The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Senator Stargel, Chair Senator Diaz, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Thursday, April 4, 2019

TIME: 10:00—11:30 a.m.

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Stargel, Chair; Senator Diaz, Vice Chair; Senators Baxley, Book, Flores, Montford, Pizzo,

and Simmons

BILL DESCRIPTION and					
TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION		
1	SB 172 Bean (Identical H 6001)	Florida Endowment for Vocational Rehabilitation; Abrogating the future repeal of provisions relating to the Florida Endowment for Vocational Rehabilitation, etc.	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0		
		ED 03/12/2019 Favorable AED 04/04/2019 Favorable AP			
2	CS/SB 226 Education / Brandes (Similar CS/H 401)	Mastery-based Education; Renaming the Competency-Based Education Pilot Program as the Mastery-Based Education Pilot Program; authorizing a district school board or developmental research school participating in the Mastery-Based Education Pilot Program to award credit based on student mastery of certain content and skills; authorizing a district school board or developmental research school participating in the Mastery-Based Education Pilot Program to use an alternative interpretation of letter grades for certain students, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0		
		ED 03/12/2019 Fav/CS AED 04/04/2019 Fav/CS AP			
3	CS/SB 464 Education / Flores (Similar CS/CS/H 547)	Prepaid College Plans; Authorizing the transfer of fees associated with dormitory residency to approved qualified nonprofit organizations under certain circumstances; prohibiting transferred fees from exceeding a specified amount, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0		
		ED 03/19/2019 Fav/CS AED 04/04/2019 Fav/CS AP			
4	SB 680 Perry (Similar CS/H 257)	Excess Credit Hour Surcharges; Requiring a state university to calculate an excess hour threshold for each student based on specified criteria; providing that the excess hour threshold may be adjusted only under certain circumstances, etc.	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0		
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5	SB 720 Flores (Identical H 525)	Renaming of Florida College System Institutions; Changing the name of "Florida Keys Community College" to "The College of the Florida Keys"; changing the name of "North Florida Community College" to "North Florida College", etc.	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
		ED 03/12/2019 Favorable AED 04/04/2019 Favorable AP	