

# Journal of the Senate

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Beginning the Fifty-second Regular Session of the Legislature of Florida convened under the Florida Constitution as revised in 1968, and subsequently amended, and the 122nd Regular Session since Statehood in 1845, at the Capitol, in the City of Tallahassee, Florida, on Tuesday, the 14th of January, A.D., 2020, being the day fixed by the Constitution of the State of Florida for convening the Legislature.

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#### CALL TO ORDER

The Senate was called to order by President Galvano at 9:30 a.m. A quorum present—40:

Mr. President	Farmer	Powell
Albritton	Flores	Rader
Baxley	Gainer	Rodriguez
Bean	Gibson	Rouson
Benacquisto	Gruters	Simmons
Berman	Harrell	Simpson
Book	Hooper	Stargel
Bracy	Hutson	Stewart
Bradley	Lee	Taddeo
Brandes	Mayfield	Thurston
Braynon	Montford	Torres
Broxson	Passidomo	Wright
Cruz	Perry	
Diaz	Pizzo	

#### **PRAYER**

The following prayer was offered by Command Chaplain Bryan Crittendon, Naval Air Station Pensacola:

Heavenly Father, we bow before you, in prayer, invoking a strong movement of your spirit among us as we open this session of the Senate and pray your wisdom, strength, and health on these state leaders as they draft and consider legislation in governing the State of Florida.

This morning we pray remembering the heroes and sacrifices from the tragic events of December 6 in Pensacola, especially the three who paid the ultimate sacrifice.

We lift up our prayers of thanksgiving for the first responders from the base, the county, the state, and the city who stopped the tragedy and saved innumerable lives. We honor their heroism this morning. We pray your continued strength for our military, our first responders, and their loved ones as they continue to protect our communities and our nation. We especially pray for those in harm's way at this very moment and for those who wait for them at home.

In the tradition of our Navy, we voice these words: "Eternal Father, strong to save, whose arm hath bound the restless wave, who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep, its own appointed limits keep, O hear us when we cry to thee, for those in peril on the sea!"

Please join me now in a moment of silence as we remember our fallen heroes. Amen.

# SPECIAL GUESTS

The President honored the following fallen service members who were killed during a terrorist attack at Naval Air Station Pensacola on December 6, 2019: Airman Apprentice Cameron Walters, survived by his mother, Amanda; father, Shane; and stepmother, Heather, who were present in the gallery; Airman Mohammed Shahed Haitham, survived by his mother, Evelyn Brady, who was present in the gallery, and his father, who was unable to attend; and Ensign Joshua Kaleb Watson, survived by his parents, who were unable to attend.

The President recognized the following survivors who were injured during the attack: Airman Ryan Joseph Blackwell and Ensign Breanna N. Thomas, who were present in the gallery; Airman Apprentice Alan G. Johnson, Ensign Kristy A. Lehmer, and Ms. Jessica K. Pickett, who were unable to attend.

The President recognized the following Escambia County law enforcement officers who aided in the efforts to stop the terrorist attack that day: Deputy Jonathan Glass and Deputy Matthew Tinch, who were shot in the line of duty; Sheriff David Morgan, accompanied by his wife, Susan; Chief Deputy Chip Simmons; Major Andrew Hobbs; Sergeant Michael Hoyland; Senior Deputy A. Grant Lopez; Deputy Matthew Keebler; Deputy Matthew Housam; Amber Southard; and Stacey Richter, who were present in the gallery.

The President recognized the following Florida Highway Patrol Officers who heroically advanced on the shooter, secured the site, provided aid to the injured, and stood guard: Trooper Adalberto Orellana, Trooper Angel Luna, Trooper Hendrick Martinez, Trooper Aaron Goodwin, Sergeant Gregory Forrest, and Captain Richard Warden, who were present in the gallery.

#### **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.

#### **PLEDGE**

Senate Page Penelope May, granddaughter of former Senate President John McKay and his wife, Michelle, led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

#### SPECIAL PERFORMANCE

The President introduced his sister, Mary Galvano Bajohr, who sang *The Star Spangled Banner*.

# DOCTOR OF THE DAY

The President recognized Dr. Aaron Sudbury of Bradenton as the doctor of the day. Dr. Sudbury specializes in obstetrics and gynecology.

#### SPECIAL GUESTS

The President welcomed the following guests: Governor Ron De-Santis and his wife, First Lady of Florida, Casey DeSantis; Lieutenant Governor Jeanette Nuñez; Attorney General Ashley Moody; and Commissioner of Agriculture Nikki Fried.

The President welcomed the following Supreme Court Justices: Chief Justice Charles T. Canady, Justice Ricky Polston, Justice Jorge Labarga, Justice Alan Lawson, and Justice Carlos G. Muñiz.

The President welcomed former Senate Presidents Mike Haridopolos and his wife, Stephanie; Jeff Atwater; John McKay and his wife, Michelle; Jim Scott; and Tom Lee, currently serving in the Senate, and his wife, Secretary of State Laurel Lee.

The President welcomed former Senators Ellyn Bogdanoff; Carey Baker, Lake County Property Appraiser; Steve Geller, Broward County Commissioner; Frank Artiles; Curt Kiser; Alex Diaz de la Portilla, Miami City Commissioner; Ron Silver; Dave Aronberg, State Attorney for Palm Beach County; and Eleanor Sobel, who were present in the chamber.

The President welcomed his wife, the First Lady of the Florida Senate, Julie Galvano; their son, William; his sister, Mary Galvano Bajohr; his sister-in-law, Karrie Galvano; and his mother-in-law, Mary Jean Forrester, and father-in-law, Reverend Sterling Forrester.

The President welcomed all the other Senate spouses who were present in the chamber.

# INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

On motion by Senator Benacquisto, by unanimous consent-

**SCR 1180**—A concurrent resolution providing that the House of Representatives and the Senate convene in Joint Session for the purpose of receiving a message from the Governor.

WHEREAS, Governor Ron DeSantis has expressed a desire to address the Legislature in Joint Session, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida, the House of Representatives Concurring:

That the House of Representatives and the Senate convene in Joint Session in the Chamber of the House of Representatives at 11:00 a.m. this day, January 14, 2020, for the purpose of receiving a message from the Governor.

—was taken up and the read the first time by title. On motion by Senator Benacquisto, SCR 1180 was read the second time in full, adopted, and, by two-thirds vote, immediately certified to the House.

# ADDRESS BY PRESIDENT BILL GALVANO

First and foremost, I would like to thank you for the hard work and great work you have done over the past year, including the weeks of committee hearings leading to this opening day of session. I could not be more proud of how we have conducted business in the Florida Senate and the productivity that it has yielded. It gives me great confidence that this session will be productive, effective, and worthy of the people of Florida.

As we go into session, let us continue to show our constituents that we can exchange and debate ideas while maintaining civility and decorum. We can problem solve together; we can put aside personalities and politics for good policy. We are not a microcosm of Washington, D.C., but instead, we will continue to be an example for Washington, D.C.

The Senate seated before me will always be unique in history. You all are the first Senate of a new decade. We have, this session, the opportunity to set the bar for the 2020s. For my part, I will do everything I can to make sure that I provide an opportunity for each of you to carry the dreams, goals, and objectives of your constituencies to this process with respect, fairness, and candor. As I have reminded you in the past, you come into this chamber carrying the responsibility of the hundreds of thousands of people each of you represents, and those microphones on your desk amplify their voices. I respect that. And again, let us conduct our business with the discipline to look at the big picture, as opposed to personal agendas, and to look at what we are doing for the people of Florida as a whole above what may be something that we personally want.

This is my sixteenth regular session, with many special sessions in between. It is also my last regular session, and I share that this morning with Senator Benacquisto, Senator Braynon, Senator Bradley, Senator Flores, Senator Montford, and our President Pro Tempore, Senator Simmons. I am very pleased to go with you all again into session, each of you as a distinguished leader. Thank you for your service.

Our work is cut out for us, and the reality is we are all veterans of this process. We're all veterans. We know the issues. Every one of us knows what the issues are that we are about to face. We all know, at the end of the day, we're all tied to the budget and how we negotiate the budget. I trust you. I have confidence in you that you all are going to help us craft the agenda, help us address these issues, and that you all will know what to do. And, I want to help facilitate that. We are ready. We are well equipped. We are certainly well supported by an unbelievable, professional staff here in Tallahassee, as well as our district staffs, and all under the leadership of our fantastic Chief of Staff, Lisa Vickers.

Governor, I look forward to working with you—I truly do—collaborating and making big strides and differences for the people of this great State of Florida. I truly appreciate your service and look forward to this session with you. Also, I look forward to continuing to work with Speaker Jose Oliva and the Florida House as we craft our budget and policies for the benefit of the people of the great State of Florida. But most importantly, I look forward to working with you, Senators. I look forward to working with you. Let us build this new decade, starting this session, day by day, with focus, commitment, and hard work. Let's make every moment that we are in this session matter. In the words of Mother Teresa, "Yesterday is gone. Tomorrow has not yet come. We have only today. Let us begin." Thank you.

#### COMMITTEE APPOINTED

On motion by President Pro Tempore Simmons that a committee be appointed to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate was convened and ready to proceed to the business of the 2020 Session, the President appointed Senator Bradley, Chair; and Senators Braynon, Flores, and Montford. The committee was excused.

# **COMMITTEE DISCHARGED**

The committee appointed to notify the House of Representatives returned to the Senate Chamber and reported to the President that its duty had been performed. The committee was thanked for its service and discharged.

# **COMMITTEE RECEIVED**

A committee from the House of Representatives composed of Representative Perez, Chair; and Representatives Andrade, Brown, Silvers, and Tomkow was received and informed the Senate that the House of Representatives was convened and ready to proceed to the business of the session. The committee then withdrew from the chamber.

# **MOTIONS**

On motion by Senator Benacquisto, the Senate adjourned at 10:49 a.m. and, pursuant to **SCR 1180**, will meet in joint session at 11:00 a.m. this day for the purpose of receiving a message from the Governor and conducting other Senate business.

(See remainder of Senate business following the joint session.)

#### JOINT SESSION

Pursuant to **SCR 1180**, the Senate formed in processional order and marched as a body to the chamber of the House of Representatives where they were received in due form. The joint session was called to order by The Honorable Jose Oliva, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Lieutenant Governor, members of the Cabinet, and Justices of the Supreme Court were received and seated.

The Speaker invited The Honorable Bill Galvano, President of the Senate, to the rostrum, and requested that the President preside over the joint session.

#### THE PRESIDENT PRESIDING

The President declared a quorum of the joint session present.

Representative Mel Ponder delivered the prayer.

Senate President Pro Tempore David Simmons and House Speaker Pro Tempore MaryLynn Magar led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

On motion by Representative Paul Renner that a committee be appointed to notify the Governor that the joint session was assembled to receive his message, the President appointed Senator Hutson, Co-chair; and Senators Broxson, Stewart, Taddeo, and Wright. On behalf of the Speaker, the President appointed Representative Burton, Co-chair; and Representatives Antone, Duran, Sirois, and Killebrew. The committee withdrew from the chamber.

# SPECIAL GUESTS

The President recognized the following guests: First Lady of the House of Representatives, Jeanne Oliva; and First Lady of the Senate, Julie Galvano.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor subsequently returned to the chamber escorting His Excellency, the Honorable Ron DeSantis, Governor, who was escorted to the rostrum.

The President recognized First Lady of Florida Casey DeSantis who was present in the gallery.

The President presented the Governor to the joint assembly.

# ADDRESS BY GOVERNOR RON DESANTIS

Mr. Speaker, Mr. President, members of the House and Senate, and fellow citizens:

The Constitution requires me to "inform the legislature concerning the condition of the state" and "recommend measures in the public interest." It brings me great satisfaction to report on the promising prospects of our public affairs and to commend the members of the House and Senate for your efforts to make Florida successful.

- · Florida's unemployment rate is near a historic low
- We have a AAA credit rating
- Florida's public university system is ranked #1 in the nation
- We are rated one of the top states in the nation for fiscal health
- Florida's crime rate is at an almost 50 year low
- And we have no state income tax

It is said that the only things certain in life are death and taxes. I'd like to suggest we append an asterisk to that statement here in Florida; no, we can't forestall Father Time, but we can say with certainty that we won't have an income tax or a death tax.

Last session was productive on a number of fronts, and I want to thank Speaker Jose Oliva and President Bill Galvano for their leadership. I also would like to recognize our Lieutenant Governor, Jeanette Nuñez, who has led on key issues ranging from health care to aerospace.

I'm also happy to have with us today our great First Lady. Casey has spearheaded her Hope for Healing initiative to tackle problems facing Floridians in the areas of mental health and substance abuse. She is making a difference—and she is only just getting started. We are both looking forward to big things in 2020, including a new baby daughter arriving a couple weeks after session. This will be three kids, ages 3 and under, running around the house; chaos will officially reign supreme in our household. I can't tell you for sure how this will affect any vetoes I might issue; stay tuned.

In 2019, we took bold steps to expand educational opportunities, protect our environment and natural resources, reform health care, invest in infrastructure and bolster public safety—all while reducing taxes and adding to our budget reserves. While we should look with favor on these bold beginnings, we have much more to do.

For everything there is a season, and this is Florida's season of opportunity—we have the chance to build on a strong foundation, the chance to face the challenges before us, and the chance to leave a legacy of success that will benefit our people now and in the future. If we work together during our season of opportunity, we can ensure that Florida works for our fellow citizens. This will require a lot of toil and sweat and it will require not just words, but deeds. We can't rest on past accomplishments. Our only easy day was yesterday.

Florida must remain steadfast in its commitment to low taxes and fiscal responsibility. "For which of you intending to build a tower does not first sit down to count the cost?" We live in an increasingly mobile and interconnected time. States cannot tax, regulate, and spend with impunity without significant negative consequences. Taxpayers flee. Businesses relocate. The economic base narrows and the state inevitably hemorrhages money. Rinse and repeat.

According to IRS figures, Florida had led the nation for six consecutive years in the amount of income—tens of billions of dollars—being brought to the state from internal migration. People are voting with their feet, and they are leaving states with bad economic climates for the greener economic pastures of the Sunshine State.

We have the good fortune to be attracting investment and business activity and have good potential for further growth in aerospace, financial services, health care, and manufacturing. To realize this potential, Florida needs to tax lightly, spend wisely, and regulate reasonably. Maintaining fiscal health will provide the type of durable foundation required for the expansion of our economic base, which means more opportunities for the people of Florida.

When I took office, I issued a sweeping executive order outlining a bold approach to protecting our natural resources, improving water quality, and restoring the Everglades. I did so in part because I believe that stewardship of our natural resources is key to our economic well-being—our water is the foundation of our tourism industry, makes Florida the top fishing and boating destination in the world, and enhances our property values.

This vision required a commitment from the Legislature and you delivered—to the tune of more than \$625 million for water resources and Everglades projects. Because Florida had skin in the game, we were able to get support from the Trump administration for another \$200 million for Everglades restoration. Ditto with the raising of the Tamiami Trail. Key water projects are proceeding apace, including the EAA reservoir, which will be a welcome relief to so many Floridians who have been negatively impacted by things like blue-green algae.

We are even on offense against the epidemic of non-native Burmese Pythons that have ravaged the wildlife in the Everglades. Geoff and Robbie Roestorff are with us today. They are successful bankers from southwest Florida but also double as python hunters. They and others—including more than 500 people who have registered for our Python Bowl—are helping to protect Florida's native wildlife by removing these voracious predators from the Everglades.

Florida is in the process of realizing a vision that has been widely desired but stubbornly elusive. We have strong momentum and need to keep it going. We can keep it going by addressing three main areas.

First, we should fund water resource projects at the \$625 million level on a recurring basis for three years. This will provide needed certainty for these key initiatives and will help us leverage more federal support.

Second, the Legislature should pass the comprehensive water quality legislation I have proposed. The bill represents the initial recommendations of the Blue-Green Algae Task Force that I launched upon taking office. It is based on sound science and provides a roadmap to reduce nutrients in our water.

Third, those that spew untreated wastewater into Florida's waterbodies need to be deterred from doing so by appropriate penalties. Too many municipalities have failed to invest in needed upgrades to their water infrastructure in part because it is cheaper to violate the law and pay a nominal fine. This is unacceptable and needs to change.

We at the state level will also be doing our part to fortify our infrastructure in our areas most vulnerable to increased flood risks. Over the coming months our Division of Emergency Management and Department of Economic Opportunity will be distributing more than a billion dollars in mitigation funds to areas impacted by the hurricanes over the last several years.

The bottom line is we have a chance to take bold action to make a lasting positive impact upon Florida's environment. Let's seize this opportunity.

Over the past year, my administration has been focused on education—and for good reason. Low taxes and a healthy business climate are important in attracting investment in Florida, but so too is our ability to produce top-flight talent—through our colleges and universities, through workforce education opportunities, and through strong K-12 schools. Florida has the top-ranked public university system in the nation and has three universities in the top 50: UF in the top 10 heading for the top 5; FSU in the top 20 heading for the top 15; and USF in the top 50 heading for the top 25.

There is no question that Florida is cultivating the talent needed to power our economy to new horizons. Let's keep it going and do even better. Traditional four-year universities aren't the only way to acquire advanced knowledge or skills—and for many it is not the best way. Thanks to the leadership of our Commissioner of Education, Richard Corcoran, we have launched an initiative to make Florida the nation's leader in workforce education by 2030 and, thanks to your support, we are off to a good start. Vocational education is making a comeback in our high schools, and students in districts such as Miami-Dade can graduate with industry certifications in fields like electrical and HVAC. Apprenticeship programs also offer a great way to equip Floridians with skills that merit gainful employment.

It was either Benjamin Franklin or an ancient Confucian philosopher who once said, "Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn."

Once Floridians acquire skills it is important that they be allowed to employ those skills without unnecessary barriers placed in their way by government. Florida's occupational licensing regime too often hinders upward mobility—often for lower-income workers—because so much of the regime is based not on the legitimate goal of protecting public health and safety but on keeping people out, creating a guild that benefits insiders at the expense of those seeking to enter moderate-income professions ranging from barbers to interior design. Our citizens shouldn't need a permission slip from the government in order to earn a living. We have a good reform bill pending before the Legislature that made it to the one yard line last year. Let's punch it in the end zone this year.

Lower-income workers also shouldn't have their wages depressed by cheap foreign labor. Assuring a legal workforce through E-verify will be good for the rule of law, protect taxpayers, and place an upward pressure on the wages of Floridians who work in blue collar jobs. We are a state that has an economy, not the other way around. And we need to make sure that our Florida citizens from all walks of life come first.

Our approach to K-12 education rests on (1) recruiting and retaining great teachers, (2) promoting educational choice so parents, particularly low-income parents, can place their child in a good school, and (3) measuring results through accountability. I am recommending we take a bold step of setting a minimum salary for public school teachers at \$47,500, bringing Florida from the bottom half of states to number 2 in the nation. This will make it easier to get talented college graduates to enter the profession and will help us retain many of the good teachers we have now.

My plan will lead to a substantial pay increase for over 100,000 current teachers throughout the state. We have two of those teachers here in the chamber: Lindsay Beam, a 6th grade math teacher at Blountstown Middle School, and Melissa Pappas, a teacher at Brookshire Elementary in Orange County, who works with autistic students. Both are highly effective, award-winning teachers who will see salary increases of between \$5k and \$10k.

We are also proposing to replace the Best and Brightest bonus program with a new initiative that will be more equitable—and more generous—so that we can reward our strong-performing teachers and principals. My proposal places an emphasis on bonuses for teachers and principals in Title I schools, with bonuses available of up to \$7,500 and \$10,000, respectively. These initiatives will build on the success we enjoyed in 2019.

Last year, we faced the prospect of thousands of Florida families toiling on waiting lists for various scholarship programs. Standing here last year, I asked the Legislature to act and you delivered. Joining us today are Brittney and Jeremy Wilson, whose son with unique abilities, Josiah, was on the waitlist for a Gardiner Scholarship. Thanks to our work in 2019, last year's waitlist was cleared and the Wilsons were able to get Josiah on a scholarship so that his educational needs can be met.

Last year, we had nearly 13,000 low-income families on the waiting list for a tax credit scholarship. Thanks to the enactment of the new Family Empowerment Scholarship, these families have been liberated from the waiting list. We have in the chamber Talethia Edwards, a mother of 7 who lives here in Tallahassee. Three of her children are now using the new Family Empowerment Scholarship.

All Florida parents, regardless of income or zip code, should have the ability to choose the best school for their children. This isn't limited to scholarship programs but also includes public school choice. Florida has 658 public charter schools serving 314,000 students, nearly 70 percent are Hispanic and African-American and 53 percent are low-income.

Based on the 2019 NAEP results, if Florida's charter school population was its own state, it would rank number 2 in the nation for  $4^{\rm th}$  grade reading, tie for number 2 in the nation for  $4^{\rm th}$  grade math, number 1 in  $8^{\rm th}$  grade reading, and tie for number 5 in  $8^{\rm th}$  grade math.

When we increase educational choice and provide innovative learning opportunities, we can help students reach their full potential. Results matter and accountability is needed. But the common core framework was clearly flawed. When even parents with advanced degrees can't understand their kids' math homework, we have a problem.

