

# Journal of the Senate

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# CALL TO ORDER

The Senate was called to order by President Negron at 9:00 a.m. A quorum present—36:

Mr. President	Gainer	Rader
Baxley	Galvano	Rodriguez
Bean	Garcia	Rouson
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Book	Grimsley	Simpson
Bracy	Hukill	Stargel
Bradley	Hutson	Steube
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Flores	Powell	Young

# PRAYER

The following prayer was offered by Major Derek M. Boucher, MSC Chaplain of the Florida Army National Guard 83rd Troop Command located in Tallahassee:

Gracious and merciful God, we give you thanks for giving us another day. Give to us, and all people, a vivid sense of your presence, that we may respect each other, work with each other, learn to understand each other, and live with each other. So shall we make our state great in goodness and good in its greatness.

We ask for your grace to shine upon the leaders of our government, that they may be blessed with the wisdom needed to carry out their tasks and important responsibilities. Grant them the knowledge needed to govern the business of the great State of Florida justly and fairly. Assist them in their work to preserve the dignity and the rights of the citizens who have entrusted to them these positions of authority. Assist the people of our state, along with our Governor and our legislators, to work together to put an end to all that blemishes our social life or causes misery.

As we honor and appreciate our citizen soldiers and airmen today, we are mindful of the sacrifices made by each member of the Florida National Guard. May we not take for granted what so many have sacrificed

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and died for—freedom for all. Help us to be citizens who strive constantly to make liberty and justice a reality for all.

May all that is done this day be for your greater honor and glory. Amen.

## **COLOR GUARD**

At the direction of the President, the Sergeant at Arms opened the doors of the chamber and a Color Guard of the Florida National Guard marched into the chamber bearing flags of the United States of America and the State of Florida.

The Color Guard included the following member from the 868th Engineer Company: First Sergeant Chaddrick Faison; the following member from the Headquarters Company 1-111th Aviation Battalion: Staff Sergeant Dustin Dunlap; the following member from the 144th Transportation Company: Staff Sergeant Curtis Miller; the following member from the B Company 753rd Brigade Engineer Battalion: Private First Class Zachary Torres; the following members from the 101st Air Operations Group: Master Sergeant Adam Poston, Master Sergeant Henry Joseph, and Master Sergeant Megan Hartzell.

# PLEDGE

Cadet Al'Lissa Washington of Leon High School; Cadet Tareq Salley of Rickards High School; Cadet Kayla Jackson of Florida A & M University Developmental Research School; and Cadet Hartley Denmark of Lincoln High School led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

# SPECIAL PERFORMANCE

The President recognized Specialist Michelle Dillon of the 13th Army Band who sang *The Star Spangled Banner*.

# **DOCTOR OF THE DAY**

The President recognized Colonel Roy Bassett of Lake Worth as the doctor of the day. Dr. Bassett is the State Surgeon for the Florida Army National Guard.

## SPECIAL GUESTS

Senator Gibson recognized the following guests who were present in the gallery: Florida Adjutant General, Major General Michael Calhoun, and his wife, Sophia; Florida National Guard personnel; Florida Department of Veterans' Affairs Executive Director, Lieutenant Colonel Glenn Sutphin; and Junior ROTC cadets and instructors from Tallahassee.

## SPECIAL PRESENTATION

At the direction of Senator Gibson, a slideshow was shown honoring the Florida National Guard during Hurricane Irma cleanup efforts.

#### SPECIAL RECOGNITION

The President recognized Senators who have served in the military: Senator Brandes, from the 24th District, served in the United States Army Reserves from 1996-2007; Senator Steube, from the 23rd District, served in the United States Army from 2004-2008; and Senator Torres, from the 15th District, served in the United States Marine Corps from 1967-1970.

The President also recognized staff members who have served in the military and were present in the gallery.

Senator Gibson recognized members of the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security.

# ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

At the request of Senator Gibson-

By Senator Gibson-

**SR 1930**—A resolution honoring the Florida National Guard and recognizing February 27, 2018, as "Florida National Guard Day."

