



# Special Session B/Interim Calendar OF THE Florida House of Representatives

Speaker: Tom Feeny

<http://www.leg.state.fl.us>

Speaker pro tempore: Sandy Murman

**Monday, October 22, 2001**

The House will convene on Monday, October 22, 2001, at 9:00 a.m.

These are the times reserved for committee meetings, but committees do not necessarily meet. See detailed meeting notices.

| MONDAY<br>October 22  | TUESDAY<br>October 23   | WEDNESDAY<br>October 24  | THURSDAY<br>October 25                           | FRIDAY<br>October 26  |
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| <p><b>8:00 - 8:30</b><br/>Rules, Ethics &amp; Elections 404H</p> <p><b>8:30 - 9:00</b><br/>Procedural &amp; Redistricting Council 404H</p> <p><b>9:00-10:00</b><br/><br/><b>SESSION</b></p> <p><b>10:30 - 12:30</b><br/>Select Committee on Security 212K</p> <p><b>12:00 - 1:00</b><br/><b>LUNCH</b></p> <p><b>1:00-3:00</b><br/><b>Group D</b><br/><b>MEETING JOINTLY</b><br/>Procedural &amp; Redistricting Council and Redistricting Committees Congressional House Senate 212K</p> <p><b>4:30-5:30</b><br/>Republican Conference Chamber</p> | <p><b>8:00 -12:00</b><br/><b>Fiscal Responsibility Council</b><br/>Criminal Justice App. 306H<br/>Education App. 212K<br/>Fiscal Policy &amp; Resources 214C<br/>Gen. Govt. App. Morris Hall<br/>Health &amp; Human Services App. Reed Hall<br/>Transportation &amp; Economic Development App. 404H</p> <p><b>11:15 - 1:15</b><br/>Jt. Admin. Procedures 28H<br/>Jt. Leg. Auditing 306H<br/>Jt. Leg. Everglades 24H<br/>Jt. Leg. Intergovern. Relations 12H</p> <p><b>12:00 - 1:00</b><br/><b>LUNCH</b></p> <p><b>1:00 - 1:30</b><br/>Council Chair Meeting</p> <p><b>2:00 - 4:00</b><br/><b>Healthy Communities</b><br/>Child &amp; Family Security 24H<br/>Crime Prevention, Corrections, &amp; Safety 116K<br/>Elder &amp; Long-Term Care 214C<br/>Health Promotion 404H<br/>Health Reg. Morris Hall</p> <p><b>Smarter Government</b><br/>Business Regulation 12H<br/>Judicial Oversight 212K<br/>Juvenile Justice 28H<br/>Local Government &amp; Veterans Affairs Reed Hall<br/>State Administration 306H</p> | <p><b>8:00 - 10:00</b><br/><b>Lifelong Learning</b><br/>Colleges &amp; Univ. Reed Hall<br/>Ed. Innovation Morris Hall<br/>General Education 306H<br/>Workforce &amp; Technical Skills 214C</p> <p><b>Procedural &amp; Redistricting Council</b><br/>Rules, Ethics &amp; Elections 404H</p> <p><b>10:15 - 12:15</b><br/><b>Fiscal Responsibility Council</b><br/>Criminal Justice App. 306H<br/>Education App. 212K<br/>Fiscal Policy &amp; Resources 214C<br/>Gen. Govt. App. Morris Hall<br/>Health &amp; Human Services App. Reed Hall<br/>Transportation &amp; Economic Development App. 404H</p> <p><b>12:00 - 1:00</b><br/><b>LUNCH</b></p> <p><b>1:00 - 1:30</b><br/>Republican Conference</p> <p><b>2:00 - 4:00</b><br/><b>Competitive Commerce</b><br/>Agric. &amp; Consumer Aff. 28H<br/>Banking 214C<br/>Economic Development &amp; International Trade 306H<br/>Insurance Reed Hall<br/>Tourism 24H</p> <p><b>Ready Infrastructure</b><br/>Information Technology 212K<br/>Natural Resources &amp; Environmental Protection Morris Hall<br/>Transportation 404H<br/>Utilities &amp; Telecomm. 12H</p> <p><b>4:30 - 5:30</b><br/>Procedural &amp; Redistricting Council 404H</p> | <p><b>10:30-6:00</b><br/><br/><b>SESSION</b></p> | <p><b>8:00 - 12:00</b><br/><b>Group A</b><br/>Select Committee on Security 212K</p> <p><b>9:00 - 11:00</b><br/><b>Group A</b><br/>Council for Lifelong Learning Reed Hall</p> <p><b>12:00 - 1:00</b><br/><b>LUNCH</b></p> <p><b>1:00 - 3:00</b><br/><b>Group C</b><br/>Council for Healthy Communities Reed Hall<br/>Council for Smarter Government Morris Hall</p> <p><b>3:00 - 5:00</b><br/><b>Group B</b><br/>Council for Competitive Commerce Reed Hall<br/>Council for Ready Infrastructure 404H</p> |

Procedural & Redistricting Council - Upon the call of the Chair (Room 404 H)

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| <b>MONDAY</b><br><b>October 29</b> | <b>TUESDAY</b><br><b>October 30</b>   | <b>WEDNESDAY</b><br><b>October 31</b>   | <b>THURSDAY</b><br><b>November 1</b>          | <b>FRIDAY</b><br><b>November 2</b> |
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| <b>Travel</b>                      | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>8:00 - 11:30</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Group B</b><br/><b>Competitive Commerce</b></p> <p>Agriculture and Consumer Affairs 28H<br/>Banking 214C<br/>Economic Development &amp; International Trade 306H<br/>Insurance Reed Hall<br/>Tourism 24H</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Ready Infrastructure</b></p> <p>Information Technology 212K<br/>Natural Resources &amp; Environmental Protection Morris Hall<br/>Transportation 12H<br/>Utilities &amp; Telecommunications 404H</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>8:00 - 11:30</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Group A</b><br/><b>Lifelong Learning</b></p> <p>Colleges &amp; Univ. Reed Hall<br/>Ed. Innovation Morris Hall<br/>General Education 306H<br/>Workforce &amp; Technical Skills 214C</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Procedural &amp; Redistricting Council</b></p> <p>Claims 24H<br/>Rules, Ethics &amp; Elections 404H</p> | <b>10:00 - sine die</b><br><br><b>SESSION</b> |                                    |
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|                                    | <b>1:00 - 2:30</b>  | <b>1:00 - 2:30</b>  |   |                                    |
|                                    | <b>2:45 - 6:15</b>  | <b>2:30-3:30</b>  |   |                                    |
|                                    | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Group C</b><br/><b>Healthy Communities</b></p> <p>Child &amp; Family Security 24H<br/>Crime Prevention, Corrections, &amp; Safety 116K<br/>Elder &amp; Long-Term Care 214C<br/>Health Promotion 404H<br/>Health Regulation Morris Hall</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Smarter Government</b></p> <p>Business Regulation 12H<br/>Judicial Oversight 212K<br/>Juvenile Justice 28H<br/>Local Government &amp; Veterans Affairs Reed Hall<br/>State Administration 306H</p>                           | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Group D</b><br/>Procedural &amp; Redistricting Council 404H</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>(Selected Council Meetings)</b></p>   |   |                                    |

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# Important Legislative Dates

## 2001

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|--------------------------------|--|---|
| October 22                     | Interim Council and Committee Meetings<br><b>Notice Deadline - October 12</b>  | <i>[Rule 7.14] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i> |
| <b>October 22 - November 1</b> | <b>Special Session B</b>   | <i>Article III, Section 3(c)(1), Florida Constitution</i>                                   |
| October 29                     | Interim Council and Committee Meetings<br><b>Notice Deadline - October 19</b>  | <i>[Rule 7.14] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i> |
| November 26                    | Interim Council and Committee Meetings<br><b>Notice Deadline - November 16</b> | <i>[Rule 7.14] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i> |
| December 3                     | Interim Council and Committee Meetings<br><b>Notice Deadline - November 21</b> | <i>[Rule 7.14] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i> |
| December 17                    | Interim Council and Committee Meetings<br><b>Notice Deadline - December 7</b>  | <i>[Rule 7.14] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i> |
| January 7                      | Interim Council and Committee Meetings<br><b>Notice Deadline - December 28</b> | <i>[Rule 7.14] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i> |