Commissioner Corcoran has spent the past year working with stakeholders throughout Florida to develop a superior approach that will focus on strong standards, high-quality curriculum, streamlined testing, and a renewed emphasis on American civics. We will be unveiling the new approach in the coming days. I can reveal that one key to our replacement of Common Core will be a renewed emphasis on American civics and the US Constitution. This means understanding the source of our rights, the theory of the Declaration of Independence, the structure of the Constitution and key amendments, such as the Bill of Rights, the post-Civil War amendments, and the Nineteenth Amendment.

This also means developing an appreciation for how these enduring principles animated key points in American history such as the fight for independence more than 240 years ago; the leadership of President Lincoln during the Civil War; the activism of the suffragettes who succeeded in securing voting rights for women (an anniversary we celebrate this year); the defeat of Nazi totalitarianism during WWII; the crusade led by Dr. King for civil rights for African-Americans; and the titanic ideological struggle against, and eventually defeat of, the tyranny represented by Soviet communism.

In his final State of the Union address, President Washington said that "A primary object should be the education of our youth in the science of government. In a republic, what species of knowledge can be equally important? And what duty more pressing than communicating it to those who are to be the future guardians of the liberties of the country?" Amen.

Speaking of the Constitution, when I became Governor, I was charged with filling three vacancies on our Supreme Court. In our system of government, courts play an important role, but it is a role that must remain judicial in nature; when courts exercise legislative authority, they pervert the Constitution and undermine the rule of law. I was mindful of choosing justices who understood the proper role of the court is to, in Hamilton's words, exercise "neither force nor will but merely judgment."

I'm pleased to report that the appointments were so good that two of three have already been promoted to the US Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit. They are both here today, Judge Barbara Lagoa and Judge Robert Luck. On behalf of the State of Florida, I congratulate you on your new post and wish you continued success. To our remaining justices, don't worry, reinforcements are coming soon.

With the Speaker and President leading the way, the 2019 Legislative Session witnessed major reforms in the area of health care—from expanding access to telehealth to repealing antiquated regulations. One major initiative was to provide access to cheaper prescription drugs by bringing in safe, name-brand drugs from foreign markets such as Canada. Same drug, just a much lower price. This can only be done with federal approval and I'm happy to report that the Trump administration is moving forward with the applicable regulations. There is still a long way to go, but that we are even discussing this is a major development in this area and Florida has led the way.

I'm happy to report that the work of the Legislature in bringing transparency to health care is starting to bear fruit. The 'patient savings' concept enacted last year was based on the idea that reducing health care costs requires (1) price transparency and (2) a way for patients who use information to save money. I'm happy to report that the state of Florida has implemented a patient savings plan for its employees and has already realized millions of dollars of savings. If we can help make this type of plan widely-available throughout the state, we could see many millions of dollars in savings for patients.

Building a culture of life requires us to champion adoption, and Florida is doing better in this regard. Thanks to the hard work of Secretary Poppell and his team at the Department of Children and Families, who made a concerted effort to eliminate barriers for 3,600 children awaiting adoption, DCF was able to reduce the number by 32 percent, representing more than 1,100 children who were able to find a forever home. This was done by identifying efficiencies, engaging in collaboration with partners and stakeholders, and leveraging existing resources. We are working hard to make the adoption process as transparent and user-friendly as possible so that every child can find a loving home. I also hope that the parental consent bill will make its way to my desk during this session!

One other update on the last session's good work: the legislation addressing fraud and abuse of assignment-of-benefits is already producing results. Citizens Insurance has revised its rates because of the impact of

the bill, resulting in nearly 44,000 additional policyholders receiving rate decreases. The number of AOB-related lawsuits involving Citizens has dropped as well—from over 500 in June of last year to only 148 in December. Early indications are that similar effects are being observed across the private market. The legal system is supposed to be used for redressing concrete injuries and disputes; it is not a game and shouldn't be used as such. Reforms such as AOB that improve the legal climate here in Florida are welcome.

Hurricane recovery has been a priority for my administration. In January of 2019, I asked Director Jared Moskowitz to expedite reimbursements to affected areas and the agency has distributed more than \$1.4 billion to communities impacted by Hurricanes Michael, Irma, Matthew, and Hermine. The Legislature approved a \$25 million Hurricane Michael grant program for assisting with the recovery in northwest Florida. This has been effective and has allowed us to address local needs in a nimble and targeted fashion. Sheriff Morris Young from Gadsden County and Bryon Hughes from the Mexico Beach Fire Department are in the gallery. We were able to help these areas and many others by using the grant program. Michael was a catastrophic storm and while great progress has been made, this is a long-term effort. I ask that you re-up this grant program for another year.

We came close to getting hit with another major storm, Hurricane Dorian. It was headed for Florida, and the emergency managers throughout the state—from the county level to Jared and his team at the state level and to our federal partners at FEMA—sprang into action. We were hoping for the best, but were prepared for the worst. I thank everyone involved in the preparation for their efforts. The storm made a 90 degree turn to the north, less than 100 miles from our coast. I've never seen anything like that. I'm sure glad we made the trip to Israel last May where a number of us prayed for a hurricane-free summer. I'd be remiss if I didn't thank the Big Man upstairs for any consideration He may have had for us during that close call.

When Christopher Columbus set sail in 1492, his ship, the Santa Maria, carried the flag of Queen Isabella. The flag depicted a castle with the words, "ne plus ultra"—meaning "nothing further"—because at that time Spain was considered the farthest point west in the entire world. Columbus returned and reported his discoveries in America to the queen. She immediately ordered that the flag be changed. The new flag read, "plus ultra"—meaning "more out there."

Well, in this season of opportunity, we can say there is more out there to achieve for our state—and there is no reason why we can't seize this moment and deliver for the people of Florida. God bless you, and thank you.

# DISSOLUTION OF JOINT SESSION

Following the Governor's address, the previously appointed committee escorted the Governor from the House Chamber.

#### SPEAKER OLIVA PRESIDING

On motion by Senator Benacquisto, the joint session was dissolved at 11:58 a.m., and the Senators were escorted from the House Chamber by the Senate Sergeant at Arms.

# INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

#### FIRST READING

By Senator Baxley-

SB 2—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Scotty Bartek; providing an appropriation to compensate Scotty Bartek for being wrongfully incarcerated; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Flores-

**SB** 4—A bill to be entitled An act 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; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Montford-

SB 6—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Shuler Limited Partnership by the Florida Forest Service of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, formerly known as the Division of Forestry, and the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund; providing for an appropriation to compensate Shuler Limited Partnership for costs and fees and for damages sustained to 835 acres of its timber as a result of the negligence, negligence per se, and gross negligence of employees of the Florida Forest Service and their violation of ch. 590, F.S.; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 8—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of the descendants of victims of the 1920 Ocoee Election Day riots; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to conduct an investigation regarding the 1920 Ocoee Election Day riots; appropriating funds to compensate direct descendants of individuals who were killed, injured, or otherwise victimized by the violence at Ocoee; specifying procedures, requirements, and limitations regarding applications for compensation; reverting unused appropriations to the General Revenue Fund; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Flores-

**SB 10**—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Rafael Rodriguez by the Hendry County Hospital Authority; providing for an appropriation to compensate Rafael Rodriguez for injuries sustained as a result of the negligence of employees of the Hendry County Hospital Authority; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 12—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Jamiyah Mitchell, Latricia Mitchell, and Jerald Mitchell by the South Broward Hospital District; providing an appropriation to compensate them for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of the South Broward Hospital District; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules

By Senator Torres—

**SB 14**—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Kareem Hawari by the Osceola County School Board; providing an appropriation to Kareem Hawari to compensate him for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of employees of the Osceola County School Board; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons-

SB 16—A bill to be entitled An act 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 that certain payments and the appropriation satisfy all present and future claims related to the alleged acts; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurston—

SB 18—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Barney Brown, who was wrongfully incarcerated for 38 years; providing an appropriation to compensate him for his wrongful incarceration; providing that the act does not waive certain defenses or increase the state's liability; providing that the appropriation satisfies all present and future claims related to the arrest, conviction, and incarceration of Barney Brown; prohibiting the award of any additional amounts for specified purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Cruz-

SB 20—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Angela Sozzani; requiring that the Department of Children and Families request up to a certain amount in its legislative budget request for the 2021-2022 fiscal year to compensate Angela Sozzani for injuries and damages she sustained as a result of the negligence of individuals and entities licensed by the department; providing for the satisfaction of any liens and the reversion of remaining funds in the special needs trust upon Angela Sozzani's death; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Braynon-

**SB 22**—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of the Justice-2-Jesus Charitable Trust; providing an appropriation to compensate the trust for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence and inaction of state government; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres-

SB 24—A bill to be entitled An act providing for the relief of Clemente Aguirre-Jarquin; providing an appropriation to compensate Clemente Aguirre-Jarquin for being wrongfully incarcerated for nearly 15 years; directing the Chief Financial Officer to draw a warrant for the purchase of an annuity; requiring the Department of Financial Services to pay specified funds; providing for the waiver of certain tuition and fees for Mr. Aguirre-Jarquin; specifying conditions for payment; providing that the act does not waive certain defenses or increase the state's limits of liability; providing a limitation on the payment of compensation; prohibiting any further award to include certain fees and costs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gibson-

SB 26—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of the Estate of Danielle Maudsley; providing an appropriation to compensate the Estate of Danielle Maudsley for Ms. Maudsley's death, sustained as a result of the alleged negligence of Trooper Daniel Cole and the Florida Highway Patrol, a division of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; providing that certain payments and the appropriation satisfy all present and future claims related to the alleged acts; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gibson-

SB 28—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Clifford Williams; providing an appropriation to compensate him for being wrongfully incarcerated for 43 years; directing the Chief Financial Officer to draw a warrant for the purchase of an annuity; requiring the Department of Financial Services to pay specified funds; providing for the waiver of certain tuition and fees for Mr. Williams; specifying conditions for payment; providing that the act does not waive certain defenses or increase the state's limits of liability; prohibiting any further award to include certain fees and costs; providing that certain benefits are vacated upon specified findings; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gibson-

SB 30—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Marcus Button by the Pasco County School Board; providing an appropriation to compensate Marcus Button for injuries sustained as a result of the negligence of an employee of the Pasco County School Board; providing an appropriation to compensate Mark and Robin Button, as parents and natural guardians of Marcus Button, for injuries and damages sustained by Marcus Button; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Special Master on Claim Bills; and the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Gibson-

SB 32—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of former employees of Fairfax Street Wood Treaters; directing the Department of Health to collaborate with the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health to develop specified data for certain purposes; providing an appropriation to compensate the former employees for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of Financial Services, and the Department of Health; providing a limitation on the payment of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Health Policy; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

 ${\bf SB~34} - {\bf Withdrawn~prior~to~introduction}.$ 

**SR 36**—Not introduced.

By Senator Book-

**SB 38**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state symbols; creating s. 15.0522, F.S.; designating coconut patties as the official state candy; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senators Rader, Stewart, and Berman-

**SB 40**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the prohibition of plastic carryout bags and straws; creating s. 509.235, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting a store or food service business from providing to a customer a carryout bag made of plastic film; prohibiting a food service business from selling or providing to a customer a single-use plastic straw; providing an exception; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senators Book and Stewart—

SB 42—A bill to be entitled An act relating to donor human milk bank services; amending s. 409.906, F.S.; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to pay for donor human milk bank services as an optional Medicaid service if certain conditions are met; specifying coverage requirements; amending s. 409.908, F.S.; adding donor human milk bank services to the list of Medicaid services authorized for reimbursement on a fee-for-service basis; amending s. 409.973, F.S.; adding donor human milk bank services to the list of minimum benefits required to be covered by managed care plans; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

 ${\bf SB}$  44—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senators Farmer, Book, Berman, Cruz, Rouson, Hooper, Perry, and Powell—  $\,$ 

SB 46—A bill to be entitled An act relating to eye care for newborns and infants; amending s. 383.04, F.S.; requiring a certain eye examination for newborns; providing applicability; amending s. 383.07, F.S.; clarifying application of a criminal penalty; amending ss. 627.6416 and 641.31, F.S.; requiring that coverage for children under health insurance policies and health maintenance contracts include certain eye examinations for newborns and infants; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 48—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the declawing of cats; creating s. 828.095, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting a person from performing a declawing on a cat within this state; providing an exception; providing a civil penalty; providing that a veterinarian who performs a prohibited declawing is subject to disciplinary action by the Board of Veterinary Medicine; amending s. 474.214, F.S.; providing that a veterinarian who performs a prohibited declawing is subject to certain disciplinary action; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Rader-

SB 50—A bill to be entitled An act relating to beverage container deposits; creating s. 403.778, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; establishing refund values for specified beverage containers; requiring dealers and consumers in this state to pay a deposit fee for specified beverage containers; requiring that certain information be affixed to or printed on deposit beverage containers; prohibiting the establishment or operation of a redemption center unless it is registered with the Department of Environmental Protection; providing minimum standards for registration; requiring that information provided to the department in the registration process be kept current; providing that persons establishing a redemption center have a certain right; providing requirements for redemption centers; prohibiting redemption centers from paying the refund value for certain containers; authorizing the use of reverse vending machines under certain circumstances; specifying requirements and procedures for certain deposit beverage dealers and distributors; requiring distributors to pay a handling fee of at least a specified amount to dealers and redemption centers; requiring certain dealers, distributors, redemption centers, and recycling facilities to submit specified information to the department and to make records available to the department upon request; authorizing the department or other specified entities to conduct certain audits; clarifying that certain trade secret information is confidential but authorizing the release of that information in a manner that would not reveal the trade secret; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing that distributors and dealers are not obligated to accept or take containers not originally sold in this state or to pay the refund value and handling fees for them; prohibiting certain transactions involving such empty deposit beverage containers and requiring a specified notice to customers; providing a civil penalty for violations; providing for disposition of the penalty; requiring such penalties to be publicly noticed; prohibiting local governments from imposing fees for the same or a similar purpose; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bean-

SB 52—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Medicaid services; amending s. 409.904, F.S.; deleting the expiration of a requirement for the Agency for Health Care Administration to make payments for Medicaid-covered services for certain persons based on specified retroactive eligibility timeframes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Book and Stewart-

SB 54—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a tax exemption for diapers and incontinence products; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; exempting the sale for human use of diapers, incontinence undergarments, incontinence pads, or incontinence liners from the sales and use tax; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

**SB 56**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to private school eligibility requirements; amending s. 1002.421, F.S.; revising private school eligibility requirements for the state school choice scholarship program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations; and

By Senators Book, Harrell, and Stewart-

SB 58—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Prescription Drug Donation Repository Program; creating s. 465.1902, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; creating the Prescription Drug Donation Repository Program within the Department of Health; specifying the purpose of the program; authorizing the department to contract with a third-party vendor to administer the program; specifying entities that are eligible donors; providing criteria and procedures for eligible donations; prohibiting donations to specific patients; providing that certain prescription drugs eligible for return to stock must be credited to Medicaid and may not be donated under the program; prohibiting the donation of certain drugs; clarifying that a repository is not required to accept donations of prescription drugs or supplies; requiring inspection of donated prescription drugs and supplies by a licensed pharmacist; providing inspection, inventory, and storage requirements for centralized and local repositories; requiring a local repository to notify the centralized repository within a specified timeframe after receiving a donation of prescription drugs or supplies; authorizing the centralized repository to redistribute prescription drugs or supplies; authorizing a local repository to transfer prescription drugs or supplies to another local repository with authorization from the centralized repository; requiring a local repository to notify the department of its intent to participate in the program; providing notification requirements; providing a procedure for a local repository to withdraw from participation in the program; requiring the department to adopt rules regarding the disposition of prescription drugs and supplies of a withdrawing local repository; specifying conditions for dispensing donated prescription drugs and supplies to eligible patients; providing intake collection form requirements; requiring a local repository to issue an eligible patient who completes an intake collection form a program identification card; prohibiting the sale of donated prescription drugs and supplies under the program; authorizing a repository to charge the patient a nominal handling fee for the preparation and dispensing of prescription drugs or supplies under the program; requiring repositories to establish a protocol for notifying recipients of a prescription drug recall; providing for destruction of donated prescription drugs under certain circumstances; providing recordkeeping requirements; requiring the centralized repository to submit annual reports to the department; requiring the department or contractor to establish, maintain, and publish a registry of participating local repositories and available donated prescription drugs and supplies; requiring the department to publish certain information and forms on its website; providing immunity from civil and criminal liability and from professional disciplinary action for participants under certain circumstances; providing immunity to pharmaceutical manufacturers, under certain circumstances, from any claim or injury arising from the donation of any prescription drug or supply under the program; requiring dispensers to provide certain notice to patients; authorizing the department to establish a direct-support organization to provide assistance, funding, and promotional support for program activities; providing organizational requirements for a directsupport organization; specifying direct-support organization purposes and objectives; prohibiting the direct-support organization from lobbying; specifying that the direct-support organization is not a lobbying firm; prohibiting the direct-support organization from possessing prescription drugs on behalf of the program; providing limitations on expenditures of such direct-support organizations; specifying that the direct-support organization must operate under contract with the department; specifying required contract terms; providing for the direct-support organization board of directors; specifying the board's membership requirements; specifying requirements for and requiring the department to adopt rules relating to a direct-support organization's use of department property; specifying requirements for the deposit and

use of funds by the direct-support organization; providing for annual audits of a direct-support organization; providing for future legislative review and repeal of provisions relating to the direct-support organization; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 252.36, F.S.; authorizing the Governor to waive program patient eligibility requirements during a declared state of emergency; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

**SJR 60**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 7 of Article III of the State Constitution to provide that neither house of the Legislature may vote on a bill that would affect access to abortion services unless at least half of the members of that house are women.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel-

SB 62—A bill to be entitled An act relating to K-12 education; amending s. 212.055, F.S.; requiring that a resolution to levy discretionary sales tax include a statement containing certain information; requiring surtax revenues shared with charter schools to be expended by the charter schools in a certain manner; amending s. 1007.273, F.S.; defining the term "early college program"; deleting a provision related to collegiate high school programs; changing the term "collegiate high school program" to "early college program"; requiring early college programs to prioritize certain courses for degree purposes; authorizing a charter school to execute a contract with a local Florida College System institution or another institution as authorized by law to establish an early college program; requiring that the Commissioner of Education report to the Governor and the Legislature on the status of early college programs by a specified date and annually thereafter; requiring the report contain certain information; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; changing the calculation of full-time equivalent student membership for dual enrollment purposes; providing that full-time equivalent membership can be calculated based on a student earning a College Board Advanced Placement Capstone Diploma; providing for calculation of full-time equivalent membership for students earning the Capstone Diploma; requiring that before distribution of the mental health assistance allocation occurs, a school district submit a detailed plan that includes the input of school and community stakeholders and is informed by a needs assessment; requiring school board mental health policies and procedures to include certain items; requiring each school district to submit a report to the Department of Education which reflects certain program outcomes and expenditures for all charter schools in the district; requiring the report to include certain information; requiring that certain excess funds be used for specified mental health expenses; abrograting the scheduled repeal of provisions relating to the annual funding compression allocation; amending s. 1003.4282, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 64—A bill to be entitled An act relating to exemptions from school-entry health requirements; amending s. 1003.22, F.S.; deleting exemptions from school-entry health examinations and immunization requirements for religious reasons; requiring the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine to jointly create a medical exemption review panel; requiring the medical exemption review panel to review certain medical exemptions filed with the Department of Health; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Education; and Rules.

