

James E. "Jim" King, Jr.
President



Alex Diaz de la Portilla
President Pro Tempore

Senate Calendar

Wednesday, March 12, 2003
(2nd week -- 51 days remaining)

THE SENATE WILL CONVENE ON
Thursday, March 13, 2003
10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 10 - 14, 2003

(This is a schedule of times and places set by the Committee on Rules and Calendar and is subject to change.)

MONDAY March 10, 2003	TUESDAY March 11, 2003	WEDNESDAY March 12, 2003	THURSDAY March 13, 2003	FRIDAY March 14, 2003
	<p>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Group IV Agriculture <i>Jerry Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</i> Children and Families Rm. 37 (LL-SB) Governmental Oversight and Productivity Rm. 110 (EL-SB)</p>	<p>8:00 a.m.-until completion of agenda Democratic Caucus Rm. 228 (SB) 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Group I Comprehensive Planning <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Home Defense, Public Security, and Ports (Full committee will not meet. Committee members will participate in a site visit.) See agenda Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p>	<p>9:15 a.m.-until completion of agenda Rules and Calendar Special Order Subcommittee <i>Jerry Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</i> 10:00-11:00 a.m. SESSION</p>	
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<p>2:00-5:00 p.m. Group II Commerce, Economic Opportunities, and Consumer Services <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Judiciary Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Natural Resources Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p>	<p>1:00-4:00 p.m. Group III Communication and Public Utilities Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Health, Aging, and Long- Term Care <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Transportation Rm. 37 (LL-SB) 4:15 p.m.-until completion of agenda Rules and Calendar Special Order Subcommittee (NM)*</p>	<p>12:45-3:45 p.m. Group V Ethics and Elections <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Regulated Industries Rm. 110 (EL-SB) 4:00-7:00 p.m. Group VI Banking and Insurance Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Criminal Justice Rm. 37 (LL-SB) Education <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> 6:00 p.m.-until completion of agenda Black Business Caucus FL Restaurant Assoc.</p>	<p>1:00-5:00 p.m. Group VII Appropriations (NM)* Appropriations Subs. on: Article V Implementation & Judiciary See agenda General Gov. <i>Jerry Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</i> Health & Human Services Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Transportation & Economic Development Rm. 117 (KB) Finance & Taxation (NM)* 1:30-5:00 p.m. Group VII Appropriations Subs. on: Criminal Justice Rm. 42 (LL-SB) Education <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i></p>	

(NM)* = Not Meeting

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SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 17 - 21, 2003

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MONDAY March 17, 2003	TUESDAY March 18, 2003	WEDNESDAY March 19, 2003	THURSDAY March 20, 2003	FRIDAY March 21, 2003
<p>11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Joint Committees</p>	<p>9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. SESSION</p>	<p>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon SESSION</p>	<p>10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Group VII Appropriations <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Appropriations Subs. on: Article V Implementation & Judiciary <i>Verle A. Pope</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 309 (CB)</i> Crim. Justice Rm. 42 (LL-SB) Education <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> General Gov. <i>Jerry Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</i> Health & Human Services Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Transportation & Econ. Development Rm. 117 (KB) Finance & Tax. Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p>	<p>9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Group VII Appropriations <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> Appropriations Subs. on: Article V Implementation & Judiciary <i>Verle A. Pope</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 309 (CB)</i> Crim. Justice Rm. 42 (LL-SB) Education <i>Pat Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 412 (KB)</i> General Gov. <i>Jerry Thomas</i> <i>Comm. Rm. 301 (CB)</i> Health & Human Services Rm. 110 (EL-SB) Transportation & Econ. Development Rm. 117 (KB) Finance & Tax. Rm. 37 (LL-SB)</p>
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2003 SESSION DATES

- August 1, 2002 Deadline for filing claim bills (Rule 4.81)
- February 7, 2003 5:00 p.m., deadline for filing requests for drafts of general bills, including requests for companion bills
- March 4, 2003 Regular Session convenes (Article III, section 3(b), Constitution)
- March 4, 2003 12:00 noon, deadline for filing bills for introduction (Rule 3.7)
- April 22, 2003 50th day—last day for regularly scheduled committee meetings (Rule 2.9)
- April 28, 2003 All bills are immediately certified (Rule 6.8)
Conference Committee Reports require only one reading (Rule 4.5)
- May 2, 2003 60th day—last day of Regular Session (Article III, section 3(d), Constitution)

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 2003

8:00 a.m.—until completion of agenda

CAUCUS NOTICE: The Democratic Caucus will meet at 8:00 a.m., in Room 228, Senate Office Building.