## 2002

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| <b>January 22</b> | <b>First Day of Session 2002</b><br>[80th House since Statehood; 104rd Regular Session since Statehood; 17th House since 1968 Constitutional Revision]   | <i>1st Day [Art. III, s. 3(b), Const.]</i>  |
| January 22        | Filing deadline for local bills - 12:00 noon   | <i>[Rule 5.2(a)]</i>                        |
| February 4        | Filing deadline for general bills, joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions (except ones relating to extension of session or legislative organization or procedures), or memorials - 12:00 noon   | <i>14th Day [Rule 5.2(b)]</i>               |
| March 7           | Last day for committees and councils to meet after giving 2 days (excluding Saturday and Sunday) notice on bills (at least 1 day notice thereafter)  | <i>45th Day [Rule 7.12(a)]</i>              |
| March 7           | Day after which reconsideration must be disposed of when made  | <i>45th Day [Rule 7.17(e)]</i>              |
| March 7           | Last day on which committee or council amendments must be filed by 5:00 p.m., 1 day (excluding Saturday and Sunday) in advance of committee or council meetings by nonappointed members (2 hours thereafter)   | <i>45th Day [Rule 7.28(d)]</i>              |
| March 7           | Last day on which the Procedural & Redistricting Council shall publish Special Order Calendar in 2 Calendars of the House  | <i>45th Day [Rule 10.15(a)(3)]</i>          |
| March 7           | Last day on which member floor amendments must be filed by 3:00 p.m. on the preceding day of consideration and amendments to amendments or substitute amendments by 5:00 p.m. on the preceding day   | <i>45th Day [Rule 12.2(a)(1)]</i>           |
| March 8-13        | Days on which member floor amendments must be filed 1 hour prior to session or 2 ½ hours after the Special Order Calendar has been provided, and amendments to amendments or substitute amendments 30 minutes prior to session or 3 hours after the Special Order Calendar has been provided, whichever is later                                     | <i>46th-51st Day [Rule 12.2(a)(2)]</i>      |
| March 9           | All bills transmitted to the Senate forthwith  | <i>Last 14 days [Rule 11.7(b)]</i>          |
| March 14          | Day on which member floor amendments must be filed by 30 minutes after convening of session or 2 ½ hours after Special Order Calendar is provided, whichever is later, and amendments to amendments or substitute amendments must be filed 1 hour after convening of session or 3 hours after Special Order Calendar is provided, whichever is later | <i>After 51st Day [Rule 12.2(a)(3)]</i>     |
| March 18          | No House bills on second reading may be taken up and considered  | <i>After 55th Day [Rule 10.21]</i>          |
| March 21          | House shall consider only Senate Messages, Conference Reports, and Concurrent Resolutions  | <i>After 58th Day [Rule 10.22]</i>          |
| <b>March 22</b>   | <b>Last day of Regular Session, if Legislature completes work in 60 days</b>   | <i>60th Day [Art. III, s. 3(d), Const.]</i> |

# COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Pursuant to Rule 7.5(a), items may not necessarily be taken up  
in the order in which they appear on the agenda.

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 22

- **CONGRESSIONAL REDISTRICTING** (Procedural & Redistricting Council)

1:00 p.m. Room 212 Knott Building

The Congressional Redistricting Committee will meet jointly with the Procedural & Redistricting Council and the Committees on (House) Senate and House Redistricting for a Census and Legal Briefing

- **HOUSE REDISTRICTING** (Procedural & Redistricting Council)

1:00 p.m. Room 212 Knott Building

The House Redistricting Committee will meet jointly with the Procedural & Redistricting Council and the Committees on Congressional Redistricting and (House) Senate Redistricting for a Census and Legal Briefing

- **PROCEDURAL & REDISTRICTING COUNCIL**

1:00 p.m. Room 212 Knott Building

The Procedural & Redistricting Council will meet jointly with the Committees on House Redistricting, Congressional Redistricting, and (House) Senate Redistricting for a Census and Legal Briefing.

- **SELECT COMMITTEE ON SECURITY** (Procedural & Redistricting Council)

10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Room 212 Knott Building

Overview briefing by Florida Department of Health

Presentations on public health preparedness and response issues:

Dr. John Agwunobi, Secretary of the Florida Department of Health  
Dr. Doug Holt, Acting Deputy State Health Officer  
Dr. Steve Wiersma, Chief of Epidemiology

Review of Special Session fiscal recommendations regarding implementation of Domestic Security Task Forces

- **SENATE REDISTRICTING** (Procedural & Redistricting Council)

1:00 p.m. Room 212 Knott Building

The (House) Senate Redistricting Committee will meet jointly with the Procedural & Redistricting Council and the Committees on Congressional Redistricting and House Redistricting for a Census and Legal Briefing

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## TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23

- **BUSINESS REGULATION** (Council for Smarter Government)

NOT MEETING

- **CHILD & FAMILY SECURITY** (Council for Healthy Communities)

2:00-4:00 p.m. 24 HOB

Status report on the closure of G. Pierce Wood

Presentation of the OPPAGA Excess Federal Earnings Report

Interim project presentation on foster care and related issues

- **CRIME PREVENTION, CORRECTIONS & SAFETY** (Council for Healthy Communities) (AMENDED)

NOT MEETING FOR REGULAR SESSION BUSINESS

- **CRIMINAL JUSTICE APPROPRIATIONS** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12

- **EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12.

- **ELDER & LONG-TERM CARE** (Council for Healthy Communities)

2:00-4:00 p.m. Room 214 Capitol

Presentation on Phoenix House

Presentation on Substance Abuse Services to Older Persons

Status Report by the State Long Term Care Ombudsman Program

Status Report on the Development of the Senior Scambusters Program

Report by the Auditor General of the Department of Elder Affairs Audit

Update from Department of Elder Affairs on Medicaid Waiver Case Management Issues in PSA 1

- **FISCAL POLICY & RESOURCES** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

NOT MEETING

- **FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY COUNCIL**

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12.

- **GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12.

- **HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES APPROPRIATIONS** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12.

- **HEALTH PROMOTION** (Council for Healthy Communities)

2:00-4:00 p.m. 404 HOB

Update on Anthrax

Update on Medicaid Pharmacy Issues

Presentation by the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Governmental Accountability of Report No. 01-39 entitled "Justification Review: Medicaid Program Integrity Efforts Recover Minimal Dollars, Sanctions Rarely Imposed, Stronger Accountability Needed" and Reaction by the Agency for Health Care Administration

● **HEALTH REGULATION** (Council for Healthy Communities)

NOT MEETING

● **JOINT ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES** (AMENDED)

MEETING CANCELLED

● **JOINT LEGISLATIVE AUDITING** (AMENDED)

MEETING CANCELLED

● **JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS**

MEETING CANCELLED

● **JUDICIAL OVERSIGHT** (Council for Smarter Government)

2:00 p.m. Knott Bld (212 K)

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 0011 by Bense--Easements/Cemetery Ingress & Egress  
HB 0017 by Heyman--Retired Judges/Temporary Duty

Presentation on Florida's Child Support Guidelines Review Project

Discussion of Speaker Feeney's appointment of the House Judicial Oversight committee to investigate the charges against Judge Robert Bonanno and Judge Charles W. Cope

● **JUVENILE JUSTICE** (Council for Smarter Government)  
2:00 p.m. 28 HOB

Update on Incentives and Disincentives Initiative

Workshop Classification and Placement Issues

Legislative business to come before Special Session B may be added at a later date.

● **LOCAL GOVERNMENT & VETERANS AFFAIRS** (Council for Smarter Government)

NOT MEETING

● **STATE ADMINISTRATION** (Council for Smarter Government)

2:00-4:00 p.m. 306 HOB

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HJR 0087 by Wallace--Limitation on State Appropriations  
HJR 0089 by Wallace & others--Legislative Power Limitation/Taxes

Staff Presentation on "Privacy and Technology Background Information" Interim Report followed by public testimony concerning privacy and technology issues.

● **TRANSPORTATION & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12.

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## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24

● **AGRICULTURE & CONSUMER AFFAIRS** (Council for Competitive Commerce)

2:00 a.m. 28 HOB

Presentation on FARMSHARE  
Patricia Robbins

Presentation on Long Range Program Plans and Budget Requests  
Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services  
Department of Citrus

Review of Recommendations of the Florida Pest Exclusion Advisory Committee's March 2001 Report  
Debbi Kaiser

Review of "Badge-Related" Solicitation and Telemarketing Fraud  
Susan Reese

● **BANKING** (Council for Competitive Commerce)

NOT MEETING

● **COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES** (Council for Lifelong Learning)

8:30-10:00 a.m. Reed Hall (102 H)

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 0007 by Baker & others--National Guard/Residency/Tuition

Workshop to take public testimony on school code rewrite issues relating to postsecondary institutions. The Chair requests that persons wishing to testify mail, fax, or e-mail written comments to the Committee on

Colleges & Universities at the following address by Tuesday, October 23, 2001:

Florida House of Representatives  
Committee on Colleges & Universities  
402 South Monroe Street  
Room 1302, The Capitol  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1300

E-mail: haller.bettygene@leg.state.fl.us  
Fax: (850) 413-0422

● **CRIMINAL JUSTICE APPROPRIATIONS** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12

● **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & INTERNATIONAL TRADE** (Council for Competitive Commerce)

NOT MEETING

● **EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12.

● **EDUCATION INNOVATION** (Council for Lifelong Learning)

8:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m. Morris Hall (17 H)

General Comments by Chairman Diaz de la Portilla  
Status Reports on the Implementation of School Choice Programs that Passed During the 2001 Session  
Discussion on School District Funding  
Public Comments on the Rewrite of the Florida School Code as it Pertains to K-12 Education

Due to time constraints, Chairman Diaz de la Portilla requests that persons wishing to testify on the rewrite of the Florida School Code submit their comments in writing at the meeting. Additionally, persons wishing to testify on the rewrite of the Florida School Code who can't attend the meeting can mail or fax their comments by October 24, 2001, to the:

Florida House of Representatives  
Committee on Education Innovation  
402 South Monroe Street  
Room 1301, The Capitol  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1300  
FAX: (850) 414-6875

● **FISCAL POLICY & RESOURCES** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

10:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m. Room 214 Capitol

Discussion on Cost Savings and Unfunded Mandates

Florida League of Cities  
Florida Association of Counties  
Florida School Boards Association

Update on Issues Before the State Tax Reform Tax Force  
Staff Presentation on Florida as a Donor/Receiver State in Federal Funds  
Staff Presentation on Statutory Taxpayer Bill of Rights

● **FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY COUNCIL**

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12.

