Kosmas (Identical S 0936)

Court Costs/Community Service; provides for conversion of court-ordered obligations to pay court costs into obligations to perform community service, under specified circumstances; provides for assessments against person for reimbursements for costs of processing bench warrants & pickup orders; provides for penalties. Amends 938.30. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Crime & Punishment: Unanimously favorable; Criminal Justice Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 797 by Hill (Identical S 1908)

HIV & AIDS Prevention; creates Minority HIV & AIDS Task Force within Health Dept.; requires task force to develop recommendations on ways to strengthen HIV & AIDS prevention & treatment programs in minority communities; requires Secretary of Health to appoint members of task force; requires that task force include representatives of certain groups & organizations; provides for members to serve without compensation, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Health Care Services: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 801 by Putnam (Compare CS/S 1580)

Septic Tanks/Suitability of Soils; specifies that, re general sanitary sewer, solid waste, drainage, potable water, & natural groundwater aquifer recharge element, suitability of soils for septic tanks shall be established pursuant to certain provision; specifies authority of DCA re review of plan amendments re said element. Amends 163.3177, 381.0065. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Water & Resource Management: Favorable; Community Affairs: Favorable with two amendments

CS/CS/HB 815 by Business Development & International Trade (EDC), Transportation (EDC), Futch, Ball, Posey, Goode and Effman (Similar CS/CS/S 1254, Compare CS/S 2540)

Space Transportation Planning Act; exempts certain spaceports from provision of law re approval of airport sites & licensing of airports; revises boundaries of spaceport territory; provides for spaceport facility loan guarantee program; revises provision of law governing transportation planning to include reference to spaceport master plans; includes reference to spaceports & aerospace development re MPOs; creates sales tax exemption for people mover systems, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with three amendments

HB 855 by Minton, Betancourt, Wilson and Levine (Similar H 0999, CS/S 1356)

One School, One Nurse Act; requires that certain services be documented in local school health services plan; creates provision re public-private partnerships for provision of school nurse services; provides for scope of services to be provided; specifies persons who must submit to background screening requirements for school health services providers; requires study of training requirements for school health nurses, etc. Amends 381.0056, 768.28; creates 381.0058,.0059. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Health Care Services: Unanimously favorable with three amendments; Education/K-12: Withdrawn; Community Affairs: Withdrawn; General Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/HB 875 by Claims (CJC), Levine, Wiles and Greenstein (Similar CS/S 1110)

County Property/Leasing & Financing; allows counties to limit liability in specified circumstances. Amends 125.35. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/HB 881 by Business Development & International Trade (EDC), Hart, Bradley, Crist, Murman, Bense, Russell, Wallace, Alexander, Prieguez, Barreiro, Detert, C. Green, Johnson, Kilmer, Goodlette, Farkas and J. Miller (Similar H 2183, Compare H 0571, CS/H 0647, H 1495, H 1809, S 0886, S 1054, CS/CS/S 1560, CS/CS/S 1566, S 1616, CS/S 1674, S 1894)

Economic Development; specifies programs & funds that Office of Tourism, Trade, & Economic Development is authorized to administer; revises provisions re tax refunds paid from Economic Development Incentive Account; creates Institute on Urban Policy & Commerce at FAMU; provides for establishment of regional urban centers; provides

conditions for determining when state of economic emergency exists in community, etc. Amends 14.2015, 288.095,.1045,.106,.107. Effective Date: 10/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

CS/HB 889 by Business Development & International Trade (EDC) and J. Miller (Identical CS/S 1762)

Sales Tax/Exemption/Fill Dirt; revises application of provisions which exempt from use tax a person who secures rock, fill dirt, or similar materials from location he or she owns for use on his or her own property, to include affiliated groups. Amends 212.06. Effective Date: 01/01/2000.

Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable; General Government Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 899 by Wilson and Sobel (Similar CS/S 1880, Compare CS/H 2147, CS/S 2434)

Charter Schools/Employment; prohibits charter schools from employing individual who has resigned from school district in lieu of disciplinary action or has been dismissed by any school district. Amends 228.056. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Education Innovation: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Education/K-12: Favorable

HB 915 by Cantens, Barreiro, Prieguez, Lacasa, Alexander, Bense and Fasano (Compare S 0212)

Victim/Witness Protection/Employment; prohibits dismissal of certain persons for appearing as witness in certain proceedings; provides for determination of contempt of court; provides right of civil action against employer for violating specified provisions; provides for compensatory damages, punitive damages, & attorney fees; prohibits dismissal from employment of victim or prosecution witness in criminal or juvenile case who is summoned to testify in court, etc. Amends 960.001,.004. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Judiciary: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Crime & Punishment: Unanimously favorable

HB 917 by Cantens, Barreiro, Prieguez, Villalobos, Bense, Farkas, Morroni and Heyman (Similar S 1182)

Treatment of Life-threatening Wounds; revises types of injuries resulting from violence that health care practitioners are required to report; provides penalty. Amends 790.24. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Health Care Licensing & Regulation: Favorable; Crime & Punishment: Unanimously favorable; Health Care Services: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 925 by Arnall, Wasserman Schultz and Logan (Similar CS/S 1352)

Public Service Commission; prohibits commission from imputing prospective future contributions-in-aid-of-construction against certain utility investments in certain rate proceedings; provides construction; requires commission to approve rates for certain services under certain circumstances; deletes requirement that commission consider utility's investments in certain lands or facilities in setting final rates, etc. Amends 367.081. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Utilities & Communications: Favorable; Water & Resource Management: Withdrawn; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/HB 937 by Judiciary (CJC), Albright, Bainter, Spratt, Stansel, Fasano, Sembler, Harrington, Kelly, C. Green, K. Smith, Melvin, Bronson, Dockery, Bense, Kilmer, Posey, Prieguez, Barreiro, Cantens, Goode, Maygarden, Ball, Wallace, Putnam, Alexander, Trovillion, Peaden, Argenziano, Johnson, Bitner, Flanagan, Ritchie, Littlefield and J. Miller (Similar H 0865, S 1586)

Firearms/Dealers & Manufacturers; prohibits civil actions against manufacturers & dealers of firearms & ammunition under certain circumstances; provides legislative findings; provides conditions to sue on behalf of state for its agencies & instrumentalities, or on behalf of county, municipality, town, special purpose district, or any other political subdivision of state; provides application & penalties; provides for application, etc. Creates 790.331. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

General Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/HB 967 by Transportation (EDC), Kyle, K. Smith and Constantine (Similar CS/CS/S 1270, Compare H 0593, S 0670, CS/S 1306, S 2318)

Traffic Control/HSMV; revises language to refer to traffic crash rather than accident; provides noncriminal traffic infraction for obstructing traffic under certain circumstances; revises language re withholding motor vehicle registrations for outstanding parking tickets; provides for compliance with certain federal safety standards re equipment for motorcycle & moped riders; revises language re designation of Fla. Salutes Veterans license plate, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Agriculture: Withdrawn; Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 991 by Albright, Andrews, Levine and Greenstein (Similar CS/S 2248, Compare H 1479)

Tobacco Products/Cigarettes; requires registration of entities acting as primary source of supply; prohibits wholesale dealers from shipping or accepting delivery of cigarettes from outside state other than directly from primary source of supply; provides requirements re affixing any stamp or other cover to cigarette package; provides for seizure & forfeiture of cigarettes in violation, & for revocation of wholesale dealer's permit, etc. Amends Ch. 210. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Governmental Rules & Regulations: Unanimously favorable with five amendments; Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1009 by Wiles and Arnall (Compare S 2568)