By Senator Cruz-

**SB 66**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student loans and scholarship obligations of health care practitioners; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; establishing that a health care practitioner's failure to repay a student loan or to comply with service scholarship obligations does not constitute grounds for disciplinary action; removing a civil fine; amending s. 456.0721, F.S.; removing the requirement that the Department of Health investigate and prosecute health care practitioners for failing to repay a student loan or to comply with scholarship service obligations; removing the requirement that the department include specified information related to such investigations and prosecutions in an annual report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 68—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homelessness; amending s. 201.15, F.S.; requiring that certain taxes of a specified amount be transferred annually to the Grants and Donations Trust Fund within the Department of Children and Families for the purpose of funding challenge grants; amending s. 420.621, F.S.; revising, adding, and deleting defined terms; amending s. 420.622, F.S.; expanding the membership of the Council on Homelessness to include a representative of the Florida Housing Coalition and the Secretary of the Department of Elderly Affairs or his or her designee; providing that the Governor is encouraged to appoint council members who have certain experience; revising the duties of the State Office on Homelessness; revising requirements for the state's homeless programs; requiring entities that receive state funding to provide summary aggregated data to assist the council in providing certain information; removing the requirement that the office have the concurrence of the council to accept and administer moneys appropriated to it to provide certain annual challenge grants to continuums of care lead agencies; clarifying the source of such appropriation; increasing the maximum amount of grant awards per continuum of care lead agency; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising requirements for the use of grant funds by continuum of care lead agencies; revising preference criteria for certain grants; increasing the maximum percentage of its funding which a continuum of care lead agency may spend on administrative costs; requiring such agencies to submit a final report to the Department of Children and Families documenting certain outcomes achieved by grant-funded programs; removing the requirement that the office have the concurrence of the council to administer moneys given to it to provide homeless housing assistance grants annually to certain continuum of care lead agencies to acquire, construct, or rehabilitate permanent housing units for homeless persons; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; requiring grant applicants to be ranked competitively based on criteria determined by the office; deleting preference requirements; increasing the minimum number of years for which projects must reserve certain units acquired, constructed, or rehabilitated; increasing the maximum percentage of funds the office and each applicant may spend on administrative costs; revising certain performance measure requirements; authorizing, instead of requiring, the Department of Children and Families, with input from the council, to adopt rules relating to certain grants and related issues; revising requirements for an annual report the council must submit to the Governor, Legislature, and Secretary of Children and Families; authorizing the office to administer moneys appropriated to it for distribution among certain designated continuum of care lead agencies and entities; creating s. 420.6225, F.S.; specifying the purposes of a continuum of care; requiring each continuum of care, pursuant to federal law, to designate a collaborative applicant that is responsible for submitting the continuum of care funding application for the designated catchment area to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development; providing requirements for such designated collaborative applicants; authorizing the applicant to be referred to as the continuum of care lead agency; providing requirements for the office for the purpose of awarding certain federal funding for continuum of care programs; requiring that each continuum of care create a continuum of care plan for specified purposes; specifying requirements for such plans; requiring continuums of care to promote participation by all interested individuals and organizations, subject to certain requirements; creating s. 420.6227, F.S.; providing legislative findings and program purpose; establishing a grant-in-aid program to help continuums of care prevent and end

homelessness, which may include any aspect of the local continuum of care plan; requiring continuums of care to submit an application for grant-in-aid funds to the office for review; requiring the office to develop guidelines for the development, evaluation, and approval of spending plans; requiring grant-in-aid funds for continuums of care to be administered by the office and awarded on a competitive basis; requiring the office to distribute such funds to local agencies to fund programs that are required by the local continuum of care plan, based on certain recommendations; limiting the percentage of the total state funds awarded under a spending plan which may be used by the continuum of care lead agency for staffing and administrative expenditures; requiring entities that contract with local agencies to provide services and that receive certain financial assistance to provide a specified minimum percentage of the funding necessary for the support of project operations; authorizing in-kind contributions to be evaluated and counted as part or all of the required local funding, at the discretion of the office; repealing s. 420.623, F.S., relating to local coalitions for the homeless; repealing s. 420.624, F.S., relating to local homeless assistance continuums of care; repealing s. 420.625, F.S., relating to a grant-in-aid program; amending s. 420.626, F.S.; revising procedures that certain facilities and institutions are encouraged to develop and implement to reduce the discharge of persons into homelessness when such persons are admitted to or housed for a specified period at such facilities or institutions; amending s. 420.6265, F.S.; revising legislative findings and intent for Rapid ReHousing; revising the Rapid ReHousing methodology; amending s. 420.6275, F.S.; revising legislative findings relating to Housing First; revising the Housing First methodology to reflect current practice; amending s. 420.507, F.S.; conforming crossreferences; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Book and Berman-

**SB 70**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to panic alarms in public schools; providing a short title; creating s. 1013.373, F.S.; defining terms; requiring each public school building on the campus of a public elementary school, middle school, or high school to be equipped with at least one panic alarm; providing panic alarm requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stargel-

SB 72—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary education; amending s. 1001.03, F.S.; clarifying requirements for new construction, remodeling, or renovation projects; amending s. 1001.7065, F.S.; establishing state universities of distinction throughout the State University System; amending s. 1004.085, F.S.; requiring certain innovative pricing techniques and payment options to contain an opt-out provision; amending s. 1009.50, F.S.; requiring that grant awards administered through the Florida Public Student Assistance Grant Program not exceed a certain amount; providing that students who receive a grant award in the fall or spring term may also receive an award in the summer term, subject to availability of funds; prohibiting institutions from dispensing grants to students whose expected family contribution exceeds a certain amount; requiring the formula used to distribute funds for the program to account for changes in the number of eligible students across all student assistance grant programs; requiring institutions to certify the amount of funds disbursed within a certain timeframe; requiring institutions to remit any undisbursed advances within a specified timeframe; providing an exception; requiring institutions that receive moneys through the program to submit to the department by a specified date a biennial report that includes a financial audit conducted by the Auditor General; authorizing the department to conduct its own annual or biennial audit under certain circumstances; authorizing the department to suspend or revoke an institution's eligibility or request a refund of moneys overpaid to such institution under certain circumstances; providing a timeframe for such refunds; amending s. 1009.505, F.S.; requiring that grant awards administered through the Florida Public Postsecondary Career Education Student Assistance Grant Program not exceed a certain amount; providing that students who receive a grant award in the fall or spring term may also receive an award in the summer term, subject to the availability of funds; requiring the formula used to distribute funds for the program to account for changes in the number of eligible students across all student assistance grant programs; requiring institutions to certify within a certain timeframe the amount of funds disbursed; requiring institutions to remit within a specified timeframe any undisbursed advances; providing an exception; requiring institutions that receive moneys through the program to submit to the department by a specified date a biennial report that includes a financial audit conducted by the Auditor General; authorizing the department to conduct its own annual or biennial audit under certain circumstances; authorizing the department to suspend or revoke an institution's eligibility or to request a refund of moneys overpaid to such institution under certain circumstances; authorizing funds appropriated for state student assistance grants to be deposited in a specified trust fund; requiring that any balance in the trust fund at the end of a fiscal year which has been allocated to the Florida Public Postsecondary Career Education Student Assistance Grant Program remain therein, subject to certain statutory exceptions; amending s. 1009.51, F.S.; requiring that grant awards administered through the Florida Private Student Assistance Grant Program not exceed a certain amount; providing that students who receive an award in the fall or spring term may also receive an award in the summer term, subject to the availability of funds; prohibiting institutions from dispensing grants to students whose expected family contribution exceeds a certain amount; requiring the formula used to distribute funds for the program to account for changes in the number of eligible students across all student assistance grant programs; requiring institutions to certify within a certain timeframe the amount of funds disbursed; requiring institutions to remit within a specified timeframe any undisbursed advances; providing an exception; revising a requirement for a biennial report; amending s. 1009.52, F.S.; requiring that grants administered through the Florida Postsecondary Student Assistance Grant Program not exceed a certain amount; providing that students who receive a grant award in the fall or spring term may also receive an award in the summer term, subject to the availability of funds; prohibiting institutions from dispensing grants to students whose expected family contribution exceeds a certain amount; requiring the formula used to distribute funds for the program to account for changes in the number of eligible students across all student assistance grant programs; requiring institutions to certify within a certain timeframe the amount of funds disbursed; requiring institutions to remit within a specified timeframe any undisbursed advances; providing an exception; revising a requirement for a biennial report; amending s. 1009.893, F.S.; specifying eligibility for initial awards under the Benacquisto Scholarship Program; revising requirements for a student to receive a renewal award; providing a timeframe within which students can receive an award; providing an exception to renewal requirements; amending s. 1011.45, F.S.; revising the date by which a spending plan must be submitted to a university's board of trustees for approval; revising the date by which the Board of Governors must review and approve such spending plan; authorizing certain expenditures in a carry forward spending plan to include a commitment of funds to a contingency reserve for certain purposes; amending s. 1013.841, F.S.; revising the dates by which a spending plan must be submitted to a Florida College System institution's board of trustees for approval; revising the dates by which the Board of Education shall review and publish such plans; authorizing certain expenditures in a carry forward spending plan to include a commitment of funds to a contingency reserve for certain purposes; repealing s. 11, chapter 2019-116, Laws of Florida, relating to the scheduled reversion of provisions placing a limitation on the maximum amount of funding that may be appropriated for performance funding relating to funds for the operation of workforce education programs and industry certifications for Florida College System institutions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SCR 74—A concurrent resolution acknowledging the injustices perpetrated against the targets of the Florida Legislative Investigation Committee between 1956 and 1965, and offering a formal and heartfelt apology to those whose lives, well-being, and livelihoods were damaged

or destroyed by the activities and public pronouncements of those who served on the committee.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

SB 76—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the transportation disadvantaged; amending s. 427.0155, F.S.; requiring community transportation coordinators, in cooperation with the coordinating board, to plan for and use any available and cost-effective regional fare payment systems that enhance cross-county mobility for specified purposes for the transportation disadvantaged; amending s. 427.0157, F.S.; requiring each coordinating board to evaluate multicounty or regional transportation opportunities to include any available regional fare payment systems that enhance cross-county mobility for specified purposes for the transportation disadvantaged; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Broxson-

**SB 78**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation facility designations; providing an honorary designation of a certain transportation facility in specified counties; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

**SB 80**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aggravated child abuse; amending s. 827.03, F.S.; redefining the term "aggravated child abuse"; providing a criminal penalty; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Bean-

SB 82-A bill to be entitled An act relating to individuals with disabilities; amending s. 393.063, F.S.; defining the term "significant additional need"; revising the definition of the term "support coordinator"; amending s. 393.066, F.S.; requiring persons and entities under contract with the Agency for Persons with Disabilities to use the agency data management systems to bill for services; repealing s. 393.0661, F.S., relating to the home and community-based services delivery system; amending s. 393.0662, F.S.; revising criteria used by the agency to develop a client's iBudget; revising criteria used by the agency to authorize additional funding for certain clients; requiring the agency to certify and document the use of certain services before approving the expenditure of certain funds; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to seek federal approval to provide consumer-directed options; authorizing the Agency for Persons with Disabilities and the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt rules; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to seek federal waivers and amend contracts under certain conditions; requiring the Agency for Persons with Disabilities to collect premiums or cost sharing; providing construction; providing for the reimbursement of certain providers of services; requiring the Agency for Persons with Disabilities to submit quarterly status reports to the Governor, the chair of the Senate Appropriations Committee, and the chair of the House Appropriations Committee; requiring the Agency for Persons with Disabilities, in consultation with the Agency for Health Care Administration, to submit a certain plan to the Governor, the chair of the Senate Appropriations Committee, and the chair of the House Appropriations Committee under certain conditions; requiring the Agency for Persons with Disabilities, in consultation with the Agency for Health Care Administration, to provide quarterly reconciliation reports to the Governor and the Legislature within a specified timeframe; revising rulemaking authority of the Agency for Persons with Disabilities and the Agency for Health Care Administration; creating s. 393.0663, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Persons with Disabilities to competitively procure qualified organizations to provide support coordination services; requiring such procurement to be initiated on a specified date; providing requirements for contracts awarded by the agency; amending s. 409.906, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to contract with an external vendor for certain medical necessity determinations; requiring the Agency for Persons with Disabilities to seek federal approval to implement certain payment rates; amending ss. 409.968 and 1002.385, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 84—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual battery; amending s. 395.1021, F.S.; requiring certain licensed facilities to provide to victims of sexual assault information regarding emergency contraception and its availability, if requested; providing a definition; amending s. 794.011, F.S.; redefining the terms "consent" and "sexual battery"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston-

SB 86—A bill to be entitled An act relating to judicial nominating commissions; amending s. 43.291, F.S.; revising the composition of judicial nominating commissions; establishing additional restrictions regarding commission members; terminating the terms of commission members as of a specified date; providing for initial appointments and staggered terms for the reconstituted commissions; prohibiting a commission member from serving more than two full terms; providing an exception; requiring appointing authorities to consider certain attributes in making appointments to ensure diversity; requiring appointing authorities to collect and release certain demographic data regarding commission members and applicants for commission membership; requiring that such demographic data be collected through anonymous surveys and released in the statistical aggregate; specifying circumstances under which a commission member may not vote on a matter and must disclose a conflict; requiring a commission member to complete an educational course after his or her appointment; prescribing minimum requirements for the course; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Ethics and Elections; and Rules.

By Senators Stewart, Book, and Torres-

SB 88—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child care facilities; providing a short title; amending s. 402.305, F.S.; requiring that, by a specified date, vehicles used by child care facilities and large family child care homes to transport children be equipped with a reliable alarm system that prompts the driver to inspect the vehicle for children before exiting the vehicle; requiring the Department of Children and Families to adopt by rule minimum safety standards for such systems and to maintain a list of approved alarm manufacturers and alarm systems; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senators Stewart, Berman, Book, and Cruz-

**SB 90**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to discrimination in labor and employment; creating the "Senator Helen Gordon Davis Fair Pay Protection Act"; amending s. 448.07, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting an employer from providing less favorable employment opportunities to employees based on their sex; providing exceptions; revising applica-

bility; providing civil penalties; amending s. 448.102, F.S.; prohibiting an employer from taking certain employment actions against employees; creating s. 448.111, F.S.; prohibiting an employer from engaging in certain activities relating to wages and benefits; prohibiting an employer from requiring employees to sign certain waivers and documents; providing applicability; authorizing an employer to confirm wage or salary history under certain conditions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons-

**SB 92**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to controlled substances; amending s. 893.13, F.S.; revising age limitations relating to the use and hire of certain persons and the delivery of controlled substances to certain persons; creating s. 893.1355, F.S.; providing for the reclassification of criminal penalties relating to the sale of controlled substances to certain persons; amending s. 893.145, F.S.; expanding the definition of the term "drug paraphernalia"; amending 921.0022, F.S.; providing for application of the severity ranking chart of the Criminal Punishment Code; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Book, Stewart, and Rodriguez-

SB 94—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transfers of firearms; amending s. 790.001, F.S.; defining the term "adult family member"; creating s. 790.0653, F.S.; requiring transfers of firearms to be conducted through a licensed dealer; requiring deposit of the firearm with the licensed dealer under certain circumstances; requiring processing by the licensed dealer; providing for disposition of the firearm if the licensed dealer cannot legally complete the transaction or return the firearm to its owner; authorizing a fee; providing exceptions; providing criminal penalties; requiring law enforcement agencies to report to the Attorney General any violation by licensed dealers; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senators Cruz and Berman—

**SB 96**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational opportunities for veterans; creating s. 295.011, F.S.; defining the term "disabled veteran"; providing that disabled veterans receiving certain federal educational assistance benefits are eligible to receive an award for the remaining cost of tuition and fees at state universities and Florida College System institutions; specifying applicability of other laws; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Cruz, Book, Farmer, and Stewart-

SB 98—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical marijuana identification cards for service-disabled veterans; amending s. 381.986, F.S.; prohibiting the Department of Health from charging a fee for the issuance, replacement, or renewal of an identification card for the medical use of marijuana for a service-disabled veteran or his or her caregiver if a specified form is included with the identification card application; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Harrell, Cruz, and Stewart-

SB 100—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dispensing medicinal drugs; amending s. 465.019, F.S.; authorizing individuals licensed to prescribe medicinal drugs to dispense a 48-hour supply, rather than a 24-hour supply, of such drugs to any patient, including a discharged patient, under certain circumstances; authorizing such individuals to dispense a 72-hour supply if a state of emergency has been declared in the area; authorizing such individuals to provide prescriptions for an additional supply of such drugs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

SB 102—Not used.

By Senators Harrell, Wright, Cruz, Mayfield, and Perry-

SB 104—A bill to be entitled An act relating to services for veterans and their families; creating s. 394.9087, F.S.; requiring the Department of Veterans' Affairs to establish the Florida Veterans' Care Coordination Program to provide for veterans and their families behavioral health care referral and care coordination services; requiring the department to contract with a certain nonprofit entity to enter into agreements with Florida 211 Network participants to provide such services; providing program goals; providing for the statewide delivery of specified services by program teams; requiring Florida 211 Network participants to collect program implementation data and to submit such data to the department; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; providing requirements for the report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rader-

SB 106—A bill to be entitled An act relating to instructional personnel salaries; creating s. 1012.052, F.S.; providing a short title; providing legislative intent that the Florida Education Finance Program be funded at a level that ensures a certain minimum annual starting salary for instructional personnel; specifying a statewide minimum salary for all instructional personnel for the 2020-2021 fiscal year; requiring the Department of Education to annually calculate an adjusted statewide minimum annual starting salary; providing requirements for calculating the adjustment; requiring district school boards to adjust the statewide minimum annual starting salary, as determined by the department, by applying district cost differentials; specifying that the adjustment may not reduce a district's minimum annual starting salary below the statewide minimum annual starting salary; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rader-

SB 108—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop a Florida State Beekeepers Association license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of such plates; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rader-

**SB 110**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; creating a fee for a certain specialty license plate; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rader-

**SB 112**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a capital relocation study; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability (OPPAGA) to conduct a study regarding the relocation of the state capital; prescribing requirements for the study; requiring OPPAGA to submit a report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senators Berman and Cruz-

**SB 114**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to risk protection orders; amending s. 790.401, F.S.; redefining the term "petitioner" to include an individual who has a biological or legal parent-child relationship with, who is a legal guardian of, or who is a spouse or sibling of a respondent; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Cruz, Stewart, Berman, and Taddeo-

SB 116—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prescription insulin drugs; creating ss. 627.64085 and 627.65746, F.S.; defining the term "prescription insulin drug"; requiring individual and group health insurance policies, respectively, to cap an insured's monthly cost-sharing obligation for covered prescription insulin drugs at a specified amount; providing construction; authorizing the Financial Services Commission to adopt rules; amending s. 641.31, F.S.; defining the term "prescription insulin drug"; requiring health maintenance contracts to cap a subscriber's monthly cost-sharing obligation for covered prescription insulin drugs at a specified amount; providing construction; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

**SB 118**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to security in trial court facilities; amending s. 30.15, F.S.; requiring sheriffs to coordinate with certain boards of county commissioners and chief judges to develop a comprehensive plan for security of trial court facilities; specifying that sheriffs and chief judges retain certain authorities; specifying that sheriffs and their deputies, employees, and contractors are officers of the court under specified circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Pizzo and Book-

SB 120—A bill to be entitled An act relating to naloxone in schools; amending s. 1002.20, F.S.; authorizing a public school to purchase a supply or enter into an arrangement to receive a supply of the opioid antagonist naloxone for a certain purpose; specifying requirements for the maintenance of the naloxone; requiring the school district to adopt a protocol for the administration of naloxone; providing that a school district and its employees and agents and the physician who provides the protocol are not liable for any injury arising from the administration of the naloxone pursuant to the protocol; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Health Policy; and

By Senators Rouson, Berman, and Hooper-

SB 122—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; providing a short title; amending s. 25.385, F.S.; requiring the Florida Court Educational Council to establish certain standards for instruction of circuit and county court judges for dependency cases; deleting the definition of the term "family or household member"; creating s. 39.0142, F.S.; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to provide to law enforcement officers certain information relating to specified individuals; providing how such information shall be provided to law enforcement officers; requiring law enforcement officers and the central abuse hotline to follow certain procedures relating to specified interactions with certain persons and how to relay details of such interactions; amending s. 39.8296, F.S.; requiring that the guardian ad litem training program include training on the recognition of and responses to head trauma and brain injury in specified children; amending s. 402.402, F.S.; requiring certain entities to provide training to certain parties on the recognition of and responses to head trauma and brain injury in specified children; amending s. 409.988, F.S.; requiring lead agencies to provide certain individuals with training on the recognition of and responses to head trauma and brain injury in specified children; authorizing lead agencies to provide intensive family reunification services that combine child welfare and mental health services to certain families; amending s. 409.996, F.S.; authorizing the department and certain lead agencies to create and implement a program to more effectively provide case management services for specified children; providing criteria for selecting judicial circuits for implementation of the program; specifying requirements of the program; requiring a report to the Legislature and Governor under specified conditions; creating s. 943.17298, F.S.; requiring the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission to incorporate training for specified purposes; requiring law enforcement officers to complete such training as part of either basic recruit training or continuing training or education by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bean—

SB 124—A bill to be entitled An act relating to custody of minor children by extended family; amending s. 751.01, F.S.; revising the purposes of ch. 751, F.S.; amending s. 751.03, F.S.; providing that a petition for concurrent custody may include certain requests; amending s. 751.05, F.S.; providing requirements for orders granting concurrent or temporary custody; requiring the court to establish any conditions for the transition of custody of the child to the parent which are in the child's best interest, under certain circumstances; requiring the court to consider specified factors; authorizing the court to require parties to comply with conditions agreed to by the parties in the order granting concurrent custody or to demonstrate that failure to comply does not endanger the welfare of the child; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Gruters, Hooper, Gainer, Baxley, Perry, Harrell, Albritton, and Stewart—

SB 126—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sales and use tax; amending s. 212.02, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "retail sale"; amending s. 212.05, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 212.0596, F.S.; renaming the term "mail order sale" to "remote sale" and revising the definition; revising conditions under which certain dealers are subject to sales tax levies and collection; defining the term "making a substantial number of remote sales"; deleting an exemption for certain dealers from collecting local option surtaxes; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 212.05965, F.S.; defining terms; providing that certain marketplace providers are subject to registration, collection, and remittance requirements for sales taxes; requiring marketplace providers to provide a

certain certification to their marketplace sellers; specifying requirements for marketplace sellers; requiring marketplace providers to allow the Department of Revenue to examine and audit their books and records; specifying the examination and audit authority of the department; providing that a marketplace seller, and not the marketplace provider, is liable for sales tax collection and remittance under certain circumstances; authorizing marketplace providers and marketplace sellers to enter into agreements for the recovery of certain taxes, interest, and penalties; authorizing the department to settle and compromise taxes, interest, or penalties assessed on sales conducted through a marketplace; providing construction and applicability; amending s. 212.06, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "dealer"; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 212.12, F.S.; deleting an exclusion from certain dealers who are allowed a dealer's credit for collecting tax; deleting the authority of the department's executive director to negotiate a collection allowance with certain dealers; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 212.18, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; reenacting s. 212.20(4), F.S., relating to refunds of taxes adjudicated unconstitutionally collected, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 212.0596, F.S., in a reference thereto; authorizing the department to adopt emergency rules; providing for expiration of the authority; providing for severability; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wright-