WHEREAS, as the military arm of the Governor and the people of this state, the Florida National Guard stands ready to immediately respond to a call to duty in times of crisis or emergency, and

WHEREAS, the Florida National Guard traces its lineage back 453 years to 1565 when the first muster of a civilian militia took place in Saint Augustine, making Florida's militia the oldest in the nation, and

WHEREAS, today's Florida National Guard stands strong with approximately 11,500 of the best soldiers and airmen this nation has ever known, and

WHEREAS, the men and women of the Florida National Guard and their families willingly make sacrifices during times of hurricanes, fires, floods, and other natural disasters, serving domestically and around the world in contingency operations, and

WHEREAS, more than 7,500 Florida National Guard soldiers and airmen were activated in response to Hurricane Irma and helped establish more than 350 shelters and distribute more than 6 million liters of water and nearly 5 million meals to displaced residents during response and recovery operations, and

WHEREAS, more than 20,000 men and women of the Florida National Guard have answered the call to federal active duty without reservation in the years following the September 11, 2001, attacks on our nation and served with distinction and honor during Operation Enduring Freedom, Operation Iraqi Freedom, and Operation New Dawn, and they continue to serve in Operation Noble Eagle, Operation Freedom's Sentinel, Operation Inherent Resolve, and Operation Observant Compass, all of which have taken these dedicated soldiers and airmen far from their families and friends while they ensure that we are safe at home, and

WHEREAS, the employers of Florida National Guard members make significant sacrifices during Florida National Guard deployments, ensuring these soldiers and airmen may return to their jobs upon their return home, and

WHEREAS, the men and women of the Florida National Guard remain involved in hundreds of community service projects across the state each day while preparing for their federal duty, protecting the citizens of this state during emergencies, and supporting local programs that contribute to the quality of life we enjoy in this state and the United States, NOW, THEREFORE,

#### Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That, in honor of the significant contributions and consistent readiness of the Florida National Guard and in grateful acknowledgment of the faithful service of its dedicated soldiers and airmen, February 27, 2018, is recognized as "Florida National Guard Day."

-was introduced, read, and adopted by publication.

By direction of the President, the rules were waived and the Senate proceeded to—

## SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR

**SB 460**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary fee waivers; amending s. 1009.26, F.S.; authorizing a Florida College System institution to waive any portion of certain postsecondary fees for active duty members of the Armed Forces of the United States who use military tuition assistance; specifying that the student who receives the fee waiver may be reported for state funding purposes; providing an effective date.

-was read the second time by title.

Pending further consideration of **SB 460**, pursuant to Rule 3.11(3), there being no objection, **HB 75** was withdrawn from the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education; and Appropriations.

On motion by Senator Gainer-

**HB 75**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary fee waivers; amending s. 1009.26, F.S.; authorizing a Florida College System institution to waive any portion of certain postsecondary fees for active duty members of the Armed Forces of the United States using military tuition assistance; requiring each institution to report to the State Board of Education the number and value of fee waivers granted annually; providing an effective date.

—a companion measure, was substituted for  ${\bf SB}$  460 and read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19,  ${\bf HB}~{\bf 75}$  was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

Consideration of SB 100 was deferred.

On motion by Senator Garcia-

**SB 440**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Veterans Care program; creating s. 292.17, F.S.; creating the program within the Agency for Health Care Administration; specifying the purpose of the program; authorizing the agency, in consultation with the Department of Veterans' Affairs, to negotiate with federal agencies in order to seek federal funding for the program; providing that eligible participants may enroll in the program to receive certain benefits; prohibiting the use of state funds to support the program; providing that the act does not affect a person's eligibility for the state Medicaid program; prohibiting the agency and the department from implementing the program without legislative approval; providing an effective date.

