

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

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Senator Thrasher, Chair
Senator Smith, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, April 17, 2013

TIME: 2:30 —5:30 p.m.

PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room*, 110 Senate Office Building

MEMBERS: Senator Thrasher, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice Chair; Senators Benacquisto, Diaz de la Portilla, Galvano, Gardiner, Latvala, Lee, Margolis, Montford, Negron, Richter, Ring, Simmons, and Sobel

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	CS/SB 1494 Judiciary / Thrasher (Similar CS/CS/H 935, Compare H 937, H 1297, Link CS/S 1496)	Florida False Claims Act; Revising conditions under which a person is liable for a specified civil penalty; authorizing the Department of Legal Affairs to issue subpoenas for specified purposes before the institution of civil proceedings; authorizing the department to stipulate to protective orders of submitted documents and information; providing for estoppel as to certain matters following a final judgment or decree rendered in favor of the state or the Federal Government in certain criminal proceedings, etc. JU 03/18/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/02/2013 Not Considered RC 04/09/2013 Not Considered RC 04/17/2013 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 14 Nays 0
2	CS/SB 1496 Judiciary / Thrasher (Similar H 937, H 1297, Compare CS/CS/H 935, Link CS/S 1494)	Public Records/False Claims Against the State/Department of Legal Affairs; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for a complaint and other information held by the Department of Legal Affairs pursuant to an investigation of a violation of provisions relating to false claims against the state; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; specifying conditions under which an investigation is considered completed, etc. JU 03/18/2013 Fav/CS GO 04/02/2013 Favorable RC 04/09/2013 Not Considered RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0

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3	CS/SB 528 Community Affairs / Simpson (Similar CS/CS/H 537)	Growth Management; Clarifying the prohibition on an initiative or referendum process in regard to development orders, comprehensive plan amendments, and map amendments; clarifying that the exception to the prohibition on an initiative or referendum process in regard to any local comprehensive plan amendment or map amendment is limited to a local government charter provision in effect on June 1, 2011, that specifically authorized an initiative or referendum process for local comprehensive plan or map amendments that affect more than five parcels of land, etc. CA 03/07/2013 Fav/CS JU 04/01/2013 Favorable CM 04/08/2013 Favorable RC 04/17/2013 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 14 Nays 0
4	CS/CS/SB 1122 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Community Affairs / Simpson (Similar CS/CS/H 971)	Florida Fire Prevention Code; Requiring fire officials to enforce Florida Building Code provisions for occupancy separation for certain structures with certain occupancies; exempting certain farming and ranching structures from the code, etc. CA 03/20/2013 Not Considered CA 04/02/2013 Fav/CS GO 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 14 Nays 0
5	CS/SB 824 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Garcia (Similar H 1183)	Public Records/Forensic Behavioral Health Evaluation; Creating an exemption from public records requirements for a forensic behavioral health evaluation filed with a court; providing a definition for the term "forensic behavioral health evaluation"; providing a statement of public necessity, applicability, and construction, etc. CJ 03/18/2013 Favorable GO 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 1

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6	CS/SB 1014 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Garcia (Similar H 1185)	Public Records/ Participants in Treatment-based Drug Court Programs; Exempting from public records requirements information from the initial screenings for participation in a treatment-based drug court program, substance abuse screenings, behavioral health evaluations, and subsequent treatment status reports regarding a participant or a person considered for participation in a treatment-based drug court program; providing for future repeal and legislative review of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. JU 03/12/2013 Favorable GO 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 1
7	SB 986 Soto (Identical H 235)	Requirements for Driver Licenses; Including notice of the approval of an application for Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals status issued by the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services as valid proof of identity for purposes of applying for a driver license, etc. TR 03/14/2013 Favorable JU 04/01/2013 Not Considered JU 04/08/2013 Favorable RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 15 Nays 0
8	CS/CS/SB 1210 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Judiciary / Soto (Identical CS/CS/H 905, Compare CS/CS/S 718)	Family Law; Providing for consideration of time-sharing schedules or time-sharing arrangements as a factor in the adjustment of awards of child support; authorizing judges in family cases to take judicial notice of certain court records without prior notice to the parties when imminent danger to persons or property has been alleged and it is impractical to give prior notice; creating an exception to a prohibition against using evidence other than the verified pleading or affidavit in an ex parte hearing for a temporary injunction for protection against domestic violence, repeat violence, sexual violence, dating violence, or stalking, etc. JU 04/01/2013 Fav/CS CF 04/08/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 14 Nays 0