**SB 128**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain identifying and location information of current and former judicial assistants and their spouses and children; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Hutson-

**SB 130**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Job Growth Grant Fund; amending s. 288.101, F.S.; authorizing the Governor to approve workforce training grants to certain charter schools under the Florida Job Growth Grant Fund; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; authorizing certain charter schools to apply for specified grant funds; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Braynon—

SB 132—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Sunshine Scholarship Program; creating s. 1009.895, F.S.; establishing the Sunshine Scholarship Program; requiring the Department of Education to administer the program; providing the purpose of the program; defining terms; requiring certain financial aid to be credited to a student's tuition and fees before the award of a Sunshine Scholarship; providing student eligibility requirements; requiring a student to repay the scholarship amount under certain circumstances; providing that the program only applies to a student's tuition and fees; providing for funding; providing for rulemaking; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Taddeo and Rodriguez—

SB 134—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the preemption of firearms and ammunition; repealing s. 790.33, F.S., relating to the preemption of the field of regulation of firearms and ammunition to the Legislature, to the exclusion of local jurisdictions; amending s. 790.251, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Bean, Harrell, and Perry-

SB 136—A bill to be entitled An act relating to adoption benefits; amending s. 409.1664, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "qualifying adoptive employee"; providing that certain adoptive veterans and servicemembers are eligible to apply for certain monetary benefits; defining the terms "veteran" and "servicemember"; authorizing the Department of Children and Families to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hutson-

**SB 138**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Beverage Law; repealing s. 564.05, F.S., relating to limitations on the size of individual wine containers; repealing s. 564.055, F.S., relating to limitations on the size of individual cider containers; amending s. 564.09, F.S.; revising provisions that authorize a restaurant to allow patrons to remove partially consumed bottles of wine from a restaurant for off-premises consumption; amending s. 565.03, F.S.; redefining the terms "branded product" and "craft distillery"; revising the requirements for the sale of branded products by a licensed craft distillery to consumers; deleting a provision that prohibits a craft distillery from selling more than six individual containers of a branded product to a consumer; revising requirements relating to the shipping of distilled spirits to consumers by a craft distillery; providing that it is unlawful to transfer a distillery license, or ownership in a distillery license, for certain distilleries to certain individuals or entities; prohibiting a craft distillery from having its ownership affiliated with certain other distilleries; authorizing a craft distillery to transfer specified distilled spirits from certain locations to its souvenir gift shop; requiring a craft distillery making certain transfers of distilled spirits to submit certain excise taxes with its monthly report to the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; amending s. 561.221, F.S.; authorizing the division to issue vendor's licenses to certain distilleries for the sale of alcoholic beverages on the distillery's licensed premises; requiring that the licensed vendor premises be included on certain sketches and diagrams under certain circumstances; requiring that all revisions to a sketch or diagram be approved by the division; requiring that certain alcoholic beverages be obtained through a licensed distributor, a licensed broker or sales agent, or a licensed importer; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Hutson-

**SB 140**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fireworks; creating s. 791.08, F.S.; defining the term "designated holiday"; providing an exemption for the use of fireworks solely and exclusively during a designated holiday; requiring the Division of the State Fire Marshal of the Department of Financial Services to adopt certain rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senators Brandes, Mayfield, and Hooper-

**SJR 142**—A joint resolution proposing amendments to Section 5 of Article II and Section 5 of Article XI and the repeal of Section 2 of Article XI of the State Constitution to abolish the Constitution Revision Commission.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 144—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Energy 2040 Task Force; creating the Energy 2040 Task Force within the Public Service Commission; specifying the purpose of the task force; requiring the task force to make recommendations, giving consideration to certain topics; requiring the commission to provide administrative and support services; specifying the task force membership; authorizing the task force to establish advisory committees; specifying that the task force and any advisory committee members will serve without compensation, but are entitled to per diem and travel expenses; requiring that state agencies assist and cooperate with the task force and any advisory committees; specifying that appointments to the task force be made by a certain date; specifying the first meeting of the task force; specifying the process for filling vacancies; specifying quorum and voting procedures; requiring the task force to submit recommendations to the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the Governor by a specified date; providing an expiration date; providing an effective

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes-

**SJR 146**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 4 of Article VII and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to increase the period of time during which the accrued benefit from specified limitations on homestead property tax assessments may be transferred from a prior homestead to a new homestead, and to provide an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 148—A bill to be entitled An act relating to limitations on homestead assessments; amending s. 193.155, F.S.; revising the time-frame during which the accrued benefit from specified limitations on homestead property tax assessments may be transferred from a prior homestead to a new homestead; deleting obsolete provisions; revising the timeframe during which an owner of homestead property significantly damaged or destroyed by a named tropical storm or hurricane must establish a new homestead to make a certain election; providing applicability; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 150—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sanitary sewer laterals; defining the term "sanitary sewer lateral"; encouraging counties and municipalities to, by a specified date, establish a sanitary sewer lateral inspection program; providing parameters for such a program; creating s. 689.301, F.S.; requiring a seller of real property to disclose any known defects in the property's sanitary sewer lateral; defining the term "sanitary sewer lateral"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Brandes and Perry-

SB 152—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dental therapy; amending s. 409.906, F.S.; authorizing Medicaid to reimburse for dental services provided in a mobile dental unit that is owned by, operated by, or contracted with a health access setting or another similar setting or program; amending s. 466.001, F.S.; revising legislative purpose and intent; amending s. 466.002, F.S.; providing applicability; amending s. 466.003, F.S.; defining the terms "dental therapist" and "dental therapy"; revising the definition of the term "health access setting" to in-

clude certain dental therapy programs; amending s. 466.004, F.S.; requiring the chair of the Board of Dentistry to appoint a Council on Dental Therapy effective after a specified timeframe; providing for membership, meetings, and the purpose of the council; amending s. 466.006, F.S.; revising the definition of the terms "full-time practice" and "full-time practice of dentistry within the geographic boundaries of this state within 1 year" to include full-time faculty members of certain dental therapy schools; amending s. 466.0075, F.S.; authorizing the board to require any person who applies to take the examination to practice dental therapy in this state to maintain medical malpractice insurance in a certain amount; amending s. 466.009, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to allow any person who fails the dental therapy examination to retake the examination; providing that a person who fails a practical or clinical examination to practice dental therapy and who has failed one part or procedure of the examination may be required to retake only that part or procedure to pass the examination; amending s. 466.011, F.S.; requiring the board to certify applicants for licensure as a dental therapist; creating s. 466.0136, F.S.; requiring the board to require each licensed dental therapist to complete a specified number of hours of continuing education; requiring the board to adopt rules and guidelines; authorizing the board to excuse licensees from continuing education requirements in certain circumstances; amending s. 466.016, F.S.; requiring a practitioner of dental therapy to post and display her or his license in each office where she or he practices; amending s. 466.017, F.S.; requiring the board to adopt certain rules relating to dental therapists; authorizing a dental therapist under the general supervision of a dentist to administer local anesthesia and operate an X-ray machine, expose dental X-ray films, and interpret or read such films if specified requirements are met; correcting a term; amending s. 466.018, F.S.; providing that a dentist remains primarily responsible for the dental treatment of a patient regardless of whether the treatment is provided by a dental therapist; requiring the initials of a dental therapist who renders treatment to a patient to be placed in the record of the patient; creating s. 466.0225, F.S.; providing application requirements and examination and licensure qualifications for dental therapists; creating s. 466.0227, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; limiting the practice of dental therapy to specified settings; authorizing a dental therapist to perform specified services under the general supervision of a dentist under certain conditions; specifying state-specific dental therapy services; requiring a collaborative management agreement to be signed by a supervising dentist and a dental therapist and to include certain information; requiring the supervising dentist to determine the number of hours of practice that a dental therapist must complete before performing certain authorized services; authorizing a supervising dentist to restrict or limit the dental therapist's practice in a collaborative management agreement; providing that a supervising dentist may authorize a dental therapist to provide dental therapy services to a patient before the dentist examines or diagnoses the patient under certain conditions; requiring a supervising dentist to be licensed and practicing in this state; specifying that the supervising dentist is responsible for certain services; amending s. 466.026, F.S.; providing criminal penalties for practicing dental therapy without an active license, selling or offering to sell a diploma from a dental therapy school or college, falsely using a specified name or initials or holding herself or himself out as an actively licensed dental therapist; amending s. 466.028, F.S.; revising grounds for denial of a license or disciplinary action to include the practice of dental therapy; amending s. 466.0285, F.S.; prohibiting persons other than licensed dentists from employing a dental therapist in the operation of a dental office and from controlling the use of any dental equipment or material in certain circumstances; requiring the department, in consultation with the board and the Agency for Health Care Administration, to provide reports to the Legislature by specified dates; requiring that certain information and recommendations be included in the reports; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurston—

**SB 154**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to human trafficking education in schools; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; revising the required health education in public schools to include information regarding the dangers and signs of human trafficking; authorizing a student to opt out of a specified portion of the health education under certain circum-

stances; requiring the Department of Legal Affairs to develop human trafficking awareness campaigns; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Criminal Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

**SB 156**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Early Childhood Music Education Incentive Pilot Program; amending s. 1003.481, F.S.; extending the scheduled expiration of the pilot program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Perry, Hooper, and Harrell-

**SB 158**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child restraint requirements; amending s. 316.613, F.S.; increasing the age of children for whom operators of motor vehicles must provide protection by using a crash-tested, federally approved child restraint device; increasing the age of children for whom a separate carrier, an integrated child seat, or a child booster seat may be used; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senators Perry and Hooper-

**SB 160**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to peer-to-peer support for first responders; creating s. 111.09, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting a person who is not a health care practitioner and who provides peer-to-peer support to a first responder from testifying or divulging specified information under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; prohibiting liability and a cause of action under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

**SB 162**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.07, F.S.; requiring a court to assess the reasonable costs of enforcement against an agency upon the court's determination in an action for a declaratory judgment that certain records are not subject to a public records exemption; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston-

**SB 164**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to eligibility for medical assistance and related services; amending s. 409.904, F.S.; extending Medicaid eligibility to specified adults; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Cruz-

**SB 166**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to charter schools; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; requiring a charter school, in order to obtain approval, to demonstrate that it meets certain needs that the local school district does not or is unable to provide to students in that district; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Cruz, Pizzo, Berman, Gibson, Book, Stewart, Rader, Rouson, Taddeo, Torres, and Farmer—

SB 168—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drinking water in public schools; creating s. 1013.29, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining terms; subject to legislative appropriation, requiring each school district to install filters that meet certain specifications on drinking water sources; requiring such schools to post certain signage on certain water sources and to publish specified information on the school district's website; authorizing school districts to request additional funding to compensate school district staff for the installation or replacement of filters; providing for rulemaking; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Stewart and Perry-

**SB 170**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the time limitation on the prosecution of sexual battery cases; amending s. 775.15, F.S.; providing that a prosecution may be commenced at any time for specified sexual battery offenses against victims who were younger than a certain age at the time the offense was committed; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bradley-

**SB 172**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Drug and Cosmetic Act; amending s. 499.002, F.S.; preempting the regulation of over-the-counter proprietary drugs or cosmetics to the state; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Montford-

**SB 174**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation facility designations; providing an honorary designation of a certain transportation facility in specified counties; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez—

**SJR 176**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 2 of Article XI of the State Constitution to require that any proposals to revise the State Constitution, or any part thereof, filed by the Constitution Revision Commission be limited to a single subject.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Ethics and Elections; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 178—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public financing of construction projects; creating s. 161.551, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting state-financed constructors from commencing construction of certain structures in coastal areas without first conducting a sea level impact projection study; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to develop by rule a standard for such studies; requiring the department to publish such studies on its website, subject to certain conditions; requiring the department to enforce certain requirements and to adopt rules; providing for enforcement; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senators Rodriguez, Stewart, and Farmer-

SB 180—A bill to be entitled An act relating to conversion therapy; creating s. 456.064, F.S.; defining the term "conversion therapy"; prohibiting a person who is licensed to provide professional counseling or a practitioner who is licensed under provisions regulating the practice of medicine, osteopathic medicine, psychology, clinical social work, marriage and family therapy, or mental health counseling from practicing or performing conversion therapy for an individual who is younger than a specified age; providing that such licensee or practitioner is subject to disciplinary proceedings by the Department of Health and the appropriate board under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senators Stewart, Rodriguez, and Berman-

**SB 182**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the preemption of recyclable and polystyrene materials; amending s. 403.7033, F.S.; deleting preemptions of local law relating to the regulation of auxiliary containers, wrappings, or disposable plastic bags; amending s. 500.90, F.S.; repealing the preemption of local laws regarding the use or sale of polystyrene products to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Environment and Natural Resources; and Rules.

By Senators Rader, Berman, and Stewart-

 ${\bf SB}$  184—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Holocaust education in public schools; providing a short title; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; requiring charter school instructional personnel to teach specified topics; amending s. 1002.421, F.S.; requiring certain private school instructional personnel to teach specified topics; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; revising the requirements for instructional content relating to the Holocaust that members of public school instructional staff are required to teach; creating s. 1003.4201, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education, in consultation with a certain organization, to develop specified content standards for a Holocaust curriculum; requiring school districts to provide specified instruction; requiring the department to develop and maintain a specified roster of volunteers; requiring the department to use public and private funds for a specified purpose; requiring the department to coordinate with school districts to appoint Holocaust curriculum coordinators; providing for rulemaking; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Taddeo-

SB 186—A bill to be entitled An act relating to contracts for the sale or lease of pets; creating s. 828.32, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining the term "pet"; declaring that certain contracts entered into on or after a specified date for the sale or lease of a pet are void and unenforceable as being against the public policy of this state; providing an exception; providing remedies for noncompliance; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Taddeo-

SB 188—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student eligibility requirements for state financial aid awards and tuition assistance

grants; amending s. 1009.40, F.S.; providing that, for purposes of receiving state financial aid awards, a student may not be denied classification as a resident based on his or her immigration status if certain criteria are met; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Montford and Harrell-

SB 190—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Medicaid school-based services; amending s. 409.9071, F.S.; revising applicable provisions for the reimbursement of school-based services by the Agency for Health Care Administration to certain school districts; deleting a requirement specifying the use of certified state and local education funds for school-based services; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; deleting an obsolete provision; amending s. 409.9072, F.S.; revising a requirement for the agency's reimbursement of school-based services to certain charter and private schools; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.908, F.S.; specifying the federal agency that may waive certain school-based provider qualifications; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Health Policy; and Appropriations.

By Senators Berman and Cruz-

**SB 192**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a sales tax exemption; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; exempting from the sales and use tax specified items that assist in independent living; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Taddeo-

SB 194—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Correctional Education Program; amending s. 944.801, F.S.; requiring the Correctional Education Program under the Department of Corrections to develop and implement a plan to provide classes and work programs that assist inmates in preparing for licensure to practice a profession regulated by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; requiring that the plan ensure that inmates receive credits or licenses, as applicable; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 196—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the electronic payment of governmental fees; amending s. 28.246, F.S.; requiring clerks of the circuit court to provide an electronic option for payment of court-related fines and other fees; amending s. 119.07, F.S.; requiring an agency subject to ch. 119, F.S., to provide an electronic option for payment of fees associated with a public records request; providing that the act fulfills an important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Taddeo-

SB 198—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legislative employees; providing a one-time pay adjustment for certain legislative employees as of a specified date; providing an annual salary adjustment for such employees, contingent upon funding by the Legislature; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senators Montford, Stewart, Rader, Berman, and Taddeo-

SB 200—A bill to be entitled An act relating to advanced well stimulation treatment; amending s. 377.19, F.S.; defining the terms "highpressure well stimulation" and "matrix acidization"; creating s. 377.2405, F.S.; prohibiting the performance of high-pressure well stimulation or matrix acidization; providing that permits for drilling or for operating a well do not authorize the performance of high-pressure well stimulation or matrix acidization; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez-

**SB 202**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jurors; amending s. 40.013, F.S.; requiring that a certain person's voting rights, rather than civil rights, be restored before he or she is qualified to serve as a juror; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Braynon-

SB 204—A bill to be entitled An act relating to delivery of nursing services; creating the "Florida Hospital Patient Protection Act"; creating s. 395.1014, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining terms; requiring that each health care facility implement a staffing plan that provides minimum direct care registered nurse staffing levels; requiring a direct care registered nurse to demonstrate competence and to receive specified orientation before being assigned to a hospital or clinical unit; prohibiting a health care facility from imposing mandatory overtime and from engaging in other specified actions; providing requirements for the staffing plan; specifying the required ratios of direct care registered nurses to patients for each type of care provided; prohibiting a health care facility from using an acuity-adjustable unit to care for a patient; prohibiting a health care facility from using video cameras or monitors as substitutes for the required level of care; providing an exception during a declared state of emergency; requiring that the chief nursing officer of a health care facility, or his or her designee, develop a staffing plan that meets the required direct care registered nurse staffing levels; requiring that a health care facility annually evaluate its actual direct care registered nurse staffing levels and update the staffing plan and acuity-based patient classification system; requiring that certain documentation be submitted to the Agency for Health Care Administration and be made available for public inspection; requiring that the agency approve uniform standards for use by health care facilities in establishing direct care registered nurse staffing requirements by a specified date; requiring a committee to develop and evaluate a staffing plan for each health care facility within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for committee membership; requiring health care facilities to annually report certain information to the agency and to post a notice containing such information in each unit of the facility; providing recordkeeping requirements; prohibiting a health care facility from assigning unlicensed personnel to perform functions or tasks that should be performed by a licensed or registered nurse; specifying those actions that constitute professional practice by a direct care registered nurse; providing requirements for patient assessment and requiring that such assessment be performed only by a direct care registered nurse; authorizing a direct care registered nurse to assign certain specified activities to other licensed or unlicensed nursing staff under certain circumstances; prohibiting a health care facility from deploying technology that limits certain care provided by a direct care registered nurse; providing applicability; providing that it is a duty and right of a direct care registered nurse to act as the patient's advocate and providing requirements relating thereto; prohibiting a direct care registered nurse from accepting an assignment under specified circumstances; authorizing a direct care registered nurse to refuse to accept an assignment or to perform a task under certain circumstances; requiring a direct care registered nurse to initiate action or to change a decision or an activity relating to a patient's health care under certain circumstances; prohibiting a health care facility from discharging, or from discriminating, retaliating, or filing a complaint or report against, a direct care registered nurse based on such refusal; authorizing a direct care registered nurse to bring a cause of action under certain circumstances; authorizing certain entities to file a complaint with the agency against a health care facility under certain circumstances; requiring the agency to investigate such complaints and issue certain orders if certain findings are made; prohibiting a health care facility from discriminating or retaliating against those entities making such complaints; prohibiting a health care facility from taking certain actions in certain situations; prohibiting a health care facility from interfering with the right of direct care registered nurses to organize, bargain collectively, and engage in concerted activity under a federal act; requiring a health care facility to post a certain notice in each hospital or clinical unit; requiring that the agency establish a toll-free telephone hotline to provide certain information and to receive reports of certain violations; requiring that certain information be provided to each patient who is admitted to a health care facility; authorizing the agency to impose fines for violations; requiring that the agency post on its website information regarding health care facilities on which civil penalties have been imposed; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Rouson, Cruz, Berman, Rodriguez, Taddeo, Rader, Stewart, Gibson, Book, Farmer, Powell, Pizzo, Braynon, and Bracy—

SB 206-A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited discrimination; providing a short title; amending s. 509.092, F.S.; adding sexual orientation and gender identity as impermissible grounds for discrimination in public lodging establishments and public food service establishments; providing an exception for constitutionally protected free exercise of religion; amending s. 760.01, F.S.; revising the purposes of the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992 to conform to changes made by the act; reordering and amending s. 760.02, F.S.; defining the terms "gender identity" and "sexual orientation"; amending s. 760.05, F.S.; revising the functions of the Florida Commission on Human Relations to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 760.07, F.S.; revising provisions regarding remedies for unlawful discrimination to include discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 760.08, F.S.; adding sexual orientation and gender identity as impermissible grounds for discrimination in places of public accommodation; amending s. 760.10, F.S.; adding sexual orientation and gender identity as impermissible grounds for discrimination with respect to specified unlawful employment practices; providing an exception for constitutionally protected free exercise of religion; amending s. 760.22, F.S.; defining the terms "gender identity" and "sexual orientation" for purposes of the Fair Housing Act; amending ss. 760.23, 760.24, 760.25, and 760.26, F.S.; adding sexual orientation and gender identity as impermissible grounds for discrimination with respect to the sale or rental of housing, the provision of brokerage services, the financing of housing or in residential real estate transactions, and land use decisions or permitting of development, respectively; amending s. 760.29, F.S.; revising an exemption from the Fair Housing Act regarding the appraisal of real property to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 760.60, F.S.; adding sexual orientation and gender identity as impermissible grounds for discrimination with respect to practices of certain clubs; amending s. 419.001, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston—

