

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

CRIMINAL JUSTICE
Senator Bracy, Chair
Senator Baxley, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, March 6, 2017

TIME: 1:30—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: *Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Office Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Bracy, Chair; Senator Baxley, Vice Chair; Senators Bean, Bradley, Brandes, Clemens, and Rouson

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	CS/SB 118 Judiciary / Steube (Identical H 857, Compare H 395)	Criminal History Records; Prohibiting a person or entity engaged in publishing or disseminating arrest booking photographs from soliciting or accepting a fee or other payment to remove, correct, or modify such photograph; revising the eligibility requirements for expunction of criminal history records to include instances in which a judgment of acquittal or a verdict of not guilty is rendered, etc. JU 01/24/2017 Fav/CS CJ 03/06/2017 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 2
2	SJR 270 Thurston (Identical HJR 51, Compare H 53, Linked S 934)	Restoration of Civil Rights; Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution, relating to restoration of civil rights, to authorize the Legislature to prescribe additional circumstances under which certain fines and forfeitures may be suspended or remitted, reprieves may be granted, civil rights may be restored, and punishments may be commuted, etc. CJ 03/06/2017 Favorable JU RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
3	SB 382 Gibson (Similar H 255)	Judicial Accountability; Requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to collect specified information and prepare a report on the sentences imposed by each circuit judge and county judge in criminal and juvenile cases; requiring the office to post the report annually by a specified date to its website; requiring disqualification of a judge from a case involving a member of a certain demographic group for which there is evidence of disparity in sentencing by that judge with regard to that demographic group, etc. CJ 03/06/2017 Amendment Adopted - Temporarily Postponed JU AP RC	Amendment Adopted - Temporarily Postponed

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4	SB 624 Steube (Similar H 305)	Body Cameras; Requiring law enforcement agencies that permit law enforcement officers to wear body cameras to establish policies and procedures that include general guidelines for the law enforcement officers to review relevant audio and video recordings before taking certain actions, etc. CJ 03/06/2017 Fav/CS JU RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
5	SCR 920 Farmer (Similar HCR 631)	Groveland Four; Acknowledging the grave injustice perpetrated against Charles Greenlee, Walter Irvin, Samuel Shepherd, and Ernest Thomas, who came to be known as the "Groveland Four," exonerating the four men, offering a formal and heartfelt apology to these victims of racial hatred and to their families; and urging the Governor and Cabinet to pardon Walter Irvin and Charles Greenlee, etc. CJ 03/06/2017 Favorable JU RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
6	SB 934 Thurston (Similar H 53, Compare HJR 51, Linked SJR 270)	Restoration of Civil Rights; Citing this act as the "Restoration of Civil Rights Act"; providing for automatic restoration of a former felon's civil rights, other than the right to own, possess, or use firearms, after completion of his or her sentence of incarceration and conditions of supervision; requiring the Secretary of State to develop and implement a program to educate the public about the civil rights of people who have felony convictions, etc. CJ 03/06/2017 Temporarily Postponed JU RC	Temporarily Postponed
7	SB 448 Brandes (Similar CS/H 367, Compare CS/H 369, Linked S 450)	Pearrest Diversion Programs; Encouraging local communities and public or private educational institutions to implement prearrest diversion programs for certain offenders; authorizing law enforcement officers, at their sole discretion, to issue a civil citation to adults under specified circumstances; requiring an adult who is issued a civil citation by a participating law enforcement agency to report for intake as required by the prearrest diversion program, etc. CJ 03/06/2017 Temporarily Postponed ACJ AP	Temporarily Postponed

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8	SB 450 Brandes (Similar CS/H 369, Compare CS/H 367, Linked S 448)	Public Records; Requiring that a civil citation, documentation of a prearrest diversion program, and any other reports or documents concerning a civil citation or a prearrest diversion program which are held by a law enforcement agency, a public or private educational institution, or a program service provider are exempt from public record requirements; providing for future review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. CJ 03/06/2017 Temporarily Postponed GO AP RC	Temporarily Postponed
9	SB 608 Clemens (Compare H 693, S 1102)	Decreasing Penalties for Certain Criminal Acts; Decreasing the penalty for a driver of a vehicle involved in a crash resulting only in damage to a vehicle or other property if such driver does not stop; decreasing the penalty for selling, giving away, disposing of, exchanging, or bartering certain beverages or articles with a habitual drunkard after receiving notice from a family member about such person's condition; decreasing the penalty for stealing property or a stop sign, etc. CJ 03/06/2017 Fav/CS TR ACJ AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
10	SB 788 Clemens (Similar H 807)	Marketing Practices for Substance Abuse Services; Authorizing the Office of Statewide Prosecution in the Department of Legal Affairs to investigate and prosecute patient brokering offenses; providing that an application for the disclosure of an individual's records may be filed as part of an active criminal investigation; requiring a person or entity to obtain a license from the Department of Business and Professional Regulation before attempting to generate referrals or leads for the placement of patients with a service provider or in a recovery residence; providing that it is unlawful for a person to offer or pay, or solicit or receive, benefits under certain circumstances, etc. CJ 03/06/2017 Fav/CS RI AP RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

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11	SB 552 Bracy (Identical H 313)	Child Support; Citing this act as the "Florida Responsible Parent Act"; providing additional circumstances under which an obligor who fails to pay child support may avoid suspension of his or her driver license and motor vehicle registration; requiring a court to deny an order for contempt if an obligor demonstrates that he or she is unable to pay child support due to specified circumstances, etc. CJ 03/06/2017 Temporarily Postponed CF AP	Temporarily Postponed

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