Contracts With Federal Government; authorizes state and agencies or political subdivisions thereof to enter into hold harmless agreements with Federal Government when required by federal law to obtain federal funding. Creates 215.245. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Judiciary: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; General Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1023 by Lacasa (Identical S 1682, Compare CS/H 1513, CS/S 1696)

Limited Liability Companies; declares legislative intent that certain companies are exempt from corporate income tax; redefines term "corporation" for purposes of corporate income tax; redefines term "taxable income" of limited liability companies for purposes of determining "adjusted federal income"; exempts certain limited liability companies from income taxation; redefines term "intangible personal property" for purposes of taxation thereof, etc. Amends Chs. 220, 608, 199. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Financial Services: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; General Government Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 1027 by Kilmer and Ritchie (Compare CS/S 1510)

Enterprise Zones/Liberty County; authorizes Office of Tourism, Trade, & Economic Development to designate enterprise zone in Liberty County; provides requirements with respect thereto. Creates 290.0069. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Business Development & International Trade: Unanimously favorable with three amendments; Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with two amendments; Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 1065 by Betancourt and Merchant (Similar CS/S 0288)

Fla. Prepaid College Program; provides for transfer of Fla. Prepaid College Program benefits to certain applied technology diploma programs & vocational certificate programs; allows Fla. Prepaid College Board to permit direct-support organizations established under this section to use property, facilities, & personal services of board; provides for such organizations to invest funds with moneys invested under Fla. Prepaid College Trust Fund. Amends 240.551. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Colleges & Universities: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Education Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

CS/HB 1083 by Business Development & International Trade (EDC), Johnson, Hart, Fasano, Crady, Rayson, Wilson, Henriquez, Dockery, Murman, Dennis, Sanderson, Cosgrove, Patterson, Kilmer and C. Green (Compare CS/S 1502)

Sales Tax Exemptions; amends provision re tax on lease or rental of or license in real property; revises application of exemption for property leased, subleased, or rented to person providing food & drink concessionaire services within certain premises; provides that value of admission does not include state or local seat surcharges, taxes, or fees, or certain ticket service charges under certain conditions, etc. Amends 212.031,.04. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1085 by Merchant (Similar S 1638, S 2680)

Palm Beach Co./Hospital Operators; amends provision re liens in favor of operators of hospitals under certain conditions to provide that said act applies to any hospital in county. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Health Care Licensing & Regulation: Favorable with one amendment; Community Affairs: Favorable

HB 1091 by Wasserman Schultz (Similar S 2672)

Broward Co./Hillsboro Inlet District; combines & codifies specific provisions which created & incorporated special taxing district in Broward Co., known as Hillsboro Inlet & Maintenance District; repeals all prior special acts of Legislature re said district; provides for amendment to charter section titled "Prevention of Erosion of City of Pompano Beach Area," previously codified under specific provision, to allow district to perform erosion prevention activities, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Water & Resource Management: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable

HB 1093 by Wasserman Schultz (Identical S 2620)

Broward Co./Plantation Acres Dist.; amends provision re Plantation Acres Improvement District to increase compensation that each supervisor shall be entitled to receive for his or her services. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable; Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable

HB 1101 by Murman, Crist, Bradley, Byrd, Hart, Henriquez, Bilirakis, Alexander, Wallace, Ogles and L. Miller (Identical S 2592)

Hillsborough Co./Tampa; repeals certain provision of special act re definition of casual laborer; revises definition of "temporary employee," "continuous service," & "average monthly salary"; provides for employer contributions to fund costs of administering plan; provides for additional authorized investments; revises death benefits; revises time in which temporary employees are required to obtain physical examination, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable; Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable

HB 1117 by Spratt (Identical S 2708)

Devil's Garden Water Control Dist.; deletes lands from boundaries of district located in Hendry Co.; provides for equal assessment of benefits for all lands in district. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with four amendments; Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn

HB 1123 by Effman, Futch, Russell, Gottlieb, Roberts, C. Smith, Crow, Villalobos, Spratt, Reddick and Levine (Similar CS/S 1676)

Cross-Reporting of Family Violence; requires animal control officers or other agents appointed under specified provision to report known or suspected child abuse, abandonment, or neglect or abuse, neglect, or exploitation of disabled adult or elderly person; requires persons who are required to report or investigate child abuse, abandonment, or neglect under specified provision to report known or suspected animal abuse, neglect, cruelty, or abandonment, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Elder Affairs & Long-Term Care: Unanimously favorable with five amendments; Family Law & Children: Unanimously favorable with three amendments; Crime & Punishment: Withdrawn

HB 1131 by Detert and Ogles (Compare CS/CS/S 0834)

Memory Disorder Clinic; establishes additional memory disorder clinic. Amends 430.502. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Elder Affairs & Long-Term Care: Unanimously favorable; Health Care Services: Unanimously favorable; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 1137 by Wasserman Schultz, Warner, Turnbull and Ritter (Similar S 2446)

Grade Forgiveness Policies; revises requirements for district grade forgiveness policies. Amends 232.246. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Education/K-12: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Education Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 1145 by Pruitt and Crist (Similar S 1536, Compare CS/S 1848)

Educational Facilities; revises standards for relocatable facilities intended for long-term use; revises procedures for reducing number of relocatable facilities in use; revises criteria for district educational plant surveys; revises requirements for department review & validation of school district & community college educational plant surveys; revises eligibility criteria for effort index grants; revises purpose of SIT program, etc. Amends & reenacts Ch. 235. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Education/K-12: Withdrawn; Education Innovation: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Community Affairs: Withdrawn; Education Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/HB 1147 by Transportation (EDC) and K. Smith (Similar CS/CS/S 0972, Compare CS/H 0311, H 0591, H 1689, H 2193, CS/ S 0240, CS/CS/S 0940, CS/S 1306, CS/S 1314, CS/CS/S 1566, S 1920, CS/S 2174)

Transportation; provides for organizational unit to administer seaport programs; provides for state bonds for federal-aid highways construction; provides seaport powers & duties of DOT; provides for exemption from locally imposed weight limits under certain circumstances; authorizes fixed-guideway transportation system operating within dept.'s right-of-way to operate at any safe speed; provides for allocation of certain new highway funds, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

Judiciary: Withdrawn; Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1413 by Bradley and Morroni (Similar CS/S 2352)

Community Environmental Health; creates "Florida Community Environmental Health Protection Act"; provides for Community Environmental Health Program pilot projects; establishes pilot projects in designated counties; provides for additional pilot projects; provides duties of Health Dept.; requires report. Creates 381.100,.102,.103. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Environmental Protection: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with two amendments

HB 1419 by Sorensen (Similar CS/S 2622)

Monroe Co./City of Marathon; creates City of Marathon; provides municipal boundaries & municipal powers; provides council-manager form of government; provides for election of city council; provides for membership, qualifications, terms, powers, & duties of its members, including mayor; provides limitation upon employment of council members; establishes fiscal year; provides for appointment of charter officers, including city manager & city attorney, etc. Effective Date: Contingent.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1427 by Wallace, Murman, L. Miller, Ogles, Alexander, Bilirakis, Henriquez, Hart, Byrd, Bradley and Crist (Identical S 2582)

Carrollwood Recreation District; (Hillsborough Co.) deletes provisions which have had their effect; improves clarity; adds definitions; provides for nonpartisan, biennial elections & transition schedule; provides for appointment of trustees under certain circumstances; clarifies voting procedures of trustees; adds standard business practices of district, including adopting bylaws, creating petty cash fund, calling meetings, investing funds of district, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable; Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn

CS/HB 1431 by Health Care Licensing & Regulation (HFC), Casey and Fiorentino (Compare H 1433, CS/S 1476, S 1810, CS/S 2220)