SB 208—A bill to be entitled An act relating to wellness examinations; amending s. 381.0056, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "physical examination" to include reference to specified guidelines; amending s. 381.0057, F.S.; specifying that physical examinations are included in support services for purposes of the student support services team program; amending s. 1002.20, F.S.; exempting a child from the adolescent well-care examination upon a parent's written request

stating objections on religious grounds; amending s. 1002.42, F.S.; requiring students of private schools to present proof of adolescent wellcare examination forms; creating s. 1003.221, F.S.; defining the term "adolescent well-care examination"; requiring that district school boards and private school governing authorities require and enforce as a policy that certain children present proof of an adolescent well-care examination each year; requiring district school boards and private school governing authorities to refuse to admit children who fail to present proof of such examination; requiring school boards and private school governing authorities to establish and enforce a policy that allows a student to submit proof of the examination within 30 school days under certain conditions; providing exemptions; requiring the Department of Education, in consultation with the Department of Health, to develop a proof of adolescent well-care examination form to become a part of each student's permanent record; requiring each public school or private school to follow up with each student until proper documentation is obtained; requiring an authorized juvenile justice official to follow up with each student until proper documentation is obtained; specifying that the child's parent bears responsibility for compliance with specified adolescent well-care examination requirements; requiring the State Board of Education, in consultation with the Department of Health, to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston-

SB 210—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state taxes or fees; amending s. 381.986, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to impose initial application and biennial renewal fees for the licensing of medical marijuana retail facilities; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Finance and Tax; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston—

SB 212—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical marijuana retail facilities; amending s. 381.986, F.S.; revising definitions of the terms "edibles," "low-THC cannabis," "marijuana," and "marijuana delivery device" to include items that are dispensed by a medical marijuana retail facility; defining the term "medical marijuana retail facility"; revising the definition of the term "medical use" to include the use of marijuana dispensed by a medical marijuana retail facility; revising the definition of the term "physician certification" to authorize a qualified patient to receive marijuana and a marijuana delivery device from a medical marijuana retail facility; prohibiting qualified physicians and caregivers from being employed by or having an economic interest in a medical marijuana retail facility; requiring that the medical marijuana use registry maintained by the Department of Health be accessible to medical marijuana retail facilities for certain verification purposes; revising provisions to authorize medical marijuana retail facilities to dispense marijuana, marijuana delivery devices, and edibles under certain conditions; providing that a medical marijuana retail facility is not subject to certain dispensing facility requirements; requiring that the computer seed-to-sale marijuana tracking system that is maintained by the department be used by medical marijuana retail facilities; specifying that a medical marijuana treatment center may contract with no more than a specified number of medical marijuana retail facilities; prohibiting a medical marijuana treatment center from owning or operating a medical marijuana retail facility; requiring the department to license medical marijuana retail facilities, beginning on a specified date, for a specified purpose; requiring the department to adopt rules related to the application form and establishing a procedure for the issuance and biennial renewal of licenses; requiring that the department identify applicants with strong diversity plans and implement training and other educational programs to enable certain minority persons and enterprises to qualify for licensure; prohibiting an individual identified as an applicant, owner, officer, board member, or manager from being listed as such on more than one application for licensure as a medical marijuana retail facility; prohibiting an individual or entity from being awarded more than one facility license; providing that each such license is valid for only one physical location; prohibiting a medical marijuana treatment center from being awarded a

license as a medical marijuana retail facility; requiring that applicants demonstrate that they satisfy certain criteria; prohibiting a medical marijuana retail facility from making a wholesale purchase of marijuana from a medical marijuana treatment center and from transporting marijuana, marijuana delivery devices, or edibles; specifying that a medical marijuana retail facility may contract with only one medical marijuana treatment center; providing requirements for the transfer of ownership of a medical marijuana retail facility; prohibiting medical marijuana retail facilities and any individuals who control or have a certain ownership or voting interest in such facilities from acquiring certain direct or indirect ownership or control of another medical marijuana retail facility; prohibiting certain profit-sharing arrangements; providing operational and dispensing requirements and prohibitions for medical marijuana retail facilities; prohibiting a medical marijuana retail facility from engaging in Internet sales; prohibiting certain medical marijuana retail facility advertising and providing exceptions; requiring that certain information be posted on a medical marijuana retail facility website; authorizing the department to adopt rules; requiring the department to conduct periodic inspections of such facilities; authorizing counties and municipalities to determine the location of such facilities by ordinance under certain conditions; imposing criminal penalties on persons or entities that engage in specified unlicensed activities; providing that a medical marijuana retail facility and its owners, managers, and employees are exempt from prosecution for certain offenses and from other specified regulations and requirements; amending s. 381.987, F.S.; requiring the department to allow a medical marijuana retail facility to access confidential and exempt information in the medical marijuana use registry for certain verification purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senators Rodriguez, Cruz, and Stewart—

**SR 214**—A resolution rejecting and condemning white nationalism and white supremacy as hateful expressions of intolerance which contradict the values that define the people of Florida and the United States.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Rodriguez and Powell-

SB 216—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assistance for micro businesses; creating s. 287.085, F.S.; defining the term "micro business"; authorizing certain local governments to set aside up to a specified percentage of funds for procuring personal property and services for the purpose of entering into contracts with micro businesses; requiring that such contracts be competitively solicited only among micro businesses; amending s. 288.9931, F.S.; revising legislative findings and intent; amending s. 288.9932, F.S.; redefining the terms "applicant" and "entrepreneur"; defining the term "micro business"; amending s. 288.9934, F.S.; providing eligibility for micro businesses under the Microfinance Loan Program; revising the date by which the Department of Economic Opportunity must contract with a certain entity or entities to administer the loan program; deleting obsolete provisions; amending s. 288.9935, F.S.; providing eligibility for micro businesses under the Microfinance Guarantee Program; amending s. 288.9936, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 337.027, F.S.; providing eligibility for micro businesses under the Department of Transportation's highway project business development program; defining the term "micro business"; amending s. 373.1135, F.S.; providing eligibility for micro businesses under water management district programs designed to help small businesses participate in district procurement and contract activities; defining the term "micro business"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Infrastructure and Security; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell-

**SB 218**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to licensure requirements for osteopathic physicians; amending s. 459.0055, F.S.; revising licensure requirements for persons seeking licensure or certification as an osteopathic physician; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senators Cruz, Gibson, and Rouson-

SB 220—A bill to be entitled An act relating to abandoned cemeteries; creating the Task Force on Abandoned African-American Cemeteries; specifying the purpose of the task force; requiring the Department of State to provide administrative and staff support; specifying the composition of the task force; providing meeting requirements; prescribing duties of the task force; requiring the task force to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; providing for expiration of the task force; requiring the department to partner with the University of South Florida to undertake an investigation of the former Zion Cemetery site; requiring certain historical resources, records, archives, artifacts, research, medical records, and human remains to remain in the custody of the University of South Florida; providing exceptions; requiring the department to contract with the university for the identification and location of eligible next of kin of certain persons; requiring the department to notify the next of kin of certain payment or reimbursement provisions; requiring the department to reimburse the next of kin of persons whose bodies are buried and exhumed at the former Zion Cemetery or to pay directly to a provider for the costs associated with funeral services, reinterment, and grave marker expenses; providing a process for reimbursement or payment by the department; providing that a charitable donation made toward funeral, reinterment, and grave marker expenses is not eligible for reimbursement; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor, Cabinet, and Legislature by a specified date; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing appropriations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senators Simpson, Benacquisto, Bradley, Hutson, Mayfield, Diaz, Wright, Perry, Harrell, Albritton, and Hooper—

**SR 222**—A resolution rejecting white nationalism and white supremacy as hateful, dangerous, and morally corrupt, and affirming that such philosophies are contradictory to the values that define the people of Florida.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Taddeo, Farmer, and Berman-

**SJR 224**—A joint resolution proposing the creation of a new section in Article X of the State Constitution to require amendment of the state Medicaid plan to provide Medicaid coverage to persons under age 65 who have an income equal to or below 138 percent of the federal poverty level.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 226—A bill to be entitled An act relating to athletic trainers; amending s. 468.701, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "athletic trainer"; amending s. 468.707, F.S.; revising athletic trainer licensure requirements; amending s. 468.711, F.S.; revising continuing education requirements for the renewal of an athletic trainer license; amending s. 468.723, F.S.; requiring that the supervision of an athletic training student meet certain requirements; specifying that certain provisions

do not prohibit emergency care administration or third-party payor reimbursement; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston-

SB 228-A bill to be entitled An act relating to youth in solitary confinement; creating s. 958.155, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; prohibiting the Department of Corrections or a local governmental body from subjecting youth prisoners to solitary confinement except under certain circumstances; limiting cell confinement of all youth prisoners; providing protection for youth prisoners held in emergency cell confinement; prohibiting youth prisoners from being subjected to emergency cell confinement under certain circumstances; requiring facility staff to document placements of youth prisoners in emergency cell confinement; requiring that within a specified time and at specified intervals a mental health clinician perform a face-to-face evaluation of youth prisoners who are subjected to emergency cell confinement; requiring each evaluation to be documented; requiring facility staff to perform visual checks of youth prisoners in emergency cell confinement at specified intervals; requiring each visual check to be documented; providing for an individualized suicide crisis intervention plan for certain youth prisoners, if applicable; requiring youth prisoners to be transported to a mental health receiving facility if such prisoner's suicide risk is not resolved within a certain timeframe; requiring that youth prisoners in emergency cell confinement be allotted services and other benefits that are made available to prisoners in the general prison population; providing for the protection of youth prisoners in disciplinary cell confinement; prohibiting youth prisoners from being subjected to disciplinary cell confinement for longer than a certain duration; requiring staff to perform visual checks of youth prisoners in disciplinary cell confinement at specified intervals; requiring each visual check to be documented; requiring that youth prisoners in disciplinary cells be allotted services and other benefits that are made available to prisoners in the general prison population; providing reduced isolation for youth prisoners in protective custody; requiring the department and the board of county commissioners of each county that administers a detention facility or jail to review their policies relating to youth prisoners to evaluate whether the policies are necessary; requiring the department and the boards of county commissioners to certify compliance in a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; requiring the department and the boards of county commissioners to adopt policies and procedures; providing construction; amending s. 944.09, F.S.; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 951.23, F.S.; requiring sheriffs and chief correctional officers to adopt model standards relating to youth prisoners; reenacting s. 944.279(1), F.S., relating to disciplinary procedures applicable to a prisoner for filing frivolous or malicious actions or bringing false information before a court, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 944.09, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 230—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Health; amending s. 381.4018, F.S.; requiring the department to develop strategies to maximize federal-state partnerships that provide incentives for physicians to practice in medically underserved or rural areas; authorizing the department to adopt certain rules; amending s. 456.013, F.S.; revising health care practitioner licensure application requirements; amending s. 458.3312, F.S.; removing a prohibition against physicians representing themselves as board-certified specialists in dermatology unless the recognizing agency is reviewed and reauthorized on a specified basis by the Board of Medicine; amending s. 459.0055, F.S.; revising licensure requirements for a person seeking licensure or certification as an osteopathic physician; repealing s. 460.4166, F.S., relating to registered chiropractic assistants; amending s. 464.019, F.S.; extending through 2025 the Florida Center for Nursing's responsibility to study and issue an annual report on the implementation of nursing education programs; amending s. 464.202, F.S.; requiring the Board of Nursing to adopt rules that include disciplinary procedures and standards of practice for certified nursing assistants;

amending s. 464.203, F.S.; revising certification requirements for nursing assistants; amending s. 464.204, F.S.; revising grounds for boardimposed disciplinary sanctions; amending s. 466.006, F.S.; revising certain examination requirements for applicants seeking dental licensure; reviving, reenacting, and amending s. 466.0067, F.S., relating to the application for a health access dental license; reviving, reenacting, and amending s. 466.00671, F.S., relating to the renewal of such a license; reviving and reenacting s. 466.00672, F.S., relating to the revocation of such a license; amending s. 466.007, F.S.; revising requirements for examinations of dental hygienists; amending s. 466.017, F.S.; requiring dentists and certified registered dental hygienists to report in writing certain adverse incidents to the department within a specified timeframe; providing for disciplinary action by the Board of Dentistry for violations; defining the term "adverse incident"; authorizing the board to adopt rules; amending s. 466.031, F.S.; making technical changes; authorizing an employee or an independent contractor of a dental laboratory, acting as an agent of that dental laboratory, to engage in onsite consultation with a licensed dentist during a dental procedure; amending s. 466.036, F.S.; revising the frequency of dental laboratory inspections during a specified period; amending s. 468.701, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "athletic trainer"; deleting a requirement that is relocated to another section; amending s. 468.707, F.S.; revising athletic trainer licensure requirements; amending s. 468.711, F.S.; requiring certain licensees to maintain certification in good standing without lapse as a condition of renewal of their athletic trainer licenses; amending s. 468.713, F.S.; requiring that an athletic trainer work within a specified scope of practice; relocating an existing requirement that was stricken from another section; amending s. 468.723, F.S.; requiring the direct supervision of an athletic training student to be in accordance with rules adopted by the Board of Athletic Training; amending s. 468.803, F.S.; revising orthotic, prosthetic, and pedorthic licensure, registration, and examination requirements; amending s. 480.033, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "apprentice"; amending s. 480.041, F.S.; revising qualifications for licensure as a massage therapist; specifying that massage apprentices licensed before a specified date may continue to perform massage therapy as authorized under their licenses; authorizing massage apprentices to apply for full licensure upon completion of their apprenticeships, under certain conditions; repealing s. 480.042, F.S., relating to examinations for licensure as a massage therapist; amending s. 490.003, F.S.; revising the definition of the terms "doctoral-level psychological education" and "doctoral degree in psychology"; amending s. 490.005, F.S.; revising requirements for licensure by examination of psychologists and school psychologists; amending s. 490.006, F.S.; revising requirements for licensure by endorsement of psychologists and school psychologists; amending s. 491.0045, F.S.; exempting clinical social worker interns, marriage and family therapist interns, and mental health counselor interns from registration requirements, under certain circumstances; amending s. 491.005, F.S.; revising requirements for the licensure by examination of marriage and family therapists; revising requirements for the licensure by examination of mental health counselors; amending s. 491.006, F.S.; revising requirements for licensure by endorsement or certification for specified professions; amending s. 491.007, F.S.; removing a biennial intern registration fee; amending s. 491.009, F.S.; authorizing the Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy, and Mental Health Counseling or, under certain circumstances, the department to enter an order denying licensure or imposing penalties against an applicant for licensure under certain circumstances; amending ss. 491.0046 and 945.42, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

**SB 232**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; expanding the list of incidents or injuries that constitute harm to a child's health or welfare; amending s. 39.303, F.S.; expanding the types of reports that the Department of Children and Families must refer to Child Protection Teams; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Book and Pizzo-

**SB 234**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student health services; providing a short title; creating s. 1006.064, F.S.; defining the terms "feminine hygiene products" and "school building"; requiring school districts to make feminine hygiene products available, at no charge, in female restroom facilities of public school buildings; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

**SB 236**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to early childhood courts; creating s. 39.01304, F.S.; providing legislative intent; providing a purpose; authorizing circuit courts to create early childhood court programs; requiring that early childhood court programs have certain components; defining the term "therapeutic jurisprudence"; providing requirements and guidelines for the Office of the State Courts Administrator when hiring community coordinators and a statewide training specialist; authorizing the Trial Court Budget Commission to provide funding to circuit courts that choose to establish a coordination system in lieu of creating a community coordinator position; requiring the Department of Children and Families to contract with certain university-based centers; requiring the university-based centers to hire a clinical director; requiring the Florida Institute for Child Welfare to submit certain status reports to the Governor and the Legislature by specified dates; requiring the institute, in consultation with the department, the office, and the contracted university-based centers, to conduct an evaluation of the court programs' impact; requiring the evaluation to include the analysis of certain data and recommendations; requiring the institute to submit the results of its evaluation to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 238—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 39.204, F.S.; specifying that certain communication between a member of the clergy and a certain person is not exempt from child abuse reporting requirements; deleting an exemption for privileged communications to clergy relating to child abuse, abandonment, or neglect; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rader-

**SB 240**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state symbols; creating s. 15.0528, F.S.; designating shelter animals as the official state pet; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Braynon-

SB 242—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cannabis offenses; amending s. 893.13, F.S.; reducing criminal penalties for delivery, without consideration, of a specified amount of cannabis; reducing criminal penalties for possession of specified amounts of cannabis and products containing specified amounts of THC; specifying that juvenile violators of certain provisions are eligible for civil citation or similar prearrest diversion programs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 244—A bill to be entitled An act relating to residential swimming pool safety; providing a short title; amending s. 468.8323, F.S.; requiring a home inspector to include certain information relating to swimming pools in his or her report; amending s. 515.27, F.S.; requiring that new residential swimming pools meet an additional requirement in order to pass final inspection and receive a certificate of completion; requiring that certain pool safety features meet specified standards; prohibiting a property owner from transferring ownership of a parcel that includes a swimming pool unless certain requirements are met; providing civil penalties rather than criminal penalties; amending s. 515.31, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 246—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public construction; amending s. 218.735, F.S.; revising the amount of retainage that certain local governmental entities and contractors may withhold from progress payments for any construction services contract; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 255.05, F.S.; revising requirements for Department of Management Services rules governing certain contracts; amending s. 255.077, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 255.078, F.S.; revising the amounts of retainage that certain public entities and contractors may withhold from progress payments for any construction services contract; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 248—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current and former county attorneys and assistant county attorneys and the names and personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such attorneys; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Berman-

SB 250—A bill to be entitled An act relating to development orders; amending s. 163.3215, F.S.; deleting an entitlement for a prevailing party to recover reasonable attorney fees and costs incurred in challenging or defending a certain development order; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 252—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 11.0431, F.S.; deleting a public records exemption for drafts and draft requests for reapportionment plans, redistricting plans, or an amendment thereto, and any supporting documents; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senators Rodriguez and Stewart-

SB 254—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a working persons tax rebate study; requiring the Department of Revenue, in consultation with the Office of Economic and Demographic Research, to conduct a study and prepare a report examining the implementation of a tax rebate program for certain persons or households receiving the federal Earned Income Tax Credit; specifying requirements for the report; requiring the department to submit the report to the Governor and Cabinet and the Legislature by a certain date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senators Rodriguez and Farmer-

SB 256—A bill to be entitled An act relating to renewable energy; amending s. 366.92, F.S.; defining the terms "renewable energy credit" and "renewable portfolio standard"; requiring the Public Service Commission to adopt rules for a renewable portfolio standard; requiring the commission to present a draft rule to the Legislature for consideration by a specified date; providing requirements for the rule; requiring providers to submit annual progress reports to the commission after such rule has been adopted; providing requirements for the reports; creating s. 377.821, F.S.; providing legislative findings; directing the Office of Energy within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, in consultation with other state agencies, state colleges and universities, public utilities, and other private and public entities, to develop a unified statewide plan to generate the state's energy from renewable sources by specified dates; requiring state and public entities to cooperate as requested; providing plan requirements; requiring the office to submit the plan and updates to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Bracy—

SB 258—A bill to be entitled An act relating to statements made by a criminal defendant; amending s. 90.803, F.S.; requiring that hearsay statements made during certain custodial interrogations comply with specified requirements in order to be admissible; defining terms; specifying that an oral, written, or sign-language statement made by an interrogee during a custodial interrogation is inadmissible as evidence against such person unless certain requirements are met; authorizing the prosecution to rebut a presumption of inadmissibility under certain circumstances; defining the term "good cause"; providing for the admissibility of certain statements of an interrogee when obtained by federal officers or investigative personnel from other jurisdictions; requiring the preservation of electronic recordings until certain requirements are met; providing that admissibility is not precluded for certain statements of an interrogee; amending s. 90.804, F.S.; requiring that any statements made during a custodial interrogation comply with certain requirements in order for the statement to be admissible; providing a legislative finding of important state interest; specifying the purpose of the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 260—A bill to be entitled An act relating to conviction integrity review units; creating s. 27.272, F.S.; requiring the state attorney of each judicial circuit to establish a conviction integrity review unit and an independent review panel within the state attorney's office; specifying membership of the independent review panel; authorizing an incarcerated person to submit a petition to the state attorney's office requesting that a unit review his or her conviction; requiring the state attorney's office to determine the form of the petition and the petition's contents; specifying the types of convictions that units are authorized to review; requiring the unit to initiate an investigation if certain conditions are met; requiring the unit to present its findings and recommendations to the independent review panel; requiring the unit to

make a final recommendation regarding the petitioner's conviction to the state attorney under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 262—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Statewide Council on Prosecutorial Misconduct; creating s. 16.71, F.S.; defining terms; creating the Statewide Council on Prosecutorial Misconduct within the Department of Legal Affairs; stating the purpose of the council; providing for membership, organization, support, and duties; requiring the council to submit an annual report to the Governor, Legislature, and Chief Justice of the Supreme Court; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Farmer—

