#### The Florida Senate

#### **COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**

#### BANKING AND INSURANCE Senator Flores, Chair Senator Steube, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, April 3, 2017

**TIME:** 4:00—6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Office Building

MEMBERS: Senator Flores, Chair; Senator Steube, Vice Chair; Senators Bracy, Braynon, Farmer, Gainer,

Garcia, Mayfield, and Thurston

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 248 Broxson (Identical H 243)	Public Records/Office of Financial Regulation; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of certain nonsworn investigative personnel of the Office of Financial Regulation and the names and personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such personnel; providing for future review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.  BI 04/03/2017 Favorable GO RC	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
2	SB 460 Brandes (Compare CS/H 601)	Personal Delivery Devices; Authorizing the operation of personal delivery devices within county or municipal jurisdictions under certain circumstances; prohibiting the operation of personal delivery devices on the Florida Shared-Use Nonmotorized Trail Network; requiring a personal delivery device operator to maintain an insurance policy that provides general liability coverage of at least a specified amount for damages arising from the operation of a personal delivery device; exempting personal delivery devices from certain registration and insurance requirements, etc.  TR 03/14/2017 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
		BI 04/03/2017 Favorable RC	
3	SB 580 Garcia (Similar CS/H 617)	Insurance Administrators; Requiring the Office of Insurance Regulation to conduct quarterly audits, for a certain purpose, of pharmacy benefits managers that hold certificates of authority to act as administrators; adding violations of certain provisions of the Florida Pharmacy Act as grounds for the office's suspension or revocation of an administrator's certificate of authority or imposition of a fine, respectively, etc.	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
		BI 04/03/2017 Favorable HP AP	

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4	CS/SB 680 Judiciary / Baxley (Similar CS/H 361)	Bail Bonds; Revising legislative intent concerning the obligations of a bail bond agent; revising the commitments and obligations of a bail bond agent; revising the circumstances under which a surety bond deposited as bail must be forfeited, etc.  JU 03/22/2017 Fav/CS BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS CJ RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
5	CS/SB 724 Judiciary / Passidomo (Similar CS/H 267)	Estates; Revising the circumstances under which the decedent's property interest in the protected homestead is excluded from the elective estate; providing for the valuation of the decedent's protected homestead under certain circumstances; requiring the payment of interest on any unpaid portion of a person's required contribution toward the elective share with respect to certain property, etc.  JU 03/14/2017 Fav/CS BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
6	SB 922 Garcia (Similar CS/H 911, Compare CS/H 925, CS/S 986)	Insurance Adjusters; Revising applicability of the Licensing Procedures Law to include adjusting firms; prohibiting certain entities from acting as insurance adjusting firms without specified licenses; specifying that an unlicensed firm is subject to a certain administrative penalty, etc.  BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS AGG AP	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
7	SB 958 Thurston (Compare CS/CS/H 585)	Financial Institutions; Revising an applicable timeframe of a minimum financial institution experience requirement for certain proposed directors of a bank or trust company applicant; revising applicability of the Florida Business Corporations Act to include parts II and III of ch. 607, F.S., etc.  BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS RI RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

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8	SB 1008 Perry (Similar CS/H 1107)	Public Records/Injured or Deceased Employee/Department of Financial Services; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying information of an injured or deceased employee which is contained in certain notices or reports filed with the Division of Workers' Compensation of the Department of Financial Services; authorizing the division to disclose such information under certain circumstances; providing for future review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
		BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS GO RC	
9	SB 1012 Brandes (Similar CS/H 1007, Compare CS/H 1009, Linked S 1014)	Investigative and Forensic Services; Deleting the Justice Administrative Commission from a list of entities whose unencumbered or undisbursed funds appropriated from the Workers' Compensation Administration Trust Fund must be reverted to the trust fund at specified intervals; requiring insurers to designate primary anti-fraud employees; creating the Insurance Fraud Dedicated Prosecutor Program, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
		BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS AGG AP	
10	SB 1014 Brandes (Similar CS/H 1009, Compare CS/H 1007, Linked S 1012)	Public Records/Division of Investigative and Forensic Services of the Department of Financial Services; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by the Division of Investigative and Forensic Services of the Department of Financial Services, or the department, relating to insurer anti-fraud plans, descriptions, contracts, related documents, anti-fraud statistics, and information reported by insurers writing workers' compensation insurance; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
		BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS GO AP	
11	SB 1032 Mayfield (Similar H 1029)	Unfair Insurance Trade Practices; Revising provisions to permit a licensed insurer or its agent to give promotional or advertising items under a certain value, etc.	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
		BI 04/03/2017 Favorable CM RC	