9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

Comprehensive Planning (Group I):

9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, *Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:*

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Geller, Chair; Senator Webster, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Bennett, Bullard, Campbell, Constantine and Posey)

SB 1162 (CA) by Senator Pruitt—Taxation
SB 1248 (CA) by Senator Wise and others—Mandated Property Reform Task Force
SB 1664 (CA) by Senator Wise—Medical Information/Pub. Rec.
SB 424 (CA) by Senator Smith—Indian Reservations
SB 1024 (CA) by Senator Atwater—Non-Ad Valorem Assessments
SB 1126 (CA) by Senator Atwater—Local Government/Half-cent Sales Tax
SB 1454 (CA) by Senator Atwater—Local Funding Revenue Maximization
SB 1438 (CA) by Senator Clary—Prop. Tax Exempt./Ex-military Spouse
SB 1044 (CA) by Senator Argenziano and others—Consumptive Uses of Water/Permitting
SB 1276 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Frequency of Audits/Auditor General
SB 1634 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Real Property Sales/Disclosures
SB 1426 (CA) by Senator Posey—Municipalities/Per Diem & Travel

Presentation on "Smart Growth" Development Strategies

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, March 11, 2003 at 9:00 a.m.

Home Defense, Public Security and Ports: The full committee will not meet. Committee members will participate in a site visit, from 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, to observe a full field exercise of the state's Region 2 Domestic Security Task Force at Doak Campbell Stadium, Pensacola Street.

Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports (Group I): 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon, Room 37 (LL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Fasano, Chair; Senator Clary, Vice-Chair; Senators Crist, Lynn, Siplin, Wasserman Schultz and Wilson)

SB 1098 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Armed Forces/Stationed in Florida
SB 640 (CA) by Senator Fasano—Military Services License Plates
SB 684 (CA) by the Committee on Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports—Military Affairs

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, March 11, 2003 at 9:00 a.m.

12:45—3:45 p.m.

Ethics and Elections (Group V): 12:45—3:45 p.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:*

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Cowin, Chair; Senator Dawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Bullard, Dockery, Fasano, Garcia, Margolis, Posey and Smith)

SENATE CONFIRMATION HEARING:

A public hearing for consideration of the confirmation of the below-named executive appointments to the office indicated. (All persons wishing to be heard on these appointments are requested to notify the committee administrative assistant (850-487-5828) on the day preceding the hearing.)

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Jacksonville Airport Authority Appointee: Weaver, Ronald M., Jacksonville	09/30/2005
St. Augustine-St. Johns County Airport Authority Appointee: Green, Suzanne Worrall, Ponte Vedra	01/03/2005
Board of Architecture and Interior Design Appointee: Horstmyer, Kenneth L., Key Biscayne	10/31/2004
Florida Board of Auctioneers Appointees: Elms, S. Annette, Tequesta Moecker, Michael E., Mt. Dora	10/31/2005 10/31/2004
Greater Orlando Aviation Authority Appointee: Fuqua, Jeffrey B., Orlando	04/16/2006
Florida Building Code Administrators and Inspectors Board Appointee: Zicaro, James T., Kissimmee	10/31/2005
Florida Building Commission Appointees: Bahadori, Hamid R., Lake Mary Kidwell, Paul D., Lutz	02/07/2005 01/13/2005
Florida Citrus Commission Appointee: Alexander, John R., Duck Key	05/31/2005
Board of Trustees of Central Florida Community College Appointee: Runnels, Carol, Inglis	05/31/2006
Board of Trustees of Chipola Junior College Appointee: Padgett, John W., Marianna	05/31/2006
Board of Trustees of Daytona Beach Community College Appointee: Callender, Lynnette James, Palm Coast	05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Edison Community College
 Appointees:
 Carr, Darol H. M., Punta Gorda 05/31/2006
 Houghton, W. Mahlan, Jr., Ft. Myers 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Florida Community College at Jacksonville
 Appointees:
 Fryer, Thomas W., Jr., Jacksonville 05/31/2006
 Smith, Emily B., Jacksonville 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Gulf Coast Community College
 Appointee:
 Sumner, William C., Wewahitchka 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Lake City Community College
 Appointee:
 Surrency, James, Trenton 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Lake-Sumter Community College
 Appointee:
 Norman, Joe M., Leesburg 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Pensacola Junior College
 Appointee:
 Young, Deidre L., Pensacola 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Polk Community College
 Appointee:
 Ross, Cynthia H., Lakeland 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of St. Johns River Community College
 Appointee:
 Cone, Barbara H., St. Augustine 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of St. Petersburg College
 Appointees:
 Johnston, W. Richard, St. Petersburg 05/31/2006
 Jones, Susan D., Treasure Island 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Santa Fe Community College
 Appointees:
 Bradley, Winston J., Gainesville 05/31/2006
 Brashear, Glenna F., Gainesville 05/31/2006
 McRae, Arley W., Starke 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Seminole Community College
 Appointee:
 English, Charles W., Longwood 05/31/2006

