The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

RULES Senator Mayfield, Chair Senator Perry, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, April 11, 2023

TIME: 8:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Mayfield, Chair; Senator Perry, Vice Chair; Senators Baxley, Book, Boyd, Brodeur, Broxson,

Burgess, Burton, DiCeglie, Garcia, Hooper, Hutson, Jones, Osgood, Rodriguez, Rouson, Simon,

Torres, and Yarborough

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 10 Gruters (Identical H 6019)	Relief of Kristin A. Stewart by Sarasota County; Providing for the relief of Kristin A. Stewart by Sarasota County; providing an appropriation to compensate her for injuries sustained as a result of the negligence of an employee of Sarasota County; providing limitations on compensation and the payment of attorney fees, lobbying fees, and costs or other similar expenses, etc.	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 1
		SM JU 03/21/2023 Favorable CA 03/29/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
2	SJR 94 Gruters (Identical HJR 31)	Partisan Election of Members of District School Boards; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to require members of a district school board to be elected in a partisan election, etc. EE 03/14/2023 Favorable ED 03/27/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 14 Nays 5
3	CS/CS/SB 418 Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security / Banking and Insurance / Perry (Similar CS/H 505)	Insurance; Authorizing residential property insurance rate filings to use a specified modeling indication; revising membership requirements for specified members of the Florida Commission on Hurricane Loss Projection Methodology; authorizing insurers to file with the Office of Insurance Regulation personal lines residential property insurance rating plans providing rate differentials based on certain windstorm mitigation construction standards; revising the types of documents and kinds of insurance for which electronic transmission constitutes delivery to the insured or person entitled to delivery; revising and specifying alternative hurricane deductible amounts for personal lines residential property insurance policies covering risks with specified dwelling limits, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 19 Nays 0
		BI 02/21/2023 Fav/CS MS 03/07/2023 Fav/CS RC 04/11/2023 Fav/CS	

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4	CS/SB 532 Banking and Insurance / Burton (Compare H 607)	Money Services Businesses; Revising the definition of the term "control person" for purposes of ch. 560, F.S.; defining the terms, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 19 Nays 0
		BI 03/15/2023 Fav/CS CM 03/27/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Fav/CS	
5	CS/CS/SB 538 Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security / Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Trumbull (Similar CS/H 1155)	Provisional Child Care Licensing; Requiring a local licensing agency or the Department of Children and Families, as applicable, to issue a provisional license or registration for a family day care home under certain circumstances, etc.	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
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6	CS/SB 540 Judiciary / DiCeglie (Identical CS/CS/H 359)	Local Government Comprehensive Plans; Revising the review process for adoption of comprehensive plan amendments; providing that the prevailing party in a challenge to a plan or plan amendment is entitled to recover attorney fees and costs; providing that the prevailing party in a challenge to the compliance of a small scale development order is entitled to recover attorney fees and costs, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 13 Nays 5
		CA 03/22/2023 Favorable JU 03/29/2023 Fav/CS RC 04/11/2023 Fav/CS	
7	CS/SB 552 Commerce and Tourism / Hooper (Similar CS/H 1437)	Public Records/Broadband Opportunity Program; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain information relating to communications services locations, project proposals, and challenges submitted to the Department of Economic Opportunity under the Broadband Opportunity Program or pursuant to a federal broadband access grant program implemented by the department; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
		CM 03/13/2023 Fav/CS GO 03/29/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
8	CS/SB 574 Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security / Burgess (Identical CS/H 73)	Termination of Agreements by a Servicemember; Defining the term "government quarters" for purposes of the termination of a servicemember's rental agreement, etc.	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
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9	CS/SB 598 Education Postsecondary / Martin (Identical H 257)	Higher Educational Facilities Financing; Specifying when the term for a new appointee to the Higher Educational Facilities Financing Authority begins; authorizing the authority to conduct meetings and workshops by means of communications media technology; authorizing the authority to contract with an entity to assist with administrative matters; prohibiting the authority from entering into a financing agreement with a participating institution for a project if at the time the agreement is executed certain conditions exist, etc.	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0
		HE 03/07/2023 Fav/CS GO 03/22/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
10	CS/SB 600 Judiciary / Martin (Identical CS/H 491)	Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors; Revising requirements for the commencement of proceedings for general assignments; authorizing assignees to rely on certain orders, judgments, decrees, rules, and documents; limiting the assets a creditor or other party in interest may pursue in an action against an assignee; providing requirements for a creditor or other party in interest in certain actions against an assignee, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 18 Nays 0
		JU 03/21/2023 Fav/CS BI 03/29/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Fav/CS	
11	CS/SB 626 Regulated Industries / DiCeglie (Identical CS/H 1221)	Broadband Internet Service Providers; Specifying that the poles of rural electric cooperatives that are engaged in the provision of broadband are subject to regulation by the Public Service Commission; authorizing the commission to access the books and records of such cooperatives for specified purposes; providing that such information that contains proprietary confidential business information retains its confidential or exempt status when held by the commission; authorizing rural electric cooperatives to engage in the provision of broadband, etc.	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
		RI 03/07/2023 Fav/CS CM 03/27/2023 Favorable RC 04/05/2023 Temporarily Postponed RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	

