2020 Regular Session

The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES Senator Montford, Chair Senator Albritton, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE:	Monday, January 27, 2020
	4:00—6:00 p.m.
PLACE:	Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Montford, Chair; Senator Albritton, Vice Chair; Senators Berman, Mayfield, and Wright

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	Report by the Department of Enviro	ort by the Department of Environmental Protection on Citizen Support Organizations	
2	SB 1390 Simmons (Identical H 775)	Everglades Protection Area; Requiring comprehensive plans and plan amendments adopted by the governing bodies of local governments whose boundaries include any portion of the Everglades Protection Area to follow the state coordinated review process; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to make certain determinations for such plans and amendments, to provide written notice of its determination to the local governments within a specified timeframe, and to coordinate with the local governments on certain mitigation measures, etc. EN 01/27/2020 Favorable CA RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
3	SB 1450 Gruters (Identical H 1091)	Environmental Enforcement; Increasing the civil penalties for violations of certain provisions relating to beach and shore construction, the Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserve, aquatic preserves, the state water resource plan, artesian wells, pollution, operating a terminal facility without discharge prevention and response certificates, discharge contingency plans for vessels, the Pollutant Discharge Prevention and Control Act, the Clean Ocean Act, the pollution of surface and ground waters, the regulation of oil and gas resources, the Phosphate Land Reclamation Act, sewage disposal facilities, pollution control, reasonable costs and expenses for pollution releases, necessary permits, dumping litter, small quantity generators, the abatement of imminent hazards caused by hazardous substances, hazardous waste generators, transporters, or facilities, and coral reef protection, respectively, etc. EN 01/27/2020 Fav/CS AEG AP	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0

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4	SB 1618 Diaz (Identical H 1047, Compare H 1431)	Construction Materials Mining Activities; Creating a pilot program within the Division of State Fire Marshal to monitor and report on the use of explosives in construction materials mining activities in Miami-Dade County; requiring the State Fire Marshal to hire or contract with seismologists to monitor and report blasts occurring in connection with construction materials mining activities in Miami-Dade County and to post the reports of the seismologists on the division's website; requiring a person who engages in construction materials mining activities in Miami-Dade County to submit certain written notice relating to the use of an explosive to the State Fire Marshal, etc.	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
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5	SB 702 Albritton (Similar H 609)	Petroleum Cleanup; Revising requirements for a limited contamination assessment report required to be provided by a property owner, operator, or person otherwise responsible for site rehabilitation to the Department of Environmental Protection under the Petroleum Cleanup Participation Program; revising the contents of an advanced cleanup application to include a specified property owner or responsible party agreement, etc. EN 01/27/2020 Fav/CS AEG AP	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0
6	SB 1382 Albritton (Compare H 1199, H 1363, CS/S 712)	Environmental Resource Management; Providing that basin management action plan management strategies may include certain water quality improvement elements; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection, in coordination with the Department of Health or water management districts, to develop and implement a cooperative urban, suburban, commercial, or institutional water quality improvement element; requiring the Institute of Food and Agriculture Sciences of the University of Florida, in cooperation with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, to develop a research plan and a legislative budget request, etc. EN 01/27/2020 Fav/CS AEG AP	Fav/CS Yeas 4 Nays 0

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