

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

BANKING AND INSURANCE
Senator Benacquisto, Chair
Senator Richter, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, February 1, 2016
TIME: 1:30—3:30 p.m.
PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room*, 110 Senate Office Building

MEMBERS: Senator Benacquisto, Chair; Senator Richter, Vice Chair; Senators Clemens, Detert, Hukill, Lee, Margolis, Montford, Negrón, Simmons, and Smith

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 550 Dean (Similar H 255)	Volunteer Rural Firefighting; Authorizing the Division of State Fire Marshal within the Department of Financial Services to award a Volunteer Rural Firefighter Certificate of Completion; requiring the division to establish by rule courses and course examinations to provide training required to obtain the certificate; revising the circumstances under which a fire service provider may retain the services of a volunteer firefighter, etc. BI 02/01/2016 Favorable CA FP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
2	SB 596 Hukill (Compare CS/H 1097)	Assignment or Transfer of Property Insurance Rights; Providing requirements under a property insurance policy for the post-loss assignment or transfer of rights, benefits, or policy provisions not related to liability coverage; providing requirements for an agreement to assign or transfer such rights, benefits, or policy provisions; providing prohibitions and conditions that void such an agreement; providing applicability, etc. BI 01/26/2016 Temporarily Postponed BI 02/01/2016 Fav/CS JU RC	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 1
3	SB 780 Garcia (Similar H 583)	Provision of Pharmaceutical Services; Providing that an insured living with a chronic illness may not be required to obtain pharmaceutical services exclusively from a mail order pharmacy; requiring health insurers to provide to an insured living with a chronic illness an explanation and comparison of payment methods and charges for pharmaceutical services from mail order pharmacies and other providers of pharmaceutical services; providing that a health maintenance organization subscriber living with a chronic illness may not be required to obtain pharmaceutical services exclusively from a mail order pharmacy, etc. BI 02/01/2016 Favorable GO AP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0

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4	SB 986 Simpson (Identical H 613)	Workers' Compensation System Administration; Requiring members of limited liability companies to submit specified notices; requiring that the Department of Financial Services allow an employer who has not previously been issued an order of penalty assessment to receive a specified credit to be applied to the penalty; eliminating the certification requirements when an expert medical advisor is selected by a judge of compensation claims; deleting the requirement that employers notify the department within 24 hours of any injury resulting in death, etc. BI 01/26/2016 Temporarily Postponed BI 02/01/2016 Fav/CS AGG AP	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0
5	SB 1142 Hays (Similar H 915)	Treatments for Stable Patients; Prohibiting an insurer or a pharmacy benefits manager from limiting or excluding coverage for a drug for an insured with a certain medical condition under certain conditions; prohibiting certain additional actions with respect to the drug by the insurer or pharmacy benefits manager under the insurance policy; providing an exception; prohibiting a health maintenance contract or a pharmacy benefits manager from limiting or excluding coverage for a drug for a subscriber with a certain medical condition under certain conditions; prohibiting certain additional actions with respect to the drug by the health maintenance contract or pharmacy benefits manager, etc. BI 02/01/2016 Fav/CS HP AP	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0
6	SB 1402 Simmons (Identical H 7073)	Ratification of Department of Financial Services Rules; Ratifying a specified rule relating to the Florida Workers' Compensation Health Care Provider Reimbursement Manual for the sole and exclusive purpose of satisfying any condition on effectiveness pursuant to s. 120.541(3), F.S., which requires ratification of any rule exceeding the specified thresholds for likely adverse impact or increase in regulatory costs; providing applicability, etc. BI 02/01/2016 Favorable FP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0

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7	SB 1490 Garcia (Similar CS/H 1233)	Financial Institution Records; Specifying that certain records requirements do not prevent or restrict the Office of Financial Regulation from furnishing certain records or information to any Federal Home Loan Bank; requiring the office to make available to any Federal Home Loan Bank certain information relating to any member of a Federal Home Loan Bank, etc. BI 02/01/2016 Fav/CS GO FP	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0
8	SB 1630 Flores (Similar H 289, Compare CS/H 931, S 958)	Operations of the Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; Specifying that a consumer representative appointed by the Governor to the Citizens Property Insurance Corporation's board of governors is not prohibited from practicing in a certain profession if required or permitted by law or ordinance; requiring the corporation to maintain and make available specified lists of insurers to its agents of record, etc. BI 02/01/2016 Fav/CS EE AP	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0

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