

HISTORY OF SENATE BILLS

S 2-B GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Jones; (CO-SPONSORS) Saunders; Peaden (Linked CS/S 0004-B, Similar H 0055-B, 1ST ENG/H 0063-B, Compare H 0065-B, H 0067-B, H 0071-B, S 0006-B)

Medical Malpractice; revises requirements for setoffs against damages in medical malpractice actions if there is written release or covenant not to sue; provides that creation of Fla. Center for Excellence in Health Care is contingent on enactment of public-records exemption; authorizes access to electronic medical records & other data maintained by center; requires AHCA to review complaints submitted if defendant is hospital, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$3,744,674. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

- 06/13/03 SENATE Prefiled
 06/16/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care -SJ 00002
 06/17/03 SENATE On Committee agenda—Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, 06/17/03, 9:00 am, 412-K; CS by— Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; YEAS 8 NAYS 3 -SJ 00023; CS read first time on 06/18/03 -SJ 00023; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00023
 06/18/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00023; Read second time -SJ 00009; Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 00011; Amendment(s) failed -SJ 00014; Amendment pending -SJ 00023
 06/19/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00023; Was taken up -SJ 00029; Pending amendment adopted -SJ 00031; Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 00032; Amendment(s) reconsidered, adopted as further amended -SJ 00032; Read third time -SJ 00032; CS passed as amended; YEAS 32 NAYS 6 -SJ 00035
 06/19/03 HOUSE In Messages
 06/27/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2-D (Ch. 2003-416)

S 4-B PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Jones; (CO-SPONSORS) Saunders (Linked CS/1ST ENG/S 0002-B, Compare H 0055-B, 1ST ENG/H 0063-B, H 0065-B, H 0067-B)

Patient Records/Pub. Rec.; provides that patient records obtained by, & other documents identifying patient by name & contained in patient safety data held by, Fla. Center for Excellence in Health Care are exempt from public-record requirements; authorizes release of information under specified circumstances, including release to health care research entity or licensed health insurer; provides statement of public necessity, etc. Creates 381.04091. Effective Date: Contingent.

- 06/13/03 SENATE Prefiled
 06/16/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care -SJ 00004
 06/17/03 SENATE On Committee agenda—Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, 06/17/03, 9:00 am, 412-K; CS by— Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; YEAS 10 NAYS 0 -SJ 00023; CS read first time on 06/18/03 -SJ 00025; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00023
 06/18/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00023
 06/19/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00023; Read second time -SJ 00035; Read third time -SJ 00035; CS passed; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 00035
 06/19/03 HOUSE In Messages
 06/27/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

S 6-B PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Jones; (CO-SPONSORS) Saunders (Compare H 0055-B, 1ST ENG/H 0063-B, H 0065-B, H 0067-B, CS/1ST ENG/S 0002-B)

Adverse Incident Info./Pub. Rec.; amends provision which provides exemption from public-records requirements for information contained in notification of adverse incident provided to AHCA by facility licensed under Hospital Licensing & Regulation chapter; specifies information covered under exemption; authorizes use of information as part of certain disciplinary proceedings; reenacts exemption & removes repeal thereof scheduled under OGSF Act of 1995, etc. Amends 395.0198. Effective Date: 10/01/2003.

- 06/13/03 SENATE Prefiled
 06/16/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care -SJ 00004
 06/17/03 SENATE On Committee agenda—Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, 06/17/03, 9:00 am, 412-K; Favorable by— Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; YEAS 11 NAYS 0 -SJ 00023; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00023
 06/18/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00023

S 6-B (CONTINUED)

- 06/19/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00023; Read second time -SJ 00035; Read third time -SJ 00035; Passed; YEAS 36 NAYS 2 -SJ 00035
 06/19/03 HOUSE In Messages
 06/27/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

S 8-B GENERAL BILL/CS by Education; Diaz de la Portilla; (CO-SPONSORS) Wilson; Saunders (Similar 2ND ENG/H 0023-B)

High School Graduation; provides learning opportunities for certain students to meet high school graduation requirements; provides requirements for certain transfer students; authorizes alternate assessments; authorizes rules; amends certain provision re student assessment for public schools to provide for alternate assessments for grade 10 FCAT, etc. Amends 1008.22; creates 1003.433. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

- 06/16/03 SENATE Filed; Introduced, referred to Education -SJ 00004
 06/17/03 SENATE On Committee agenda—Education, 06/17/03, 2:00 pm, 412-K; CS by— Education; YEAS 10 NAYS 0 -SJ 00023; CS read first time on 06/18/03 -SJ 00025
 06/18/03 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00023; Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00023; Substituted HB 23-B -SJ 00007; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 23-B (Ch. 2003-413)

S 10-B GENERAL BILL by Cowin; (CO-SPONSORS) Fasano; Posey (Similar H 0029-B)

Elections; revises & provides duties of Secretary of State as chief election officer; authorizes use of driver's license or state-issued identification card number in lieu of portion of social security number on voter registration application; provides procedures on complaints of violations of Title III of Help America Vote Act of 2002; revises primary date in 2004; suspends operation of second primary election until January 1, 2006, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 01/01/2004 except as otherwise provided.

- 06/16/03 SENATE Filed; Introduced, referred to Ethics and Elections -SJ 00004
 06/17/03 SENATE On Committee agenda—Ethics and Elections, 06/17/03, 4:30 pm, 412-K; Favorable by— Ethics and Elections; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00023; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00023
 06/18/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00023; Substituted HB 29-B -SJ 00007; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 29-B (Ch. 2003-415)

S 12-B RESOLUTION by Pruitt; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Argenziano; Aronberg; Atwater; Bennett; Bullard; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery; Fasano; Garcia; Geller; Haridopolos; Hill; Jones; Klein; Lawson; Lee; Lynn; Margolis; Miller; Peaden; Posey; Saunders; Sebesta; Siplin; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson; Wise

Revell, Elton; recognizes Elton Revell for outstanding service to State of Florida & Florida Senate.

- 06/18/03 SENATE Filed
 06/19/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00027; Read second time -SJ 00027; Adopted -SJ 00028

S 14-B RESOLUTION by Wilson; (CO-SPONSORS) Siplin; Hill; Bennett (Similar H 9003-B)

Ferguson, Judge Wilkie D., Jr.; honors memory of an outstanding citizen & extends sincere sympathy to family, friends, & associates of Judge Wilkie D. Ferguson, Jr.

- 06/18/03 SENATE Filed
 06/19/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00029; Adopted; See also HR 9003-B (Adopted) -SJ 00029

S 16-B CONCURRENT RESOLUTION by Lee (Similar H 0097-B, H 0099-B)

2003 Special Session B; extends 2003 Special Session B of Legislature under authority of Article III, Section 3(d) of State Constitution to 11:59 p.m., Friday, June 27, 2003, & provides for adjournment of Special Session B of Legislature for more than seventy-two hours in accordance with provisions of Article III, Section 3(e) of State Constitution.

- 06/19/03 SENATE Filed; Introduced -SJ 00033; Read second time -SJ 00033; Adopted; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 00033
 06/19/03 HOUSE In Messages; Received -HJ 00051; Read second time -HJ 00051; Adopted; YEAS 93 NAYS 17 -HJ 00051
 06/19/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00036
 06/19/03 Signed by Officers and filed with Secretary of State -SJ 00036