● **GENERAL EDUCATION** (Council for Lifelong Learning)

8:00-10:00 a.m. 306 HOB

Update on School Code Revision Workgroup Recommendations

Public Testimony Regarding School Code Revision

● **GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS**

(Fiscal Responsibility Council)

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12.

● **HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES APPROPRIATIONS** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

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● **INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY** (Council for Ready Infrastructure)

2:00-4:00 p.m. Room 212 Knott Building

Information Systems/Information Technology briefing:  
Department of Management Services

Briefing on efforts to integrate local and state governmental services online:  
Florida Local Government Internet Consortium

● **INSURANCE** (Council for Competitive Commerce)

NOT MEETING

● **NATURAL RESOURCES & ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION** (Council for Ready Infrastructure)

2:00-4:00 p.m. Morris Hall (17 H)

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 0101 by Argenziano--Environmental Control/Aquatic Plants

Workshop concerning general water supply issues

● **RULES, ETHICS & ELECTIONS** (Procedural & Redistricting Council)

NOT MEETING

● **TOURISM** (Council for Competitive Commerce)

2:00-4:00 p.m. 24 HOB

Update on Economic Status of Florida's Tourism Industry

Discussion of Federal and State Economic Incentive Initiatives Impacting Florida's Tourism Industry

Discussion of Rural Economic Development Initiatives related to Nature-Based and Heritage Tourism

● **TRANSPORTATION** (Council for Ready Infrastructure)

2:00-4:00 p.m. 404 HOB

Florida Transportation Commission Review of DOT's Performance & Production

Workshop on Transportation Economic Stimulus Issues

Presentations on Legislative Budget Requests of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles and the Department of Transportation

Workshop on Omnibus Transportation Bill

Workshop on Driver's License Issues

● **TRANSPORTATION & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS** (Fiscal Responsibility Council)

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12.

● **UTILITIES & TELECOMMUNICATIONS** (Council for Ready Infrastructure)

NOT MEETING

● **WORKFORCE & TECHNICAL SKILLS** (Council for Lifelong Learning)

8:30-10:00 a.m. Room 214 Capitol

Briefings on Florida's workforce development and workforce education in the aftermath of September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks.

Workshop to receive presentations from persons on matters relating to the re-write of the Florida school code specifically pertaining to workforce education and Chapter 239, F.S.

Presentation on Ireland's economic, workforce, and education systems and implications for Florida.

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**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26**

● **COUNCIL FOR COMPETITIVE COMMERCE**

NOT MEETING

● **COUNCIL FOR HEALTHY COMMUNITIES**

NOT MEETING

● **COUNCIL FOR LIFELONG LEARNING**

NOT MEETING

● **COUNCIL FOR READY INFRASTRUCTURE**

NOT MEETING

● **COUNCIL FOR SMARTER GOVERNMENT**

NOT MEETING

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**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30**

● **BANKING** (Council for Competitive Commerce)

NOT MEETING

● **BUSINESS REGULATION** (Council for Smarter Government)

NOT MEETING

● **CHILD & FAMILY SECURITY** (Council for Healthy Communities)

NOT MEETING

● **CRIME PREVENTION, CORRECTIONS & SAFETY** (Council for Healthy Communities)

2:45 p.m. 116 Knott Building

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 0079 by Kravitz & others--Sexual Offenders/School Bus Stops

HB 0119 by Andrews--Homicide of Unborn Quick Child

HB 0139 by McGriff & others--Laser Lighting Devices

● **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & INTERNATIONAL TRADE** (Council for Competitive Commerce)

NOT MEETING

● **ELDER & LONG-TERM CARE** (Council for Healthy Communities)

NOT MEETING

● **HEALTH PROMOTION** (Council for Healthy Communities)

NOT MEETING

● **HEALTH REGULATION** (Council for Healthy Communities)

Not meeting for regular session business.

Legislative business to come before Special Session B may be noticed at a later date.

● **INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY** (Council for Ready Infrastructure)

NOT MEETING

● **INSURANCE** (Council for Competitive Commerce)

9:00-11:30 a.m. Reed Hall (102 H)

Presentation of the Florida Health Insurance Study Summary Report  
Rhonda M. Medows, M.D., Secretary, Agency for Health Care Administration

Presentation of staff report entitled "Licensure of Insurance Producers: The Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act, the NAIC Model Act, and Florida Law"

Panel discussion on licensing of insurance producers

● **JUDICIAL OVERSIGHT** (Council for Smarter Government)

2:45-6:15 p.m. Knott Bld (212 K)

Continued discussion of Speaker Feeney's appointment of the House Judicial Oversight Committee to investigate the charges against Judge Robert Bonanno and Judge Charles W. Cope and presentation of information relating to the Committee's investigation of Judge Robert Bonnano

● **JUVENILE JUSTICE** (Council for Smarter Government)

2:45 p.m. 28 HOB

Workshop on Juvenile Justice Issues for 2002 Legislative Session

Legislative business to come before Special Session B may be added at a later date.

● **LOCAL GOVERNMENT & VETERANS AFFAIRS** (Council for Smarter Government)

NOT MEETING

● **NATURAL RESOURCES & ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION** (Council for Ready Infrastructure)

9:00-11:00 a.m. Morris Hall (17 H)

Workshop concerning general water supply issues

● **STATE ADMINISTRATION** (Council for Smarter Government)

2:45-6:15 p.m. 306 HOB

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 0131 by Lynn--Library Records/Confidentiality

HB 0215 by Fasano--Deferred Retirement Option Program

● **TOURISM** (Council for Competitive Commerce)

NOT MEETING

● **TRANSPORTATION** (Council for Ready Infrastructure)

NOT MEETING

● **UTILITIES & TELECOMMUNICATIONS** (Council for Ready Infrastructure)

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## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31

- **CLAIMS** (Procedural & Redistricting Council)  
9:30 a.m. 24 HOB

Consideration of the following bill(s):

- HB 0037 by Harper--Relief/James Torrence
- HB 0039 by Bucher--Relief/Rosemary Falkinburg
- HB 0045 by Mahon--Relief/A. Jones & R. Ferguson
- HB 0085 by Betancourt--Relief/Calderon/Miami-Dade Co.
- HB 0151 by Waters--Relief/Skowroneks/Clearwater
- HB 0203 by Sorensen--Relief/Joshua England/Monroe Co.

- **COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES** (Council for Lifelong Learning)

NOT MEETING

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12(a).

- **COUNCIL FOR LIFELONG LEARNING**

NOT MEETING

Special Session Meeting Notices shall be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12. (Pursuant to Rule 7.12(a), Special Session Meeting Notices shall be filed at least 1 day in advance of the council meeting).

- **EDUCATION INNOVATION** (Council for Lifelong Learning)

NOT MEETING

Pursuant to House Rule 7.12(a), Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed at least 1 day in advance of the committee meeting.

- **GENERAL EDUCATION** (Council for Lifelong Learning)  
8:30-11:30 a.m. 306 HOB

Continuation of unfinished business from the October 24, 2001 meeting on the School Code Revision Workshop Recommendations and Public Testimony regarding School Code Revision.

Pursuant to House Rule 7.12(a), Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed at least 1 day in advance of the committee meeting.

- **WORKFORCE & TECHNICAL SKILLS** (Council for Lifelong Learning)

NOT MEETING

Special Session Meeting Notices will be filed pursuant to House Rule 7.12

## **Daily Order of Business**

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Prayer**
- 3. Roll Call**
- 4. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 5. Correction of the *Journal***
- 6. Introduction and Reference**
- 7. Communications**
- 8. Messages from the Senate**
- 9. Reports of Councils and Standing Committees**
- 10. Reports of Select Committees**
- 11. Motions Relating to Committee References**
- 12. Matters on Reconsideration**
- 13. Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading**
- 14. Special Orders**
- 15. Unfinished Business**

**End of Order of Business**

# Prefiled Bills for 2002 Regular Session

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## HJR 1 by Kyle

**Judiciary;** constitutional amendment to revise provisions re judiciary. Amends Art. V.

09/28/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC)

## HB 3 by Mayfield and Allen

**Specialty License Plates;** provides for Florida Boater license plate; provides for distribution of fees. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/17/01 Referred to Transportation (RIC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Ready Infrastructure

10/11/01 Withdrawn from Transportation (RIC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Ready Infrastructure; Withdrawn prior to introduction

## HB 5 by Kilmer (Similar S 0278)

**Disability in Line of Duty;** expands provisions of law re disability in line of duty to include all law enforcement officers & certain correctional officers; provides finding of important state interest. Amends 112.18. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/17/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Fiscal Responsibility Council

## HB 7 by Baker, Bean, Wiles and Cantens (Similar S 0128)

**National Guard/Residency/Tuition;** revises provisions re determinations of residency for tuition purposes to classify certain members of active Florida National Guard as residents for tuition purposes. Amends 240.1201. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

09/17/01 Referred to Colleges & Universities (LLC); Education Appropriations (FRC); Council for Lifelong Learning

## HB 9 by Slosberg

**Motor Vehicles/Cellular Telephones;** prohibits use of cellular telephone while operating motor vehicle unless operator uses headset or hands-free device; provides for rules; provides penalty. Creates 316.3046. Effective Date: 01/01/2003.