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12	CS/SB 636 Education Pre-K -12 / Simon (Similar CS/CS/H 19)	Individual Education Plans; Requiring individual education plans for certain students to contain information and instruction on certain legal rights and responsibilities that transfer to students at the age of 18; requiring such information to include ways in which a student may provide informed consent to allow his or her parent to continue to participate in his or her educational decisions; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules, etc. ED 03/06/2023 Faverable	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0
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13	CS/SB 666 Ethics and Elections / Collins (Identical CS/H 707)	Form of Candidate Oath; Revising the address that certain candidates must provide on the form of candidate oath; revising the address that judicial candidates must provide on the form of candidate oath, etc.	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
		EE 03/07/2023 Fav/CS JU 03/29/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
14	SB 722 Burton (Identical H 719)	Practice of Veterinary Medicine; Exempting certain out-of-state veterinarians who provide specified services under the responsible supervision of a veterinarian licensed in this state from certain regulations governing veterinary medical practice; providing that the supervising licensed veterinarian is responsible for such services; specifying that such out-of-state veterinarians are ineligible for a premises permit, etc.	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
		RI 03/14/2023 Favorable AG 03/27/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
15	CS/SB 770 Commerce and Tourism / Bradley (Similar CS/CS/H 861)	Residential Loan Alternative Agreements; Specifying restrictions on residential loan alternative agreements for the disposition of residential real property; prohibiting a court from enforcing such agreements by certain means; providing that such agreements are void if listing services do not begin within a certain timeframe; specifying penalties and remedies, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 19 Nays 0
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16	CS/SB 846 Judiciary / Avila (Similar CS/CS/H 679)	Agreements of Educational Entities with Foreign Entities; Prohibiting state universities and state colleges from accepting grants from or participating in partnerships or agreements with a college or university based in a foreign country of concern or with a foreign principal unless specified conditions are met; providing an exception; authorizing state universities to enter into partnerships or agreements with a college or university based in a foreign country of concern or with a foreign principal if such partnerships or agreements are approved by the Board of Governors and specified requirements are met; authorizing the board to sanction and withhold performance funding from a state university for entering into an unauthorized partnership or agreement; requiring each state university and state college to annually submit specified information to the Board of Governors and the Department of Education, respectively, by a specified date, etc. HE 03/07/2023 Favorable JU 03/29/2023 Fav/CS RC 04/11/2023 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 19 Nays 0
17	SB 914 Garcia (Similar CS/CS/H 655, Compare S 468)	Suicide Prevention; Authorizing certain diagnoses to be made through telehealth; revising the purposes of the Commission on Mental Health and Substance Abuse to include an assessment of the state's suicide prevention infrastructure; revising the duties of the commission to include duties relating to the state's suicide prevention infrastructure; requiring the commission to submit annual interim reports for a specified timeframe, etc. CF 03/14/2023 Favorable HP 03/20/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 19 Nays 0
18	SB 938 Davis (Identical H 829)	Operation and Administration of the Baker Act; Requiring the Department of Children and Families to provide specified information to certain individuals and organizations; requiring the department to maintain an information handbook and repository of answers to frequently asked questions, etc. CF 03/14/2023 Favorable JU 03/29/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0