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9	CS/CS/SB 1734 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Criminal Justice / Flores (Similar H 1327, Compare CS/CS/H 1325, Link CS/CS/S 1644)	Public Records/Victims of Human Trafficking; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for criminal history records of victims of human trafficking expunged under s. 943.0583, F.S.; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. CJ 04/01/2013 Fav/CS GO 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 15 Nays 0
10	SB 1424 Evers (Similar CS/H 1333)	Public Records/Personal Identifying Information/Department of Transportation; Providing that personal identifying information about individuals related to the payment of tolls, which is held by the Department of Transportation and certain other entities, is exempt from public records requirements; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing legislative findings and a statement of public necessity, etc. TR 03/14/2013 Favorable GO 04/09/2013 Favorable RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 14 Nays 0
11	CS/CS/SB 490 Regulated Industries / Judiciary / Stargel (Identical CS/H 77, Compare H 755, S 1120)	Landlords and Tenants; Revising exclusions from applicability of the Florida Residential Landlord and Tenant Act; providing that the right to attorney fees may not be waived in a lease agreement; providing that attorney fees may not be awarded in a claim for personal injury damages based on a breach of duty of premises maintenance; revising and providing landlord disclosure requirements with respect to security deposits and advance rent; providing examples of conduct for which the landlord may not retaliate, etc. JU 04/01/2013 Fav/CS RI 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 5
12	CS/SB 536 Health Policy / Detert (Identical CS/H 413)	Physical Therapy; Authorizing physical therapists to implement physical therapy treatment plans of a specified duration which are provided by advanced registered nurse practitioners, etc. HP 03/07/2013 Fav/CS BI 04/09/2013 Favorable RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 15 Nays 0

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13	CS/CS/SB 1016 Judiciary / Health Policy / Hays (Compare H 581, CS/H 1205, S 924)	Dentistry; Prohibiting a contract between a health insurer, a prepaid limited health service organization, or a health maintenance organization and a dentist from requiring the dentist to provide services at a fee set by the insurer or the organization under certain circumstances; requiring a contract with a governmental contractor for health care services to include a provision for a health care provider licensed under ch. 466, F.S., as an agent of the governmental contractor, to allow a patient or a parent or guardian of the patient to voluntarily contribute a fee to cover costs of dental laboratory work related to the services provided to the patient without forfeiting sovereign immunity, etc. HP 03/14/2013 Fav/CS JU 04/01/2013 Not Considered JU 04/08/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 14 Nays 0
14	CS/CS/SB 580 Community Affairs / Regulated Industries / Hays (Compare CS/CS/CS/H 73, CS/H 7119, CS/CS/S 436, S 596)	Homeowners' Associations; Providing grounds for disciplinary actions against community association managers; requiring associations to allow a member to use a portable device to make an electronic copy of the official records and prohibiting associations from charging a fee for such an electronic copy; revising provisions relating to the amendment of homeowners' association declarations; providing additional circumstances for authorizing members to elect a majority of association board members, etc. RI 04/02/2013 Fav/CS CA 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 15 Nays 0
15	CS/CS/SB 1160 Environmental Preservation and Conservation / Health Policy / Bullard (Similar CS/CS/CS/H 375)	Onsite Sewage Treatment and Disposal Systems; Requiring onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems to comply with rules of the Department of Environmental Protection and provide a certain level of treatment; providing that certain onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems installed after a specified date are not required to connect to a sewer until a specified date; authorizing the department to approve and permit a property owner of an owner-occupied, single-family residence as a maintenance entity for the property owner's own aerobic treatment unit system under certain circumstances, etc. HP 03/20/2013 Fav/CS CA 04/02/2013 Favorable EP 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 14 Nays 0

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16	CS/SB 474 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security (Identical H 7143)	OGSR/Department of Veterans' Affairs/Direct-support Organization/Donor Information; Provides an exemption from public records requirements for any identifying information of a donor or prospective donor to the direct-support organization of the Department of Veterans' Affairs, and an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of meetings at which the identity of a donor or prospective donor whose identity is confidential and exempt is discussed; saving the exemptions from repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act, etc. GO 03/21/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/09/2013 Not Considered RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 15 Nays 0
17	CS/SB 1840 Community Affairs / Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security (Identical CS/H 7019)	Development Permits; Requiring counties and municipalities to attach certain disclaimers and include certain permit conditions when issuing development permits; revising the deadline for the holder of certain permits to notify the authorizing agency of automatic extension eligibility, etc. CA 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 15 Nays 0
18	SB 712 Latvala (Identical H 911)	Fallen Law Enforcement Officers License Plates; Creating a Fallen Law Enforcement Officers license plate; establishing an annual use fee for the plate; providing for the distribution of use fees received from the sale of such plates, etc. TR 03/21/2013 Favorable RC 04/09/2013 Not Considered RC 04/17/2013 Fav/CS ATD AP	Fav/CS Yeas 13 Nays 0
19	CS/SB 1260 Ethics and Elections / Ring (Similar CS/H 249, Compare CS/CS/H 247, Link CS/S 1352)	Public Records/E-mail Addresses/Voter Registration Applicants; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the e-mail addresses of voter registration applicants and voters; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. EE 03/11/2013 Fav/CS GO 04/09/2013 Favorable RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 14 Nays 0

