

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

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Senator Simmons, Chair
Senator Rodriguez, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, February 19, 2020
TIME: 1:30—3:30 p.m.
PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Simmons, Chair; Senator Rodriguez, Vice Chair; Senators Baxley, Gibson, Hutson, and Stargel

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
Consideration of proposed bill:			
1	SPB 7062	Citizen Initiative; Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to revise threshold requirements for the number of petitions signed by electors needed in order for a citizen initiative to amend or revise the State Constitution to be placed on the ballot, etc.	Submitted and Reported Favorably as Committee Bill Yeas 4 Nays 2
Consideration of proposed bill:			
2	SPB 7064	Probation Violations; Requiring a court to modify or continue a probationary term upon finding that a probationer has met all specified conditions, rather than any of the conditions, after a violation of probation, etc.	Submitted and Reported Favorably as Committee Bill Yeas 6 Nays 0
3	SB 4 Flores (Similar CS/H 6501)	Relief of Dontrell Stephens by the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office; Providing for the relief of Dontrell Stephens through Evett L. Simmons, as guardian of his property, by the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office; providing for an appropriation to compensate him for personal injuries and damages sustained as the result of the negligence of a deputy of the office; providing a limitation on the payment of compensation, fees, and costs, etc. JU 02/11/2020 Temporarily Postponed JU 02/19/2020 Fav/CS GO RC	Fav/CS Yeas 4 Nays 1
4	CS/SB 302 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Rader (Similar H 89)	Adoption Records; Providing that the name and identity of a birth parent, an adoptive parent, and an adoptee may be disclosed from adoption records without a court order under certain circumstances, etc. CF 02/04/2020 Fav/CS JU 02/19/2020 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0

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5	CS/SB 1018 Criminal Justice / Stewart (Similar CS/H 675, Compare S 850)	Exposure of Sexual Organs; Increasing criminal penalties for exposure of sexual organs for a second or subsequent offense; authorizing warrantless arrests when a law enforcement officer has probable cause to believe that a person has violated s. 800.03, F.S., etc. CJ 01/28/2020 Temporarily Postponed CJ 02/04/2020 Fav/CS JU 02/19/2020 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
6	CS/SB 1082 Agriculture / Albritton (Similar CS/CS/H 241)	Domestic Violence Injunctions; Authorizing a court to take certain actions regarding the care, possession, or control of an animal in domestic violence injunctions, etc. AG 01/14/2020 Fav/CS JU 02/19/2020 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 4 Nays 0
7	SB 1340 Gruters (Similar CS/CS/H 7)	Legal Notices; Providing for the publication of legal notices on certain publicly accessible websites; allowing a governmental agency to publish legal notices on a publicly accessible website under certain circumstances; removing provisions relating to the publication of legal notices in newspapers; providing that an advertisement of a sale or disposition of property may be published on certain websites for a specified time period, etc. JU 02/11/2020 Temporarily Postponed JU 02/19/2020 Temporarily Postponed CA RC	Temporarily Postponed
8	CS/SB 1416 Criminal Justice / Perry (Compare CS/H 951)	Assaults on Specified Persons; Requiring public transit providers to post a specified sign concerning assaulting a transit operator; requiring public transit providers to create and implement a risk reduction program; authorizing public transit providers to deploy assault mitigation infrastructure; providing a specific reference to assault or battery on a public transit employee or agent, etc. CJ 01/28/2020 Temporarily Postponed CJ 02/04/2020 Fav/CS JU 02/19/2020 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0

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9	CS/SB 1484 Infrastructure and Security / Diaz (Similar CS/H 1383)	Motor Vehicle Manufacturers and Dealers; Redefining the term "line-make vehicle"; revising a prohibition against certain applicants and licensees competing with franchised motor vehicle dealers in this state, etc. IS 02/10/2020 Fav/CS JU 02/19/2020 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 3 Nays 2
10	CS/SB 1372 Ethics and Elections / Brandes	Elections; Deleting a provision that prohibits the use of an address appearing on identification presented by an elector at the polls as a basis to confirm an elector's legal residence; revising requirements for eligibility to serve as a poll watcher; revising the timeframes for conducting public preelection testing of automatic tabulating equipment; removing the requirement that duplicate ballots be made of vote-by-mail ballots containing overvoted races; preempting counties, municipalities, and other local governmental entities from enacting or adopting any limitation or restriction involving certain contributions and expenditures, etc. EE 02/03/2020 Fav/CS JU 02/19/2020 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 3 Nays 2
11	CS/SB 1738 Infrastructure and Security / Brandes (Similar CS/H 977)	Motor Vehicle Dealers; Providing that certain motor vehicle dealers and their leasing or rental affiliates are immune from causes of action and are not liable for harm to persons or property under certain circumstances, etc. IS 02/10/2020 Fav/CS JU 02/19/2020 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 4 Nays 1
12	SB 1754 Book (Similar CS/H 1397)	Limitation of Actions Against Crisis Shelters; Citing this act as the "Florida Crisis Shelter Protection Act"; limiting civil liability for nonprofit organizations operating crisis shelters for certain persons, etc. JU 02/19/2020 Fav/CS CA RC	Fav/CS Yeas 4 Nays 1

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13	CS/SR's 214 & 222 Infrastructure and Security / Rodriguez / Simpson (Compare HR 51)	Philosophies that Espouse Superiority; (THIS BILL COMBINES SR's 214 & 222) Rejecting and condemning any philosophy that espouses the superiority of one group of people over another which is hateful, dangerous, or a morally corrupt expression of intolerance, and affirming that such philosophies are contradictory to the values that define the people of Florida and the United States, etc. IS 01/13/2020 Fav/CS Combined - Lead JU 01/28/2020 Temporarily Postponed JU 02/19/2020 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
14	CS/SB 380 Banking and Insurance / Baxley (Similar CS/CS/H 1439, Compare H 397)	Disposition of Personal Property; Specifying that a financial institution is not prohibited from disclosing specified information and providing copies of specified affidavits to certain persons relating to deceased account holders; authorizing a financial institution to pay funds on deposit in certain accounts to a specified family member of a decedent without any court proceeding, order, or judgment under certain circumstances; providing that estates of certain decedents are not subject to probate administration if certain conditions are met, etc. BI 02/11/2020 Fav/CS JU 02/19/2020 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
15	CS/SB 682 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Baxley (Compare CS/H 319)	Florida Guide to a Healthy Marriage; Creating the Marriage Education Committee within the Department of Children and Families for the purpose of creating the Florida Guide to a Healthy Marriage; authorizing the committee to obtain private funds for the costs of printing and distributing copies of the guide; requiring clerks of court to post an electronic copy of the guide on the court's website and provide printed copies to applicants for marriage licenses under certain circumstances; prohibiting the issuance of a marriage license until petitioners verify that both parties have obtained and read the Florida Guide to a Healthy Marriage or some other presentation of similar information, etc. CF 01/28/2020 Fav/CS JU 02/19/2020 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 4 Nays 2

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16	SB 16 Simmons (Similar CS/H 6517)	Relief of Christeia Jones, Logan Grant, Denard Maybin, Jr., and Lanard Maybin/Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; Providing for the relief of Christeia Jones, guardian of Logan Grant, Denard Maybin, Jr., and Lanard Maybin; providing an appropriation to compensate them for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the alleged negligence of Trooper Raul Umana and the Florida Highway Patrol, a division of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0
		SM JU 02/11/2020 Not Considered JU 02/19/2020 Fav/CS ATD AP	

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