#### The Florida Senate

#### **COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**

# GOVERNMENTAL OVERSIGHT AND ACCOUNTABILITY Senator Rodrigues, Chair Senator Gruters, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, March 24, 2021

**TIME:** 11:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Rodrigues, Chair; Senator Gruters, Vice Chair; Senators Mayfield, Stargel, Stewart, and

Torres

BILL DESCRIPTION and TAB BILL NO. and INTRODUCER SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS

COMMITTEE ACTION

PUBLIC TESTIMONY WILL BE RECEIVED FROM ROOM A2 AT THE DONALD L. TUCKER CIVIC CENTER, 505 W PENSACOLA STREET, TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301

TAB OFFICE and APPOINTMENT (HOME CITY)

FOR TERM ENDING

COMMITTEE ACTION

**Senate Confirmation Hearing:** A public hearing will be held for consideration of the belownamed executive appointment to the office indicated.

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Director and Chief Judge, Division of Administrative Hearings

1 Antonacci, Peter ()

Pleasure of Admin Commission Recommend Confirm Yeas 6 Nays 0

**BILL DESCRIPTION and** TAB BILL NO. and INTRODUCER SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS COMMITTEE ACTION **SB 196** 2 Lactation Spaces in Courthouses; Revising the Fav/CS Berman definition of the term "facility" to require at least one Yeas 6 Nays 0 (Identical H 887) dedicated lactation space be provided in county courthouses by a specified date: specifying minimum requirements for the lactation space; requiring that counties designated as the official headquarters of a district court of appeal be responsible for providing a lactation space in that court's facility, etc. GO 03/24/2021 Fav/CS ACJ AΡ 3 **SB 770** Military Affairs; Deleting a provision requiring that Favorable certain military personnel have the same salary and Burgess Yeas 6 Nays 0 (Similar CS/H 873) benefits as career service employees; modifying minimum qualifications and duties of the Adjutant General; specifying that a court-martial is an administrative procedure under the executive branch of state government; authorizing the Adjutant General, the Adjutant General's designee, or a military judge to issue and execute search authorizations under specified circumstances, etc. MS 03/09/2021 Favorable

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4	SB 836 Jones (Identical H 455)	Gun Violence Reduction; Creating the Urban Core Gun Violence Task Force; authorizing the task force to seek assistance from state agencies; creating the Florida Firearm Violence Reduction Pilot Program; authorizing the Department of Law Enforcement to provide grants to a specified number of counties to implement the pilot program, subject to appropriation, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
		GO 03/24/2021 Fav/CS ACJ AP	
5	SB 972 Rodriguez (Identical H 1019)	Administrative Entity Telecommunication Meetings; Authorizing certain legal or administrative entities to conduct public meetings and workshops by means of communications media technology; revising criteria under which legal entities may conduct public meetings and workshops, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
		CA 03/03/2021 Favorable GO 03/24/2021 Fav/CS RC	
6	SR 1074 Jones	White Nationalism and White Supremacy; Rejecting and condemning white nationalism and white supremacy as hateful expressions of intolerance which contradict the values that define the people of Florida and the United States, etc.	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
		GO 03/24/2021 Favorable JU RC	
7	SB 1136 Rodrigues (Identical H 861)	Board of Directors of Florida ABLE, Inc.; Revising the composition of the membership of the Florida ABLE, Inc., board of directors; removing a limit on the number of terms that certain reappointed members may serve, etc.	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
		CF 03/09/2021 Favorable GO 03/24/2021 Favorable RC	

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8	<b>SB 1232</b> Book	Death Benefits; Requiring an employer of law enforcement, correctional, or correctional probation officers to extend paid health insurance benefits to a surviving spouse and each dependent child as a result of the death of the officer from a pandemic disease or an infectious disease that is the subject of a declared public health emergency if that officer was exposed in the line of duty, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
		GO 03/24/2021 Fav/CS CA AP	
9	SB 1448 Jones (Similar CS/H 1137)	Information Technology Procurement; Requiring the Department of Management Services, through the Florida Digital Service, to establish certain project management and oversight standards for state agency compliance; requiring the department to perform project oversight on information technology projects that have total project costs of a certain amount or more; authorizing the department to execute certain contracts if the Secretary of Management Services and the state chief information officer certify certain information in writing, etc.  GO 03/24/2021 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
		AEG AP	
10	SB 1512 Wright (Identical H 1201)	Space Florida Board of Directors; Revising the membership of the board of directors of Space Florida to include two ex officio, nonvoting members appointed by the Legislature, etc.	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
		MS 03/09/2021 Favorable GO 03/24/2021 Favorable RC	
11	SB 1570 Rodriguez (Similar H 1083)	Quasi-public Entities; Requiring the Governor to specify affiliated departments for certain quasi-public entities by a certain date; providing for the repeal of a quasi-public entity on a certain date unless reviewed and saved from repeal through reenactment by the Legislature; requiring a quasi-public entity to maintain a website that includes certain information; prohibiting a quasi-public entity from using public funds to retain a lobbyist; requiring a quasi-public entity to post and update certain information on the secure contract tracking system established and maintained by the Chief Financial Officer, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
		GO 03/17/2021 Temporarily Postponed GO 03/24/2021 Fav/CS AP RC	

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12	SB 1606 Rodriguez (Compare CS/H 1553)	Victims of Communism; Establishing November 7 as the Victims of Communism legal holiday; requiring the Legislature to annually observe a moment of silence in observance of the victims of communism, etc.  CA 03/16/2021 Favorable GO 03/24/2021 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
13	SB 1616 Brodeur (Compare CS/H 1079)	Agency Contracts for Commodities and Contractual Services; Providing that the Department of Management Services may enter into an agreement authorizing an agency to make purchases under certain contracts if the Secretary of Management Services makes a certain determination; providing that an agency must issue a request for quote to certain approved vendors when it issues a request for quote for commodities or contractual services; revising the timeframe during which an agency must electronically post a description of certain services in certain circumstances; requiring each agency inspector general to complete certain audits of executed contracts at certain intervals, etc.  GO 03/24/2021 Fav/CS AEG AP	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
14	SB 1626 Albritton (Compare CS/H 1145)	Administrative Procedures; Applying certain provisions applicable to all rules other than emergency rules to repromulgated rules; requiring an agency to provide a copy of a regulatory alternative to the Administrative Procedures Committee; requiring emergency rules to be published in the Florida Administrative Code; requiring an agency to provide a copy of any proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative to the committee within a certain timeframe; requiring an agency to publish a notice of repromulgation in the Florida Administrative Register and file a rule for promulgation with the department within a specified timeframe, etc.	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
		GO 03/24/2021 Favorable JU RC	