

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA
**APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL AND
 CIVIL JUSTICE**
Senator Brandes, Chair
Senator Bracy, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, April 16, 2019
TIME: 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon
PLACE: *Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Brandes, Chair; Senator Bracy, Vice Chair; Senators Gainer, Gruters, Harrell, Perry, Rouson, and Taddeo

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	CS/CS/SB 328 Infrastructure and Security / Judiciary / Brandes (Similar CS/H 337)	Courts; Requiring specified filing fees for appeals from certain county courts; increasing the jurisdictional limit for actions at law by county courts on specified dates; providing county court civil filing fees for claims of specified values; authorizing certain defendants to demand that a court issue a ruling related to proper court venue, etc. JU 02/04/2019 Fav/CS IS 04/09/2019 Fav/CS ACJ 04/16/2019 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
2	CS/SB 624 Criminal Justice / Montford (Similar H 755, Compare H 499, S 110)	Youth in Solitary Confinement; Prohibiting the Department of Corrections from placing a youth in solitary confinement except under certain circumstances; authorizing a youth to be placed in emergency confinement if certain conditions are met; requiring that, within a specified timeframe and at specified intervals, a mental health clinician conduct certain evaluations of a youth who is in emergency confinement, etc. CJ 03/04/2019 Fav/CS ACJ 04/16/2019 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

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3	CS/SB 642 Criminal Justice / Brandes (Similar H 705, Compare H 859, CS/H 953, CS/H 963, H 7125, S 400, CS/S 1334)	Criminal Justice; Citing this act as the Florida First Step Act; requiring that the court impose, for an offense relating to trafficking in certain substances, a sentence pursuant to the Criminal Punishment Code and without regard to any statutory minimum sentence if the court makes specified findings under certain circumstances; authorizing the Correctional Education Program to establish a Prison Entrepreneurship Program and adopt procedures for admitting student inmates; requiring a probation officer to determine whether a probationer or offender on community control who commits a technical violation is eligible for a certain alternative sanctioning program, etc. CJ 03/04/2019 Fav/CS ACJ 04/09/2019 Temporarily Postponed ACJ 04/16/2019 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0
4	CS/SB 762 Judiciary / Gruters (Identical CS/H 639)	Duties and Obligations of Sheriffs; Requiring each sheriff to coordinate with certain boards of county commissioners and chief judges to develop a comprehensive plan for security of trial court facilities; specifying that sheriffs and their deputies, employees, and contractors are officers of the court under specified circumstances, etc. JU 03/25/2019 Fav/CS IS 04/02/2019 Favorable ACJ 04/16/2019 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
5	CS/SB 768 Judiciary / Perry (Compare CS/H 297)	Attorney Fees; Prohibiting the awarding of attorney fees for a violation of specified provisions, etc. JU 04/01/2019 Fav/CS ACJ 04/16/2019 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
6	CS/SB 876 Criminal Justice / Powell (Similar CS/H 575, Compare H 339, H 1293, H 6051, H 7125, S 850, S 1260)	Direct Filing of an Information; Revising provisions concerning the housing of children held in detention; prohibiting a child who has been transferred to adult court for criminal prosecution pursuant to direct file from being held in a jail or other facility used for the detention of adults prior to a hearing to determine if the child should remain in adult court; deleting references to the state attorney's discretion to direct file a juvenile, etc. CJ 04/08/2019 Fav/CS ACJ 04/16/2019 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0

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7	CS/SB 916 Criminal Justice / Pizzo (Similar CS/CS/H 669, Compare H 7125)	Technology Crimes; Redefining the term “cyberstalk” as the term relates to prohibited acts; providing that a person commits an offense against users of certain electronic devices if he or she willfully, knowingly, and exceeding authorization performs specified acts, etc. CJ 03/11/2019 Fav/CS ACJ 04/16/2019 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
8	CS/SB 1074 Criminal Justice / Brandes	Sentencing; Creating a conditional sentence for substance use and mental health offenders in accordance with s. 948.012, F.S.; authorizing a court to sentence an offender to a conditional sentence; authorizing the sentencing court to have the Department of Corrections provide a presentence investigation report in accordance with s. 921.231, F.S., to provide the court with certain information to determine the type of probation most appropriate for the offender; requiring an offender to comply with specified terms of drug offender or mental health probation, etc. CJ 03/18/2019 Fav/CS ACJ 04/09/2019 Temporarily Postponed ACJ 04/16/2019 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
9	SB 1764 Baxley (Compare CS/H 7081, Linked CS/S 656)	Fees/Foreign Language Court Reporter/Fingerprint Processing; Requiring applicants for certification as a foreign language court reporter or a mediator, respectively, to pay fees relating to fingerprint processing; specifying the cost for fingerprint processing, etc. JU 04/01/2019 Favorable ACJ 04/16/2019 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 0

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