Board of Trustees of Tallahassee Community College
 Appointee:
 Callaway, Donna G., Tallahassee 05/31/2006

Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board
 Appointee:
 Sandefer, Paul W., Orange Park 10/31/2005

Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers
 Appointee:
 Reninger, June Lee, Venice 10/31/2005

Citrus County Hospital Board
 Appointee:
 Langer, David, Inverness 07/08/2006

Board of Psychology
 Appointee:
 Rivas-Vazquez, Rafael A., Coral Gables 10/31/2005

Apalachee Regional Planning Council, Region 2
 Appointee:
 Stanfield, Kevin L., Tallahassee 10/01/2004

East Central Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 6
 Appointee:
 Smith, Evelyn H., Eustis 10/01/2004

Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 9
 Appointee:
 Emblidge, Margaret, Bonita Springs 10/01/2004

Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology
 Appointee:
 Antonelli, Patrick J., Gainesville 10/31/2005

Hillsborough River Basin Board of the Southwest Florida Water Management District
 Appointee:
 Burt, George R., Auburndale 03/01/2005

Peace River Basin Board of the Southwest Florida Water Management District
 Appointee:
 Baxter, Tracy T., Wauchula 03/01/2005

Remarks by Secretary of State Glenda E. Hood

SB 1322 (CA) by Senator Cowin—Constitutional Amendments
 SJR 464 (CA) by Senator Smith—Constitutional Amendments
 SB 1578 (CA) by Senator Cowin and others—Commission on Ethics/Lobbying/Member

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, March 11, 2003 at 12:45 p.m.

Regulated Industries (Group V): 12:45—3:45 p.m., Room 110 (EL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Diaz de la Portilla, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Bennett, Campbell, Geller, Hill, Pruitt, Saunders, Sebesta and Villalobos)

SB 742 (CA) by Senator Diaz de la Portilla—Smoking in Workplace
 SB 228 (CA) by Senator Wasserman Schultz and others—Pari-mutuel Wagering/Greyhounds
 SB 1446 (CA) by the Committee on Regulated Industries—Investigative Information/Pub. Rec.

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, March 11, 2003 at 12:45 p.m.

4:00—7:00 p.m.

Banking and Insurance (Group VI): 4:00—7:00 p.m., Room 110 (EL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Posey, Chair; Senator Margolis, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Atwater, Campbell, Dawson, Diaz de la Portilla, Dockery, Lawson, Lee, Peaden and Wasserman Schultz)

SB 204 (CA) by Senator Miller—Credit Reports by Insurers
 SB 218 (CA) by Senator Campbell—Uniform Commercial Code/Statements
 CS/SB 296 (CA) by the Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care and Senator Saunders—Retirement Communities
 SB 738 (CA) by Senator Bennett—Worthless Checks
 SB 336 (CA) by Senator Wise and others—Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, March 11, 2003 at 4:00 p.m.

