The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

JUDICIARY Senator Diaz de la Portilla, Chair Senator Ring, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, April 15, 2015

TIME: 2:00 —3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Office Building

MEMBERS: Senator Diaz de la Portilla, Chair; Senator Ring, Vice Chair; Senators Bean, Benacquisto, Brandes,

Joyner, Simmons, Simpson, Soto, and Stargel

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 732 Abruzzo (Identical H 115)	Sentencing; Revising the definition of the term "victim" to include governmental entities and political subdivisions in certain instances; requiring the sentencing judge to order restitution and a specified number of community service work hours for violations of chapter 838, F.S., relating to bribery and misuse of public office, or chapter 839, F.S., relating to offenses by public officers and employees, etc. CJ 03/30/2015 Favorable JU 04/15/2015 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
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2	SJR 1142 Gaetz	Ad Valorem Taxation; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to allow the Legislature by general law to prohibit increases in the assessed value of homestead and specified nonhomestead real property if the just value of the property declines; providing an effective date, etc.	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
		JU 04/15/2015 Favorable FT AP	
3	SB 724 Flores (Identical H 633)	Termination of Pregnancies; Revising conditions for the voluntary and informed consent to a termination of pregnancy; reenacting provisions relating to Agency for Health Care Administration rules regarding medical screening and evaluation of abortion clinic patients, to incorporate the amendment made by this act to s. 390.0111, F.S., in a reference thereto, etc.	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 3
		HP 03/31/2015 Favorable JU 04/15/2015 Favorable FP	

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4	SB 238 Ring (Identical H 479)	Athletic Coaches; Requiring an independent sanctioning authority to dismiss an athletic coach ejected from a game for the remainder of that sport season under certain circumstances; authorizing such athletic coach to resume working under certain circumstances, etc.	Not Considered
		CF 03/12/2015 Favorable CA 03/31/2015 Favorable JU 04/07/2015 Temporarily Postponed JU 04/15/2015 Not Considered FP	
5	SB 162 Joyner / Bradley (Identical H 103)	Compensation of Victims of Wrongful Incarceration; Providing that a person is disqualified from receiving compensation under the Victims of Wrongful Incarceration Compensation Act if, before or during the person's wrongful conviction and incarceration, the person was convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to, or was serving a concurrent incarceration for, another violent felony; providing that a wrongfully incarcerated person who commits a violent felony law violation, rather than a felony law violation, which results in revocation of parole or community supervision is ineligible for compensation, etc. CJ 03/02/2015 Favorable JU 04/15/2015 Not Considered ACJ FP	Not Considered
6	SB 90 Margolis	Jury Composition; Requiring a 12-member jury for life felony cases, etc. JU 04/15/2015 Temporarily Postponed CJ	Temporarily Postponed
		ACJ AP	
7	SB 334 Joyner (Identical H 205)	Criminal History Records of Minors; Reducing the period for which the criminal history records of certain minors must be retained before expungement, etc.	Not Considered
		JU 04/15/2015 Not Considered CJ RC	

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8	SB 664 Altman (Compare H 139)	Sentencing in Capital Felonies; Requiring that an advisory sentence of death be made by a unanimous recommendation of the jury after a defendant's conviction or adjudication of guilt for a capital felony or capital drug trafficking felony; requiring the court to instruct the jury that, in order for the jury to recommend to the court that the death penalty be imposed, the jury must find that sufficient aggravating circumstances exist which outweigh the mitigating circumstances found to exist, etc. CJ 03/10/2015 Not Considered CJ 03/16/2015 Favorable	Not Considered
		JU 04/15/2015 Not Considered AP	
9	SB 794 Ring (Similar H 941)	Prejudgment Interest; Requiring a court to include prejudgment interest on the amount of money damages awarded to a plaintiff in a final judgment; providing for retroactive application, etc.	Not Considered
		JU 03/10/2015 Temporarily Postponed JU 03/17/2015 JU 03/24/2015 Temporarily Postponed JU 03/31/2015 Temporarily Postponed JU 04/15/2015 Not Considered ACJ AP	
10	CS/SB 1064 Banking and Insurance / Hukill (Similar CS/CS/H 669)	Insurance Claims; Providing that an assignment or agreement that transfers authority to adjust, negotiate, or settle a claim or that violates other specified provisions is void; revising the authority of public adjuster apprentices; prohibiting assignment of an insurable interest except to subsequent purchasers after a loss; authorizing a property insurance policy to prohibit the post-loss assignment of certain benefits or rights that apply to specified losses; providing that a post-loss assignment in violation of the act is void, etc.	Not Considered
		BI 03/23/2015 Fav/CS JU 04/15/2015 Not Considered RC	