

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

CHILDREN, FAMILIES, AND ELDER AFFAIRS

Senator Storms, Chair

Senator Hill, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, March 9, 2011

TIME: 3:15 —5:15 p.m.

PLACE: James E. "Jim" King, Jr., Committee Room, 401 Senate Office Building

MEMBERS: Senator Storms, Chair; Senator Hill, Vice Chair; Senators Detert, Hays, and Rich

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 364 Latvala (Similar H 139)	Child Care Facilities; Provides for certain household children to be included in calculations regarding the capacity of licensed family day care homes and large family child care homes. Provides conditions for supervision of household children of operators of family day care homes and large family child care homes. Revises advertising requirements applicable to child care facilities. Provides penalties. Authorizes a cause of action against an unlicensed or unregistered individual if certain advertising requirements are not met, etc. CF 03/09/2011 Fav/CS CM JU BC	Fav/CS Yeas 4 Nays 0
2	SB 678 Richter (Identical H 4065, Compare H 1171, S 1658)	Local Long-term Care Ombudsman Councils; Repeals a provision relating to requirement that local ombudsman councils conduct onsite administrative assessments. Conforms a cross-reference. Removes a provision relating to onsite administrative assessments by local ombudsman council members, to conform. CF 03/09/2011 Temporarily Postponed HR BC	Temporarily Postponed
3	SB 682 Richter (Identical H 4061, Compare H 1171, S 1658)	State Long-term Care Ombudsman Program; Repeals a provision relating to data reports regarding complaints about and conditions in long-term care facilities. CF 03/09/2011 Temporarily Postponed HR BC	Temporarily Postponed
4	Consideration of proposed committee bill:		

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	SPB 7056	Background Screening; Includes volunteers within the definition of the term "direct service provider" for purposes of background screening. Exempts a volunteer who meets certain criteria and a client's relative or spouse from the screening requirement. Exempts certain licensed professionals and persons screened as a licensure requirement from further screening under certain circumstances. Requires direct service providers working as of a certain date to be screened within a specified period. Provides a phase-in for screening direct service providers, etc.	Submitted as Committee Bill
5	Consideration of proposed committee bill (Interim Project 2011-105 - Differential Response to Reports of Child Abuse and Neglect):		
	SPB 7058	Child Protection; Requires the Secretary of Children and Family Services to establish the Child Protection Response Workgroup for the purpose of developing an implementation plan for a differential response system to be used in responding to reports of child abuse or neglect. Specifies the duties of the workgroup. Requires a report to the Legislature. Requires the Secretary of Children and Family Services to establish the Child Welfare Professional Advisory Council. Specifies the scope of work of the council. Provides for the secretary to appoint members to the council, etc.	Submitted as Committee Bill
6	Introduction of David E. Wilkins, Secretary Department of Children and Families		Discussed
