

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

JUDICIARY
Senator Lee, Chair
Senator Soto, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 25, 2014
TIME: 9:00 —11:00 a.m.
PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Office Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Lee, Chair; Senator Soto, Vice Chair; Senators Bradley, Gardiner, Joyner, Latvala, Richter, Ring, and Thrasher

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 926 Simpson (Similar CS/H 957)	Local Regulation of Wage Theft; Providing requirements for county ordinances regulating wage theft; authorizing county funding to assist in addressing claims of wage theft; preempting further regulation of wage theft to the state; providing an exception for an ordinance enacted by a specified date, etc. CA 03/05/2014 Favorable JU 03/18/2014 Temporarily Postponed JU 03/25/2014 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
2	CS/SB 586 Environmental Preservation and Conservation / Altman (Similar CS/CS/H 325)	Brownfields; Revising legislative intent with regard to community revitalization in certain areas; revising procedures for designation of brownfield areas by local governments; providing procedures for adoption of a resolution; providing requirements for notice and public hearings; authorizing local governments to use a term other than "brownfield area" when naming such areas; providing an exemption from liability for property damages for entities that execute and implement certain brownfield site rehabilitation agreements, etc. EP 02/05/2014 Fav/CS CA 03/05/2014 Favorable JU 03/18/2014 Not Considered JU 03/25/2014 Not Considered	Not Considered
3	CS/SB 602 Ethics and Elections / Latvala (Similar H 495, Compare H 571)	Residency of Candidates and Public Officers; Requiring a candidate or public officer required to reside in a specific geographic area to have only one domicile at a time; providing factors that may be considered when determining residency; providing exceptions for active duty military members, etc. EE 03/03/2014 Fav/CS JU 03/18/2014 Not Considered JU 03/25/2014 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0

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4	SB 72 Flores (Similar CS/H 9)	Legislature; Fixing the date for convening the regular session of the Legislature in even-numbered years, etc. EE 09/23/2013 Favorable JU 03/25/2014 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 3
5	SB 386 Hays (Identical H 903)	Application of Foreign Law in Certain Cases; Specifying the public policy of this state on the application of a foreign law, legal code, or system in proceedings brought under or relating to chapter 61 or chapter 88, F.S., which relate to dissolution of marriage, support, time-sharing, the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act, and the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act; providing for the construction of a waiver by a natural person of the person's fundamental liberties, rights, and privileges guaranteed by the State Constitution or the United States Constitution, etc. JU 03/25/2014 Favorable GO RC	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 3
6	SB 870 Smith (Compare CS/H 375)	Insurance; Providing that the absence of a countersignature does not affect the validity of a policy or contract, etc. BI 03/11/2014 Favorable JU 03/25/2014 Not Considered	Not Considered
7	CS/SB 1308 Banking and Insurance / Simmons (Similar CS/H 1271, Compare H 471, CS/H 565, CS/H 1273, CS/S 1260, Link CS/S 1300)	Insurer Solvency; Providing additional definitions applicable to the Florida Insurance Code; clarifying that production of documents does not waive the attorney-client or work-product privileges; requiring an insurer's annual statement to include an actuarial opinion summary; revising the Standard Valuation Law and the Standard Nonforfeiture Law; providing for the groupwide supervision of international insurance groups, etc. BI 03/11/2014 Fav/CS JU 03/25/2014 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
8	SB 1496 Evers (Similar H 7039)	Unlicensed Practice of Law; Creating exceptions to the prohibition of unlicensed practice of law, etc. JU 03/25/2014 GO RC	Amendment Adopted - Temporarily Postponed

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9	SB 1626 Lee (Similar H 1355, Compare CS/H 975, S 600)	Administrative Procedures; Providing conditions under which a proceeding is not substantially justified for purposes of an award under the Florida Equal Access to Justice Act; authorizing certain parties to provide to an agency their understanding of how certain rules apply to specific facts; authorizing the administrative law judge to award attorney fees under certain circumstances; authorizing a party to request mediation of a rule challenge and declaratory statement proceedings, etc. JU 03/25/2014 Not Considered GO AP	Not Considered

Other Related Meeting Documents