Emergency Medical Services; provides qualifications for licensure as basic or advanced life support service; provides standards for certification of emergency medical technicians & paramedics; establishes criteria for emergency medical services training programs; provides for recertification training of such technicians & paramedics; provides for fees; provides for use & maintenance of records, etc. Amends 401.25,.27,.30,.35; creates 401.2701,.2715. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Governmental Rules & Regulations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 1435 by Ritchie and Crist (Similar CS/S 1698)

Funeral & Cemetery Services; revises terminology re cemeteries owned by religious institution; defines term "religious institution"; increases annual license fees for certain cemeteries; provides initial application & renewal fees for certificate of authority to sell preneed contract; revises terminology designating trust fund; eliminates fee charged to examine business of any person writing preneed contracts & any guaranteeing organization, etc. Amends Ch. 497. Effective Date: 07/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Financial Services: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Business Regulation & Consumer Affairs: Unanimously favorable; General Government Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

CS/HB 1441 by Crime & Punishment (CRC) and Kyle (Similar CS/S 1606)

Cable TV Services; provides increased penalties for repeat offenders of unauthorized reception of cable television services; provides increased penalties for possession of certain devices in quantities; prohibits advertisement of certain devices in electronic media; authorizes certain persons to recover damages for each violation. Amends 812.15. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Judiciary: Unanimously favorable; Criminal Justice Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1443 by Lawson (Similar CS/S 1236)

Medicare Supplement Policy; redefines term "Medicare supplement policy" for purposes of Fla. Medicare Supplement Reform Act. Amends 627.672. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Health Care Services: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Insurance: Withdrawn; Health Care Licensing & Regulation: Withdrawn; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1449 by Sorensen (Compare H 0085)

Designations/Official Flagship; designates schooner "Western Union" as official flagship of State of Florida. Creates 15.0465. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Tourism: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

CS/HB 1465 by Governmental Operations (PRC), Election Reform (PRC), Flanagan, Stafford, Goodlette, Futch, Detert, Henriquez, Wilson, Brown and Diaz de la Portilla (Similar S 0710)

Elections; allows all voters to vote in certain primary election contests; provides for runoffs at general election; specifies procedures for placing candidates' names on ballots required; amends provisions to conform. Creates 100.065; amends 101.021,.251,.5606. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable

HB 1473 by Minton (Compare S 2590)

Wellington/Palm Bch. Co./Ordinances; provides any & all ordinances enacted by Village of Wellington, Palm Beach Co., between May 1, 1996 & May 1, 1998 that were enacted with at least 7 days' prior public notice shall be deemed effective as of date of original enactment of such ordinances. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 1525 by Bronson, Futch, Posey, Peaden, Casey, Eggleston, Dennis and Putnam (Identical S 1126)

Social Services Funding; amends provisions re alcohol, drug abuse, & mental health funding equity; provides that any service district of CFS Dept. that receives less than statewide average funding level per person on annual basis shall not have funds deducted during any reduction in level of

recurring appropriations until such district's funding level is equal to statewide average funding level, etc. Amends 394.908, 409.915. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Children & Families: Unanimously favorable with two amendments;
Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

CS/HB 1527 by Health Care Licensing & Regulation (HFC) and Boyd (Compare CS/H 1467, H 1479, H 1881, S 2032, CS/S 2134, CS/S 2432, S 2562)

Health Dept./Professions/Licensing; authorizes Health Dept., if there is no regulatory board, to adopt rules to establish criteria for continuing education courses required for renewal of license; prohibits persons from using name or title of "nurse" unless licensed or certified as such; exempts resident physicians, interns, & fellows, whether registered or applying for registration, from credentialing & profiling requirements, etc. Amends 455.557, .564, .565, .624, 464.015, .016. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Governmental Rules & Regulations: Withdrawn; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1537 by Colleges & Universities (AEC), Casey, Betancourt, J. Miller, Bense, Rojas, Flanagan, Waters, Lawson and Dennis (Compare S 1418)

Postsecondary Educ. Fee Terminology; revises definitions re postsecondary student fee terminology; directs that changes in terminology in statutes be made. Amends 228.041. Effective Date: 07/01/2000.

Education Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1579 by Kilmer and Peaden (Similar S 2574)

South Walton Fire District; (Walton Co.) creates & describes district; prescribes its powers; provides for board of fire commissioners; provides for financial matters; authorizes ad valorem taxes; authorizes district to accept gifts & donations; provides district's fiscal year; provides for collection of taxes; provides limits & guidelines for indebtedness of district; prescribes authorized uses of district funds; provides for referendum, etc. Effective Date: Contingent.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with one amendment;
Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn

HB 1581 by Levine (Compare S 2594)

Boca Raton Airport Authority; increases membership of authority; requires board of county commissioners & Boca Raton City Council to each appoint additional member to authority; revises qualifications of members appointed to authority by Boca Raton City Council; provides requirements for residence of such appointees. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Favorable

HB 1591 by Frankel (Similar S 2616)

Loxahatchee Groves Water Control; (Palm Beach Co.) codifies Loxahatchee Groves Water Control District's charter; provides for date of annual landowner's meeting & election of supervisors; provides that no person may be elected as supervisor unless timely notice has been given of his or her intent to be elected; provides for who may be hauling permit applicant; provides borrowing authority to deal with declared disasters; provides severability, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Water & Resource Management: Withdrawn

HB 1597 by Sorensen (Similar CS/S 2640)

Monroe Co./Key Largo Village; creates Village of Key Largo; provides municipal boundaries & municipal powers; provides council-manager form of government; provides for election of village council; provides for

membership, qualifications, terms, powers, & duties of its members, including mayor; provides for compensation & expenses; provides circumstances resulting in vacancy in office; provides for adoption of annual budget & appropriation, etc. Effective Date: Contingent.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with one amendment;
Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn

HB 1605 by Crady (Similar S 2668)

Baker Co./Special Districts; provides for codification of special laws re special districts pursuant to specific provision re Baker Co. Hospital District & Hospital Authority; provides for operation of skilled nursing facility & outpatient medical facility; provides for directors to remain in office pending appointment of replacement by Governor; appropriates portion of pari-mutuel revenues for purposes of authority, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with four amendments;
Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn

HB 1621 by C. Green (Identical S 2678)

Lee County Sheriff's Office; redesignates Lee County Sheriff's Dept. as Lee County Sheriff's Office; revises qualifications for membership on civil service board; deletes certain limitations for classification as members of civil service; revises requirements for demotions in rank following election of new sheriff; deletes provisions authorizing specified amount of annual leave for certain employees; revises requirements for posting of notices of employment, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable

CS/HB 1635 by Finance & Taxation (FRC) and C. Green (Similar CS/S 2626)

Lee Co./Bonita Springs/Charter; creates City of Bonita Springs; provides for municipal boundaries & municipal powers; provides for city-manager form of government; provides for annexation & establishing 5-year moratorium prior to annexation of an area into corporate limits of said city; provides for nonpartisan elections of city council, their terms, & term limits; provides for referendum election, & for appointment of officers including city manager & city attorney, etc. Effective Date: Contingent.