Criminal Justice (Group VI): 4:00—7:00 p.m., Room 37 (LL),
Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Villalobos, Chair; Senator Smith,
Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Crist, Fasano, Geller, Hill and
Lynn)

CS/SB 242 (CA) by the Committee on Transportation and Senator
Saunders—License Revocation/HSMV
SB 246 (CA) by Senator Saunders and others—Leaving Scene of
Accident/Penalty
SB 248 (CA) by Senator Saunders—Culpable Negligence/DUI
CS/SB 326 (CA) by the Committee on Regulated Industries and
Senator Smith—Alcoholic Beverage/Underage Employee
SB 428 (CA) by Senator Smith and others—Community Control
SB 1070 (CA) by Senator Crist—Imposition of Death Sentence
SB 1648 (CA) by the Committee on Criminal Justice—FDLE/Blood
Collecting
SB 144 (CA) by Senator Cowin and others—Sexual Assault
Victims/Services
SB 146 (CA) by Senator Cowin—Rape Crisis Program Trust Fund

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, March 11, 2003
at 4:00 p.m.

Education (Group VI): 4:00—7:00 p.m., Pat Thomas
Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Constantine, Chair; Senator Bullard,
Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Carlton, Clary, Cowin, Klein, Pruitt,
Sebesta, Wilson and Wise)

SB 118 (CA) by Senator Wise and others—Disabilities/Spinal Cord
Injury
CS/SB 198 (CA) by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning
and Senator Miller—Adult Entertainment Establishments
SB 638 (CA) by Senator Clary and others—Student Tuition
Assistance
SB 716 (CA) by Senator Fasano and others—Instructional
Materials/Cost Savings
SB 1260 (CA) by Senator Wilson and others—High School
Graduation Requirements
SB 1370 (CA) by Senator Wise—University
Presidents/Remuneration
SB 1368 (CA) by Senator Webster—Workforce Development
SB 1690 (CA) by Senator Cowin—Accelerated Education
CS/SB 698 (CA) by the Committee on Health, Aging, and
Long-Term Care and Senator Saunders—Certified Geriatric
Specialty/Nurses
SB 1772 (CA) by the Committee on Education—Education

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Tuesday, March 11, 2003
at 4:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.—until completion of agenda

CAUCUS NOTICE: The Black Business Caucus will meet at 6:00
p.m., at the Florida Restaurant Association.

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 2003

9:15 a.m.—until completion of agenda

Rules and Calendar: Special Order Subcommittee:

9:15 a.m.—until completion agenda, *Jerry Thomas Committee
Room, 301 Capitol:*

To set the Special Order Calendar for Tuesday, March 18, 2003

1:00—5:00 p.m.

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Article V Implementation and Judiciary (Group VII):

1:00—5:00 p.m.:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Smith, Chair; Senators Alexander,
Aronberg, Villalobos and Wise)

1:00 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.

Site visit at the FSU Center for Professional Development to
attend the 2003 Florida Judicial College Seminar for Judicial
Management Techniques (lunch will be provided for
committee members prior to the meeting)

2:15 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Travel back to the Capitol

3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Budget work session in the *Verle A. Pope Committee Room 309
Capitol*

Appropriations: Subcommittee on General Government (Group VII): 1:00—5:00 p.m., *Jerry Thomas Committee Room, 301 Capitol:*

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Clary, Chair; Senators Bullard, Dockery,
Lawson and Lynn)

Budget work session

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Health and Human Services (Group VII): 1:00—5:00 p.m., Room 110 (EL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Peaden, Chair; Senators Garcia, Jones,
Klein and Wilson)

Budget work session

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation and Economic Development (Group VII): 1:00—5:00 p.m., Room 117, Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Webster, Chair; Senators Atwater, Hill, Lee, Sebesta and Siplin)

Budget work session

1:30—5:00 p.m.

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice (Group VII): 1:30—5:00 p.m., Room 42 (LL), Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Crist, Chair; Senators Argenziano, Constantine, Dawson and Fasano)

Budget work session

Appropriations: Subcommittee on Education (Group VII): 1:30—5:00 p.m., Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERSHIP: Senator Carlton, Chair; Senators Bennett, Cowin, Diaz de la Portilla, Miller and Wasserman Schultz)

CS/SB 1436 (CA) by the Committee on Finance and Taxation and Senator Carlton—Class Size Reduction Act
CS/SB 1646 (CA) by the Committee on Education and Senator Constantine—Implementation of Amendment 9

Budget work session

Amendment deadline for this meeting is Wednesday, March 12, 2003 at 1:30 p.m.