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19	CS/SB 946 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Grall (Similar CS/H 911)	Public Records/Department of State Electronically Filed Records; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for e-mail addresses and secure login credentials held by the Department of State relating to electronically filed records; defining the term "secure login credentials"; providing retroactive applicability; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
		CM 03/13/2023 Favorable GO 03/29/2023 Fav/CS RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
20	SB 948 Grall (Similar CS/CS/H 909, Compare CS/H 911)	Records Electronically Filed with the Department of State; Authorizing the department to implement certain systems relating to electronically filed records; providing requirements and authorizations for the department relating to such systems, etc.	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0
		CM 03/13/2023 Favorable GO 03/29/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
21	CS/SB 978 Community Affairs / Bradley (Identical CS/H 901)	Secured Transactions; Providing that a description of certain accounts and entitlements by a certain type of collateral is insufficient for the purpose of security agreements, etc.	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
		CM 03/20/2023 Favorable CA 03/29/2023 Fav/CS RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
22	CS/SB 980 Regulated Industries / Brodeur (Identical CS/H 341)	911 Public Safety Telecommunicator Certifications; Increasing the timeframe within which an inactive 911 public safety telecommunicator certificate may be reactivated before it permanently expires; deleting a process by which a certificateholder may voluntarily place his or her certificate in inactive status; prohibiting the Department of Health from requiring certificateholders to pay a fee or to make an election to place their certificates in inactive status, beginning on a specified date, etc.	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0
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23	SB 1002 Stewart (Similar CS/H 541)	Motor Vehicle Glass; Prohibiting motor vehicle repair shops or their employees from offering anything of value to a customer in exchange for making an insurance claim for motor vehicle glass replacement or repair, including offers made through certain persons; prohibiting persons from entering into assignment agreements of post-loss benefits for motor vehicle glass replacement or repair after a specified date; defining the term "assignment agreement", etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 19 Nays 0
		BI 03/15/2023 Favorable CM 03/20/2023 Favorable RC 04/05/2023 Temporarily Postponed RC 04/11/2023 Fav/CS	
24	SB 1004 Torres (Identical H 265)	High School Equivalency Diplomas; Prohibiting a district school board from requiring certain students to take a course before taking the high school equivalency examination unless the student failed to earn a passing score on a specified practice test, etc.	Favorable Yeas 17 Nays 0
		ED 03/14/2023 Favorable JU 03/29/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
25	SB 1220 Brodeur (Similar H 991, Compare H 951)	Defamation and Related Actions; Specifying that the professional journalist's privilege does not apply to defamation or related actions; specifying that the publication of an altered or unaltered photograph, video, or audio recording may form the basis of a defamation action; specifying that a defamatory allegation is made with actual malice for purposes of a defamation action under certain circumstances; providing that the negligence standard applies in a defamation action in which the defendant does not identify the source for a defamatory statement, etc.	Temporarily Postponed
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26	CS/SB 1278 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Simon (Similar H 1621)	Direct-support Organizations of the Department of Children and Families; Authorizing the Department of Children and Families to establish a direct-support organization for a specified purpose; requiring the Secretary of Children and Families to appoint a board of directors for the direct-support organization; authorizing the department to allow the direct-support organization to use, without charge, the department's fixed property, facilities, and personnel services, subject to certain requirements; authorizing the direct-support organization to collect, expend, and provide funds for specified purposes, etc.	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0
		CF 03/20/2023 Fav/CS GO 04/05/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
27	SB 1312 Collins (Identical H 1593)	Regulatory Assessment Fees; Exempting certain rules adopted by the Florida Public Service Commission relating to regulatory assessment fees from the required filing of statements of estimated regulatory costs and from submission for legislative ratification, etc. RI 03/29/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
28	CS/SB 1342 Criminal Justice / Martin (Similar CS/CS/H 1297)	Capital Sexual Battery; Revising how certain capital felonies are punished; requiring a court to conduct a separate sentencing proceeding to determine whether a defendant should be sentenced to death or life imprisonment without the possibility of parole upon the defendant's conviction or adjudication of guilt for a capital felony; requiring a recommendation to the court of a sentence of life imprisonment without the possibility of parole if fewer than eight jurors determine that the defendant should be sentenced to death; requiring the court to impose the jury's recommended sentence if the recommendation is for a sentence of life imprisonment without the possibility of parole, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 18 Nays 0
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29	CS/SB 1436 Judiciary / Bradley (Identical CS/H 1419)	Real Property Fraud; Requiring the clerk of the circuit court to create, maintain, and operate an opt-in recording notification service; requiring such clerk to ensure that registration for such service is possible through an electronic registration portal; clarifying that an action may be brought under ch. 65, F.S., to quiet title after a fraudulent attempted conveyance; requiring the court to quiet title and award certain title and rights under certain circumstances; requiring a real estate licensee to send a fraud prevention notice under specified circumstances, etc. JU 03/29/2023 Fav/CS RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
30	CS/SB 1506 Health Policy / Rodriguez (Similar CS/H 1387)	Department of Health; Prohibiting certain research in this state relating to enhanced potential pandemic pathogens; prohibiting medical marijuana treatment centers from producing marijuana products that are attractive to children or manufactured in specified manners; requiring local registrars to electronically file all live birth, death, and fetal death records in their respective jurisdictions in the department's electronic registration system; revising the types of health care practitioners who may make certain determinations of death; extending the timeframe for the confidentiality of certain birth records; requiring that hearing aids provided to persons younger than 18 years of age be prescription hearing aids and not over-the-counter hearing aids, etc.	Temporarily Postponed
		RC 04/11/2023 Temporarily Postponed	
31	SB 1616 Martin (Similar H 1495)	Public Records/Transportation and Protective Services; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for records relating to transportation and protective services of specified persons provided by law enforcement agencies; providing for retroactive application; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. GO 03/22/2023 Favorable RC 04/05/2023 Temporarily Postponed RC 04/11/2023 Fav/CS	Fav/CS Yeas 13 Nays 5