HB 1645 by Health Care Services (HFC) and Peaden (Similar H 1879, S 0928, CS/S 1408, Compare H 1647, CS/CS/S 0338, CS/S 1406)

Public Records/Child Death Review; provides that confidential information obtained by State Child Death Review Team, local team, or panel or committee assembled by either, or by hospital or health care practitioner from any of those entities, shall remain confidential; provides exemption from public records & meeting requirements for specified records & meetings of state team, local team, or panel of committee assembled by either, re child deaths, etc. Creates 383.408. Effective Date: Contingent.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; Family Law & Children: Unanimously favorable

CS/HB 1699 by General Government Appropriations (FRC), Putnam, Dockery and Alexander (Similar CS/CS/S 1672)

SFWMD/Central & Southern Project; provides definitions; provides legislative findings & intent; provides for acquisition of certain lands by eminent domain; authorizes SFWMD to act as local sponsor of Central & Southern Fla. Flood Control Project for specified project features; requires DEP & SFWMD to pursue implementation of certain project modifications; authorizes use of state funds for specified land purchases, etc. Creates 373.1501; amends 373.026. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

CS/HB 1711 by Insurance (CAC) and Waters (Similar CS/CS/S 1790)

Fla. Hurricane Catastrophe Fund; clarifies legislative findings; revises definitions; revises reimbursement contract provisions re equalization charges, reimbursable loss reporting, auditing of insurers, & confidentiality of certain audit information; revises revenue bond provisions re emergency assessments against insurers, legislative findings as to Fla. Hurricane Catastrophe Fund Finance Corporation, & protections for bondholders, etc. Amends 212.555. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1733 by Garcia (Identical S 1164)

Judicial Employees/Retirement; adds assistant state attorneys, assistant statewide prosecutors, & assistant public defenders to Senior Management Service Class of Florida Retirement System; authorizes state courts to pay Selected Exempt Service benefits to judicial assistants. Amends 121.055. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; Judiciary: Unanimously favorable; General Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1757 by Alexander (Similar S 2108)

Driving Schools; revises language re driver improvement schools; eliminates authority of chief judge to establish requirements re location of schools; provides requirements re such courses; provides legislative policy & penalty; provides criteria re course instructors or teachers; prohibits offering of such courses under certain circumstances; provides for mandatory driver improvement courses re certain accidents, etc. Amends 318.1451, 14, 322.0261. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Transportation: Favorable with one amendment; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1761 by Patterson (Similar S 1092)

Insurance/Overinsurance; authorizes inclusion of overinsurance provisions in insurance policies; specifies contents & required definitions; provides requirements & limitations; requires refund of certain unearned premium under certain circumstances; requires application for policy containing overinsurance provision to contain certain disclosures; authorizes Insurance Dept. to adopt rules. Creates 627.6245. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Insurance: Unanimously favorable with two amendments; Governmental Rules & Regulations: Withdrawn

HB 1771 by Sublette (Identical S 1534)

Local Govt./Tax Certificates & Deeds; authorizes counties to sell properties when they are of insufficient size & shape to be issued permits or are valued less than specified amount; reduces time before which tax certificates become void; reduces time within which holder of tax certificate other than county may apply for tax deed & within which land escheats to county; provides time in which county must apply for tax deed; provides applicability, etc. Amends 125.35, 197.482, 502, 592. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with three amendments; Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable with two amendments

CS/HB 1773 by Education/K-12 (AEC), Bronson, Roberts, Dennis, Arnall, Diaz de la Portilla, Byrd, Futch, Crist, Ogles, Constantine, Fasano, Murman, Goode, Morroni, Peaden, Flanagan, Posey, Wallace, Wise, Maygarden, Dockery, Alexander, Putnam, Kelly, Johnson, Melvin, Ball, Kilmer, Cantens, Pruitt, Bitner, Harrington, J. Miller and Crady (Similar CS/S 2636)

Noncompulsory High School Events; authorizes district school boards to allow use of an inspirational message at noncompulsory high schools events; provides legislative intent. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Judiciary: Favorable with one amendment

HB 1781 by Arnall (Similar CS/S 1282, Compare CS/S 0264)

Clerks of Circuit Court; provides that Official Records are general series of records; provides that register of said records be made available at branch offices; extends time within which to pay witness or juror; requires successful bidder at tax deed sale to pay specified deposit; provides eligibility for extra compensation to employees of constitutional officers; provides that citation for possession of tobacco by minor must be paid within specified time, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Withdrawn; Judiciary: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Criminal Justice Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 1819 by Melvin (Identical CS/S 0768)

Community Colleges/Students; requires each community college to determine number of matriculated, degree-seeking students enrolled at community college; provides requirements for classifying student as matriculated & degree-seeking; requires classification to be used only for specified purposes. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Colleges & Career Prep: Unanimously favorable; Education Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/HB 1831 by Governmental Operations (PRC) and Feeney (Similar CS/CS/S 1468)

Statewide Drug Control; creates Office of Drug Control within Executive Office of Governor; provides for office to be headed by director appointed by Governor, subject to Senate confirmation; requires director of said office to report annually to Governor & Legislature; creates Statewide Drug Policy Advisory Council within Executive Office of Governor; provides for payment of per diem & travel expenses; conforms provisions to changes made by act, etc. Amends Ch. 397. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HM 1833 by Crow

Underage Drinking & Drunk Driving; requests that Congress of United States conduct hearings on life-threatening problems of underage drinking & drunk driving.

Rules & Calendar: Withdrawn

HB 1857 by Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FRC) and Fuller (Identical S 1970)

Brownfield Property TF/Tourism; re-creates Brownfield Property Ownership Clearance Assistance Revolving Loan Trust Fund within Tourism, Trade, & Economic Development Office in Executive Office of Governor without modification & places it on standard review cycle; carries forward current balances & continues current sources & uses thereof. Effective Date: 11/04/2000.

Calendar without reference

HB 1859 by Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations (FRC) and Fuller (Similar S 0514)

TFs & Fund Accounts/Termination/EOG; terminates specified trust funds & fund accounts within Executive Office of Governor; provides for disposition of balances in & revenues of such trust funds; prescribes procedures for termination of such trust funds; repeals provision re State-Federal Relations Trust Fund. Repeals 215.195. Effective Date: 07/01/2000.

Calendar without reference

HB 1863 by General Government Appropriations (FRC) and Sembler (Compare H 2215, S 0430, S 0494, S 0530, S 0532, S 0638, S 0650, S 0654, S 0656)

Trust Funds/Termination; terminates specified trust funds within Agric. & Consumer Services Dept., DEP, DOI, & DOR; provides for disposition of balances in & revenues of such trust funds; declares findings of Legislature that specified trust funds within Agric. & Consumer Services Dept., Banking & Finance Dept., DEP, DOI, & DOR are exempt from termination requirements of certain provision of State Constitution, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2000 except as otherwise provided.

Calendar without reference

HB 1887 by Utilities & Communications (CAC) and Rojas (Similar S 2234)

Water & Wastewater/Rates/PSC; clarifies exemption for resellers from regulation as utility by PSC; authorizes commission to authorize collection of interim rates under certain circumstances; authorizes commission to require collection of certain rate differentials; provides for finalization of interim rates under certain circumstances; clarifies procedure re withdrawal of request for rate relief during pendency of rate case, etc. Amends 367.022,.0814,.082. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Water & Resource Management: Unanimously favorable with two amendments; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1899 by Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC) and Sanderson (Identical S 1972)

Organ & Tissue Donor TF/AHCA; re-creates Florida Organ & Tissue Donor Education & Procurement Trust Fund within Agency for Health Care Administration without modification; carries forward current balances & continues current sources & uses thereof; repeals specified provision re termination of trust fund, to conform. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Calendar without reference

HB 1921 by Spratt (Similar S 0676)

Corporate Income Tax; defines "citrus processing company"; allows certain citrus processing companies to elect to determine apportionment of their adjusted federal income to this state solely by use of the sales factor. Amends 220.03,.151. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Agriculture: Unanimously favorable; Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable; General Government Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 1929 by Utilities & Communications (CAC) and Rojas (Similar CS/S 2264, Compare H 2123, CS/S 1008)

