

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

COMMERCE AND TOURISM
Senator Gruters, Chair
Senator Torres, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, February 11, 2020
TIME: 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon
PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room*, 110 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Gruters, Chair; Senator Torres, Vice Chair; Senators Hutson, Stewart, and Wright

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 54 Book (Identical H 87)	Tax Exemption for Diapers and Incontinence Products; Exempting the sale for human use of diapers, incontinence undergarments, incontinence pads, or incontinence liners from the sales and use tax, etc. CM 02/11/2020 Favorable FT AP	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
2	SB 900 Stargel (Similar H 481)	Malt Beverages; Prohibiting certain sales of malt beverages between a distributor and vendor; authorizing bona fide returns of malt beverages under certain conditions; authorizing distributors to accept returns of certain products under specified conditions; specifying that authorized returns are not gifts, loans, or other prohibited forms of financial aid or assistance, etc. IT 01/21/2020 Favorable CM 02/11/2020 Not Considered RC	Not Considered
3	SB 1128 Diaz (Compare CS/H 1011)	Vacation Rentals; Preempting the regulation of vacation rentals to the state; prohibiting a local law, ordinance, or regulation from allowing or requiring inspections or licensing of vacation rentals; requiring licenses issued by the Division of Hotels and Restaurants of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to be displayed conspicuously to the public inside the licensed establishment, etc. IT 01/13/2020 Favorable CM 02/11/2020 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 3 Nays 2

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4	CS/SB 1214 Innovation, Industry, and Technology / Baxley (Similar H 1127)	Engineers; Prohibiting a person who is not licensed as an engineer from using a specified name or title; authorizing the Board of Professional Engineers to establish fees relating to professional structural engineering licensing; authorizing the board to refuse to certify an applicant for a professional structural engineering license for certain reasons; prohibiting certain persons from practicing professional structural engineering after a specified date, etc. IT 01/27/2020 Fav/CS CM 02/11/2020 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
5	SB 1362 Rodriguez (Compare H 6033)	Rental Agreements; Repealing a provision relating to the termination of a rental agreement upon foreclosure; creating the "Protecting Tenants at Foreclosure Act"; providing for the assumption of interest in certain foreclosures on dwellings or residential real property; requiring the director of the Division of Consumer Services of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to notify the Division of Law Revision of the repeal of the Protecting Tenants at Foreclosure Act of 2009 within a specified timeframe, etc. JU 01/21/2020 Favorable CM 02/11/2020 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
6	SB 1580 Braynon (Identical H 1233)	Minority Businesses; Requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to establish a revolving loan guarantee program; requiring the department to contract with an entity meeting certain criteria to administer the program, etc. CM 02/11/2020 Favorable ATD AP	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
7	SB 1600 Powell	Black Business Loan Program; Requiring that the application process and the annual certification process for the Black Business Loan Program be separate and distinct processes; requiring the department to consider certain factors when assessing applications; revising eligibility requirements for recipients under the program, etc. CM 02/11/2020 Fav/CS ATD AP	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0

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