-was read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1, there being no objection, consideration of the following late-filed amendment was allowed:

Senator Garcia moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 1 (510846) (with title amendment)—Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Section 292.17, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

292.17 Florida Veterans Care program created; purpose and authorization.—The Florida Veterans Care program is created within the Department of Veterans' Affairs. The purpose of the program is to leverage the expertise, structure, or operations of existing state programs to provide Florida veterans and their families with access to quality alternatives to the federal veterans' health care system. The department, the Agency for Health Care Administration, and the Department of Children and Families are authorized to jointly negotiate with the applicable federal agencies to seek approval for a waiver, a state plan amendment, or other federal authorization for federal funding for the Florida Veterans Care program. The Florida Veterans Care program may include medical, behavioral health, or long-term care services, as

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negotiated. Participants deemed eligible by the federal Veterans Health Administration or the United States Department of Veterans Affairs may voluntarily enroll in any of the programs of the Florida Veterans Care program based on their eligibility. State funds may not be used to provide medical, behavioral health, or long-term care services under the program or to administer the program. This section does not affect a person's eligibility for services under the state Medicaid program. Notwithstanding s. 292.05(7), the department may not implement this section without prior legislative approval.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018.

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete everything before the enacting clause and insert: A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Veterans Care program; creating s. 292.17, F.S.; creating the program within the Department of Veterans' Affairs; specifying the purpose of the program; authorizing the department, the Agency for Health Care Administration, and the Department of Children and Families to jointly negotiate with federal agencies in order to seek federal funding for the program; providing that eligible participants may enroll in the program; prohibiting the use of state funds to support the program; providing that the act does not affect a person's eligibility for the state Medicaid program; prohibiting the department from implementing the program without legislative approval; providing an effective date.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **SB 440**, as amended, was ordered engrossed and then placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Steube-

**SB 100**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to identification card and driver license fees for veterans; amending ss. 322.051 and 322.14, F.S.; deleting fees for adding the word "Veteran" to an identification card or a driver license; revising acceptable forms of identification required to add the word "Veteran" to an identification card or a driver license; amending s. 322.135, F.S.; prohibiting tax collectors from charging certain driver license service fees to veterans who present specified forms of identification; providing an effective date.

-was read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19,  ${f SB}$  100 was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Gainer-

**CS for SB 330**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation facility designations; providing an honorary designation of a certain transportation facility in a specified county; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

-was read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, CS for SB 330 was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Book-

**SB 1370**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; recreating the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services without modification; repealing s. 20.142(5), F.S.; abrogating provisions relating to the termination of the trust fund, to conform; providing an effective date.

-was read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **SB 1370** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

# **BILLS ON THIRD READING**

Consideration of SB 800, SB 162, CS for SB 1048, and CS for HB 55 was deferred.

**CS for HB 6515**—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Cathleen Smiley by Brevard County; providing for an appropriation to compensate Cathleen Smiley for personal injuries and damages sustained in an automobile accident caused by a Brevard County employee; providing for payment by Brevard County; providing a limitation on the payment of fees and costs; providing an effective date.

-was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Mayfield, **CS for HB 6515** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

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Mr. President	Gainer	Rouson
Baxley	Galvano	Simmons
Bean	Garcia	Simpson
Benacquisto	Gibson	Stargel
Book	Grimsley	Steube
Bracy	Hukill	Stewart
Bradley	Mayfield	Taddeo
Braynon	Montford	Thurston
Broxson	Passidomo	Torres
Campbell	Powell	Young
Farmer	Rader	
Flores	Rodriguez	

Nays—1

Perry

Vote after roll call:

Yea-Brandes, Hutson

**HB 67**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Slavery Memorial; creating s. 265.006, F.S.; providing legislative intent; establishing the Florida Slavery Memorial; providing for administration of the memorial by the Department of Management Services; directing the department to develop a specified plan for the design, placement, and cost of the memorial and submit the plan to the Governor and Legislature; providing an effective date.

-was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Rouson, **HB 67** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

#### Yeas-36

Mr. President	Gainer	Rader
Baxley	Galvano	Rodriguez
Bean	Garcia	Rouson
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Book	Grimsley	Simpson
Bracy	Hukill	Stargel
Bradley	Hutson	Steube
Braynon	Mayfield	Stewart
Broxson	Montford	Taddeo
Campbell	Passidomo	Thurston
Farmer	Perry	Torres
Flores	Powell	Young

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Brandes

#### **CO-INTRODUCERS**

All Senators voting yea, not previously shown as co-introducers, were recorded as co-introducers of **SB 286**, the companion bill to **HB 67**.