## HB 11 by Bense (Identical S 0228)

**Easements/Cemetery Ingress & Egress;** grants easement for ingress & egress for purposes of visiting or maintenance of cemetery to members of not-for-profit organizations whose purposes include preservation of Florida's history. Amends 704.08. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

09/17/01 Referred to Judicial Oversight (SGC); Council for Smarter Government

## HB 13 by Fasano, Haridopolos, Baxley, Negron, Mahon and Dockery

**Intangible Personal Property Taxes;** reduces rate of annual tax; reduces rates of tax on securities in Florida's Future Investment Fund, to conform; provides applicability. Amends 199.032,.033. Effective Date: 01/01/2003.

09/17/01 Referred to Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Fiscal Responsibility Council

## HB 15 by Heyman (Similar S 0206)

**State Uniform Traffic Control;** provides for enhanced penalties for certain violations of State Uniform Traffic Control law; provides for disposition of such enhanced penalties. Amends 316.655; creates 318.211. Effective Date: 01/01/2003.

## HB 17 by Heyman

**Retired Judges/Temporary Duty;** redefines term "retired justice" or "retired judge" re certain justices or judges assigned to temporary duty. Amends 25.073. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

09/17/01 Referred to Judicial Oversight (SGC); Council for Smarter Government

## HB 19 by Slosberg

**Civil Traffic Penalty/Traffic Educ.;** authorizes board of county commissioners to require by ordinance that additional amount be collected with each civil traffic penalty & used to fund traffic education programs in public & nonpublic schools. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

## HB 21 by Slosberg

**Red Light Safety Act of 2002;** creates said act; defines term "traffic infraction detector"; creates pilot project in Palm Beach & Pinellas Counties administered by HSMV; prohibits issuance of license plates or revalidation stickers when fines are outstanding for violations detected by detectors; provides for annual report on use of detectors by counties & municipalities in pilot project, etc. Amends 316.003,.0745, 320.03. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

## HB 23 by Wishner (Identical S 0182)

**Instant Bingo Games;** defines terms "instant bingo" & "package"; provides rules for operation of instant bingo games; provides penalties. Amends 849.0931. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

## HB 25 by Wishner (Similar H 0145)

**Florida Golf License Plate;** provides for said license plate; provides use fee; directs HSMV to develop said plate; provides for distribution & use of fees; requires Florida Sports Foundation to establish youth golf program; provides for advisory committee. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/17/01 Withdrawn prior to introduction

## HB 27 by Harper

**Juvenile Sentencing;** provides for court to sentence juvenile who has committed criminal offense to combination of juvenile & adult sanctions; requires that juvenile complete juvenile commitment program as part of such sentence; authorizes court to impose adult sanctions if juvenile violates any provision of juvenile commitment program; deletes provisions prohibiting court from imposing combination of adult & juvenile punishments. Amends 985.233. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/17/01 Referred to Juvenile Justice (SGC); Criminal Justice Appropriations (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

## HB 29 by Kyle

**Real Estate Brokers/Trustees;** clarifies that Real Estate Brokers, Salespersons, Schools, & Appraisers law is applicable to real estate brokers acting as trustees or fiduciaries. Amends 475.01. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

## HB 31 by Maygarden, Farkas, Rich, Dockery, Bean, Goodlette, Greenstein, Sobel, Mahon, Detert and Ausley (Compare S 0142)

**Fla. Healthy Kids Program/Funds;** revises provisions re matching funds under said program to eliminate local government contribution requirements & provide for voluntary local contributions. Amends 624.91. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

09/17/01 Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

## HB 33 by Allen

**Child Safety Booster Seat Act;** creates Child Safety Booster Seat Act of 2002; revises requirements re use of child restraint devices; provides for phase-in period. Amends 316.613. Effective Date: 07/01/2002 except as otherwise provided.

## HB 35 by Allen

**Expressway Authorities;** provides that Fla. Expressway Authority Act does not apply to expressway authority which has been created

pursuant to parts II-IX of Expressway & Bridge Authorities law; revises language re purposes & powers & bond financing; authorizes refinancing of NW Beltway Part A & Western Beltway Part C with certain bonds; revises language re bonds of Orlando-Orange Co. Expressway Authority. Amends 348.0012, .754, .7543, .7544, .7545, .755. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/17/01 Referred to Transportation (RIC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 37 by Harper** (Similar S 0044)

**Relief/James Torrence;** provides for relief of James Torrence; authorizes & directs Palm Beach Co. Health Care District to compensate him for personal injuries resulting from surgery negligently performed by health care district employee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/17/01 Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HB 39 by Bucher** (Similar S 0038)

**Relief/Rosemary Falkinburg;** provides for relief of Rosemary Falkinburg; authorizes & directs City of West Palm Beach to compensate Ms. Falkinburg for personal injuries she suffered due to negligence of city employee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/17/01 Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HB 41 by Richardson**

**FRS/Special Risk Class;** provides eligibility of certain treatment & rehabilitation personnel at correctional or forensic facilities for membership in Special Risk Class. Amends 121.0515. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

09/17/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Fiscal Responsibility Council

#### **HB 43 by Crow, Justice, Bucher, Greenstein, Sobel, Heyman and Weissman** (Similar S 0110)

**Insurance/Autism Spectrum Disorder;** requires health insurer or HMO that offers major medical coverage to include coverage for treating autism spectrum disorder; defines term "autism spectrum disorder"; authorizes insurer or HMO to confirm diagnosis or review appropriateness of treatment plan; provides that act does not affect licensure of health care professional or impair right to reimbursement of health care provider, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 45 by Mahon** (Similar S 0036)

**Relief/A. Jones & R. Ferguson;** provides for relief of Angela Jones & Raymond Ferguson, individually & as personal representatives of estate of Kharmilia Ferguson, deceased; authorizes & directs Palm Beach Co. Sheriff's Office to compensate them for death of Kharmilia Ferguson as result of negligence of said office; specifies use of funds; provides for reimbursement of Medicaid expenditures. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/17/01 Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HB 47 by Richardson, Justice and Wiles** (Similar H 0265)

**District School Board Employees;** extends benefits of Barry Grunow Act to all district school board employees rather than just to teachers & school administrators. Amends 112.1915. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

09/17/01 Referred to General Education (LLC); Education Appropriations (FRC); Council for Lifelong Learning

#### **HB 49 by Gelber** (Similar S 0200)

**Motorized Scooters;** defines term "motorized scooter"; provides motorized scooter operating regulations. Amends 316.003, .2065. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

09/17/01 Referred to Transportation (RIC); State Administration (SGC); Council for Ready Infrastructure

#### **HB 51 by Farkas**

**Health Insurance/Mental Illness;** cites act as "Dianne Steele Mental Illness Insurance Parity Act"; provides that current requirement for group insurers to offer coverage for mental health conditions does not

apply to serious mental illness; requires group health insurers & health maintenance organizations to provide coverage for serious mental illness; requires benefits to be same as for physical illness generally, etc. Amends 627.668, .6472, .6515, 641.31; creates 627.6681. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

#### **HB 53 by Farkas** (Similar S 0186)

**Schools/In-school Suspension;** revises definition of term "in-school suspension" to include additional alternative program; provides funding for establishment of School-based Alternative to Suspension Programs (SASPs); provides process for applying to Education Commissioner for funds to establish & conduct SASP; provides program requirements; requires annual report; provides for future repeal. Amends 228.041; creates 230.23155. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 55 by Weissman**

**Grandparent Visitation;** provides for court-ordered visitation for grandparents & great-grandparents under certain circumstances; provides for appointment of guardian ad litem & family mediation if court makes preliminary finding that minor is threatened with demonstrable significant mental or emotional harm without such visitation; applies Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction Act, etc. Amends Chs. 39, 61, 63, 752. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 57 by Weissman**

**Health Care;** requires HMOs to provide for resolution of grievances brought by subscribers; specifies services to be included in grievance system; requires HMOs to establish informal appeal process; provides for formal internal appeal process; provides for external appeal when subscriber is dissatisfied with results of formal appeal; provides that HMO is liable for damages for harm caused by failure to exercise ordinary care, etc. Amends Chs. 627, 641. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

09/17/01 Referred to Health Promotion (HCC); Insurance (CCC); Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 59 by Bendross-Mindingall** (Similar S 0078)

**Relief/Jack Brett Lemonik;** provides for relief of Jack Brett Lemonik; compensates Jack Brett Lemonik for injuries sustained as result of actions of Miami-Dade Co. employees. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/26/01 Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HB 61 by Seiler** (Similar S 0010)

**Relief/Mark Schwartz;** provides for relief of Mark Schwartz, a minor, for injuries sustained as result of negligence of employees of Coral Springs Medical Center. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/26/01 Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HB 63 by Ritter** (Similar S 0042)

**Relief/Maria Garcia/Orange Co.;** provides for relief of Maria Garcia, as legal guardian of Delfina Benjumea; compensates her for injuries & damages sustained by Delfina Benjumea as result of negligence of Orange Co. Sheriff's Office; provides for reversionary interest to said office; provides legislative intent re expenditures. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/26/01 Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HB 65 by Brutus**

