

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

RULES
Senator Thrasher, Chair
Senator Smith, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, February 19, 2014

TIME: 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Office Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Thrasher, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice Chair; Senators Benacquisto, Diaz de la Portilla, Galvano, Gardiner, Latvala, Lee, Margolis, Montford, Negron, Richter, Ring, Simmons, and Sobel

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	CS/SB 86 Appropriations / Latvala (Similar H 31, Compare H 869, S 710)	Dentists; Prohibiting a contract between a health insurer and a dentist from requiring the dentist to provide services at a fee set by the insurer under certain circumstances; prohibiting a contract between a prepaid limited health service organization and a dentist from requiring the dentist to provide services at a fee set by the organization under certain circumstances; prohibiting a contract between a health maintenance organization and a dentist from requiring the dentist to provide services at a fee set by the organization under certain circumstances, etc. HP 10/08/2013 Favorable BI 12/10/2013 Favorable AP 02/05/2014 Fav/CS RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
2	CS/SB 106 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Dean (Similar CS/H 21)	County Employees; Providing that the governing body of a county has authority to determine available benefits of county employees; specifying the applicability of provisions to such employees, etc. CA 11/05/2013 Favorable GO 12/11/2013 Fav/CS RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
3	SM 118 Hays (Identical HM 15)	National Retail Sales Tax; Urging Congress to repeal all taxes on income and enact a national retail sales tax as specified in H.R. 25, the Fair Tax Act of 2013, etc. CM 12/09/2013 Favorable GO 01/16/2014 Favorable RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 2
4	SB 132 Latvala (Identical H 65)	Specialty License Plates; Creating a Fallen Law Enforcement Officers license plate; establishing an annual use fee for the plate; providing for the distribution of use fees received from the sale of such plates, etc. TR 10/09/2013 Favorable RC 02/19/2014 Fav/CS ATD AP	Fav/CS Yeas 13 Nays 0

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5	SM 196 Margolis	Marketplace Fairness Act of 2013; Urging the House of Representatives to support passage of the Marketplace Fairness Act of 2013, etc. CM 02/03/2014 Favorable RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 2
6	CS/CS/SB 238 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Criminal Justice / Joyner (Similar H 69)	Public Records/Names of Spouses and Children of Public Defenders and Criminal Conflict and Civil Regional Counsel; Creating an exemption from public records requirements for the names of the spouses and children of current or former public defenders, assistant public defenders, criminal conflict and civil regional counsel, and assistant criminal conflict and civil regional counsel; providing for future review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of necessity, etc. CJ 11/04/2013 Fav/CS GO 01/16/2014 Fav/CS RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
7	CS/SB 404 Regulated Industries / Grimsley (Similar CS/H 223)	Professional Geology; Revising examination requirements for professional geologists; providing requirements for registration as a geologist-in-training; requiring geologist-in-training applicants to successfully complete the fundamentals of geology portion of the licensure examination; requiring the department to register each person as a geologist-in-training whom the board certifies has successfully completed the fundamentals portion of the geology examination, etc. RI 01/16/2014 Fav/CS RC 02/19/2014 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 13 Nays 0
8	SB 604 Ring	Florida State Employees' Charitable Campaign; Providing an exception to the requirement that state officers and employees designate a charitable organization to receive contributions from the Florida State Employees' Charitable Campaign; providing for the distribution of undesignated funds by the fiscal agent; removing the requirement that a local steering committee be established in each fiscal agent area, etc. GO 02/05/2014 Favorable RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
9	SB 852 Education	Education; Prohibiting a student from taking certain local assessments during a specified time, etc. RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0

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10	SCR 954 Thrasher	Joint Rules of the Florida Legislature; Creating a new Joint Rule 7 of the Joint Rules of the Florida Legislature relating to residency of members, etc. RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
11	SB 932 Thrasher	Florida Statutes; Adopting the Florida Statutes 2014 and designating the portions thereof that are to constitute the official law of the state; providing that the Florida Statutes 2014 shall be effective immediately upon publication; providing that general laws enacted during the 2013 regular session and prior thereto and not included in the Florida Statutes 2014 are repealed; providing that general laws enacted during the 2014 regular session are not repealed by this adoption act, etc. RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
12	SB 934 Thrasher	Florida Statutes; Deleting provisions that have expired, have become obsolete, have had their effect, have served their purpose, or have been impliedly repealed or superseded; replacing incorrect cross-references and citations; correcting grammatical, typographical, and like errors; removing inconsistencies, redundancies, and unnecessary repetition in the statutes; improving the clarity of the statutes and facilitating their correct interpretation; and confirming the restoration of provisions unintentionally omitted from republication in the acts of the Legislature during the amendatory process, etc. RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
13	SB 936 Thrasher	Florida Statutes; Amending and repealing provisions to delete those which have become inoperative by noncurrent repeal or expiration and, pursuant to s. 11.242(5)(b) and (i), may be omitted from the 2014 Florida Statutes only through a reviser's bill duly enacted by the Legislature, etc. RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
14	SB 938 Thrasher	Florida Statutes; Amending provisions to conform references within the Florida Statutes to the redesignation of the Department of Children and Family Services as the Department of Children and Families by section 2 of chapter 2012-84, Laws of Florida, etc. RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0

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15	SB 940 Thrasher	Florida Statutes; Amending provisions to conform to the directive of the Legislature to the Division of Law Revision and Information in section 38 of chapter 2013-51, Laws of Florida, to change the terms "General Educational Development test" or "GED test" to "high school equivalency examination" and the terms "general education diploma," "graduate equivalency diploma," or "GED" to "high school equivalency diploma" wherever those terms appear in the Florida Statutes, etc. RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
16	SB 942 Thrasher	Florida Statutes; Amending provisions to conform to the directive of the Legislature in section 9 of chapter 2012-116, Laws of Florida, codified as section 11.242(5)(j), Florida Statutes, to prepare a reviser's bill to omit all statutes and laws, or parts thereof, which grant duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority, etc. RC 02/19/2014 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0

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