DMS/Information Service Technology; establishes Information Service Technology Development Task Force in DMS; provides for representation; provides responsibilities; provides for meetings & for support staff; requires reports; provides for dissolution of task force. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

General Government Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 1931 by Colleges & Universities (AEC), Casey, Betancourt, J. Miller, Waters, Bense, Jones, Farkas, Morroni and Lynn (Similar CS/CS/S 1380)

Scholarship Programs; modifies student eligibility requirements for initial awards; revises student eligibility requirements for renewal awards; revises initial eligibility requirements for Fla. Academic Scholars award & Fla. Merit Scholars award; revises provisions re Fla. Gold Seal Vocational Scholars award, corrects cross reference. Amends 240.40202,.40203,.40205-.40208. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Education Appropriations: Favorable with one amendment

HB 1963 by Dennis (Identical S 2548, Compare CS/S 0260, CS/CS/S 1566)

Enterprise Zones; directs Tourism, Trade, & Economic Development Office to designate pilot project area within enterprise zone; provides qualifications for such area; provides that certain businesses in such area are eligible for credits against tax on sales, use, & other transactions & corporate income tax; requires review & report by OPPAGA; provides for future repeal & revocation of such designation, etc. Creates 290.0069. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Governmental Rules & Regulations: Withdrawn; Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1979 by Insurance (CAC), Bainter, Patterson, Dockery, Bitner, Waters, Byrd, Goode and Lawson (Compare H 0799, H 0995, S 1464, S 1836, CS/S 1886, S 2424)

Property Insurance; excludes risks removed from Fla. Windstorm Underwriting Association from certain insurer information notice requirements; requires rating manual for residential property insurance; clarifies certain immunity from liability for certain persons & entities; revises provisions re exposure reduction through depopulation of Residential Property & Casualty Joint Underwriting Association, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 626, 627. Effective Date: 10/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Real Property & Probate: Withdrawn; Finance & Taxation: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 1983 by Health Care Licensing & Regulation (HFC), Fasano, Ogles, Heyman, Ritter, Morroni and Kelly (Similar CS/S 2360, Compare H 0923, S 2114, CS/S 2432)

Home Health Agencies; revises requirements for licensure & exemptions from licensure; revises requirements for insurance coverage & license renewal; revises grounds for disciplinary action; provides grounds for denial, suspension, or revocation of license or imposition of administrative fine; revises provisions re patient assessment, plan of care, & provision of services; provides background screening requirements, etc. Amends Ch. 400, 408.032. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Governmental Rules & Regulations: Unanimously favorable with eight amendments; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 2001 by Children & Families (HFC) and Murman (Compare CS/S 1902)

CFS Dept./Reorganization; authorizes secretary of said department to organize programs, functions, districts, & offices, & appoint district administrators, for certain purposes; requires report; provides for repeal. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

CS/HB 2019 by Governmental Rules & Regulations (PRC), Family Law & Children (CJC), Roberts, Crow, Detert, Wallace, Brown, Effman, Ritchie and Crist (Similar CS/CS/S 1666, Compare H 1031, CS/S 0246, CS/S 1068)

Child Protection; amends provision re child abuse prevention training in district school system; reduces period court must preserve records pertaining to dependent child; revises provisions re placement in shelter; amends provision re identifying or locating parent; amends provision re grandparents' rights; requires sentencing multiplier to be applied when domestic violence is committed in presence of minor child, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Judiciary: Withdrawn

CS/HB 2041 by Governmental Operations (PRC) and Sublette (Similar CS/CS/S 0294, Compare H 1075, S 1830)

Debtors & Creditors; provides for electronic filing of records with Dept. of State; provides for phaseout of sheriff's execution docket; clarifies seizure of property for levy; requires Dept. of State to establish database of judgment lien records; provides for acquisition of second judgment lien; provides for limited levy of executions against persons; provides entities with right to writ of garnishment, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Judiciary: Withdrawn; Real Property & Probate: Withdrawn; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/HB 2055 by Governmental Operations (PRC), Constantine, Spratt, Wiles, Dockery, Alexander, Posey and Crist (Similar CS/CS/S 0662, Compare CS/CS/S 1566)

One-Stop Permitting System; provides legislative intent re creating statewide one-stop permitting system; authorizes appointment of certain economic development liaisons; requires that DMS establish One-Stop Permitting System using Internet; specifies various state agencies to be provided access to system; creates One-Stop Permitting System Grant Program & Quick Permitting County Designation Program within DMS; repeals provisions re Fla. Jobs Siting Act, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

General Government Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with two amendments

HB 2059 by Crime & Punishment (CRC) and Ball (Similar CS/S 1496, Compare S 2140)

Sentencing; removes exceptions to certain construction guidelines which provide that legislative intent is to convict & sentence for each criminal offense in course of one criminal episode or transaction & not to allow principle of lenity determine legislative intent; amends OSRC to rank offense of knowingly transmitting or disseminating by computer any notice or ad for purpose of soliciting sexual conduct of or with minor, etc. Amends Chs. 921, 775, 874. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Corrections: Withdrawn; Criminal Justice Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

CS/HB 2069 by Governmental Rules & Regulations (PRC), Water & Resource Management (RLC), Alexander, Wallace, Constantine, Dockery, Putnam, Byrd, Sembler, Betancourt, Kelly, K. Smith, Healey, Johnson, Cantens, Brummer, Boyd, Pruitt, Waters and Merchant (Similar CS/H 2067, CS/S 1250, CS/S 2282)

Fla. Watershed Restoration Act; defines term "total maximum daily load"; authorizes DEP to adopt process of listing surface waters not meeting water quality standards & for process of establishing, allocating, & implementing total maximum daily loads applicable to such listed waters; provides for assessment; provides for calculation of total maximum daily

load; provides for evaluation; revises language re powers & duties of Secretary of DEP, etc. Amends 403.031,.805; creates 403.067. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

General Government Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with two amendments

HB 2071 by Health Care Services (HFC) and Peaden (Similar CS/S 0312, Compare CS/S 2472, CS/S 2554)

Health Insurance; revises notice requirements for cancellation or nonrenewal of group health insurance policy or HMO contract; specifies conditions for retroactive cancellation of coverage due to nonpayment of premium; revises time limits for application for individual converted policy under certain circumstances; revises premium requirements for converted policies; provides application, etc. Amends 627.6645,.6675, 641.3108,.3922. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Calendar without reference

HB 2079 by Gay, Ritchie, Cosgrove and Crist (Similar CS/S 2148)

Fla. Clean Fuel Act; creates said act; provides purposes & definitions; establishes Clean Fuel Florida Advisory Board; specifies membership; provides purposes of board; provides for meetings & duties of board; requires report containing recommendations for pilot programs; requires report to Legislature; requires budget. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable; Environmental Protection: Withdrawn; Governmental Operations: Withdrawn; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 2089 by Finance & Taxation (FRC) and Albright (Compare H 1113, CS/S 0172, CS/CS/S 0888, S 1224, S 2302)

Tax Administration; provides procedures & requirements for purchasers to obtain refund of or credit for municipal public service tax collected in error; deletes provisions re conditions under which certain corporations qualify as nonprofit home for aged for ad valorem tax exemption purposes; revises provision re sales tax exemption for charges for electricity or steam used to operate machinery & equipment under specified conditions, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

General Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with four amendments

HB 2091 by Children & Families (HFC) and Murman (Similar CS/CS/S 0660, Compare H 2087, H 2093, CS/S 2250)