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20	SB 1800 Governmental Oversight and Accountability (Identical H 7145)	OGSR/Employment Discrimination Complaints; Amending provisions relating to a public records exemption for agency records concerning complaints of employment discrimination; saving the exemption from repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc. RC 04/09/2013 Not Considered RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 14 Nays 0
21	SB 706 Montford (Identical CS/H 341)	Uninsured Motorist Insurance Coverage; Providing that, under certain circumstances, specified persons who elect non-stacking limitations on their uninsured motorist insurance coverage are conclusively presumed to have made an informed, knowing acceptance of the limitations on behalf of all insureds, etc. BI 03/14/2013 Favorable JU 04/01/2013 Not Considered JU 04/08/2013 Favorable RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
22	CS/SB 1756 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Montford (Similar H 7089, Compare CS/H 7087, Link CS/S 1628)	Public Records/Applicants or Participants School Food and Nutrition Service Programs; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for personal identifying information of an applicant for or participant in a school food and nutrition service program held by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of Children and Families, or the Department of Education; providing for specified disclosure; providing for legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act, etc. AG 03/18/2013 Favorable GO 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0
23	SB 736 Richter (Similar CS/H 995)	Limitations Relating to Deeds and Wills; Providing for limitations of actions when a deed or will is on record; providing that a person claiming an interest in real property affected by amendments made in the act has until a specified date to file a claim or defense in court to determine the validity of the instrument; providing that if a claim or defense is filed within the specified period, the validity of the instrument is determined without regard to these amendments, etc. JU 03/06/2013 Favorable CF 04/08/2013 Favorable RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 12 Nays 0

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24	CS/SB 1098 Banking and Insurance / Richter (Identical CS/CS/H 833)	General Assignments; Requiring an assignee's bond to be in at least a specific amount or double the liquidation value of the unencumbered and liquid assets of the estate, whichever is higher; authorizing an assignee to conduct certain discovery to determine whether to prosecute certain claims or causes of action; extending the time period for which a court may authorize an assignee to conduct the business of the assignor; providing that the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure apply to objections to claims in all pending cases beginning on a specific date, etc. JU 04/01/2013 Favorable BI 04/09/2013 Fav/CS RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
25	SB 1848 Banking and Insurance (Link CS/S 1770)	Public Records/Inspector General/Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; Providing a public records exemption for the identity of individuals who make certain allegations or provide certain information to the inspector general of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation and for information relating to a resulting investigation; providing for future review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. GO 04/09/2013 Favorable RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
26	SB 1850 Banking and Insurance (Similar H 7095, S 1606, Compare CS/H 7093, S 1622, Link CS/S 1770)	Public Records/Citizens Property Insurance Corporation Clearinghouse; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for all underwriting guidelines, manuals, rating information, and other underwriting criteria or instructions submitted by an insurer to the corporation's policyholder eligibility clearinghouse program which are used to identify and select risks from the program; providing for future review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. GO 04/09/2013 Favorable RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
27	CS/SB 834 Banking and Insurance / Simmons (Similar CS/CS/H 823, Compare CS/CS/H 821, Link CS/S 836)	Public Records/Proprietary Business Information/Office of Insurance Regulation; Creating an exemption from public records requirements for proprietary business information submitted to the Office of Insurance Regulation; defining the term "proprietary business information," etc. BI 04/02/2013 Fav/CS GO 04/09/2013 Favorable RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0

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28	CS/SB 1172 Judiciary / Simmons (Similar CS/CS/H 229)	Land Trusts; Providing requirements relating to vesting of ownership in a trustee; prohibiting the operation of the statute of uses to execute a land trust or to vest the trust property under certain conditions; prohibiting the operation of the doctrine of merger to execute a land trust or to vest the trust property under certain conditions; providing that a trustee's legal and equitable title to the trust property is separate and distinct from the beneficiary's beneficial interest in the land trust and the trust property; revising and providing scope of the Florida Trust Code, etc. JU 03/12/2013 Fav/CS BI 04/02/2013 Favorable RC 04/09/2013 Not Considered RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0
29	CS/SB 714 Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities / Simmons (Similar CS/H 649)	Public Records/Proprietary Confidential Business Information; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for specified proprietary confidential business information held by an electric utility that is subject to ch. 119, F.S., in conjunction with a due diligence review of an electric project or a project to improve the delivery, cost, or diversification of fuel or renewable energy resources; providing for the retention of such information for a specified time; providing for future review and repeal of the exemption, etc. CU 03/06/2013 Fav/CS GO 04/02/2013 Favorable RC 04/09/2013 Not Considered RC 04/17/2013 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 13 Nays 0

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