#### Yeas-35

Mr. President	Flores	Powell
Baxley	Gainer	Rader
Bean	Galvano	Rodriguez
Benacquisto	Garcia	Simmons
Book	Gibson	Simpson
Bracy	Grimsley	Stargel
Bradley	Hukill	Stewart
Brandes	Hutson	Taddeo
Braynon	Mayfield	Thurston
Broxson	Montford	Torres
Campbell	Passidomo	Young
Farmer	Perry	

**CS for SB 386**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consumer finance; amending s. 516.031, F.S.; revising a provision relating to the maximum delinquency charge that may be charged for consumer finance loans; amending s. 516.36, F.S.; revising a requirement relating to installment repayments for consumer finance loans; providing an effective date.

-was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Garcia, **CS for SB 386** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

#### Yeas-35

Mr. President Bean	Galvano Garcia	Rodriguez Rouson
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Book	Grimsley	Simpson
Bracy	Hukill	Stargel
Bradley	Hutson	Steube
Braynon	Mayfield	Stewart
Broxson	Montford	Taddeo
Campbell	Passidomo	Thurston
Farmer	Perry	Torres
Flores	Powell	Young
Gainer	Rader	

Nays-None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Baxley, Brandes

HB 413—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trusts; amending s. 736.0103, F.S.; redefining the term "interests of the beneficiaries"; amending s. 736.0105, F.S.; deleting a requirement that a trust and its terms be for the benefit of the trust's beneficiaries; amending s. 736.0109, F.S.; revising provisions relating to notice or sending of trust documents to include posting on a secure electronic account or website; providing requirements for such documents to be deemed sent; requiring a certain authorization to specify documents subject to electronic posting; revising requirements for a recipient to electronically access such documents; prohibiting the termination of a recipient's electronic access to such documents from invalidating certain notice or sending of electronic trust documents; tolling specified limitations periods under certain circumstances; providing requirements for electronic access to such documents to be deemed terminated by a sender; providing construction; providing applicability; amending s. 736.0404, F.S.; deleting a restriction on the purpose for which a trust is created; amending s. 736.04117, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; authorizing an authorized trustee to appoint all or part of the principal of a trust to a second trust under certain circumstances; providing requirements for the second trust and its beneficiaries; authorizing the second trust to retain, omit, or create or modify specified powers; authorizing the term of the second trust to extend beyond the term of the first trust; authorizing the class of permissible appointees to the second trust to differ from the class identified in the first trust under certain circumstances; providing requirements for distributions to a second trust when the authorized trustee does not have absolute power; providing requirements for such second trust; providing requirements for grants of power of appointment by the second trust; authorizing a second trust created by an authorized trustee without absolute power to grant specified powers under certain circumstances; authorizing an authorized trustee to appoint the principal of a first trust to a supplemental needs trust under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such supplemental needs trust; prohibiting an authorized trustee from distributing the principal of a trust in a manner that would reduce specified tax benefits; prohibiting the distribution of S corporation stock from a first trust to a second trust under certain circumstances; prohibiting a settlor from being treated as the owner of a second trust if he or she was not treated as the owner of the first trust; prohibiting an authorized trustee from distributing a trust's interest in property to a second trust if the interest is subject to specified rules of the Internal Revenue Code; authorizing the exercise of power to invade a trust's principal to apply to a second trust created or administered under the law of any jurisdiction; prohibiting the exercise of power to invade a trust's principal to increase an authorized trustee's compensation or relieve him or her from certain liability; specifying who an authorized trustee must notify when he or she exercises his or her power to invade the trust's principal; specifying the documents that the authorized trustee must provide with such notice; amending s. 736.08135, F.S.; revising applicability; amending s. 736.1008, F.S.; clarifying that certain knowledge by a beneficiary does not cause a claim to accrue for breach of trust or commence the running of a period of limitations or laches; providing legislative intent; providing retroactive application; providing effective dates.