**Relatives of Public Officials;** deletes exemptions from prohibition against appointment, employment, promotion, or advancement of relatives by public officials to apply such prohibition to public officials of universities, community college districts, & district school boards, for which there are penalties for violation; deletes definition of "collegial body"; corrects cross reference, to conform, etc. Amends 112.3135, 721.05. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

09/26/01 Referred to Education Innovation (LLC); State Administration (SGC); Council for Lifelong Learning

#### **HB 67 by Heyman, Rich, Sobel, Bucher, Gannon, Lerner and Betancourt** (Identical S 0156, Compare S 0234)

**Windstorm Insurance Policies;** provides that insurers may not use model to determine hurricane-loss factors for use in rate filing until Fla. Commission on Hurricane Loss Projection Methodology finds that publicly owned model developed by State University System is reliable to determine such factors; provides for assignment by association of personal lines residential policies located in deauthorized area to authorized insurers, etc. Amends 627.0628,.351; repeals 627.062(6). Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 69 by Fiorentino**

**Educational Scholarship Loan Program;** creates Jumping on Educational Bandwagon Scholarship Loan Program; defines eligible institutions & programs of study; authorizes summer term receipt of funds & part-time enrollment; specifies summer institutes to be developed by DOE; provides for repayment of scholarship loan; provides renewal & restoration requirements; sets limit upon repayment authority; authorizes DOE to adopt rules, etc. Creates 240.4061. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

09/26/01 Referred to Colleges & Universities (LLC); Education Appropriations (FRC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Lifelong Learning

#### **HB 71 by Gottlieb (Similar S 0134)**

**Traffic Control & Safety Programs;** authorizes municipalities & counties to impose surcharge on civil penalties for traffic infractions to fund traffic control & safety programs; prohibits levying of said surcharge on traffic infractions occurring on interstate highways; requires referendum; requires proceeds from such surcharge to be deposited in qualified public depository; provides for use of such funds; provides for applicability; requires reports. Amends 318.21. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 73 by Smith**

**Paternity Fraud;** creates child support restitution enforcement program within DOR; provides criteria for enforcement of program by DOR; requires paternity testing under certain circumstances; provides definition; provides for identification of possible prospective paternity candidates; provides for child support obligations; provides for retroactive restitution. Creates 409.25576, 742.125. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

09/26/01 Referred to Judicial Oversight (SGC); Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 75 by Slosberg**

**Fla. Safety Belt Law;** creates "Dori Slosberg Act of 2002"; deletes obsolete language; revises Fla. Safety Belt Law to eliminate requirement that law be enforced as secondary action when driver of motor vehicle has been detained for another violation; provides restrictions on authority to search based on safety belt violation. Amends 316.614. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 77 by Rich and Heyman (Identical S 0282)**

**Family Violence/Cross-reporting;** requires animal control officers or other agents appointed under specified provision to report known or suspected child abuse, abandonment, or neglect; provides penalty; requires persons who are required to report or investigate child abuse, abandonment, or neglect under specified provisions to report known or suspected animal abuse, neglect, cruelty, or abandonment, etc. Amends 39.201, 828.073; reenacts 39.205; creates 39.208. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

#### **HB 79 by Kravitz, Sobel, Melvin, Murman, Baker and Stansel (Identical S 0174)**

**Sexual Offenders/School Bus Stops;** prohibits certain sexual offenders subject to conditional release supervision from living within specified distance of certain places where children congregate. Amends 947.1405. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/17/01 Referred to Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Judicial Oversight (SGC); Council for Lifelong Learning

#### **HB 81 by Garcia and Justice**

**Recreational Shark Feeding;** provides definitions; prohibits recreational shark feeding within salt waters of state; prohibits operation of vessel for hire for purpose of transporting passengers to engage in or observe such feeding; provides penalty. Creates 370.0815. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 83 by Allen**

**Aerospace Infrastructure;** creates Aerospace Infrastructure Reinvestment Act of 2002; provides that amounts due under chapter on sales, use, & other transactions collected by dealers conducting business at fixed location at Kennedy Space Center or Cape Canaveral Air Station on admissions thereto & on sales of tangible personal property at such business shall be separately returned & distributed by DOR to Fla. Commercial Space Financing Corporation, etc. Amends 212.20. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 85 by Betancourt (Similar S 0052)**

**Relief/Calderon/Miami-Dade Co.;** provides for relief of Jessica Ann Calderon, personal representative of Estate of Roberto Luis Calderon, Sean Ryan Calderon, minor child of Roberto Luis Calderon & Jessica Ann Calderon, & Lily Ann Calderon, minor child of Roberto Luis Calderon & Jessica Ann Calderon; compensates them for wrongful death of Roberto Luis Calderon as result of negligence of Miami-Dade Co. employee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/26/01 Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HJR 87 by Wallace**

**Limitation on State Appropriations;** constitutional amendment to replace state revenue limitation with appropriations limitation that limits state appropriations for any fiscal year to state appropriations for prior fiscal year plus growth adjustment; bases growth adjustment on Florida median household income rather than on aggregate personal income of Floridians, etc. Amends s. 1, Art. VII, s. 21, Art. XII.

09/26/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC)

#### **HJR 89 by Wallace and Mack**

**Legislative Power Limitation/Taxes;** constitutional amendment to require that any law that imposes tax, fee, penalty, or fine, expands tax base, or increases tax rate, fee, penalty, or fine be enacted in separate bill by 2/3rds vote of each house of Legislature after 01/01/2003; requires that any law that repeals exemption from tax, fee, penalty, or fine be enacted in separate bill by 2/3rds vote of each house of Legislature after 01/01/2008. Amends s. 1, Art VII, s. 26, Art. XII.

09/26/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC)

#### **HJR 91 by Harper (Linked H 0105)**

**Voter Registration/Convicted Felon;** constitutional amendment to authorize Legislature to provide conditions under which convicted felon's right to register or vote may be restored by statute. Amends s. 4, Art. VI.

#### **HB 93 by Argenziano**

**Citrus-Hernando Waterways/SWFWMD;** creates Citrus/Hernando Waterways Restoration Council; provides for two task forces to review & make recommendations re specific waterways; provides for technical advisory group to council & two county task forces; requires Southwest Florida Water Management District to provide staff for council; provides for Citrus/Hernando Waterways restoration program; provides for two demonstration restoration projects, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/17/01 Referred to Natural Resources & Environmental Protection (RIC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); General Government Appropriations (FRC); Council for Ready Infrastructure

#### **HB 95 by Trovillion and Baxley**

**Public Libraries/Computers/Obscenity;** requires public libraries to install & maintain computer software or equivalent technology that prohibits access to obscene materials by minors; provides that installation of software or technology in library having only one public-access computer is within library's discretion; provides finding of important state interest. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

09/26/01 Referred to Juvenile Justice (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 97 by Kilmer (Similar S 0214)**

**Residents' Tax Relief Act of 2002;** specifies period during which sale of clothing & certain other items shall be exempt from tax on sales, use,

& other transactions; defines "clothing"; provides exceptions; provides for rules. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/26/01 Referred to Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Fiscal Responsibility Council

#### **HB 99 by Richardson**

**Discretionary Public School Surtax;** authorizes district school boards to levy discretionary public school surtax; requires referendum; provides for use of proceeds. Amends 212.055. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/14/01 Withdrawn prior to introduction

#### **HB 101 by Argenziano**

**Environmental Control/Aquatic Plants;** revises exemption from permitting requirements for specified removal of aquatic plants, removal of tussocks, associated replanting of indigenous aquatic plants, & associated removal from lakes of organic detrital material; provides exemption from permitting requirements for removal of said material from certain freshwater rivers or lakes & associated removal & replanting of aquatic vegetation for environmental enhancement. Amends 403.813. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

09/26/01 Referred to Natural Resources & Environmental Protection (RIC); General Government Appropriations (FRC); Council for Ready Infrastructure

#### **HB 103 by Smith**

**Elections/Voter's Legal Residence;** removes requirement that provisional ballot must be cast in precinct of voter's legal residence; clarifies that provisional ballot must be cast in county in which voter claims to be registered; specifies what constitutes active participation in campaign or candidacy in election being canvassed for purposes of disqualification of canvassing board member, etc. Amends 101.048, 102.141. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/17/01 Referred to Rules, Ethics & Elections (PRC); Judicial Oversight (SGC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HB 105 by Smith (Linked H 0091)**

**Citizens' Empowerment Act;** creates said act; provides for automatic restoration of former felons' right to vote following completion & satisfaction of sentence of incarceration & community supervision; provides conditions for such automatic restoration; amends provisions to conform. Amends 97.041,.052,.053, 98.0977. Effective Date: Contingent.