**SB 264**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a strategic fuel reserve; creating the Florida Strategic Fuel Reserve Task Force adjunct to the Division of Emergency Management to develop a recommended strategic fuel reserve plan for an emergency or disaster; requiring the division to provide administrative and support services to the task force; specifying the membership of the task force; requiring the task force to elect a chair and a vice chair; requiring the task force to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing an expiration date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senators Farmer, Rodriguez, and Berman-

SB 266—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the safe storage of loaded firearms; amending s. 790.174, F.S.; making technical changes; revising the locations and circumstances in which a loaded firearm is required to be kept or secured with a trigger lock; deleting conditions that pertain to the crime of failing to safely store, leave, or secure a loaded firearm in a specified manner; reenacting s. 409.175(5)(g), F.S., relating to rules of the Department of Children and Families requiring the adoption of a form used by child-placing agencies, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 790.174, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 268—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the decennial census; amending s. 11.031, F.S.; requiring the Legislature to adjust federal decennial census figures to include prisoners in the geographic areas where they last resided before incarceration rather than the facility where they resided at the time of the federal census; creating s. 944.805, F.S.; requiring the Department of Corrections to provide a report to the Legislature by a specified date listing certain information relating to prisoners in state correctional institutions and federal facilities; requiring the Secretary of Corrections to request certain agencies to provide such information in a report to the department; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senators Farmer, Rodriguez, and Berman-

SB 270—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale and delivery of firearms; amending s. 790.065, F.S.; requiring the parties, if neither party to a sale, lease, or transfer of a firearm is a licensed dealer, to complete the sale, lease, or transfer through a licensed dealer; specifying procedures and requirements for a licensed dealer, a seller, lessor, or transferor, and a buyer or transferee; authorizing a licensed dealer to charge a buyer or transferee specified fees; providing applicability; deleting provisions authorizing a licensee to complete the sale or transfer of a firearm to a person without receiving certain notification from the Department of Law Enforcement informing the licensee that such person is prohibited from receipt or possession of a firearm or providing a unique approval number under certain circumstances; deleting provisions exempting a licensed importer, licensed manufacturer, or licensed dealer from the sale and delivery requirements, under certain circumstances; amending s. 790.335, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 272—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state preemption of the regulation of hoisting equipment; amending s. 489.113, F.S.; creating an exception to state preemption to authorize local worksite regulation regarding hurricane preparedness; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez-

**SB 274**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to residential tenancies; creating s. 83.684, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining terms; prohibiting a landlord from evicting a tenant or terminating a residential rental agreement because the tenant is a victim of actual or threatened domestic violence, dating violence, sexual violence, or stalking; specifying that a rental agreement may not contain certain provisions; authorizing a victim of such actual or threatened violence or stalking to terminate a residential rental agreement without penalty by providing written notice of intent to terminate the agreement and to vacate the premises; providing that such termination of a rental agreement is effective immediately upon delivery of the written notice; providing requirements for such notice of termination; providing for liability for payment of rent; specifying that a tenant does not forfeit any deposit money or advance rent paid to the landlord for terminating a rental agreement under certain circumstances; providing construction; providing that a perpetrator's liability for rent and obligations under a rental agreement are not terminated under certain circumstances; requiring a landlord to change the locks of a dwelling unit within a specified period under certain circumstances; authorizing a tenant to change the locks of a dwelling unit under certain circumstances; prohibiting a landlord from refusing to enter into or negotiate a rental agreement, from making a dwelling unit unavailable, or from retaliating in the rental of a dwelling unit under certain circumstances; providing an exception; requiring a landlord to keep certain information relating to certain tenants confidential; providing exceptions; authorizing a tenant to file a civil action against a landlord under certain circumstances; providing a civil penalty and awards for damages, court costs, and attorney fees; prohibiting waiver of the provisions of the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Rader-

SB 276—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health education; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; expanding the required instruction in grades 9 through 12 to include a breast cancer and prostate cancer awareness component; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 278—A bill to be entitled An act relating to climate health planning; creating s. 403.9112, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to prepare an annual climate health planning report that contains specified information and recommendations; requiring the department to consult with certain entities and individuals; requiring the report to be published on the department's website and submitted to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Infrastructure and Security; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 280—A bill to be entitled An act relating to climate fiscal responsibility; creating s. 216.139, F.S.; requiring the Economic Estimating Conference to annually prepare a climate fiscal responsibility report and provide a copy of the report to the Governor and the Legislature; requiring the Office of Economic and Demographic Research to publish the report on its website; specifying requirements for the report; requiring the conference to coordinate with and obtain data from certain entities in preparing the report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

**SJR 282**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 4 of Article VII and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to authorize the Legislature, by general law, to prohibit increases in the assessed value of homestead property, for school district levy purposes, if the legal or equitable title to the property is held by a person who is 65 years of age or older and if he or she has held such title and maintained permanent residence on the property for at least 25 years, and to provide an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 284—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead assessments; creating s. 193.626, F.S.; providing a homestead assessment limitation for school district levy purposes to certain persons age 65 years or older; authorizing persons entitled to and receiving a certain homestead exemption to apply for and receive the limitation; providing that certain other persons may receive the limitation; requiring property appraisers to serve a notice of intent to record a tax lien under certain circumstances; specifying applicable taxes, penalties, and interest if a property was improperly granted the assessment limitation; providing an exception from such penalties and interest; providing that an owner must be given a specified timeframe to pay taxes, penalties, and interest before a lien is filed; providing requirements for such a lien; providing applicability; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 286—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a tax credit for carbon farming; creating s. 220.197, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; defining terms; establishing a tax credit for carbon farming; requiring the Secretary of Environmental Protection, in consultation with the executive director of the Department of Revenue and the Commissioner of Agriculture, to determine the amount of the tax credit; requiring the Department of Revenue to certify the taxpayer's eligibility for the credit; authorizing the tax credit to carry forward under certain

circumstances for a specified period of time; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 220.02, F.S.; making a technical change; revising the order in which credits against the corporate income tax or franchise tax may be taken to include credits for carbon farming; amending s. 220.13, F.S.; making a technical change; revising the term "adjusted federal income" to include certain tax credits taken relating to carbon farming; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 288—A bill to be entitled An act relating to private property rights; amending s. 366.02, F.S.; exempting from the definition of "public utility" property owners who own and operate a renewable energy source device, produce renewable energy from that device, and provide or sell the renewable energy to users on that property, under certain circumstances; reenacting ss. 290.007(8), 350.111, 366.05(2), 366.96(2)(a), 377.602(3), 440.02(24)(d), 538.18(12), 768.1382(1)(e), 812.145(1)(e), 815.061(1)(a), 893.13(10), and 934.03(2)(g), F.S., relating to state incentives available in enterprise zones, definitions, the powers of the Public Service Commission, storm protection plan cost recovery, definitions, theft of copper or other nonferrous metals, offenses against public utilities, prohibited acts and penalties, and interception and disclosure of wire, oral, or electronic communications, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 366.02, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Hooper-

**SB 290**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school bus safety; amending s. 318.18, F.S.; revising civil penalties for certain violations relating to stopping for a school bus; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Broxson-

SB 292—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance claims data; creating ss. 626.9202 and 627.444, F.S.; defining the terms "loss run statement" and "provide"; requiring surplus lines and authorized insurers, respectively, to provide loss run statements to insureds within a specified timeframe after receiving a written request; requiring insurers to notify the agent of record; specifying the loss run history required in such statements; prohibiting insurers from charging any fee for providing a loss run statement annually; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senators Wright and Baxley-

**SB 294**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to crimes against veterans; providing a short title; amending s. 775.0844, F.S.; providing an enhanced sentence for any person who commits aggravated white collar crimes against a certain number of veterans by obtaining or attempting to obtain a specified amount of money; providing criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

**SB 296**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to property assessment administration; amending s. 195.022, F.S.; requiring the Department of Revenue to pay for aerial photographs and nonproperty ownership

maps furnished to fiscally constrained counties; defining the term "fiscally constrained county"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Farmer-

**SB 298**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prior authorization for opioid alternatives; amending s. 627.64195, F.S.; prohibiting health insurance policies from requiring that treatment with an opioid analgesic drug product be attempted and have failed before authorizing the use of a nonopioid-based analgesic drug product; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 300—A bill to be entitled An act relating to food pantries in public schools; creating s. 1006.064, F.S.; authorizing school districts to adopt a policy to allow schools to create food pantry programs in collaboration with nonprofit organizations; authorizing school districts to provide food from the pantry at no cost to students under specified circumstances; providing specifications for food donated to the pantry; authorizing school employees to prepare and distribute donated food; authorizing the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rader-

**SB 302**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to adoption records; amending s. 63.162, F.S.; 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; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Cruz—

SB 304—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school safety funding; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; specifying distribution requirements for certain safe schools allocation funds for the 2020-2021 fiscal year; requiring each district school superintendent to remit specified unused funds from the 2019-2020 fiscal year to the Department of Education; authorizing the department, upon request, to redistribute such funds to certain school districts for a specified purpose; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Mayfield, Taddeo, Berman, and Stewart-

SB 306—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state funds; amending s. 215.32, F.S.; exempting the State Housing Trust Fund and the Local Government Housing Trust Fund from a provision authorizing the Legislature, in the General Appropriations Act, to transfer unappropriated cash balances from specified trust funds to the Budget Stabilization Fund and the General Revenue Fund; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations. By Senator Baxley-

SB 308—A bill to be entitled An act relating to traffic offenses; creating s. 318.195, F.S.; providing a short title; providing criminal penalties for a person who commits a moving violation that causes serious bodily injury to, or causes the death of, a vulnerable road user; requiring that the person who commits the moving violation pay a specified fine, serve a minimum period of house arrest, and attend a driver improvement course; requiring that the court revoke the person's driver license for a minimum specified period; defining the term "vulnerable road user"; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senators Stewart, Rodriguez, and Berman-

SB 310—A bill to be entitled An act relating to three-dimensional printed firearms; creating s. 790.224, F.S.; defining the term "3D-printed firearm"; prohibiting a person from printing, transferring, importing into this state, distributing, selling, possessing, or giving to another person certain 3D-printed firearms as of a specified date; providing criminal penalties; requiring persons in possession of such firearms to relinquish them to a law enforcement agency or to the Department of Law Enforcement or to destroy them before the prohibition takes effect; requiring a law enforcement agency or the department to destroy any relinquished firearms within a specified timeframe; providing for the future expiration of certain provisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Stewart and Thurston—

SB 312—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle insurance coverage for windshield glass; amending s. 559.920, F.S.; 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; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 314—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop a Toastmasters license plate; providing for the distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of such plates; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart—

**SB 316**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; creating a fee for a certain specialty license plate; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart-

**SB** 318—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sale of sunscreen; creating s. 380.29, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting the sale, offer for sale, or distribution of certain sunscreen products to a consumer who

does not have a prescription for such product; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

SB 320—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 322—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop a Gopher Tortoise license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of the plate; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 324—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; creating a fee for a certain specialty license plate; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 326—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental regulation; amending s. 403.706, F.S.; specifying requirements for contracts between residential recycling collectors or recovered materials processing facilities and counties or municipalities for the collection or processing of residential recycling material; prohibiting counties and municipalities from requiring the collection, transport, or processing of contaminated recyclable material by residential recycling collectors or recovered materials processing facilities; defining the term "residential recycling collector"; providing applicability; amending s. 403.813, F.S.; prohibiting local governments from requiring further verification from the Department of Environmental Protection for certain projects; revising the types of dock and pier replacements and repairs that are exempt from such verification and certain permitting requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 328—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop an Orlando United license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of such plates; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 330—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; creating a fee for a certain specialty license plate; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations. By Senators Stewart and Berman-

**SB 332**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Land Acquisition Trust Fund; amending s. 375.041, F.S.; requiring a specified annual appropriation to the Florida Forever Trust Fund; deleting an obsolete provision; prohibiting moneys from the Land Acquisition Trust Fund from being used for specified costs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 334—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tourist development tax; amending s. 125.0104, F.S.; authorizing counties imposing the tax to use the tax revenues to promote or incentivize film or television productions in this state; defining the term "production"; requiring such counties to require certain productions to include a specified statement in the production's credits; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 336—A bill to be entitled An act relating to access to clinics; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; creating s. 762.01, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 762.02, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 762.03, F.S.; defining the term "minor child or ward"; prohibiting a person from committing certain acts against reproductive health services clients, providers, or assistants; prohibiting a person from damaging certain properties; providing criminal penalties; providing construction; creating s. 762.04, F.S.; providing criminal penalties and fines for first offenses and for second and subsequent offenses; providing requirements for departures from the sentences and fines; creating s. 762.05, F.S.; providing civil remedies for those aggrieved by specified violations against reproductive health services clients, providers, or assistants or against certain properties; authorizing the Attorney General, a state attorney, or a city attorney to bring a civil action for such violations; creating s. 762.06, F.S.; requiring a court to take actions necessary to safeguard the health, safety, or privacy of specified persons under certain circumstances, including granting restraining orders that may prohibit or restrict the photographing of such persons; authorizing the court to authorize specified persons to use pseudonyms in a civil action; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 338—A bill to be entitled An act relating to energy efficiency savings in state agencies; amending s. 255.257, F.S.; revising the energy consumption information each state agency is required to provide to the Department of Management Services to include transportation fleet energy consumption information; requiring the state energy management plan to include recommendations for state agencies to improve energy efficiency by transitioning, retrofitting, or replacing certain inefficient facilities and fleets; requiring the department, in consultation with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, to develop a formula to calculate the savings to taxpayers as a result of state agencies implementing the recommendations in the state energy management plan; requiring that such savings be used to encourage and fund other energy efficiency and climate change resiliency efforts in this state; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

**SB 340**—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senator Mayfield—

**SB 342**—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 referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bradley-

SB 344—A bill to be entitled An act relating to courts; amending s. 28.345, F.S.; specifying that certain exemptions from court-related fees and charges apply to certain entities; amending s. 744.2008, F.S.; requiring the court to waive any court costs or filing fees for certain proceedings involving public guardians; amending s. 744.3675, F.S.; providing that a certain examination report related to annual guardianship plans may be prepared by a physician assistant or an advanced practice registered nurse under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senators Bradley, Brandes, Perry, Diaz, Gruters, Bracy, and Rouson—

**SB 346**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to controlled substances; amending s. 893.13, F.S.; prohibiting the purchase or possession of less than a certain amount of specified substances; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 893.135, F.S.; authorizing a court to impose a sentence other than a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment and mandatory fine for a person convicted of trafficking if the court makes certain findings on the record; creating s. 900.06, F.S.; defining terms and specifying covered offenses; requiring that a custodial interrogation conducted at a place of detention in connection with certain offenses be electronically recorded in its entirety; requiring law enforcement officers who do not comply with the electronic recording requirement or who conduct custodial interrogations at a location other than a place of detention to prepare a specified report; providing exceptions to the electronic recording requirement; requiring a court to consider a law enforcement officer's failure to comply with the electronic recording requirement in determining the admissibility of a statement, unless an exception applies; requiring a court, upon the request of a defendant, to give certain cautionary instructions to a jury under certain circumstances; providing immunity from civil liability to law enforcement agencies that enforce certain rules; providing that a cause of action is not created against a law enforcement officer; amending s. 961.04, F.S.; revising the circumstances under which a wrongfully incarcerated person is eligible for compensation; amending s. 893.03, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; reenacting ss. 961.02(4) and 961.03(1)(a), (2), (3), and (4), F.S., all relating to eligibility for compensation for wrongfully incarcerated persons; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Bean and Harrell-

SB 348—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Kidcare program; amending s. 409.815, F.S.; removing the lifetime maximum cap on covered expenses for a child enrolled in the Florida Healthy Kids program; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bean-

SB 350—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the impaired practitioner program; amending s. 456.076, F.S.; creating the student evaluation program within the Department of Health for a specified pur-

pose; providing program eligibility; requiring consultants to redact a student's personal identifying information and to forward the invoice for an evaluation to the department; requiring the department to pay the evaluator upon receipt of the invoice from the consultant; requiring the consultant to provide certain monthly reports to the department; providing for legislative approval of program funding from the Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund; requiring that, if program funding is exhausted in a fiscal year, the program cease operations until additional funding becomes available; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hutson-

SB 352—A bill to be entitled An act relating to unlawful use of uniforms, medals, or insignia; amending s. 817.312, F.S.; prohibiting certain misrepresentations concerning military service when made for specified purposes; providing criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Ethics and Elections; and Rules.

By Senators Montford and Harrell-

SB 354—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child care subsidies for foster parents; amending s. 409.145, F.S.; providing an early education or child care subsidy for certain foster parents; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hutson-

SB 356—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Keep Our Graduates Working Act; creating s. 1009.951, F.S.; providing a short title; providing a purpose; providing definitions; prohibiting a state authority from suspending or revoking a person's professional license, certificate, registration, or permit solely on the basis of a delinquency or default in the payment of his or her student loan; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 456.0721, F.S., relating to health care practitioners in default on student loan or scholarship obligations; amending ss. 456.074 and 1009.95, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Berman—

**SB** 358—A bill to be entitled An act relating to decedents' property; creating s. 731.1065, F.S.; specifying that precious metals are tangible personal property for the purposes of the Florida Probate Code; providing for retroactive application; amending s. 731.201, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "property"; amending s. 731.301, F.S.; specifying that formal notice is not sufficient to invoke a court's personal jurisdiction over a person receiving such formal notice; providing applicability; amending s. 733.212, F.S.; revising the required contents of a notice of administration; amending s. 733.607, F.S.; specifying that a personal representative has the exclusive right to maintain an action to recover possession of property or determine the title to property; specifying that a personal representative does not have a duty to maintain certain causes of action; amending s. 733.610, F.S.; expanding the list of sales or encumbrances that are voidable by interested persons under certain circumstances; amending s. 733.612, F.S.; revising the types of claims and proceedings a personal representative may properly prosecute or defend; amending s. 733.617, F.S.; specifying that certain attorneys and persons are not entitled to compensation for serving as a personal representative unless the attorney or person is related to the testator or unless certain disclosures are made before a will is executed;

requiring the testator to execute a written statement that acknowledges that certain disclosures were made; providing requirements for the written statement; specifying when an attorney is deemed to have prepared or supervised the execution of a will; specifying how a person may be related to an individual; specifying when an attorney or a person related to the attorney is deemed to have been nominated in a will; providing construction; providing applicability; amending s. 736.0708, F.S.; specifying that certain attorneys and persons are not entitled to compensation for serving as a trustee unless the attorney or person is related to the settlor or unless certain disclosures are made before the trust instrument is executed; requiring a settlor to execute a written statement that acknowledges that certain disclosures were made; providing requirements for the written statement; specifying when an attorney is deemed to have prepared or supervised the execution of a trust instrument; specifying how a person may be related to an individual; specifying when an attorney or a person related to the attorney is deemed appointed in a trust instrument; providing construction; providing applicability; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

**SB** 360—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Education Finance Program; amending s. 1011.60, F.S.; requiring school districts that participate in the Florida Education Finance Program to expend 80 percent of funds from the program for classroom spending purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Hooper, Stewart, Harrell, Baxley, Torres, and Simmons—  $\,$ 

SB 362—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Florida tourism marketing; amending s. 288.1226, F.S.; revising the scheduled repeal of the Florida Tourism Industry Marketing Corporation direct-support organization; amending s. 288.923, F.S.; abrogating the scheduled repeal of the Division of Tourism Marketing of Enterprise Florida, Inc.; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senators Rader, Torres, and Pizzo-

SB 364—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Independent Living Task Force; creating s. 420.5075, F.S.; establishing the Independent Living Task Force within the Florida Housing Finance Corporation for certain purposes; requiring the corporation to use existing and available resources to administer and support the activities of the task force; providing for duties, membership, and meetings of the task force; requiring the members of the task force to serve without compensation; requiring the task force to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing for expiration of specified provisions on, and the dissolution of the task force by, a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 366—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterinary medicine; amending s. 474.202, F.S.; defining and redefining terms relating to veterinary medical practice; amending s. 474.2165, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting s. 465.0276(5), F.S., relating to dispensing practitioners, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 474.202, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Rouson-

**SB** 368—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transit Authority; amending s. 343.92, F.S.; authorizing certain mayors who are members of the governing board of the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transit Authority to appoint a designee to attend a board meeting to act in his or her place with full voting rights on all issues; requiring the designee to be an elected official of the governing body of the mayor's municipality; providing that a certain number of board members constitutes a quorum whether those members attend physically, telephonically, or electronically; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Cruz-

SB 370—A bill to be entitled An act relating to safe-school officers; amending s. 1006.12, F.S.; requiring district school boards to provide their approval before certain charter schools employ school resource officers and school safety officers; authorizing district school boards to oversee and manage the employment of school resource officers and school safety officers by charter schools within the district; authorizing district school boards to establish best practices for the employment of school resource officers and school safety officers by charter schools within the district; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senators Lee, Cruz, Harrell, and Broxson—

