

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA
MILITARY AFFAIRS, SPACE, AND DOMESTIC SECURITY
Senator Altman, Chair
Senator Hill, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Thursday, March 17, 2011

TIME: 3:30 —5:30 p.m.

PLACE: *Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Office Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Altman, Chair; Senator Hill, Vice Chair; Senators Bennett, Bullard, Jones, Sachs, and Storms

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 520 Bennett (Similar CS/H 465)	State Memorials; Establishes the Florida Veterans' Hall of Fame on the Plaza Level of the Capitol Building. Provides for the Department of Veterans' Affairs to administer the Florida Veterans' Hall of Fame. Authorizes the department to establish a nomination and selection process and an induction ceremony. MS 03/17/2011 Fav/CS GO BC	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0
2	SJR 592 Bennett (Identical HJR 439)	Veteran's Property Tax Discount; Proposes an amendment to the State Constitution to expand the availability of the property tax discount on the homesteads of veterans who became disabled as the result of a combat injury to veterans who were not Florida residents when they entered the military. MS 03/17/2011 Favorable CA BC RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
3	SB 704 Sachs (Identical H 765)	Special Observances/Purple Heart Day; Designates August 7 of each year as "Purple Heart Day." MS 03/17/2011 Favorable GO RC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
4	SB 826 Fasano (Identical H 683)	Resident Status for Tuition Purposes; Provides that veterans of the Armed Services of the United States, including reserve components thereof, who attend a public college, university, or institution of higher learning are residents for tuition purposes. MS 03/17/2011 Favorable HE BC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0

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5	SB 894 Bennett (Identical H 693)	Postsecondary Education of Military Veterans; Requires that any veteran who meets specified criteria be admitted to any Florida College System institution or state university of the veteran's choice. MS 03/17/2011 Favorable HE BC	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
6	SB 1062 Hill (Similar H 375)	Veterans' Day; Requires school districts to observe Veterans' Day. Prohibits holding classes on that day and provides an exception. Requires the date of the Veterans' Day observance to correspond to the federal holiday. MS 03/17/2011 Favorable ED CA	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
7	SB 1224 Altman (Identical H 873)	Corporate Tax Credits for Spaceflight Projects; Authorizes the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development to administer corporate income tax credits for spaceflight projects. Authorizes the Department of Revenue to share information relating to corporate income tax credits for spaceflight projects with the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development. Authorizes a certified spaceflight business to take or transfer corporate income tax credits related to spaceflight projects carried out in this state, etc. MS 03/17/2011 Fav/CS CM BC	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0
8	Presentation by FDLE and Division of Emergency Management on Domestic Security Oversight Council Budget		Presented