The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION Senator Perry, Chair Senator Jones, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 21, 2023

TIME:

11:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building PLACE:

MEMBERS: Senator Perry, Chair; Senator Jones, Vice Chair; Senators Avila, Book, Broxson, Burton, Calatayud,

Collins, Davis, Harrell, Hutson, Simon, and Thompson

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	Review and Discussion of Fiscal Ye Department of Education Board of Governors	ear 2023-2024 Budget Issues Relating to:	Discussed
	Consideration of proposed bill:		
2	SPB 7026	Higher Education Finances; Requiring the Board of Governors to develop regulations for university boards of trustees relating to contracting for the construction of new facilities or for work on existing facilities; authorizing a state university to waive the out-of-state fee for a student who is an intercollegiate athlete receiving a scholarship; revising the list of authorized expenditures that may be included in a carry forward spending plan for state universities and Florida College System institutions, respectively; revising a limitation on compensation for state university employees, etc.	Submitted and Reported Favorably as Committee Bill Yeas 12 Nays 0
3	SB 244 Calatayud	K-12 Teachers; Authorizing the Office of Inspector General within the Department of Education to investigate allegations and reports of suspected violations of certain persons' rights; establishing the Dual Enrollment Educator Scholarship Program; establishing the Teacher Apprenticeship Program; providing an additional means of demonstrating mastery of subject area knowledge, etc. ED 03/06/2023 Favorable AED 03/21/2023 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0

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4	CS/SB 290 Education Pre-K -12 / Jones (Similar CS/H 223)	Public School Student Progression for Students with Disabilities; Requiring comprehensive plans for student progression to provide for specified students with disabilities to be retained in prekindergarten at the discretion of a student's parent; authorizing certain prekindergarten students to receive instruction in early literacy skills, rather than intensive reading interventions; requiring certain prekindergarten students to receive such instruction, etc. ED 03/14/2023 Fav/CS AED 03/21/2023 Favorable FP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
5	CS/SB 936 Education Pre-K -12 / DiCeglie (Identical H 969, Compare H 1209)	Economic and Vocational Development; Extending the scheduled dates of repeal of the Florida Development Finance Corporation and the Florida Endowment for Vocational Rehabilitation, respectively, etc. ED 03/14/2023 Fav/CS AED 03/21/2023 Favorable FP	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0

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