SB 372—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary education for certain military personnel; amending s. 1004.096, F.S.; requiring the Board of Governors and State Board of Education, in consultation with the Department of Veterans' Affairs, to create a uniform process for the awarding of postsecondary credit to certain servicemembers and veterans of the United States Armed Forces; requiring the Articulation Coordinating Committee to convene a workgroup by a specified date; providing membership and duties of the workgroup; providing administrative support for the workgroup; requiring the workgroup to submit to the Articulation Coordinating Committee a list of recommended postsecondary course equivalencies and the minimum postsecondary credit that must be awarded if certain specifications are met; requiring the Articulation Coordinating Committee to review the list provided by the workgroup for approval by a specified date; requiring the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education to adopt, in regulation and in rule, respectively, the list approved by the Articulation Coordinating Committee by a specified date; requiring certain postsecondary institutions to award credit for specified courses taken and occupations held by individuals during military service beginning on a specified date; authorizing the award of additional credits; requiring that certain credits be transferrable between specified postsecondary institutions; amending s. 1009.26, F.S.; requiring postsecondary institutions to waive the transcript fee for active duty members of the United States Armed Forces, certain veterans, and their spouses and dependents; providing reporting requirements for such institutions; requiring the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education to adopt regulations and rules, respectively; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 374—A bill to be entitled An act relating to housing discrimination; amending s. 760.07, F.S.; removing housing discrimination as a cause of action for certain relief and damages stemming from violations of the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992; amending s. 760.34, F.S.; revising the conditions under which an aggrieved person may commence a civil action in any appropriate court against a specified respondent to

enforce specified rights; providing that the aggrieved person does not need to pursue certain other remedies before commencing a civil action; making technical changes; amending s. 760.35, F.S.; authorizing, rather than requiring, a civil action to commence within a specified period after an alleged discriminatory housing practice; authorizing an aggrieved person to commence a civil action regardless of certain circumstances; prohibiting an aggrieved person from filing a specified action in certain circumstances; providing an exception; prohibiting an aggrieved person from commencing a specified civil action if an administrative law judge has commenced a hearing on the record on the allegation; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Lee-

SB 376—A bill to be entitled An act relating to English language learners; amending s. 1003.4282, F.S.; exempting certain English language learners from a specified graduation requirement; requiring such English language learners to meet other criteria to earn a standard high school diploma; amending s. 1008.22, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1008.34, F.S.; revising school grade components to include certain English language learners who meet specified criteria; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Lee and Rouson-

SB 378-A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle insurance; repealing ss. 627.730, 627.731, 627.7311, 627.732, 627.733, 627.734, 627.736, 627.737, 627.739, 627.7401, 627.7403, and 627.7405, F.S., which comprise the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; repealing s. 627.7407, F.S., relating to application of the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; amending s. 316.646, F.S.; revising a requirement for proof of security on a motor vehicle and the applicability of the requirement; amending s. 318.18, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.02, F.S.; revising the motor vehicle insurance coverages that an applicant must show to register certain vehicles with the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; revising construction; amending s. 320.0609, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.27, F.S.; defining the term "garage liability insurance"; revising garage liability insurance requirements for motor vehicle dealer applicants; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.771, F.S.; revising garage liability insurance requirements for recreational vehicle dealer license applicants; amending ss. 322.251 and 322.34, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 324.011, F.S.; revising legislative intent; amending s. 324.021, F.S.; revising definitions of the terms "motor vehicle" and "proof of financial responsibility"; revising minimum coverage requirements for proof of financial responsibility for specified motor vehicles; defining the term "for-hire passenger transportation vehicle"; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 324.022, F.S.; revising minimum liability coverage requirements for motor vehicle owners or operators; revising authorized methods for meeting such requirements; deleting a provision relating to an insurer's duty to defend certain claims; revising the vehicles that are excluded from the definition of the term "motor vehicle"; providing security requirements for certain excluded vehicles; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; conforming cross-references; amending s. 324.0221, F.S.; revising coverages that subject a policy to certain insurer reporting and notice requirements; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 324.0222, F.S.; providing that driver license or registration suspensions for failure to maintain required security which were in effect before a specified date remain in full force and effect; providing that such suspended licenses or registrations may be reinstated as provided in a specified section; amending s. 324.023, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 324.031, F.S.; specifying a method of proving financial responsibility; revising the amount of a certificate of deposit required to elect a certain method of proof of financial responsibility; revising excess liability coverage requirements for a person electing to use such method; amending s. 324.032, F.S.; revising financial responsibility requirements for owners or lessees of for-hire passenger transportation vehicles; amending ss. 324.051, 324.071, and 324.091, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 324.151, F.S.; revising requirements for motor vehicle liability insurance policies relating to coverage, and exclusion from coverage, for certain drivers and vehicles; defining terms; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; making technical changes; amending s. 324.161, F.S.; revising requirements for a certificate of deposit that is required if a person elects a certain method of proving financial responsibility; amending s. 324.171, F.S.; revising the minimum net worth requirements to qualify certain persons as self-insurers; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 324.251, F.S.; revising the short title and an effective date; amending s. 400.9905, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "clinic"; amending ss. 400.991 and 400.9935, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.901, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "third-party benefit"; amending s. 409.910, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "medical coverage"; amending s. 456.057, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; revising specified grounds for discipline for certain health professions; amending s. 626.9541, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; revising the type of insurance coverage applicable to a certain prohibited act; amending s. 626.989, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "fraudulent insurance act"; amending s. 627.06501, F.S.; revising coverages that may provide for a reduction in motor vehicle insurance policy premium charges under certain circumstances; amending s. 627.0651, F.S.; specifying requirements for initial rate filings for motor vehicle liability policies submitted to the Office of Insurance Regulation beginning on a specified date; amending s. 627.0652, F.S.; revising coverages that must provide a premium charge reduction under certain circumstances; amending s. 627.0653, F.S.; revising coverages subject to premium discounts for specified motor vehicle equipment; amending s. 627.4132, F.S.; revising the coverages of a motor vehicle policy which are subject to a stacking prohibition; amending s. 627.7263, F.S.; revising coverages that are deemed primary, except under certain circumstances, for the lessor of a motor vehicle for lease or rent; revising a notice that is required if the lessee's coverage is to be primary; creating s. 627.7265, F.S.; specifying persons whom medical payments coverage must protect; requiring medical payments coverage to cover reasonable expenses for certain medical services provided by specified providers and facilities and to provide a death benefit; specifying the minimum medical expense and death benefit limits; specifying coverage options an insurer must and may offer; providing that motor vehicle liability insurance policies are deemed to have medical payments coverage at a certain limit and with no deductible unless rejected or modified by the policyholder by certain means; specifying requirements for certain forms approved by the office; requiring insurers to provide policyholders with a certain annual notice; providing construction relating to limits on certain other coverages; requiring insurers, upon receiving certain notice of an accident, to hold a specified reserve for certain purposes for a certain timeframe; providing that the reserve requirement does not require insurers to establish a claim reserve for accounting purposes; specifying that an insurer providing medical payments coverage benefits may not have a lien on a certain recovery and may not have a certain cause of action; authorizing insurers to include policy provisions allowing for subrogation, under certain circumstances, for medical payments benefits paid; providing construction; specifying a requirement for an insured for repayment of medical payments benefits under certain circumstances; prohibiting insurers from including policy provisions allowing for subrogation for death benefits paid; amending s. 627.727, F.S.; revising the legal liability of an uninsured motorist coverage insurer; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.7275, F.S.; revising required coverages for a motor vehicle insurance policy; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 627.7278, F.S.; defining the term "minimum security requirements"; providing requirements, applicability, and construction relating to motor vehicle insurance policies as of a certain date; requiring insurers to allow certain insureds to make certain coverage changes, subject to certain conditions; requiring an insurer to provide, by a specified date, a specified notice to policyholders relating to requirements under the act; amending s. 627.728, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.7295, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms "policy" and "binder"; revising the coverages of a motor vehicle insurance policy for which a licensed general lines agent may charge a specified fee; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.7415, F.S.; revising additional liability insurance requirements for commercial motor vehicles; creating s. 627.747, F.S.; providing that private passenger motor vehicle policies may exclude

certain identified individuals from specified coverages under certain circumstances; providing that such policies may not exclude coverage under certain circumstances; amending s. 627.748, F.S.; revising insurance requirements for transportation network company drivers; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.749, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.8405, F.S.; revising coverages in a policy sold in combination with an accidental death and dismemberment policy which a premium finance company may not finance; revising rulemaking authority of the Financial Services Commission; amending ss. 627.915, 628.909, 705.184, and 713.78, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 817.234, F.S.; revising coverages that are the basis of specified prohibited false and fraudulent insurance claims; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an appropriation; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Banking and Insurance; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 380—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bank property of deceased account holders; amending s. 655.059, F.S.; specifying that a financial institution is not prohibited from disclosing specified information to certain persons relating to deceased account holders; creating s. 655.795, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing a financial institution to pay to the authorized family member of a decedent depositor, without any court proceeding, order, or judgment authorizing the payment and not earlier than a specified time, the funds in the decedent's qualified accounts if the sum does not exceed a specified amount; requiring the authorized family member to provide the financial institution with a certified copy of the decedent's death certificate and a specified affidavit in order to receive the funds; providing an affidavit form the authorized family member may use; providing that the financial institution does not have a duty to make certain determinations; specifying that a person does not have a right or cause of action against a financial institution for certain actions or for failing to take certain actions; providing that an authorized family member who withdraws funds is personally liable to certain persons if the amount paid exceeds his or her share; requiring a financial institution to maintain a copy or image of the affidavit for a specified time period; authorizing the financial institution to provide copies of the affidavit to certain persons; authorizing a financial institution to release certain information on bank accounts under certain circumstances; providing a criminal penalty; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Cruz-

**SB 382**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation facility designations; providing honorary designations of certain transportation facilities in a specified county; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 384—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Harris Chain of Lakes; repealing s. 373.467, F.S., relating to the Harris Chain of Lakes Restoration Council; amending s. 373.468, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Bradley-

SB 386—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water management district boundaries; amending s. 373.069, F.S., revising the boundaries

of the Suwannee River Water Management District and the Southwest Florida Water Management District to include all of Levy County within the Suwanee River Water Management District boundary; amending s. 373.0691, F.S.; providing for the transfer on a specified date of land and other incidentals from the Southwest Florida Water Management District to the Suwanee River Water Management District for certain lands within Levy County; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 388—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Citrus/Hernando Waterways Restoration Council; repealing chapters 2003-287 and 2006-43, Laws of Florida; abolishing the Citrus/Hernando Waterways Restoration Council; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 390—A bill to be entitled An act relating to massage therapy; renaming ch. 480, F.S., as "Massage Therapy Practice"; amending s. 480.031, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 480.032, F.S.; revising the purpose of ch. 480, F.S.; amending s. 480.033, F.S.; revising terms and definitions; amending s. 480.041, F.S.; revising requirements for licensure as a massage therapist; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing applicability for persons who were issued a license as a massage apprentice before a specified date; repealing s. 480.042, F.S., relating to examinations; amending ss. 477.013, 477.0135, 480.034, 480.035, 480.046, 480.0465, 480.047, 480.052, 480.0535, 627.6407, 627.6619, 627.736, and 641.31 F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senators Gibson, Berman, Cruz, Stewart, Rader, Farmer, and Brandes—

**SCR 392**—A concurrent resolution ratifying the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to equal rights for men and women.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senators Bracy, Berman, Stewart, and Powell-

SB 394—A bill to be entitled An act relating to gain-time; amending s. 921.002, F.S.; revising a principle of the Criminal Punishment Code relating to a prisoner's required minimum term of imprisonment; amending s. 944.275, F.S.; revising the incentive gain-time that the Department of Corrections may grant a prisoner; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez-

**SJR 396**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 6 of Article XI of the State Constitution to require that any proposals to revise the State Constitution, or any part thereof, filed by the Taxation and Budget Reform Commission be limited to a single subject.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Ethics and Elections; and Rules.

By Senators Berman and Rodriguez-

SB 398—A bill to be entitled An act relating to concealed weapons and firearms; amending s. 790.06, F.S.; prohibiting a concealed weapon or firearm licensee from openly carrying a handgun or carrying a concealed weapon or firearm into any child care facility; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Gibson-

SB 400—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elder abuse fatality review teams; creating s. 415.1103, F.S.; authorizing the establishment of elder abuse fatality review teams in each judicial circuit, to be housed, for administrative purposes only, in the Department of Elderly Affairs; providing conditions for review team membership, establishment, and organization; specifying requirements for a review team's operations and meeting schedules; requiring that the administrative costs of operating a review team be paid by team members or the entities they represent; authorizing elder abuse fatality review teams in existence on a certain date to continue to exist; requiring such existing teams to comply with specified requirements; specifying review team duties; requiring each review team to annually submit to the department by a certain date a summary report containing specified information; requiring the department to annually prepare a summary report based on the review teams' information and submit such report to the Governor, the Legislature, and the Department of Children and Families; providing immunity from monetary liability for review team members under certain conditions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 402—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assisted living facilities; amending s. 429.02, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; amending s. 429.07, F.S.; clarifying that an assisted living facility licensed to provide extended congregate care services or limited nursing services must maintain a written progress report on each person receiving services from the facility's staff; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 429.11, F.S.; prohibiting a county or municipality from issuing a business tax receipt, rather than an occupational license, to a facility under certain circumstances; amending s. 429.176, F.S.; amending educational requirements for an administrator who is replacing another administrator; amending s. 429.23, F.S.; requiring a facility to initiate an investigation of an adverse incident within 24 hours and provide a report of such investigation to the Agency for Health Care Administration within 15 days; amending s. 429.255, F.S.; clarifying that the absence of an order not to resuscitate does not preclude a physician from withholding or withdrawing cardiopulmonary resuscitation or use of an automated external defibrillator; amending s. 429.256, F.S.; requiring a person assisting with a resident's self-administration of medication to confirm that the medication is intended for that resident and to orally advise the resident of the medication name and purpose; amending s. 429.26, F.S.; including medical examinations within criteria used for admission to an assisted living facility; providing specified criteria for determination of appropriateness for admission and continued residency at an assisted living facility; defining the term "bedridden"; requiring that a resident receive a medical examination within a specified timeframe after admission to a facility; requiring that such examination be recorded on a specified form; providing minimum requirements for such form; revising provisions relating to the placement of residents by the Department of Children and Families; requiring a facility to notify a resident's representative or designee of the need for health care services and to assist in making appointments for such care and services under certain circumstances; removing provisions relating to the retention of certain residents in a facility; amending s. 429.28, F.S.; revising residents' rights relating to a safe and secure living environment; amending s. 429.41, F.S.; revising legislative intent; removing a provision to conform to changes made by the act; removing a redundant provision authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt certain rules; removing provisions relating to firesafety requirements, which are relocated to another section; requiring county

emergency management agencies, rather than local emergency management agencies, to review and approve or disapprove of a facility's comprehensive emergency management plan; requiring a facility to submit a comprehensive emergency management plan to the county emergency management agency within a specified timeframe after its licensure; revising the criteria under which a facility must be fully inspected; revising standards for the care of residents provided by a facility; prohibiting the use of geriatric chairs and Posey restraints in facilities; authorizing other physical restraints to be used under certain conditions and in accordance with certain rules; requiring the agency to establish resident elopement drill requirements; requiring that elopement drills include a review of a facility's procedures to address elopement; revising the criteria under which a facility must be fully inspected; revising provisions requiring the agency to adopt by rule key quality-of-care standards; creating s. 429.435, F.S.; revising uniform firesafety standards for assisted living facilities, which are relocated to this section; amending s. 429.52, F.S.; revising provisions relating to facility staff training and educational requirements; requiring the agency, in conjunction with providers, to establish core training requirements for facility administrators; revising the training and continuing education requirements for facility staff who assist residents with the self-administration of medications; revising provisions relating to the training responsibilities of the agency; requiring the agency to contract with another entity to administer a certain competency test; requiring the department to adopt a curriculum outline to be used by core trainers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Stargel, Hutson, Harrell, Gruters, Mayfield, Baxley, Diaz, and Albritton—  $\,$ 

SB 404-A bill to be entitled An act relating to parental consent for abortion; creating s. 390.01117, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; prohibiting a physician from performing an abortion on a minor unless the physician has been presented with consent from the minor's parent or guardian, as appropriate; providing an exception for a medical emergency; requiring a monthly report to be filed by certain physicians with the Department of Health on a form adopted by department rule; requiring the department to compile data collected from such forms and make it available on its website; authorizing a minor to petition any circuit court in which the minor resides for a waiver of consent required to obtain an abortion; requiring a specified statement to be included in the petition; providing for court-appointed counsel and confidentiality; requiring the court to give preference to waiver of consent proceedings and requiring a court to rule within a specified timeframe; providing for an extension of time at the request of the minor; authorizing a minor to petition for a hearing upon the expiration of the time allowed and requiring the chief judge of the circuit to ensure that a hearing is held and that an order is entered within specified timeframes; providing for appeals within a specified timeframe; requiring the court to dismiss the petition if it does not make specified findings; requiring the court to consider undue influence on the minor's decision and specified factors; requiring the court to report any findings of evidence of child abuse or sexual abuse of the petitioner; requiring a court to provide for a written transcript of waiver of consent proceedings and include certain findings and conclusions in its order; prohibiting filing fees or costs for a minor who petitions the court for a waiver of consent; specifying that a county is not required to pay the salaries, costs, or expenses of certain courtappointed counsel; requesting the Supreme Court to adopt certain rules and forms relating to waiver of consent proceedings; providing criminal penalties and disciplinary action; providing construction and severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel-

**SB 406**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 390.01118, F.S.; providing a public records exemption for information that could identify a minor which is contained in a record held by the court relating to the minor's petition to waive consent requirements to obtain an abortion; providing for future legislative review

and repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

SB 408—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senator Perry-

**SB 410**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to growth management; amending s. 163.3177, F.S.; requiring a comprehensive plan to include a property rights element; providing a statement of rights that a local government may use; requiring a local government to adopt a property rights element by a specified date; providing that a local government's property rights element may not conflict with the statutorily provided statement of rights; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Bean and Harrell—

SB 412-A bill to be entitled An act relating to license plates; amending s. 320.06, F.S.; providing an exception to a design requirement for dealer license plates; amending s. 320.0657, F.S.; providing an exception to a design requirement for fleet license plates; authorizing fleet companies to purchase specialty license plates in lieu of standard fleet license plates; requiring fleet companies to be responsible for certain costs; amending s. 320.08, F.S.; authorizing fleet companies to purchase specialty license plates in lieu of standard fleet license plates; requiring fleet companies to be responsible for certain costs; amending s. 320.08053, F.S.; revising requirements for presale and issuance of specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; allowing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to authorize dealer and fleet specialty license plates; authorizing a dealer or fleet company to purchase specialty license plates under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such plates; making technical changes; deleting fees relating to the American Red Cross, Donate Organs-Pass It On, St. Johns River, and Hispanic Achievers license plates to conform to changes made by the act; providing additional procedures and requirements for discontinuing issuance of a specialty license plate; conforming cross-references; prohibiting use fees received by any entity from being used for certain purposes; requiring certain organizations to establish endowments based in this state for providing scholarships to Florida residents and to provide documentation of consent to use certain images; revising, as of a specified date, the criteria, procedures, and exceptions under which the department discontinues the issuance of an approved specialty license plate; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; revising the design of the Special Olympics Florida license plate; deleting provisions requiring the department to develop the American Red Cross license plate; revising the authorized use of proceeds from the sale of the Live the Dream license plate; deleting provisions requiring the department to develop the Donate Organs-Pass It On license plate; revising the design of the Lighthouse Association license plate; revising the authorized use of proceeds from the sale of the In God We Trust license plate; deleting provisions requiring the department to develop the St. Johns River and the Hispanic Achievers license plates; revising the authorized use of proceeds from the sale of the Fallen Law Enforcement Officers license plate; requiring the department to develop certain specialty license plates; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of such plates; amending s. 320.08062, F.S.; directing the department to audit certain organizations that receive funds from the sale of specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08068, F.S.; requiring distribution of a specified percentage of motorcycle specialty license plate annual use fees to Preserve Vision Florida, Inc.; creating s. 320.0875, F.S.; providing for a special motorcycle license plate to be issued to a recipient of the Purple Heart under certain circumstances; providing requirements for the plate; authorizing a certain design for the plate; amending s. 320.089, F.S.; providing for a special license plate to be issued to a recipient of the Bronze Star; providing for distribution of certain annual use fees withheld by the department; providing contingent effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senators Bean and Harrell—

**SB 414**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; creating a uniform annual use fee collected for a specialty license plate unless otherwise specified; adding annual use fees for certain specialty license plates; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Berman—

SB 416—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance coverage for breast cancer tests and procedures; creating ss. 627.42394 and 641.3133, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting cost-sharing requirements for specified breast cancer tests and procedures under individual health insurance policies, group, blanket, and franchise health insurance policies, and health maintenance contracts; authorizing the Financial Services Commission to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

**SB** 418—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workforce education; amending s. 1011.80, F.S.; revising the workforce education programs that school district career centers are authorized to conduct; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Diaz and Broxson—

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

SB 422—A bill to be entitled An act relating to recreational vehicles; amending s. 527.01, F.S.; defining the terms "category VII liquefied petroleum gas dispenser and recreational vehicle servicer" and "recreational vehicle"; amending s. 527.0201, F.S.; requiring a category VII liquefied petroleum gas dispenser and recreational vehicle operator to pass a written examination administered by the department or its agent; authorizing the department to contract with not-for-profit, industry-specific trade associations for such examinations; amending s. 527.02, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senators Bracy and Brandes—

SB 424—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal sentencing; amending s. 775.082, F.S.; increasing the number of sentence points below which the court is required to impose a nonstate prison sanction under certain circumstances; amending s. 921.002, F.S.; providing that a sentencing judge's decision regarding sentencing is guided by the computed recommended sentencing range, from the lowest permissible

sentence to the highest recommended prison sentence; requiring a trial court judge to explain departures above the highest recommended prison sentence established by the Criminal Punishment Code and to specify his or her reasons for imposing the higher sentence; deleting a limitation on sentence appeals to cases in which the sentence imposed is lower than the lowest permissible sentence or sentence appeals under other specified circumstances; amending s. 921.0024, F.S.; increasing the minimum number of sentence points for a state prison sanction; revising the calculation of the lowest permissible sentence; requiring a calculation of the highest recommended prison sentence; providing a recommended range for sentencing; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Montford, Albritton, and Stewart-

SB 426—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Regional Rural Development Grants Program; amending s. 288.018, F.S.; defining the term "regional economic development organization"; specifying that the concept of building the professional capacity of a regional economic development organization includes the hiring of professional staff to perform specified services; providing that matching grants may be used to provide technical assistance to local governments and economic development organizations and to existing and prospective businesses; specifying that a regional economic development organization that provides taxpayer-funded incentives is not eligible to participate in the matching grant program; increasing the maximum amount of annual grant funding that specified economic development organizations may receive; revising the required amount of nonstate matching funds; requiring that certain information be included in a contract or agreement involving the expenditure of grant funds; requiring that contracts or agreements involving the expenditure of grant funds, and a plain-language version of certain contracts or agreements, be placed on the contracting regional economic development organization's website for a specified period before execution; deleting an obsolete provision; increasing the amount of funds the Department of Economic Opportunity may expend each fiscal year for certain purposes; providing an effective

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Appropriations.