BILLS ON THE CALENDAR

SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

CS/SB 18 (2R) by the Committee on Education and Senator Pruitt—

Relief/Smith/Hughes/Truitt; provides for relief of Debra Smith, Pamela Hughes, Michael Truitt, & Charles Hughes; authorizes & directs Indian River Co. School Board to compensate them for death of their father, Sammie Lee Hughes, due to negligence of school board. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably

CS/SB 20 (2R) by the Committee on Finance and Taxation and Senator Saunders—

Relief/Jacob P. Darna; provides for relief of Jacob P. Darna, for injuries sustained as result of negligence of Lee Co. School Board. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended unfavorably by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Education and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 26 (2R) by Senator Posey—

Relief/Alan S. Hammer/Brevard Co.; provides for relief of Alan S. Hammer; authorizes & directs Brevard Co. Board of County Commissioners to compensate Mr. Hammer for personal injuries suffered in automobile accident caused by employee of Brevard County. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Recommended favorably by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning and Finance and Taxation

SB 34 (2R) by Senator Posey—

Relief/Howard & Donna Evarts; provides for relief of Howard S. Evarts & his wife, Donna Evarts; authorizes & directs Brevard Co. Board of County Commissioners to compensate Mr. & Mrs. Evarts for personal injuries suffered by Mr. Evarts in automobile accident caused by employee of Brevard County. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Recommended favorably by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning and Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 38 (2R) by the Committee on Education and Senator Pruitt—

Relief/Amanda Johnson/Indian River; provides for relief of Amanda Johnson, a minor, by & through her parents & natural guardians, Virginia & Charles Johnson, for injuries sustained due to negligence of Indian River County School Board; provides for use of such funds. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably

SB 40 (2R) by Senator Pruitt—

Relief/Ebner/St. Lucie Co.; provides for relief of Richard & Denise Ebner for injuries sustained due to negligence of St. Lucie Co.; provides for use of such funds. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably by the Committees on Comprehensive Planning and Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 42 (2R) by the Committee on Education and Senator Posey—

Relief/Rosemond/Indian River Co.; provides for relief of Taylor Rosemond, a minor, by & through her parents & natural guardians, Alvin & Shirley Rosemond, for injuries sustained due to negligence of Indian River Co. School Board; provides for use of such funds. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably

CS/SB 44 (2R) by the Committee on Education and Senator Posey—

Relief/Clay & Tatiana Haywood; provides for relief of Clay Haywood & Tatiana Haywood, minors, by & through Michelle O'Halloran, mother & natural guardian of Clay Haywood & Tatiana Haywood, for injuries sustained due to negligence of Indian River Co. school bus driver; provides for use of such funds. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Education and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reports the committee substitute favorably

SB 46 (2R) by Senator Campbell—

Relief/Yahraus/Sarasota Co.; provides for relief of Denise Yahraus individually & as personal representative of estate of Michael Yahraus, deceased; authorizes & directs school board of Sarasota Co., Florida, to compensate estate for death of Michael Yahraus, due to negligence of Sarasota Co. School Board. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with one amendment, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Criminal Justice and reported favorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

SB 48 (2R) by Senator Diaz de la Portilla—

Relief/Llerena & Guzman/Hialeah; provides for relief of Asbel Llerena & Wendy Guzman; authorizes & directs City of Hialeah to compensate them for death of Maria de Jesus Llerena, due to negligence of City of Hialeah employee. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Recommended favorably, with three amendments, by The Special Master on Claim Bills and reported favorably, with three amendments, by the Committee on Finance and Taxation

CS/SB 114 (2R) by the Committee on Ethics and Elections, Senator Constantine and others—

Advertising Campaign Exposure Act; cites as "Florida Advertising Campaign Exposure Act"; redefines term "communications media"; extends time for unopposed candidates to purchase "thank you" advertising; extends date for unopposed candidates to file termination report, to conform; modifies reporting requirements for miscellaneous advertisements intended to influence public policy; prescribes prohibitions, exemptions & penalties, etc. Amends 106.011, .11, .141, .1437. Effective Date: 01/01/2004.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Ethics and Elections