#### **HB 107 by Ryan (Linked H 0109)**

**Public Records/Computer Modeling/DOI;** provides exemption from public records requirements for certain computer modeling data, calculations, assumptions, & methodologies used for certain purposes; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

09/26/01 Referred to Insurance (CCC); State Administration (SGC)

#### **HB 109 by Ryan (Linked H 0107)**

**Windstorm Property Insurance;** revises criteria for limited apportionment; provides rate standards; specifies duties re pursuit of federal tax exemptions & tax-free bond status; provides premium tax exemption; delays repeal date of moratorium on hurricane-related cancellation or nonrenewal of property insurance policies; increases period of exemption from certain taxes & assessments for certain minority businesses; extends future repeal, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 624.4072. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

09/26/01 Referred to Insurance (CCC); General Government Appropriations (FRC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Competitive Commerce

#### **HB 111 by Murman**

**Health Flex Plans;** provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; exempts approved health flex plans from certain licensing requirements; provides criteria for eligibility to enroll in such plan; requires health flex plan providers to maintain certain records; provides requirements for denial, nonrenewal, or cancellation

of coverage; specifies that coverage under approved health flex plan is not entitlement, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Health Promotion (HCC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 113 by Crow, Heyman, Farkas, Slosberg, Lerner, Detert, Seiler, Gannon, Gibson, Maygarden, Meadows, Ausley, Greenstein and Green (Similar S 0210)**

**Treated Wood;** prohibits use of wood products treated with chromated copper arsenate in publicly funded playground equipment; provides for enforcement on state lands by DEP; requires DOE to provide notice to & develop guidelines for school districts re sealing of wood treated with chromated copper arsenate; prohibits state agencies from purchasing wood treated with chromated copper arsenate; provides exceptions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Agriculture & Consumer Affairs (CCC); Local Government & Veterans Affairs (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Competitive Commerce

#### **HB 115 by Harrell**

**Medical School/Military Academies;** repeals provision which requires admission to any medical school within State University System of any Florida resident who is student at or graduate of any of United States military academies & has complied with specified conditions, & which limits such admissions. Repeals 458.3147. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 117 by Harrell (Compare S 0152)**

**Sales Tax/Private Physical Fitness;** exempts dues & fees paid to private physical fitness facilities from said tax. Amends 212.02. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Business Regulation (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Fiscal Responsibility Council

#### **HB 119 by Andrews (Identical S 0198)**

**Homicide of Unborn Quick Child;** includes death of unborn quick child under DUI manslaughter; makes killing of such child rather than killing of viable fetus "vehicular homicide"; provides that killing such child by injury to mother which would be murder in any degree if it resulted in death of mother is murder in same degree; provides penalties; provides that death of mother does not bar prosecution under specified circumstances, etc. Amends 316.193, 782.071,.09, 921.0022. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 121 by Bennett (Identical S 0126)**

**Corporate Income Tax;** amends provision which provides for apportionment of adjusted federal income to this state; revises conditions for determining when sales of tangible personal property occur in this state for certain industries; provides for retroactive effect. Amends 220.15. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 123 by Baxley**

**Excise Tax on Documents;** provides limit on amount of tax on promissory or nonnegotiable notes, written obligations to pay money, & assignments of wages or other compensation & on certain promissory or nonnegotiable notes, written obligations to pay money, or other compensation made in connection with sales made under retail charge account services. Amends 201.08. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Judicial Oversight (SGC); Fiscal Responsibility Council

#### **HB 125 by Gannon**

**Emergency Treatment/Rape Survivors;** provides legislative intent; provides definitions; provides requirements for emergency treatment for survivors of rape; provides for counseling & for oral & written information about emergency contraception; provides for immediate access to medically appropriate emergency contraception, if requested, or for referral to facility that will provide access to such contraception. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

#### **HB 127 by Barreiro**

**Immigrant Children/Federal Programs;** provides for Florida Kidcare program enrollment of certain immigrant children not eligible for

specified federal programs; requires state medical assistance program for certain immigrants not eligible for federal Medicaid benefits; requires state food stamp program for certain immigrants not eligible for federal food stamp program. Amends 409.814, 414.31; creates 409.9041. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Health Promotion (HCC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Fiscal Responsibility Council; Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 129 by Barreiro**

**Motorsports Entertainment Complex;** provides for distribution of portion of revenues from tax on sales, use, & other transactions to motorsports entertainment complex; provides for certification of such facility by Office of Tourism, Trade, & Economic Development of Executive Office of Governor; provides requirements for certification; provides for use of funds distributed to motorsports entertainment complex, etc. Amends 212.20; creates 288.1170. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/19/01 Withdrawn prior to introduction

#### **HB 131 by Lynn**

**Library Records/Confidentiality;** revises provisions re confidentiality of public library registration & circulation records to authorize disclosure of information to parent or guardian of library patron under age 16, for purpose of collecting fines or recovering overdue books or other materials. Amends 257.261. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 133 by Lynn and Fasano**

**Husband & Wife Privilege/Disclosure;** denies existence of privilege against disclosure in certain criminal proceedings. Amends 90.504. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

#### **HB 135 by Bense, Benson, Jennings, Greenstein and Wiles**

**Firefighter Employment Safety;** cites act as "Fla. Firefighters Occupational Safety & Health Act"; provides legislative intent; requires division to conduct study of firefighter occupational diseases; requires division to inspect places of firefighter employment & to develop safety & health programs for those firefighter employers whose employees have high frequency or severity of work-related injuries, etc. Creates 633.801-.821; amends 633.31-.33, 383.3362. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 137 by Hogan (Similar S 0268)**

**Elderly Persons & Disabled Adults;** defines term "position of trust & confidence"; prescribes civil remedies for theft & other offenses in which victim is elderly person or disabled adult; provides that violation of patient rights is not cause of action under act; authorizes court to advance trial on docket which involves victim who is elderly person or disabled adult; provides guidelines for registration of public guardians, etc. Amends Ch. 744, 772.11, 825.101. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Judicial Oversight (SGC); Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 139 by McGriff, Heyman and Hogan**

**Laser Lighting Devices;** defines term "laser lighting device"; provides that it is second degree misdemeanor to knowingly & willfully shine beam of laser lighting device at law enforcement officer in such manner as to cause law enforcement officer to believe that firearm is pointed at him or her; provides penalty. Creates 784.062. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Criminal Justice Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 141 by Greenstein, Fasano, Lynn, Crow, Ausley, Sobel, Wiles, Rich, Lerner, Heyman, McGriff, Joyner, Betancourt, Gannon, Trovillion, Gibson, Bennett, Sorensen and Gottlieb (Identical S 0100)**

**Transportation Disadvantaged;** revises fees for registration of certain trucks, trailers, & motorcycles & for tag transfers & temporary tags to be

deposited into Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Fund. Amends 320.03. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

#### **HB 143 by Bowen (Similar S 0090)**

**Career Criminals;** defines term "career criminal" for purposes of act; requires that offender who is convicted as habitual felony offender, habitual violent felony offender, violent career criminal, three-time violent felony offender, or prison releasee reoffender register with sheriff of county in which offender resides; requires that career criminal also register in person at driver's license office of HSMV, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

#### **HB 145 by Wishner and Mahon (Similar H 0025)**

**Florida Golf License Plate;** provides for said license plate; provides for use fee; directs HSMV to develop said plate; provides for distribution & use of fees; requires Florida Sports Foundation to establish youth golf program; provides for advisory committee. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to Transportation (RIC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Ready Infrastructure

#### **HB 147 by Ball**

**Citizens' Right to Honest Government;** creates "Citizens' Right to Honest Government Act"; provides criminal penalties for official misconduct, criminal misuse of official position, disclosure or use of confidential criminal justice information, & bid tampering; provides criminal penalty for perjury in official proceeding by public servant; deletes specified felonies from & adds specified felonies to Criminal Punishment Code offense severity ranking chart, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

#### **HB 149 by Littlefield**

**Second Amendment License Plate;** creates Protect the Second Amendment license plate; provides for distribution of annual use fees received from sale of such plates. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Transportation (RIC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Ready Infrastructure

#### **HB 151 by Waters (Similar S 0026)**

**Relief/Skowroneks/Clearwater;** provides for relief of Eva Skowronek, as widow of Wieslaw Skowronek, & for relief of Anna Marie Skowronek, Victor Skowronek, & Hubert Skowronek, children of Wieslaw Skowronek, for death of Wieslaw Skowronek as result of negligence of City of Clearwater. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HB 153 by Brutus**

**Heir Finders;** provides definitions; requires registration of heir finders & heir finder businesses; provides for license renewal & reactivation; provides for local licensing requirements; provides for licensing of nonresidents; provides for admitting certain documents into evidence in certain hearings; includes heir finders within provisions for distributions of certain property or money by Banking & Finance Dept., etc. Creates 717.151-.156; amends 717.123,.124. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Business Regulation (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 155 by Trovillion**

**Public Lodging/Food Svc. Inspection;** provides for recovery of costs incurred for reinspection of public lodging or public food service establishment to verify correction of violations found during prior inspection. Amends 509.032. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 157 by Gottlieb, Heyman and Meadows (Identical S 0294)**

**Florida Dignity for All Students Act;** creates said act; provides legislative findings re harassment, discrimination, & violence in Florida schools; prohibits specified conduct & provides for punitive measures; provides duties of educational institutions; amends provision re required instruction in public schools; requires character-development program to include information re harassment, discrimination, &

violence, etc. Creates 228.2005; amends 233.061. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 159 by Bullard**

**Boulevard Designations/Miami-Dade;** designates "Steven Cranman Boulevard" & "Ethel Beckford Boulevard" in Miami-Dade County; designates "Phicol Williams Boulevard" in Miami-Dade County; designates "Arthur Mays Boulevard" in Miami-Dade County; directs DOT to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to Transportation (RIC); Council for Ready Infrastructure

#### **HB 161 by Garcia**

**Children/Relative Caregiver Program;** amends provision re said program; amends provision re workforce development postsecondary student fees; exempts from payment of specified fees otherwise eligible students for whom state is paying relative caregiver payment; exempts certain children in custody of relative at time of reaching age 18 from payment of all undergraduate student fees; requires CFS Dept. to contract for study of relative caregivers in state, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Child & Family Security (HCC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 163 by Paul and Kravitz**

**Sexual Offenses/Consent Defense;** prohibits defense based upon consent re sexual battery or certain lewd or lascivious offenses under certain circumstances. Amends 794.011, 800.04. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 165 by Paul (Identical S 0136)**

**Ad Val Tax/Disabled Ex-Service;** increases amount of exemption provided under specified provision of State Constitution for certain disabled ex-service members. Amends 196.24. Effective Date: 01/01/2003.