-was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Hukill, **HB 413** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

#### Yeas-35

Mr. President	Gainer	Rader
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Baxley	Galvano	Rodriguez
Bean	Garcia	Rouson
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simpson
Book	Grimsley	Stargel
Bracy	Hukill	Steube
Bradley	Hutson	Stewart
Braynon	Mayfield	Taddeo
Broxson	Montford	Thurston
Campbell	Passidomo	Torres
Farmer	Perry	Young
Flores	Powell	

Nays-None

Vote after roll call:

Yea-Brandes

**CS for CS for HB 429**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to donation and transfer of human tissue; amending s. 381.0041, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to develop and publish on its website an educational pamphlet relating to certain tissue transplants; requiring the educational pamphlet to include specified information relating to the risks and benefits of human cell, tissue, and cellular and tissue based product transplants; providing an effective date.

-was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Young, **CS for CS for HB 429** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

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Mr. President	Flores	Powell
Baxley	Gainer	Rodriguez
Bean	Galvano	Rouson
Benacquisto	Garcia	Simmons
Book	Gibson	Simpson
Bracy	Grimsley	Stargel
Bradley	Hukill	Steube
Brandes	Hutson	Stewart
Braynon	Mayfield	Taddeo
Broxson	Montford	Thurston
Campbell	Passidomo	Torres
Farmer	Perry	Young

Nays—None

**HB 7035**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ratification of St. Johns River Water Management District rules; ratifying a specified rule relating to implementation of the water management district's prevention strategy to address the Silver Springs minimum flows and water levels, for the sole and exclusive purpose of satisfying any condition on effectiveness pursuant to s. 120.541(3), F.S., which requires ratification of any rule meeting any specified thresholds for likely adverse impact or increase in regulatory costs; providing an effective date.

-was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Baxley,  $\mathbf{HB}$  **7035** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

#### Yeas-36

Mr. President	Gainer	Rader
Baxley	Galvano	Rodriguez
Bean	Garcia	Rouson
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simmons
Book	Grimsley	Simpson
Bracy	Hukill	Stargel
Bradley	Hutson	Steube
Braynon	Mayfield	Stewart
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Braynon	Mayfield	Stewart
Broxson	Montford	Taddeo
Campbell	Passidomo	Thurston
Farmer	Perry	Torres
Flores	Powell	Young

Nays-None

Yea—Brandes

**HB 623**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to out-of-country foreign money judgments; amending s. 55.605, F.S.; providing additional circumstances in which an out-of-country foreign judgment need not be recognized; providing an effective date.

-was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Bean,  $\mathbf{HB}$  **623** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas-36

Mr. President	Farmer
Bean	Flores
Benacquisto	Gainer
Book	Galvano
Bracy	Garcia
Bradley	Gibson
Brandes	Grimsley
Braynon	Hukill
Broxson	Hutson
Campbell	Mayfield

Montford Passidomo Perry Powell Rader Rodriguez Rouson Simmons Simpson Stargel

Steube	Taddeo	Torres
Stewart	Thurston	Young
Nays—None		

Vote after roll call:

Yea-Baxley

Consideration of SB 1078 was deferred.

**HB 7033**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; recreating the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the Department of State without modification; amending s. 20.106, F.S.; abrogating provisions relating to the termination of the trust fund, to conform; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Powell, **HB 7033** was passed by the required constitutional three-fifths vote of the membership and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas-36

Mr. President	Gainer	Rader
Bean	Galvano	Rodriguez
Benacquisto	Garcia	Rouson
Book	Gibson	Simmons
Bracy	Grimsley	Simpson
Bradley	Hukill	Stargel
Brandes	Hutson	Steube
Braynon	Mayfield	Stewart
Broxson	Montford	Taddeo
Campbell	Passidomo	Thurston
Farmer	Perry	Torres
Flores	Powell	Young

Nays-None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Baxley

**HB 7029**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 943.0583, F.S., which provides an exemption from public record requirements for certain criminal history records ordered expunged that are retained by the Department of Law Enforcement; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

-was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Bracy,  ${\bf HB}~{\bf 7029}$  was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

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Mr. President	Gainer	Rodriguez
Baxley	Galvano	Rouson
Bean	Garcia	Simmons
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simpson
Book	Grimsley	Stargel
Bracy	Hukill	Steube
Bradley	Hutson	Stewart
Brandes	Mayfield	Taddeo
Braynon	Montford	Thurston
Broxson	Passidomo	Torres
Campbell	Perry	Young
Farmer	Powell	
Flores	Rader	

