

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA
COMMUNICATIONS, ENERGY, AND PUBLIC UTILITIES
Senator Gardiner, Chair
Senator Smith, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, January 30, 2012
TIME: 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon
PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room*, 110 Senate Office Building

MEMBERS: Senator Gardiner, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice Chair; Senators Altman, Benacquisto, Bogdanoff, Braynon, Diaz de la Portilla, Evers, Fasano, Flores, Joyner, Lynn, Margolis, Negron, and Sachs

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 1060 Bogdanoff (Compare CS/H 809)	Communications Services Taxes; Clarifying provisions exempting from the public records law certain proprietary confidential business information held by a local governmental entity for the purpose of assessing the local communications services tax; providing an exception to the provision holding a dealer of communications services harmless from liability when the dealer fails to correct a customer's local taxing jurisdiction following notice by the Department of Revenue; removing a provision relating to assigning a purchaser to a local taxing jurisdiction, to conform to changes made by the act; requiring the Department of Revenue to aggregate monthly and make available to the public on a jurisdiction-by-jurisdiction basis certain sales and net tax information, etc. CU 01/30/2012 Fav/CS CA GO BC	Fav/CS Yeas 14 Nays 0
2	CS/SB 1042 Community Affairs / Bennett (Similar CS/H 801, Compare H 739, S 1282, S 1394)	Emergency 911 Service; Providing an exception to certain confidentiality provisions for a 911 public safety telecommunicator when a confirmed coronary emergency call is taking place; requiring that a voice communications service provider, other than a wireless service provider, impose a fee based on the number of access lines to the E911 system and on the basis of certain access lines for each digital transmission link, up to a specified number of access lines per account bill rendered; revising the criteria that a local government may use in order to indemnify a local carrier; expanding the types of providers that may be indemnified and that are not liable for certain damages; providing for a person or entity in possession of an automated external defibrillator to notify the local public safety answering point regarding the location of the defibrillator, etc. CA 01/23/2012 Fav/CS CU 01/30/2012 Fav/CS BC	Fav/CS Yeas 14 Nays 0

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3	SB 648 Hays (Identical H 4001)	Florida Climate Protection Act; Repealing provisions relating to a cap-and-trade regulatory program to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from electric utilities, etc. CU 01/30/2012 Favorable EP BC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 4
Consideration of proposed committee bill:			
4	SPB 7202	Energy; Adding factors for the Public Service Commission to consider in reviewing the 10-year site plans submitted to the commission by electric utilities; providing a sales tax exemption for materials used in the distribution of biodiesel, ethanol, and other renewable fuels; requiring the Florida Building Commission, in coordination with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and the Public Service Commission, to adopt rules to provide uniform standards for building electric vehicle charging stations ; requiring the Public Service Commission to consider the need to improve the balance of power plant fuel diversity and reduce Florida's dependence on natural gas when determining the need for a proposed power plant, etc.	Submitted as Committee Bill
5	Other Related Meeting Documents		