10/18/01 Referred to Local Government & Veterans Affairs (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 167 by Lynn**

**Student Assessment/Grade 10 CAT Test;** provides requirements re passing scores on grade 10 Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test. Amends 229.57. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to Education Innovation (LLC); Council for Lifelong Learning

#### **HB 169 by Weissman**

**Taxation;** revises provisions re venue of taxpayer actions in circuit court; provides methods by which taxpayer is entitled to establish amount of overpayment of tax on sales, use, & other transactions under certain conditions; provides for review of facts & circumstances to determine existence of reasonable cause in connection with assessment of penalty against taxpayer, etc. Amends 72.011, 212.12, 213.21, 220.03, 608.471. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Judicial Oversight (SGC); Fiscal Responsibility Council

#### **HB 171 by Weissman**

**Long-term Care;** creates "Nursing Home Facility Whistleblower's Act" & "Assisted Living Facility Whistleblower's Act," respectively; prohibits retaliatory actions from facility or independent contractor against employee for disclosure of certain information; specifies nature of information, to whom disclosed, & persons protected; authorizes civil actions for violation; provides penalties; protects existing rights of employees, etc. Creates 400.0245, 455. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Judicial Oversight (SGC); Council for Healthy Communities; Council for Ready Infrastructure

#### **HB 173 by Goodlette (Similar S 0180)**

**Excise Tax on Documents;** provides that tax on deeds & other instruments re real property or interests therein applies to certificates of title issued in judicial sale of real property pursuant to court order or final judgment issued in foreclosure proceeding; provides method for computing tax; provides intent; provides for retroactive application. Amends 201.02. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to Judicial Oversight (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 175 by Lynn**

**Child Care Facilities;** requires validation of certain information provided by applicant for child care facility license; requires CFS Dept. to establish & impose uniform penalties re child care facility violations; requires dept. to establish database of information re violations, citations, & penalties imposed against child care facilities regulated by state; provides duties of State Technology Office, etc. Amends Ch. 402, 409.146; repeals 402.316. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 177 by Sobel (Identical S 0148)**

**Homeowners' Associations/U. S. Flag;** provides that any homeowner may display United States flag. Amends 720.3075. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC)

#### **HB 179 by Benson**

**Athlete Agents;** removes examination requirement for licensure as athlete agent; authorizes unlicensed individual to act as athlete agent under certain conditions; revises agent contract requirements, including notice requirements; provides for cancellation of agent contracts; revises provisions re civil remedies available to colleges & universities for violations of athlete agent regulations, etc. Amends Ch. 468; repeals 468.4563, 4564. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Business Regulation (SGC); Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 181 by Negron**

**HMO Contracts/Health Care Providers;** requires AHCA to establish statewide health care provider & health maintenance organization qualification dispute resolution program; requires agency to contract with resolution organization for certain purposes; revises provisions providing for termination of provider contract by HMO; prohibits certain insurers from refusing to enter into or renew contracts with certain health care providers, etc. Creates 408.7058; amends 627.6474, 641.315. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Insurance (CCC); Health Promotion (HCC); Council for Healthy Communities; Council for Ready Infrastructure

#### **HB 183 by Gardiner**

**Motor Vehicles/Pre-delivery Services;** repeals provision re provision of law making it deceptive & unfair trade practice for motor vehicle dealer to add certain additional charges for pre-delivery services; provides for retroactive application. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 185 by Seiler**

**FRS/Senior Management Service Class;** includes general masters & child support hearing officers in Senior Management Service Class of Florida Retirement System. Amends 121.055. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 187 by Attkisson (Similar S 0008)**

**Relief/Hopkins & Bowman;** provides for relief of Towanna Denise Hopkins, incompetent, by & through Willie Lee Hopkins, her father & legally appointed guardian, Robert Keith Bowman, Jr., son of Towanna Denise Hopkins, & Willie Lee Hopkins, individually; authorizes & directs Fla. Board of Regents, University of South Florida, & USF Health Sciences Center Insurance Company to compensate them for injuries & damages, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 189 by Siplin (Similar S 0074)**

**Relief/Steven Mitchell/Volusia Co.;** provides for relief of Steven Mitchell; authorizes & directs Halifax Hospital Medical Center, special taxing district in Volusia Co. d/b/a Halifax Medical Center to

compensate Steven Mitchell for personal injuries that he suffered while at Halifax Medical Center. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HB 191 by Diaz de la Portilla**

**School Dist./Inspector General Off.;** establishes Inspector General Office in each school district; provides for appointment of Inspector General; provides purpose of office; provides authority of Inspector General to conduct investigations & make recommendations; provides powers of Inspector General. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Education Innovation (LLC); Education Appropriations (FRC); Council for Lifelong Learning

#### **HB 193 by Gannon** (Linked H 0195)

**Insurer Rehabilitation & Liquidation;** provides construction & purposes; specifies application to certain persons & entities; vests DOI with certain rights as receiver; provides for investigations by DOI preliminary or incidental to receivership proceedings; authorizes dept. to provide certain information in such investigations; imposes liability on certain persons or entities for certain actions, etc. Amends Ch. 631, 626.9541; creates 817.2341. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Insurance (CCC); Judicial Oversight (SGC); Council for Competitive Commerce

#### **HB 195 by Gannon** (Linked H 0193)

**Public Records/Insurers Records;** provides exemption from public records requirements for records of insurers subject to delinquency proceedings; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Effective Date: Contingent.

10/18/01 Referred to Insurance (CCC); State Administration (SGC); Council for Competitive Commerce

#### **HB 197 by Harper**

**School Emergency Preparedness;** requires DOE to adopt rules governing emergency drills which must be followed by each district school board. Amends 230.23. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to General Education (LLC); Education Appropriations (FRC); Council for Lifelong Learning

#### **HB 199 by Harper** (Linked H 0201)

**Drug Abuse & Crime Prevention Act;** creates said act as supplementary intervention program for certain nonviolent drug offenders; provides for drug treatment in lieu of reincarceration of parolees who commit nonviolent drug possession offense or violate any drug-related condition of their parole; provides for mandatory probation of persons convicted of nonviolent drug possession offense; provides exceptions, etc. Creates 949.151, 153; 947.31; 948.21. Effective Date: Contingent.

10/18/01 Referred to Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Criminal Justice Appropriations (FRC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 201 by Harper** (Linked H 0199)

**Drug Abuse Treatment Trust Fund;** creates said trust fund within Corrections Department; provides for source of moneys & purposes; provides for annual carryforward of unused funds; provides for future review & re-creation of trust fund. Creates 949.155. Effective Date: Contingent.

10/18/01 Referred to Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Criminal Justice Appropriations (FRC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 203 by Sorensen** (Similar S 0060)

**Relief/Joshua England/Monroe Co.;** provides for relief of Joshua England, a minor; authorizes & directs District School Board of Monroe Co. to compensate Joshua England for personal injuries that he suffered due to negligence of Monroe County district school board employees; provides for use of such funds; provides for forfeiture & reversion of funds; provides for trustee qualifications. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council

#### **HB 205 by Sorensen**

**District Courts of Appeal;** specifies minimum membership of district courts of appeal; provides construction & application; provides criteria for selecting judges to fill vacancies; requests district courts of appeal judicial nominating commissions to adopt uniform rules of procedure. Amends 35.01. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to Judicial Oversight (SGC); State Administration (SGC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 207 by Sorensen, Fasano, Baxley, Melvin, Baker, Negron, Needelman, Crow, Bennett, Stansel, Haridopolos, Davis and Pickens**

**Legislators' Compensation;** reduces compensation of legislators for specified period; provides for future repeal of such reduction. Amends 11.13. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Responsibility Council

#### **HB 209 by Mahon**

**Credit Service Organizations;** eliminates exception to prohibited charging or receiving of money or valuable consideration prior to complete performance of specified services by said organization; eliminates condition for establishment of trust account; requires said organizations to obtain surety bond in specified amount; revises provisions re issuance of information statement to buyer of services of said organization, etc. Amends 817.7005, 701, 702, 703. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to Business Regulation (SGC); Banking (CCC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 211 by Detert**

**Drivers' Licenses/DUI/Reinstatement;** authorizes certain persons who have had driver's license permanently revoked because of four convictions for DUI to petition HSMV for reinstatement of driving privileges under certain circumstances. Amends 322.271. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

10/18/01 Referred to Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Transportation (RIC); Council for Healthy Communities

#### **HB 213 by Brummer**

**Controlled Substances/Parks;** prohibits sale, manufacture, or delivery of controlled substances, or possession of controlled substances with intent to sell, manufacture, or deliver, within 1,000 feet of any state, county, or municipal park or recreational facility; provides penalties; ranks such offenses on offense severity ranking chart of Criminal Punishment Code. Amends 893.13, 921.0022. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