Child Welfare; revises duties of Child Welfare System Estimating Conference; revises requirements re plan for privatization of foster care & related services; provides state insurance coverage for persons who own or operate family foster care homes for community-based agencies providing foster care under contract with CFS Dept.; authorizes AHCA to contract with community-based agencies for services to Medicaid recipients, etc. Amends Ch. 409, 216.136. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Judiciary: Unanimously favorable with three amendments; Governmental Operations: Withdrawn; Community Affairs: Withdrawn; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 2103 by Tourism (EDC), Starks, Farkas, Barreiro, Sobel, Dennis, Melvin, Lynn, Argenziano, Bloom, Hafner and Bush (Similar CS/S 2454)

State Athletic Commission; changes name of said commission to Florida State Boxing Commission; assigns commission to DBPR for administrative & fiscal accountability purposes only; requires electronic recording of commission proceedings; prohibits professional or amateur toughman & badman competitions; revises provisions regulating weights, classes, & gloves; requires certain qualifications for referees, judges, & officials, etc. Amends Ch. 548. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 2105 by Bradley (Compare CS/S 2522)

Reinsurance; sets conditions for allowance of credit for reinsurance; provides for grounds for denial or revocation of assuming insurer's accreditation; provides conditions for allowance or disallowance of credit for reinsurance for assuming insurers maintaining trust funds in qualified US financial institutions; provides for inclusion of certain HMOs within term "ceding insurer"; grants authority to DOI for rulemaking, etc. Amends 624.610. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Governmental Rules & Regulations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Insurance: Unanimously favorable; Health Care Services: Withdrawn

HB 2109 by Election Reform (PRC), Flanagan, Goodlette, Crow, Henriquez, Diaz de la Portilla, Futch, Wilson, Brown, Starks and Edwards (Similar S 0754)

Elections; modifies requirements for alternative method of qualifying; modifies requirements for candidate with no party affiliation & for minor party candidate to obtain ballot position; modifies petition requirements in year of apportionment; modifies requirements for certain minor political parties to have names of their candidates for President & Vice President printed on general election ballot, etc. Amends Chs. 98-101, 103, 105, 106. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 2119 by Children & Families (HFC) and Murman (Compare CS/CS/S 0256, CS/S 2470)

WAGES Program; revises provisions excepting program participants working at child care facility from calculation of facility's staff-to-child-ratio; provides cash assistance program reporting & oversight requirements; revises limitation on use of vocational education to fulfill work activity requirements; provides for limited work activity assignments for persons with medically verified limitations, etc. Amends Ch. 414, 402.305. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Family Law & Children: Withdrawn; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with two amendments

HB 2121 by Elder Affairs & Long-Term Care (HFC) and Argenziano (Compare H 1971, CS/CS/S 0834)

Public Records/Nursing Homes; provides exemption from public records requirements for information contained in records of nursing home quality-of-care monitors; provides for review & repeal; provides statement of public necessity. Creates 400.1185. Effective Date: Contingent.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable

HB 2129 by Tourism (EDC), Starks, Farkas, Dennis, Hafner, Argenziano, Bloom, Lynn and Sobel (Compare H 0985)

Sports-related Industries/Promotion; revises purposes of direct-support organization authorized to assist Office of Tourism, Trade, & Economic Development in promotion & development of sports industry & related industries; specifies duties of such organization re promotion of sports industry, amateur sports, & physical fitness; provides requirements re Sunshine State Games, etc. Amends 14.2015, 288.1229, 320.08058; repeals 14.22. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 2131 by Elder Affairs & Long-Term Care (HFC), Argenziano, Heyman, Sobel, Reddick, Fiorentino, Bilirakis, Littlefield, Kosmas, Bitner, Jacobs, Levine and Bloom (Similar H 0343, CS/CS/S 2228, Compare H 0249, S 1240, S 1722)

End-of-life Care; authorizes personnel of hospital emergency services, long-term care facilities, assisted living facilities, home health agencies, hospices, & adult family-care homes to withhold or withdraw

cardiopulmonary resuscitation pursuant to order not to resuscitate; revises authority of EMTs & paramedics to withhold or withdraw resuscitation or life-prolonging techniques; revises procedure for making living will, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/1999 except as otherwise provided.

Judiciary: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Health & Human Services Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 2133 by Peaden (Compare H 2135, CS/S 1604)

Correctional Work Programs; amends labor requirements re inmates; provides for TIITF to enter into leases with corporation set up to operate correctional work programs; amends provision specifying which commodities may be produced & sold by corporation; provides for responsibilities of DOC for cultivating & selling food items & for supervising certain work activities of inmates; provides for corporation to establish work camps, etc. Amends Ch. 946, 320.06. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Corrections: Unanimously favorable with one amendment; Criminal Justice Appropriations: Unanimously favorable

HB 2141 by Education Innovation (AEC) and Melvin (Compare CS/S 2186)

Deregulated Public Schools; provides for continuation of deregulated public schools pilot project; authorizes additional districts to participate; revises exemptions from statute for purposes of pilot project. Amends 228.0565. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Education Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 2161 by Corrections (CRC) and Trovillion (Similar CS/S 1742, Compare H 0883, H 1445, H 1973, S 0342, CS/S 0932)

State Correctional System; revises language re provision of programs; ensures that rights of crime victims are met; requires DOC to plan & administer community corrections & security & institutional operations through regions; authorizes dept. to transfer, as necessary, funds among budget entities as designated by Executive Office of Governor; amends provision re Inmate Welfare Trust Fund, etc. Amends Ch. 944, 945.215, 20.315. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Governmental Operations: Withdrawn; Criminal Justice Appropriations: Unanimously favorable with four amendments; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 2165 by Family Law & Children (CJC), Roberts, Brown, Effman, Detert and Wallace (Similar CS/CS/S 1470)

Child Support; provides definitions; revises requirements for determination & adjustment of child support obligation; provides presumption re adult parent's ability to work; revises allowable deductions from gross income; provides responsibility for health insurance costs & noncovered medical costs; requires court review of child support obligation arrived at through settlement agreement; creates Child Support Study Commission, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 2181 by Community Affairs (PRC) and Gay (Similar CS/S 2456)

Special Districts; provides that community development districts established pursuant to law shall be deemed in compliance with certain charter requirements; requires newly elected or appointed special district board members to complete educational course conducted by Fla. Association of Special Districts & provides requirements with respect thereto; specifies requirements for charter of community development district, etc. Amends Chs. 189, 190. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Real Property & Probate: Withdrawn; Finance & Taxation: Withdrawn

HB 2189 by Diaz de la Portilla (Similar CS/S 1706)

Retailers/Customer Privacy/Videos; prohibits retail establishments & their employees & agents from directly observing or using video cameras or other surveillance equipment to observe customers in dressing rooms, fitting rooms, changing rooms, or rest rooms; provides penalties. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Crime & Punishment: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

HB 2197 by Criminal Justice Appropriations (FRC) and Villalobos (Similar CS/S 1648, Compare CS/CS/S 1594)

Juvenile Welfare Trust Fund; creates said trust fund within the Juvenile Justice Dept.; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Calendar without reference

HB 2199 by Criminal Justice and Villalobos (Similar CS/S 1650)

Juvenile Care & Maintenance TF; creates said trust fund within Juvenile Justice Dept.; provides sources of funds & purposes; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Calendar without reference

HB 2207 by General Government Appropriations (FRC) and Sembler

Child Support Enforcement; requires deposit into General Revenue Fund of funds retained by state to reimburse public assistance payments made to or for benefit of dependent children. Amends 409.2561. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Calendar without reference