Nays-None

Vote after roll call:

HB 7031—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 286.01141, F.S., which provides an exemption from public meeting requirements for certain portions of meetings by a duly constituted criminal justice commission; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

-was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Bracy, HB 7031 was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas-37

Mr. President	Gainer	Rodriguez
Baxley	Galvano	Rouson
Bean	Garcia	Simmons
Benacquisto	Gibson	Simpson
Book	Grimsley	Stargel
Bracy	Hukill	Steube
Bradley	Hutson	Stewart
Brandes	Mayfield	Taddeo
Braynon	Montford	Thurston
Broxson	Passidomo	Torres
Campbell	Perry	Young
Farmer	Powell	
Flores	Rader	

Nays-None

# MOTIONS RELATING TO **COMMITTEE REFERENCE**

On motion by Senator Grimsley, by two-thirds vote, SB 1564 was withdrawn from the committees of reference and further consideration.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Pursuant to Rules 2.6 and 2.9, Senator Flores announced that the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services was granted permission to meet February 28, 2018, from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m.

Pursuant to Rules 2.6 and 2.9, Senator Benacquisto announced that the Committee on Rules was granted permission to meet March 1, 2018, from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon.

# **REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**

Pursuant to Rule 4.17(1), the Rules Chair, Majority Leader, and Minority Leader submit the following bills to be placed on the Special Order Calendar for Tuesday, February 27, 2018: SB 460, SB 100, SB 440, CS for SB 330.

> Respectfully submitted, Lizbeth Benacquisto, Rules Chair Wilton Simpson, Majority Leader Oscar Braynon II, Minority Leader

## **EXECUTIVE BUSINESS**

#### EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION BY THE SENATE:

The Secretary of State has certified that pursuant to the provisions of section 114.05, Florida Statutes, certificates subject to confirmation by the Senate have been prepared for the following:

	For Term
Office and Appointment	Ending

Florida Building Commission Hamberger, Robert F., Confidential Appointee: 01/09/2021 pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.

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For Term Office and Appointment Ending Florida Commission on Community Service 09/14/2018 Barber, Chucha S., Tallahassee Appointees: Walker, Kelli L., Tallahassee 09/14/2018 Board of Trustees of Broward College Appointee: Fernandez, Gloria M., Dania 05/31/2021 Board of Trustees of Northwest Florida State College Appointees: Barker, Craig H., Destin 05/31/2021 Kelly, Lori K., Ft. Walton Beach 05/31/2018 Wright, Thomas B., Niceville 05/31/2020 Board of Trustees of Pasco-Hernando State College 05/31/2022 Appointee: Maggard, Lee, Zephyrhills Board of Trustees of Pensacola State College Dawson, Patrick R., Milton 05/31/2021 Appointee: Board of Trustees of Tallahassee Community College Appointee: Grant, William Eric, Tallahassee 05/31/2021 State of Florida Correctional Medical Authority Cuddy, Leigh-Ann, St. Cloud 07/01/2020 Appointee: Commission on Ethics Appointee: Rezanka, Kimberly Bonder, Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), 06/30/2019 F.S. Board of Hearing Aid Specialists Polhill, Leanne E., Port Orange Appointee: 10/31/2020 Board of Medicine Perez, Andre Maurice, Coral Gables Appointee: 10/31/2020 South Florida Regional Planning Council, Region 11 Walters, Sandra, Sugarloaf Key 10/01/2018 Appointee: Board of Veterinary Medicine Inzina, Suzanne, Largo 10/31/2020 Appointee:

**Referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections.** 

## SENATE CONFEREES APPOINTED

The President appointed the following conferees for HB 5001, HB 5003, and HB 5005 on the part of the Senate: Appropriations Conference Committee: Senator Bradley, Chair; Senator Flores, Vice Chair; Senators Baxley, Bean, Benacquisto, Braynon, Galvano, Grimsley, Montford, Rouson, and Simpson, At Large; Appropriations Conference Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice: Senator Brandes. Chair: Senators Baxley, Bean, Bracy, Flores, Perry, and Rodriguez; Appropriations Conference Committee on General Government: Senator Simmons, Chair; Senators Bean, Broxson, Campbell, Gainer, Garcia, Mayfield, Powell, Rodriguez, Taddeo, and Torres; Appropriations Conference Committee on Health and Human Services: Senator Flores, Chair; Senators Baxley, Book, Passidomo, Rader, Rouson, and Stargel; Appropriations Conference Committee on Higher Education: Senator Galvano, Chair; Senators Bradley, Farmer, Lee, Perry, Simpson, and Stewart; Appropriations Conference Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education: Senator Passidomo, Chair; Senators Broxson, Farmer, Grimsley, Lee, Montford, Rouson, Steube, and Young; Appropriations Conference Committee on the Environment and Natural Resources: Senator Book, Chair; Senators Braynon, Garcia, Hukill, Hutson, Mayfield, and Stewart; Appropriations Conference Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development: Senator Simpson, Chair; Senators Benacquisto, Bradley, Gainer, Galvano, Gibson, Powell, Rader, Stargel, and Thurston.

The action of the Senate was certified to the House.

# HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

The Honorable Joe Negron, President

I am directed to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following Representatives to the Conference Committee on HB 5001, HB 5003, and HB 5005 HB to serve with Rep. Trujillo, Chair; Managers At-Large: Reps. Berman, Bileca, Boyd, Caldwell, Cruz, Cummings, DuBose, Eagle, Edwards-Walpole, Jones, Metz, Moraitis, Moskowitz, Nuñez, Oliva, Raschein, Renner, Richardson, Rodrigues, Sprowls, Stafford, Stark; House Agriculture & Natural Resources/Senate Environment and Natural Resources-Rep. Albritton, Chair; Reps. Ausley, Clemons, Diamond, Fitzenhagen, Goodson, Harrison, Henry, Jacobs, Raschein, Roth, Slosberg, Stone, C. Watson, Williamson; House Governmental Operations and Technology/ Senate General Government-Rep. Ingoglia, Chair; Reps. Altman, Antone, J. Cortes, Davis, DuBose, Eagle, Fant, McClure, Plasencia, Shaw, Stone, Sullivan, Willhite, Yarborough; House Health Care/Senate Health and Human Services-Rep. Brodeur, Chair; Reps. Burgess, Burton, Duran, Grall, J. Grant, Harrell, Jones, Magar, Mercado, Pigman, Richardson, Stevenson, White; House Higher Education/Senate Higher Education-Rep. Ahern, Chair; Reps. Alexander, Avila, B. Cortes, Drake, Edwards-Walpole, Gonzalez, Good, Lee, Leek, Mariano, Perez, Ponder, Porter, Rodrigues, Silvers, Smith; House Justice/Senate Criminal and Civil Justice-Rep. Hager, Chair; Reps. Abruzzo, Ascencio, Byrd, Daniels, Fitzenhagen, J. Grant, Gruters, M. Miller, Peters, Plakon, Pritchett, Spano, Toledo, Williams; House Pre K-12 Education/

Senate PreK-12 Education—Rep. M. Diaz, Chair; Reps. Antone, Brown, Donalds, Fischer, Hardemon, Latvala, Lee, Massullo, McClain, Newton, Olszewski, Payne, Raburn, Russell, Sullivan; House Transportation & Tourism/Senate Transportation, Tourism and Economic Development— Rep. Ingram, Chair; Reps. Beshears, B. Cortes, Drake, Fine, Geller, M. Grant, Jacquet, Jenne, Killebrew, La Rosa, McGhee, Rommel, Santiago, Trumbull, B. Watson.

Portia Palmer, Clerk

## **CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF JOURNAL**

The Journals of February 21 and February 26 were corrected and approved.

## **CO-INTRODUCERS**

Senator Powell—SR 210

# ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Senator Benacquisto, the Senate adjourned at 10:22 a.m. for the purpose of holding committee meetings and conducting other Senate business to reconvene at 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, February 28 or upon call of the President.