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12	SB 1084 Stargel	Firefighter Certifications; Authorizing certain firefighters to complete specified continuing education training in lieu of a specified instruction requirement; exempting firefighters holding current Firefighter Certificates of Compliance and volunteer firefighters holding current Volunteer Firefighter Certificates of Completion from certain periodic requirements under specified circumstances; authorizing the Division of State Fire Marshal within the Department of Financial Services to investigate, in a specified manner, certain reports or complaints against firefighters claiming such exemptions, etc.  BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS GO RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
13	<b>SB 1218</b> Farmer (Compare H 1421, S 1150)	Property Repair; Defining the terms "professional water damage restorer" and "water damage restoration"; requiring the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to license applicants who are qualified to practice water damage restoration; prohibiting personal lines residential or commercial residential property insurance policies from prohibiting the post-loss assignment of benefits, etc.  BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS RI RC	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 2
14	SB 1316 Bracy (Similar CS/H 1299)	Preinsurance Inspection; Providing an exception to the requirement that an insurer inspect private passenger motor vehicles before issuing certain motor vehicle insurance policies; requiring insurers using the exception to file a manual rule with the Office of Insurance Regulation; authorizing insurers to establish their own preinsurance inspection requirements, etc.  BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS TR RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

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15	SB 1582 Bradley (Compare H 7085)	Workers' Compensation Insurance; Requiring carriers to authorize or decline, rather than respond to, certain requests for authorization within a specified time; revising conditions under which the Office of the Judges of Compensation Claims must dismiss petitions for benefits; adding prospective loss costs to a list of reviewable matters in certain proceedings by appellate courts; requiring copies of prospective loss costs to be filed with the Office of Insurance Regulation, etc.	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 1
		BI 04/03/2017 Favorable AP RC	
16	SB 1684 Farmer (Compare S 1746)	Insurance Rates; Providing that certain attorney fees, costs, and expenses may not be considered expenses by the Office of Insurance Regulation when the office is determining whether a rate is excessive, inadequate, or unfairly discriminatory; providing that certain attorney fees, costs, and expenses may not be included in an insurer's rate base and may not be used to justify a rate or rate change, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
		BI 04/03/2017 Fav/CS RC	
17	SB 1766 Lee (Compare H 461, CS/H 1063, S 156, Linked S 1768)	Motor Vehicle Insurance; Repealing provisions which compose the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; requiring certain motor vehicle liability insurance policies to include specified medical payments coverage; providing requirements, procedures, conditions, exclusions, prohibited acts, and construction relating to an insurer's payment of medical payments coverage benefits, etc.	Not Considered
		BI 04/03/2017 Not Considered AHS AP	
18	SB 1768 Lee (Compare CS/H 1063, Linked S 1766)	Public Records/Medical Payments Coverage and Liability Motor Vehicle Insurance Policies/Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; Revising an exemption from public records requirements to exempt certain information held by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles relating to medical payments coverage and liability motor vehicle insurance policies, rather than relating to personal injury protection and property damage liability insurance policies; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.	Not Considered
		BI 04/03/2017 Not Considered GO AP	

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19	SB 7012 Health Policy (Similar H 7009)	Ratification of Department of Health Rules; Ratifying a rule, adopted by the Board of Medicine, relating to the standard of care for office surgery 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 on or increase in regulatory costs, etc.	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
		BI 04/03/2017 Favorable RC	