HB 2209 by Education Appropriations (FRC) and Wise

USF Health Support Trust Fund/SUS; creates University of South Florida Health Support Trust Fund within State University System; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Creates 240.5125. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Calendar without reference

HB 2211 by Education Appropriations (FRC) and Wise (Compare CS/S 1328)

Citizens Commission/K-12 Education; creates Citizens Commission on Funding K-12 Education; provides legislative intent; assigns commission to JLMC for fiscal & administrative purposes; authorizes entering into contracts or agreements for required expertise; authorizes application for & acceptance of funds & services from public & private sources; provides for public hearings around state prior to submission of final recommendations, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Calendar without reference

HB 2213 by Education Appropriations (FRC) and Wise

Student Loan Guaranty Admin. Fund; creates Student Loan Guaranty Administrative Fund within DOE; provides for sources of funds & purposes; exempts fund from various service charges; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of fund; provides for transfer of certain funds to the fund. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Calendar without reference

HB 2215 by Education Appropriations (FRC) and Wise (Compare H 1863, S 0602, S 0656)

Trust Funds; terminates specified trust funds within DOE; provides for disposition of balances in & revenues of such trust funds; declares findings of Legislature that specified trust funds within DOE are exempt from termination requirements of specified provision of State Constitution; eliminates reference to Incidental Trust Fund; revises funding provisions of Dr. Philip Benjamin Academic Improvement Program, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2000.

Calendar without reference

HB 2219 by Sanderson (Similar CS/S 2280)

DMS/Reorganization; transfers functions of State Group Insurance & Retirement Divisions to DMS; abolishes Florida State Group Insurance Council; amends provisions to conform to restructuring of dept. by this act; requires executive departments to report information on boards, commissions, & similar entities to dept., along with recommendations for continuance, abolition, or revision; requires dept. to report that information to Governor & Legislature. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Governmental Operations: Unanimously favorable with twenty-three amendments; General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

HB 2227 by Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC) and Sanderson

Medicaid/Prescription Drugs; amends provision re purchase of goods & services for Medicaid recipients to require AHCA to develop certain programs & initiatives re prescribing, use, & dispensing of drugs; provides for advisory panel on prescription practice patterns. Amends 409.912. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Calendar without reference

HB 2251 by Crady

Bradford Co. Historical Board; repeals, pursuant to certain provision, specified provisions which creates Bradford County Historical Board of Trustees. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable

HB 2261 by General Appropriations (FRC) and Pruitt

Executive Branch/Lawsuits; provides additional requirements re notification of certain settlements or orders; provides that certain settlements or orders shall be contingent upon & subject to legislative appropriation or statutory amendment; provides for inventory of all litigation in which agency is involved that may require additional appropriations to agency or amendments to law under which agency operates as part of legislative budget requests, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Calendar without reference

HB 2263 by Election Reform (PRC) and Flanagan (Similar S 0756, Compare H 2163, CS/S 1210)

Elections; provides for election of school board members in nonpartisan election; provides requirements for qualifying for nonpartisan office; requires statement of judicial candidates re Code of Judicial Conduct; provides alternative method of qualifying for nonpartisan school board candidates; revises ballot requirements for nonpartisan candidates; amends provision re determination of election to judicial office, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2000.

Calendar without reference

HB 2275 by Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC), Sanderson, Hafner, Murman, Farkas, Argenziano, Gottlieb and Littlefield (Similar CS/S 2214)

Developmental Disabilities; provides for assessment of level of need & medical necessity for prospective residents of such facilities after specified date; provides for interagency agreement to conduct assessments to determine level of need & medical necessity for long-term care services; requires licensure of intermediate care facilities for developmentally disabled; provides for moratorium on admissions to facility, etc. Amends Chs. 393, 409; creates Part X of Ch. 400. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Calendar without reference

HR 9033 by Kelly

Florida's Hometown U.S.A. Pageant; commends Florida's Hometown U.S.A. Pageant finalists Kelsey Whitehouse, Laura Boyd, Tess Wilensky, Mandy Lea Brus, & Ericka Dunlap & hereby expresses its appreciation for outstanding service they perform for their communities & the promise they hold for the future.

Calendar without reference

HR 9059 by Crow

Atchison, Jonathon Ryan; honors memory of Jonathon Ryan Atchison, who died of chicken pox at age 6, & offers heartfelt condolences to Atchison family & pledges determination to seek to avert further child deaths from this preventable disease.

Calendar without reference

HR 9061 by Wasserman Schultz

Stroke Awareness Month; declares May 1999 as "Stroke Awareness Month".

Calendar without reference

HR 9081 by Morroni

Bon Secours Manor Nursing Center; recognizes 175th Jubilee of Sisters of Bon Secours & honors Bon Secours Maria Manor Nursing & Rehabilitation Center for its commitment to residents of this state & on occasion of its designation as "Long-Term Facility of the Year."

Calendar without reference

HR 9095 by Healey (Similar S 2428)

Hazelden Foundation; commends Hazelden Foundation & its affiliates, including Hanley-Hazelden Center at St. Mary's in W. Palm Beach, Fla., for their outstanding dedication & significant accomplishments in area of chemical dependency, & accords this expression of appreciation together with wishes for continued success in their exemplary endeavors.

Calendar without reference

HR 9109 by Albright and J. Miller

National Day of Prayer; acknowledges May 6, 1999, as The National Day of Prayer in Florida & joins Floridians of all faiths in celebrating this occasion.

Calendar without reference

HR 9113 by Putnam

Florida Storytelling Week; commends Florida Storytellers Guild, Inc., & proclaims week of November 14-20, 1999, to be "Florida Storytelling Week."

Calendar without reference

HR 9121 by Albright and J. Miller

Teachers Appreciation Week; joins Florida District of Kiwanis in recognizing week of May 16-22, 1999, as "Teachers Appreciation Week" & salutes members of Florida's Kiwanis family for their recognition of teachers whose task it is to sharpen & polish potential of tomorrow's citizens.

Calendar without reference

HR 9131 by Feeney

Sprint's 100th Anniversary Year/1999; recognizes 1999 as Sprint's 100th Anniversary Year & recognizes contributions Sprint has made to telecommunications industry, to communities it serves & to its customers.

Calendar without reference

HR 9141 by Wasserman Schultz

Women's History Month; recognizes month of March as "Women's History Month" & encourages all citizens of state to observe month with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.

Calendar without reference

HR 9171 by Logan

Opa-locka Arabian Nights Festival; recognizes City of Opa-locka & Opa-locka Arabian Nights Foundation, Inc., as it holds its annual Arabian Nights Festival from April 30 through May 2, 1999.

Calendar without reference

HR 9173 by Melvin and Rayson

Moran, Jim & Pat; recognizes Jim Moran, Pat Moran, & JM Family Enterprises & offers its congratulations on selection of JM Family Enterprises as one of "100 Best Companies to Work for in America" by Fortune Magazine.

Calendar without reference

HR 9175 by Melvin, Maygarden, J. Miller, Peaden and Ritchie

Rickman, Tanisha; honors Tanisha Rickman for her outstanding accomplishments as member of University of West Florida women's basketball team.

Calendar without reference

HR 9189 by Flanagan

Manatee HS Girls Soccer Team; recognizes Manatee High School Lady Hurricanes girls soccer team & congratulates them on their outstanding, record-setting 1999 season.

Calendar without reference

HR 9191 by Melvin and Peaden (Similar S 2602)

Knight, Lt. Colonel Billy K.; recognizes Lieutenant Colonel Billy K. Knight for his distinguished service to the nation as officer in United States Air Force on this, the occasion of his retirement from active military service.