CS/SB 160 (2R) by the Committee on Criminal Justice, Senator Wise and others—

Controlled Substances; specifies that for purposes of certain industrial uses, 1,4-Butanediol & gamma-butyrolactone (GBL) are excepted from schedule of controlled substances when in possession of authorized manufacturer or distributor or person possessing finished product; clarifies hours during which it is unlawful to sell, manufacture, deliver, or possess controlled substance within specified distance of child care facility or specified schools, etc. Amends Ch. 893. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Criminal Justice

CS/SB 192 (2R) by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity and Senator 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: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

SB 258 (2R) by Senator Geller—

Local Govt/Expenses/Electronic Pymt.; authorizes local governments to pay certain expenses by means of electronic funds transfer. Amends 215.85. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning and reported favorably by the Committee on Banking and Insurance

CS/SB 260 (2R) by the Committee on Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports and Senator Fasano—

Condominiums/Armed Services Flags; allows unit owners to fly armed services flags on designated days & patriotic holidays. Amends 718.113. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Comprehensive Planning and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports

CS/SB 472 (2R) by the Committee on Banking and Insurance, Senator Smith and others—

Mining Activities; redefines term "construction materials mining activities"; provides that Administrative Hearings Div. has exclusive jurisdiction over certain claims for damages re use of explosives in connection with construction materials mining activities; provides for filing fees except in cases of indigence; designates trust fund for deposit of filing fees; provides procedures for mediation & for formal hearings, etc. Amends 552.30; creates 552.32-.44. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Judiciary and reported favorably as a committee substitute by the Committee on Banking and Insurance

SB 482 (2R) by Senator Lynn and others—

Termination of Rental Agreements; removes provisions requiring payment of liquidated damages to landlord under certain circumstances upon termination of rental agreement by members of United States Armed Forces. Amends 83.682. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports, and reported favorably, with two amendments, by the Committee on Judiciary

SB 524 (2R) by Senator Campbell—

Rules of Evidence; specifies circumstances in which claims of error re evidence admitted or excluded at trial are preserved for appeal; provides for circumstances in which evidence accompanied by certification or declaration made by records custodian or another qualified person does not require extrinsic evidence of authenticity as condition precedent to admissibility, etc. Amends 90.104, .803, .902. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary and reported favorably, with one amendment, by the Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care

SB 530 (2R) by Senator Smith—

Nick Oelrich Gift of Life Act; creates said act; amends provision re anatomical gifts to prohibit modification of donor's intent; provides that donor document is legally binding; authorizes specified persons to furnish donor's medical records upon request; revises procedures by which terms of anatomical gift may be amended or gift may be revoked. Amends 765.512, .516. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, and reported favorably by the Committee on Judiciary

SB 634 (2R) by Senator Argenziano and others—

Big Bend Historic Paddling Trail; extends Big Bend Historic Saltwater Paddling Trail from Suwannee River to Yankeetown. Amends 260.016. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Natural Resources

SB 662 (2R) by Senator Bennett—

Water & Wastewater System/Rates; authorizes Fla. Public Service Commission to approve rates allowing utilities to recover full costs of alternative water supply facilities; increases limitation on gross annual revenues under which water or wastewater utility may qualify to obtain staff assistance from said commission in changing rates & charges. Amends 367.081,.0814. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Communication and Public Utilities

SB 1046 (2R) by Senator Villalobos—

Operation of Motorcycles/Firefighter; provides that certain prohibitions concerning operation of motorcycles do not apply to firefighters in performance of their official duties. Amends 316.209. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Transportation

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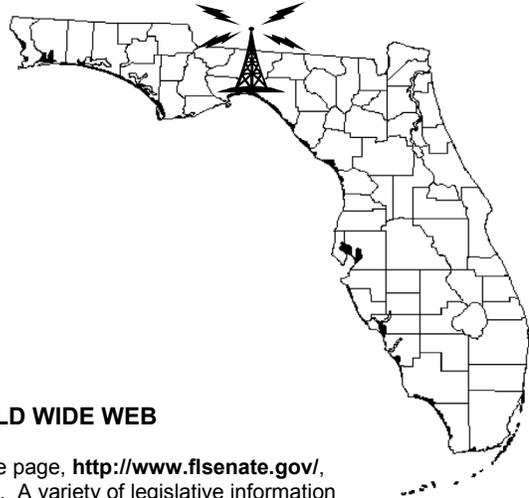
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