#### **HB 215 by Fasano**

**Deferred Retirement Option Program;** amends provision re participation in Elected Officers' Class for retired members to reinstate DROP termination requirements; amends provision re retirement benefits, to reinstate DROP termination requirements for elected officers. Amends 121.053, 091. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/18/01 Referred to State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Council for Smarter Government

#### **HB 217 by Mack** (Similar S 0194)

**School Service Accountability Act;** creates School Service Accountability Act of 2002; requires analysis of expenditure of funds & quality of service for certain noninstructional services; provides for request for proposals or solicitation of bids to contract for services; provides for disclosure; provides for use of cost savings; requires reports. Creates 236.6851. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 219 by Ball**

**Open House Parties;** revises definitions; prohibits persons age 18 or older from allowing open house parties at any residence if alcoholic beverages or drugs are possessed or consumed by minor; provides penalty. Amends 856.015. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 221 by Flanagan**

**Traffic Control/Move Over Act;** creates said act; provides requirements re authorized emergency vehicles making use of visual

signals when parked; authorizes wreckers to use amber rotating or flashing lights under certain circumstances. Amends 316.126.,2397. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 223 by Ritter**

**Driver Licenses/Foreign Residents;** provides for expiration date of certain drivers' licenses issued to foreign residents who are in Florida with visa; prohibits renewal without valid visa. Amends 322.031. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 225 by Allen (Similar S 0046)**

**Relief/Sharon & Victor Dixon, Sr.;** provides for relief of Sharon Dixon & Victor Dixon, Sr.; authorizes & directs School Board of Indian River Co. to compensate them for wrongful death of their minor child, Victor Dixon, Jr., due to negligence of employee of school board. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 227 by Stansel (Similar S 0016)**

**Relief/Patsy Baucco/DOT;** compensates Patsy Baucco for injuries & damages she sustained as result of negligence of DOT employee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 229 by Mahon, Kravitz, Davis, Hogan and Jordan**

**Education Finance;** deletes determination of district cost differentials for purpose of allocation of funds to school districts for operation of schools; corrects cross references; deletes use of Florida Price Level Index for purpose of allocation of funds to school districts for student transportation; conforms language & corrects cross references. Amends 236.081.,083.,25, 110.1228, 213.053, 229.0537.,05371, 231.167.,424, 237.071.,34, 240.384, 402.22. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 231 by Meadows (Identical S 0184)**

**High-Occupancy Vehicle Lanes;** allows certain energy-saving vehicles to travel in such lanes, regardless of occupancy. Amends 316.0741. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 233 by Smith**

**Motor Vehicle Accidents/Distractions;** requires report on motor vehicle accidents caused by all types of driver distractions; preempts regulation of operator or passenger use of commercial mobile radio services to state. Creates 316.0075. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 235 by Flanagan and Detert (Identical S 0002)**

**FRS/Average Final Compensation;** redefines term "average final compensation" re Florida Retirement System. Amends 121.021. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 237 by Fiorentino (Similar S 0144)**

**FRS/Public School Member;** defines term "public school member" for purposes of Florida Retirement System; provides retirement benefits payable to public school members; provides retroactive applicability; provides for funding of revision of FRS by this act; provides finding of important state interest. Amends 121.021.,091. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 239 by Hogan**

**Anatomical Gifts;** amends declaration of legislative intent; prohibits modification of donor's intent; provides that donor document is legally binding; provides certain implications of anatomical gift; revises manner of executing such gifts; revises rights & duties at death; revises procedures by which terms of anatomical gift may be amended or gift may be revoked; proscribes legal liability. Amends 765.510,512,514,516,517. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 241 by Kravitz**

**Public Records/Photo/Crime Victim;** provides exemption from public records law for photographs or other images in custody of state or governmental agency which depict remains of crime victim; authorizes release of such record to another agency for official purposes; provides that such release does not waive confidentiality of record; provides for legislative review & future repeal; provides statement of public necessity. Amends 119.07. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 243 by Mack**

**Certified Capital Company Act;** redefines terms "early stage technology business" & "qualified distribution"; defines terms "Program One" & "Program Two"; revises procedures & dates for certification & decertification under Program One & Program Two; revises process for earning premium tax credits; provides limitation on tax credits under Program Two; authorizes Banking & Finance Dept. to levy fine; provides for distributions under both programs. Amends 288.99. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 245 by Detert**

**Road to Independence Act of 2002;** provides transition to self-sufficiency as goal for older children who are likely to remain in foster care until 18 years of age; directs CFS Dept. or its agents to administer system of independent living transition services; provides for use of state foster care or federal funds to establish continuum of independent living transition services; establishes independent living services integration workgroup, etc. Amends Ch. 409. Effective Date: 10/01/2002.

#### **HB 247 by Ritter**

**Flight Training School Licensing Act;** creates "Florida Flight Training School Licensing Act of 2002"; provides requirements for licensure of flight training schools; provides requirements for applicants for flight training; provides conditions for disqualification of applicant for flight training; provides for specified license fees & disposition thereof; requires DBPR to report criminal violations to appropriate prosecuting authorities, etc. Creates 468.90-.927. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 249 by Gardiner**

**Traffic Control & Motor Vehicles;** revises traffic control jurisdiction of county over certain roads & rights-of-way dedicated in residential subdivision under certain circumstances; authorizes governing body of county to abandon roads & rights-of-way dedicated in recorded subdivision plat under certain circumstances; provides that it is illegal to transfer title to motor vehicle under certain circumstances; provides penalty, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 251 by Mayfield**

**State Board/Nonpublic Career Educ.;** includes flight training schools & fixed based operators in definition of "school" for purposes of regulation & licensure; requires each flight training school & fixed based operator licensed by State Board of Nonpublic Career Education to collect & maintain specified information about its students; requires specified scores on Test of English as Foreign Language; reenacts specified provisions, etc. Amends Ch. 246. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 253 by Gibson (Identical S 0176)**

**Law Off./Firefighter/Children/Educ.;** provides for graduate or postbaccalaureate educational expenses to be waived for children of officers or firefighters killed in line of duty; provides for waiver to apply to state resident who attends state institution as full-time or part-time student until specified age. Amends 112.19.,191. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

#### **HB 255 by Carassas (Similar S 0276)**

**Nursing Homes;** revises membership & terms of Governor's Panel on Excellence in Long-Term Care; provides for selection of panel chair; provides definition; provides conditions under which prohibition against payment of referral fees by assisted living facilities does not apply. Amends 400.235.,4195. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 257 by Spratt, Ross, Bennett, Berfield, Haridopolos, Bowen, Bense, Alexander, Stansel, Machek, Gibson, Kendrick, Harrington, Brown and Dockery (Similar S 0280)**

**Administrative Procedures;** increases cap on award of attorney's fees & costs in action initiated by state agency; revises language re Uniform Rules of Procedure; revises requirements for pleadings, motions, & other papers filed under Administrative Procedure Act; revises provisions re motions to relinquish jurisdiction; redefines term "improper purpose" for determining award of attorney's fees, etc. Amends 57.111, 120.54.,569.,57.,595.,60. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

#### **HB 259 by Brummer**

**Instructional Personnel/K-12/DROP;** increases period of time which members of Florida Retirement System who are employed as instructional personnel in grades K-12 may participate in DROP; provides statement of proper & legitimate state purpose. Amends 121.091. Effective Date: Contingent.

**HB 261 by Russell**

**Transportation Department;** revises language re organization of dept.; changes turnpike district into turnpike enterprise; deletes requirement for dept. permit re height of automobile transporters; adds weight requirements for certain commercial trucks; adds enhancement projects to types of projects that can be combined into design-build contract; eliminates cap on innovative highway projects for turnpike enterprise, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

**HB 263 by Trovillion**

**Special Assessments/Parks & Camps;** provides method for levy of assessments by counties & municipalities on mobile home parks, lodging parks, recreational vehicle parks, or recreational camps. Creates 125.0168, 166.223. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

**HB 265 by Richardson (Similar H 0047)**

**District School Board Employees;** extends benefits of Barry Grunow Act to certain district school board employees & certain noninstructional personnel who provide indirect services to students, in addition to teachers & school administrators; provides exception to act. Amends 112.1915. Effective Date: 07/01/2002.

**HB 267 by Richardson**

**Education/Tax/Straw Ballot;** provides for straw ballot referendum on increase in tax on sales, use, & other transactions for education; proposes certain question to voters of Florida & submitting said question to voters in general election, November 5, 2002. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

**HB 269 by Fiorentino**

**Growth Management;** requires that local planning agencies include representative of district school board; repeals provision which provides requirements for public school facilities element of local govt. comprehensive plan adopted to implement school concurrency program; revises requirements for future land use element & intergovernmental coordination element re planning for schools; provides requirements for future land use maps, etc. Amends Chs. 163, 235, 236.25. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

**HB 271 by Harrell (Similar S 0088)**

**Learning Gateway Program;** authorizes demonstration program to be called Learning Gateway; creates steering committee; provides for membership & appointment of committee members; establishes duties of committee; authorizes demonstration projects in specified counties; authorizes designated agencies to share confidential information with such program; provides access to student records by such program & steering committee; provides for funding. Amends 228.093. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.