Calendar without reference

HR 9193 by Melvin, Maygarden, Peaden, J. Miller and Ritchie
(Identical S 1374)

Dunworth, Dr. John; honors Dr. John Dunworth for his outstanding career as educator & for his contributions to Munson Elementary School in Santa Rosa County.

Calendar without reference

HR 9203 by Melvin (Identical S 1104)

May, Theresa Gail; pays tribute to the late Theresa Gail May for her many contributions to education in Santa Rosa County.

Calendar without reference

HR 9205 by Starks, Valdes, Farkas, Dennis, Lynn, Argenziano, Sobel, Melvin, Hafner, Bush, Barreiro and Bloom

Florida Tourism Month/May; recognizes importance of tourism to State of Florida & designates month of May as "Florida Tourism Month."

Calendar without reference

HR 9207 by Harrington

Horton, Edmond Wendell; commends Edmond Wendell Horton for his many contributions to residents of DeSoto County & State of Florida.

Calendar without reference

HR 9209 by Hill

Winn-Dixie Stories, Inc.; recognizes Winn-Dixie Stores, Inc., for its many community service endeavors.

Calendar without reference

HR 9211 by Melvin (Similar S 1106)

Copeland, Dee; commends Dee Copeland for her community service & her outstanding accomplishments in field of education.

Calendar without reference

HR 9213 by Ritter (Similar S 2702)

Child Abuse & Neglect Prevention; designates April 1999 as Child Abuse & Neglect Prevention Month in Florida & urges all residents to lend their support in efforts to prevent abuse & neglect of our children during this month & throughout year.

Calendar without reference

HR 9217 by Heyman, Cosgrove, Rayson, Rojas, Spratt, Goodlette, Barreiro, Prieguez, C. Green, Gottlieb, Wilson, Bush, Kyle, Gay, Logan, Villalobos, Valdes and Cantens

Stiltsville/Miami Landmark; supports historic significance of Stiltsville in Biscayne Bay as Miami landmark.

Calendar without reference

HR 9219 by Melvin and Peaden (Similar S 1372)

Gulf Area Garden Club/Ft. Walton Bch; honors Gulf Area Garden Club of Fort Walton Beach for its 50 years of service to citizens of Fort Walton Beach community & surrounding areas.

Calendar without reference

HR 9221 by Logan

Mincey, Pastor Juanita; commends Pastor Juanita Mincey of Christ Crusade Family Center Church of Opa-Locka for her years of dedicated service to her state & community.

Calendar without reference

HR 9223 by Effman

Veltri, Frank; commends Frank Veltri for his many years of service to citizens of City of Plantation, Broward County, & this state.

Calendar without reference

HR 9225 by Bitner

Owens, Rebecca Neal; commends Rebecca Neal Owens for her accomplishments, good citizenship, & service to State of Florida.

Calendar without reference

HR 9227 by Bitner

Furrow, Bernice; commends Bernice Furrow for her volunteer efforts & accomplishments on behalf of citizens of this state.

Calendar without reference

HR 9229 by Ryan

Turn Around Florida; recognizes Turn Around Florida for its successful efforts in reducing drug trafficking & crime in neighborhoods & in improving quality of life in cities & communities throughout Florida.

Calendar without reference

HR 9231 by Bloom (Identical S 2730)

Holocaust Victims/Insurance Proceeds; supports the rights of Holocaust victims to receive certain insurance proceeds.

Calendar without reference

HR 9233 by Arnall (Similar S 2684)

Suicide Prevention Efforts; endorses need for development of more effective suicide prevention programs & encourages all Floridians to increase their awareness of this pervasive problem & various suicide prevention efforts available.

Calendar without reference

HR 9235 by Dennis

American Association of Univ. Women; honors Florida American Association of University Women for seven decades of diligent effort at promoting equity for all women & girls, life-long education, & positive societal change, on occasion of its 70th Anniversary.

Calendar without reference

SB 138 by Bronson (Similar CS/H 0037, Compare H 2007, CS/CS/S 1594)

Victims & Witnesses/Fair Treatment; allows specified state agencies to participate in crime prevention & educational activities re fair treatment of victims & witnesses in justice system; provides for use of funds. Amends 960.001. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Criminal Justice Appropriations: Withdrawn

SB 192 by Natural Resources (Compare H 2151, CS/S 2536)

Petroleum Contamination Site Rehab.; abrogates scheduled repeal of preapproved advanced cleanup program. Abrogates repeal of 376.30713(7). Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/SB 288 by Governmental Oversight and Productivity and Lee (Similar H 1065)

Fla. Prepaid College Program; provides for transfer of Fla. Prepaid College Program benefits to certain applied technology diploma programs & vocational certificate programs; requires direct-support organization to operate under written contract with board; provides contract requirements; requires annual financial & compliance audit; provides for such organizations to invest funds with moneys invested under Fla. Prepaid College Trust Fund, etc. Amends 240.551. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Education Appropriations: Withdrawn

CS/CS/SB 306 by Fiscal Resource, Natural Resources and Bronson (Similar CS/H 0569, Compare CS/H 1535)

Conservation & Recreation Lands; provides for use of Conservation & Recreation Lands funds to manage additional lands; authorizes use of certain equipment on conservation & recreation lands; provides for exemption to recreational user permit fee. Amends 259.032, 372.57. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

SB 676 by Horne (Similar H 1921)

Taxation/Citrus Processing Company; revises definitions re income tax code to incorporate most recent changes to U.S. Internal Revenue Code; defines "citrus processing company"; allows certain citrus processing companies to elect to determine apportionment of their adjusted federal income to this state solely by use of the sales factor; provides for retroactive application. Amends 220.03, .151. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

General Government Appropriations: Withdrawn

SB 712 by Gubernatorial Appointments and Confirmations, Myers, McKay, Hargrett, Casas and Dyer (Compare CS/H 1839, CS/S 0880)

Executive Appointments; amends provisions re various executive appointments; deletes obsolete provisions; requires that Secretary of Juvenile Justice be confirmed by Senate; requires Health Care Administration Director to be confirmed by Senate; specifies terms of members of certain councils, commissions & boards; repeals provisions re terms of members of Board of Nursing & terms & appointment of members of Parole Commission, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/1999.

Governmental Rules & Regulations: Unanimously favorable with one amendment

SB 876 by Forman, Scott, Campbell, Klein, Dawson-White and Geller (Compare H 1735)

Designations; designates Sawgrass Expressway in Broward Co. as "Jerry Thompson Expressway"; directs DOT to erect markers; designates State Veterans' Nursing Home in Pembroke Pines as Alexander "Sandy" Nininger, Jr. State Veterans' Nursing Home; directs Veterans' Affairs Dept. to erect suitable markers; designates Florida Records Storage Center of Department of State as Jim Smith Building; directs Department of State to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: 07/01/1999.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable

SB 1636 by Hargrett, Sebesta, Grant and Lee

Hillsborough Co./Civil Service Act; deletes provisions that prohibit classified employee from serving in elected public office; authorizes such service in absence of conflict in performance of duties or conflict of interest; requires that appointing authority determine whether any such conflict exists; authorizes classified employee to file grievance or appeal if employee disagrees with finding re conflict in performance of duties. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Community Affairs: Unanimously favorable

SB 2574 by Clary (Similar H 1579)

South Walton Fire District; (Walton Co.) creates & describes district; prescribes its powers; provides for board of fire commissioners; provides for financial matters; authorizes ad valorem taxes; authorizes district to accept gifts & donations; provides district's fiscal year; provides for collection of taxes; provides limits & guidelines for indebtedness of district; prescribes authorized uses of district funds; provides for referendum, etc. Effective Date: Contingent.

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