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32	SB 7000 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs (Identical H 7037)	OGSR/Current or Former Public Guardians; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain identifying and location information of current or former public guardians, employees with fiduciary responsibility, and the spouses and children thereof; defining terms; narrowing the scope of the public records exemption for current public guardians and employees with fiduciary responsibility and former public guardians and employees with fiduciary responsibility, respectively; removing the scheduled repeal date of the exemption, etc. GO 03/29/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
		RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
33	SB 7004 Environment and Natural Resources (Identical H 7003)	OGSR/Written Valuations of Surplus Lands; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for written valuations of surplus lands, documents used to form or pertaining to such a valuation, and written offers to purchase surplus land held by a water management district; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc.	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0
		GO 03/29/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
34	SB 7012 Criminal Justice (Identical H 7031)	OGSR/Victim of an Incident of Mass Violence; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for the address of a victim of an incident of mass violence; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc.	Favorable Yeas 18 Nays 0
		GO 03/29/2023 Favorable RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
35	CS/SB 7020 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Education Pre-K - 12 (Identical H 7033)	OGSR/Mobile Suspicious Activity Reporting Tool; Expanding exemptions from public records requirements for the identity of a reporting party and any information received through the mobile suspicious activity reporting tool to include such information held by the Department of Education; providing for retroactivity of the exemption; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing statements of public necessity, etc.	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
		GO 03/29/2023 Fav/CS RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	

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36	SB 7022 Education Pre-K -12 (Identical H 7029)	OGSR/Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Commission/Safe-school Officers; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public meetings requirements for any portion of a meeting of the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Safety Commission at which exempt or confidential and exempt information is discussed; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; amending a provision relating to an exemption from public records requirements for information held by specified entities which could identify a safe-school officer; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc. GO 03/29/2023 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 19 Nays 0
		RC 04/11/2023 Favorable	
37	SB 7040 Banking and Insurance (Compare H 7007)	OGSR/Security or Firesafety System Plans; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for security or firesafety system plans held by an agency; amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records and public meetings requirements for information relating to security or firesafety systems for certain properties and meetings relating to such systems and information; amending a provision which provides an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of meetings that would reveal security or firesafety system plans held by an agency; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc. RC 04/11/2023 Temporarily Postponed	Temporarily Postponed
38	SB 7042 Banking and Insurance (Compare H 7035)	OGSR/Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain data and information from technology systems owned by, under contract with, or maintained by Citizens Property Insurance Corporation and an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of meetings which would reveal such data and information; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemptions, etc.	Temporarily Postponed
		RC 04/11/2023 Temporarily Postponed	
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