By Senators Braynon, Rodriguez, and Berman-

SB 428—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited places for weapons and firearms; amending s. 790.06, F.S.; revising the locations where a concealed weapons or concealed firearms licensee is prohibited from openly carrying a handgun or carrying a concealed weapon or firearm; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Cruz-

SB 430—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state-licensed driver and state identification cardholder information; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to conduct an audit of its records and to report by a specified date to the Governor and the Legislature, for specified fiscal years, the total amount of money it derived from the sale of state-licensed driver and state identification cardholder information to marketing firms and the identity of the marketing firms that paid for such information; providing additional requirements for the report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senators Rader and Baxley-

SB 432—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cardiopulmonary resuscitation training in public schools; amending s. 1003.453, F.S.;

requiring school districts to provide training in cardiopulmonary resuscitation to students at the high school level; providing requirements for such training; requiring students to study and practice the psychomotor skills associated with performing cardiopulmonary resuscitation at least once before they graduate from high school; providing an exception for certain students; making a technical change; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Montford-

**SB 434**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to designation of school grades; amending s. 1008.34, F.S.; revising the components on which a school's grade is based; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Montford and Bracy-

**SB 436**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to youth in confinement; creating s. 945.425, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting a youth from being placed in disciplinary confinement; authorizing a youth to be placed in emergency confinement if certain conditions are met; requiring facility staff to document such placement; requiring that, within a specified timeframe and at specified intervals, a mental health clinician conduct certain evaluations of a youth who is in emergency confinement; limiting the allowable length of time for emergency confinement; requiring specific treatment for a youth who is in emergency confinement; prohibiting the use of emergency confinement for certain purposes; authorizing a youth to be placed in medical confinement under certain circumstances; limiting the allowable length of time for medical confinement; requiring facility staff to document such confinement; requiring that, within a specified timeframe and at specified intervals, a medical professional conduct certain evaluations of a youth who is in medical confinement; prohibiting the use of medical confinement for certain purposes; requiring the Department of Corrections to review its policies and procedures relating to youth in confinement; requiring the department to certify compliance in a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; requiring the department to adopt policies and procedures; providing applicability; amending s. 951.23, F.S.; requiring sheriffs and chief correctional officers to adopt model standards relating to youth; amending s. 944.09, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Corrections to adopt rules; reenacting s. 944.279(1), F.S., relating to disciplinary procedures applicable to a prisoner for filing frivolous or malicious actions or bringing false information before a court, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 944.09, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 438—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Land Acquisition Trust Fund; amending s. 375.041, F.S.; providing an appropriation for certain projects related to the Indian River Lagoon Comprehensive Conservation and Management Plan; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to make grants for such projects; providing for a specified local match for such grants; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Governor and Legislature; removing an obsolete provision; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

SB 440—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senator Rader-

SB 442—A bill to be entitled An act relating to primary elections; amending s. 100.061, F.S.; requiring that a universal primary election open to all qualified electors, regardless of political party affiliation or lack thereof, be held for purposes of selecting candidates for specified federal, state, local, and district offices; specifying that the candidates receiving the highest and next highest number of votes in the universal primary election advance to the general election; modifying procedures in the event of a tied vote between candidates; amending s. 101.151, F.S.; modifying ballot layout requirements to conform to the addition of the universal primary election; amending ss. 97.021, 99.061, 99.063, 99.0955, 100.051, 100.081, 100.111, 100.191, 101.021, 101.2512,  $101.252,\ 101.5606,\ 101.6952,\ 102.131,\ 102.151,\ 102.168,\ 102.1685,$ 102.171, 104.071, 104.31, 105.071, 106.011, 106.021, 106.03, 106.12, 106.143, 106.15, 106.18, 112.313, and 112.3145, F.S.; conforming provisions and terminology to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Rader-

SB 444—A bill to be entitled An act relating to customer service standards for state agencies; amending s. 23.30, F.S.; requiring departments within the executive branch of state government to implement certain measures with respect to telephone calls placed by customers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 446—A bill to be entitled An act relating to renewable energy; amending s. 366.91, F.S.; defining the term "renewable energy source device"; authorizing owners of commercial or industrial businesses, or third parties contracted by such owners, to install, maintain, and operate a renewable energy source device on or about the structure in which the business operates or on a property the business owns or leases; authorizing owners or contracted third parties to sell electricity generated from the device to certain businesses regardless of whether the device is located in a utility's service territory; providing applicability; authorizing utilities to recover the full cost of providing services to an energy-producing business or its customers, under certain circumstances; authorizing utilities to install, maintain, and operate certain renewable energy source devices; exempting from regulation the sale of electricity produced by such devices; authorizing utilities to recover certain costs under certain circumstances; authorizing customers to challenge such cost recovery and receive refunds following a successful challenge; clarifying applicability and the eligibility requirements of certain energy rebate or incentive programs established by law; authorizing the Florida Public Service Commission to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 448—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prescriptive authority certification for psychologists; creating s. 490.017, F.S.; defining terms; requiring the Board of Psychology to certify specified psychologists to exercise prescriptive authority; requiring the board to adopt rules relating to prescriptive authority certification; authorizing the board to require that a prescribing psychologist correct certain deficiencies under certain circumstances; specifying application requirements for certification; requiring the board to adopt a rule providing for certification renewal; requiring each applicant for renewal to demonstrate the completion of specified continuing education; specifying requirements for the prescribing of drugs and controlled substances by a prescribing psychologist; prohibiting specified prescribing actions; requiring a prescribing psychologist who is authorized to prescribe controlled substances to file his or her federal Drug Enforcement Administration re-

gistration number with the board within a certain timeframe; requiring the board to maintain a record of every prescribing psychologist authorized to prescribe controlled substances; requiring the Board of Psychology to transmit specified information to the Board of Pharmacy; requiring the Board of Psychology to establish an interim panel before a specified date; providing panel membership; requiring the panel to submit recommendations to the board by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 450—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Whistleblower's Act; amending s. 112.3187, F.S.; revising a short title; revising legislative intent; revising, reordering, and providing definitions; revising the actions that an agency or independent contractor is prohibited from taking against an employee who participates in protected activity or discloses certain information; specifying that whistleblower remedies and protections do not apply to certain persons; revising requirements related to the disclosure of information and methods of reporting the information; revising requirements related to remedies; revising affirmative defenses; amending s. 112.3188, F.S.; authorizing additional persons to disclose confidential and exempt information; providing for construction; conforming cross-references to changes made by the act; amending s. 112.3189, F.S.; revising applicability of provisions relating to investigative procedures upon receipt of whistleblower information; revising powers and responsibilities of the Chief Inspector General and agency inspectors general; revising reporting requirements; reordering and amending s. 112.31895, F.S.; revising investigative procedures in response to retaliatory actions; revising complaint requirements; revising fact-finding responsibilities of the Florida Commission on Human Relations; revising commission powers and responsibilities; providing requirements for the termination of an investigation; amending ss. 14.32, 20.055, 112.31901, and 760.06, F.S.; conforming provisions and cross-references to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 452—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electric vehicle charging stations; creating s. 339.287, F.S.; defining the term "master plan for electric vehicle charging stations" or "master plan"; requiring the Department of Transportation, in coordination with the Office of Energy within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and the Florida Clean Cities Coalitions, or other appropriate entities, to develop and adopt by a specified date a master plan for electric vehicle charging stations on the state highway system; specifying goals and objectives of the master plan; requiring the master plan to be updated annually by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 454—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the discharge of domestic wastewater; amending s. 403.086, F.S.; revising legislative findings regarding the discharge of domestic wastewater; prohibiting the construction of new deep injection wells for domestic wastewater discharge or the expansion of existing wells; limiting the discharge capacity of domestic wastewater deep well injection; requiring current ocean outfall and deep well injection permitholders to install a functioning reuse system within the utility's service area by specified dates; providing exceptions; prohibiting the discharge of domestic wastewater through ocean outfalls and deep injection wells after specified dates; requiring current deep well injection permitholders to submit a plan to meet certain requirements to the Department of Environmental Protection by a specified date; requiring the plan to be updated at specified intervals; requiring annual progress reports to the department and to the Governor and Legislature on compliance with the act; providing

requirements for the renewal of permits; requiring the department to submit a report to the Legislature by a specified date; amending ss. 373.250, 373.705, 373.707, and 373.709, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez-

**SB 456**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the minimum wage; amending s. 448.110, F.S.; revising the formula for the adjusted state minimum wage; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 458—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the English Language Learner Advisory Council; creating s. 1003.562, F.S.; creating the English Language Learner Advisory Council adjunct to the Department of Education; providing the purpose of the advisory council; specifying the composition of the advisory council, the appointment of members, and the terms they serve; providing meeting requirements; requiring the advisory council to identify certain issues; requiring the advisory council to submit an annual report to the Governor, the Legislature, the chairs of the State Board of Education and the Board of Governors, and the Commissioner of Education; requiring the department to provide staff and administrative support and to maintain a webpage; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Book and Rodriguez-

**SB 460**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sales of ammunition; providing a short title; amending s. 790.065, F.S.; requiring background checks for the sale or transfer of ammunition; providing exceptions; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

**SB 462**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 790.065, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for records containing certain information pertaining to a buyer or transferee who is not found to be prohibited from receipt or transfer of ammunition; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Wright-

SB 464—A bill to be entitled An act relating to certain defendants with mental illness; amending s. 394.658, F.S.; exempting certain fiscally constrained counties from local match requirements for specified grants; amending s. 916.105, F.S.; providing legislative intent; creating s. 916.135, F.S.; defining the terms "misdemeanor court" and "misdemeanor defendant"; encouraging communities to apply for specified grants to establish misdemeanor mental health jail diversion programs; outlining a suggested process for such programs; authorizing the court to refer a misdemeanor defendant charged with a misdemeanor crime for certain evaluation or assessment if a party or the court raises a concern regarding the misdemeanor defendant's competency to proceed

due to a mental disorder; requiring the tolling of speedy trial periods and the following of certain provisions if a professional certificate is issued; authorizing the court to hold an evidentiary hearing to make a certain determination by clear and convincing evidence; authorizing the court to execute certain orders to require the misdemeanor defendant to complete a mental health assessment under certain circumstances; authorizing the state attorney to consider dismissal of the charges upon a misdemeanor defendant's successful completion of all treatment recommendations from a mental health assessment; authorizing the court to exhaust therapeutic intervention before a misdemeanor defendant is returned to jail; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 466—A bill to be entitled An act relating to inspectors general; amending s. 14.32, F.S.; revising the Chief Inspector General's subpoena authority to include issuing and serving subpoenas for all executive branch agencies; authorizing the Chief Inspector General to appoint certified law enforcement officers; specifying the qualifications, powers, and focus of such officers; amending s. 20.055, F.S.; providing that agency inspectors general report to the Chief Inspector General; removing an agency head's supervisory authority over the agency inspector general; authorizing the agency inspector general to independently procure services and hire or remove law enforcement staff; revising procedures, and providing additional limitations, regarding the removal or transfer of an agency inspector general; authorizing the inspector general to present written objections to such removal or transfer to additional officers within a certain timeframe; prohibiting a Cabinet officer from preventing or prohibiting the agency inspector general from taking action on an audit or investigation; providing requirements regarding the compensation of the agency inspector general; modifying powers and requirements as to the auditing and investigatory duties of the agency inspector general; revising requirements for the agency inspector general's annual report; providing that complaints or allegations regarding the office of inspector general be submitted to the Chief Inspector General, rather than the agency head; authorizing each agency inspector general to issue and serve subpoenas; authorizing an agency inspector general to petition the circuit court in the event of noncompliance with a subpoena; providing an effective

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Brandes and Rodriguez-

**SB** 468—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mandatory sentences; amending s. 893.135, F.S.; authorizing a court to impose a sentence other than a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment and mandatory fine for a person convicted of trafficking if the court makes certain findings on the record; amending s. 893.03, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Brandes and Bracy-

SB 470—A bill to be entitled An act relating to searches of cellular phones and other electronic devices; amending s. 933.02, F.S.; expanding the grounds for issuance of a search warrant to include content held within a cellular phone, portable electronic communication device, or microphone-enabled household device when such content constitutes evidence relevant to proving that a felony has been committed; amending s. 933.04, F.S.; adopting the constitutional protection against unreasonable interception of private communications by any means for purposes of obtaining a search warrant; amending s. 934.01, F.S.; revising and providing legislative findings; amending s. 934.02, F.S.; redefining the term "oral communication"; defining the terms "microhousehold device" and phone-enabled "portable electronic communication device"; amending s. 934.03, F.S.; authorizing specified persons to provide information, facilities, or technical assistance to a

person authorized by law to intercept wire, oral, or electronic communications if such person has been provided with a search warrant issued by a court of competent jurisdiction; prohibiting specified persons from disclosing the existence of any interception of a wire, oral, or electronic communication with respect to which the person has been served with a search warrant, rather than a court order; amending s. 934.06, F.S.; prohibiting the use of certain communication content in any trial, hearing or other proceeding which was obtained without a specified warrant; providing an exception; amending s. 934.07, F.S.; authorizing a judge to issue a search warrant, rather than grant a court order, in conformity with specified provisions; authorizing the Department of Law Enforcement to request a law enforcement agency that provided certain information to join the department in seeking a new search warrant; amending s. 934.09, F.S.; requiring that each application for a search warrant, rather than an order, authorizing or approving the interception of wire, oral, or electronic communications be made in writing and state the applicant's authority; authorizing a judge to authorize a search warrant ex parte, rather than an ex parte order, based on the application under certain circumstances; specifying requirements for search warrants, rather than orders, issued under certain circumstances; authorizing an aggrieved person to move to suppress the contents of certain wire, oral, or electronic communications before, as well as during, a trial, hearing, or proceeding; providing for inadmissibility of certain evidence if a certain motion is granted; authorizing a judge of competent jurisdiction to authorize interception of wire, oral, or electronic communications within this state under specified circumstances; amending s. 934.10, F.S.; providing that a good faith reliance on a search warrant, rather than a court order, subpoena, or legislative authorization, issued under certain provisions constitutes a complete defense against specified actions; amending s. 934.21, F.S.; revising the exceptions to conduct that constitutes unlawful access to stored communications; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 934.42, F.S.; defining the terms "mobile tracking device," "real-time location tracking," and "historical location data"; authorizing an investigative or law enforcement officer to apply to a judge of competent jurisdiction for a search warrant, rather than an order, authorizing real-time location tracking or acquisition of historical location data; requiring an application for a search warrant to include a statement setting forth a reasonable period of time the mobile tracking device may be used or the location data may be obtained in real time, not to exceed a specified limit; authorizing a court to grant extensions, for good cause, that do not individually exceed a specified limit; requiring an applicant seeking historical location data to specify a date range for the data sought; deleting a provision requiring a certification to be included in the application; requiring the court, if it finds probable cause and that the application contains the required statements, to grant a search warrant; specifying that the search warrant may authorize realtime location tracking or acquisition of historical location data; providing that the search warrant may authorize the tracking as specified; requiring the search warrant to command the investigative or law enforcement officer to complete any initiation of the location tracking or execution of the search warrant for historical location data authorized by the search warrant within a certain timeframe; providing requirements for the return of the search warrant to the judge and for service of a copy of the search warrant on the person who was tracked or whose property was tracked; providing requirements for returning and serving a search warrant authorizing the acquisition of historical location data; authorizing a court, for good cause, to postpone the notice requirement for a specified time period; requiring that the standards established by Florida courts for the installation, use, or monitoring of mobile tracking devices and the acquisition of location data apply to the installation, use, or monitoring of any devices and the acquisition of location data as authorized by certain provisions; deleting the definition of "tracking device"; authorizing any investigative or law enforcement officer who is specially designated by certain persons and who makes specified determinations to engage in real-time location tracking if a search warrant is obtained, as specified, after the tracking has occurred or begins to occur; providing requirements for engaging in real-time location tracking; specifying when real-time location tracking must terminate; reenacting s. 934.22(2)(b), F.S., relating to voluntary disclosure of customer communications or records, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 934.03 and 934.07, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 934.27(1) and (4), F.S., relating to relief, damages, and defenses for certain civil actions, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 934.09 and 934.21, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting ss. 934.23(6), 934.24(6) and (7), 934.25(5), and 934.28, F.S., relating to required disclosures of customer communications or records, a subscriber or custo-

mer filing a motion for certain relief and customer notification, delayed notice, and the exclusivity of remedies and sanctions for certain violations, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 934.21, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Bracy-

**SB 472**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public school transportation; amending s. 1006.21, F.S.; requiring district school boards to provide transportation for each public elementary school student if the student's single parent or guardian is developmentally disabled; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Albritton—

SB 474—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the deregulation of professions and occupations; providing a short title; amending s. 20.165, F.S.; renaming the Board of Architecture and Interior Design as the Board of Architecture within the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; amending s. 326.004, F.S.; deleting the requirement that a yacht broker maintain a separate license for each branch office; deleting the requirement that the Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes establish a fee; amending s. 447.02, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 447.04, F.S., relating to licensure and permit requirements for business agents; repealing s. 447.041, F.S., relating to hearings for persons or labor organizations denied licensure as a business agent; repealing s. 447.045, F.S., relating to confidential information obtained during the application process; repealing s. 447.06, F.S., relating to required registration of labor organizations; amending s. 447.09, F.S.; deleting certain prohibited actions relating to the right of franchise of a member of a labor organization; repealing s. 447.12, F.S., relating to registration fees; repealing s. 447.16, F.S., relating to applicability; amending s. 447.305, F.S.; deleting a provision that requires notification of registrations and renewals to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; amending s. 455.213, F.S.; requiring the department or a board to enter into reciprocal licensing agreements with other states under certain circumstances; providing requirements; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; specifying that the failure to repay certain student loans is not considered a failure to perform a statutory or legal obligation for which certain disciplinary action can be taken; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 456.0721, F.S., relating to health care practitioners who are in default on student loan or scholarship obligations; amending s. 456.074, F.S.; deleting a provision relating to the suspension of a license issued by the Department of Health for defaulting on certain student loans; amending s. 468.385, F.S.; revising requirements relating to businesses auctioning or offering to auction property in this state; amending s. 468.603, F.S.; revising which inspectors are included in the definition of the term "categories of building code inspectors"; amending s. 468.613, F.S.; providing for waiver of specified requirements for certification under certain circumstances; amending s. 468.8314, F.S.; requiring an applicant for a license by endorsement to maintain a specified insurance policy; requiring the department to certify an applicant who holds a specified license issued by another state or territory of the United States under certain circumstances; amending s. 469.006, F.S.; providing additional licensure requirements for asbestos abatement consulting or contracting as a partnership, corporation, business trust, or other legal entity; amending s. 469.009, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 471.015, F.S.; revising licensure requirements for engineers who hold specified licenses in another state; amending s. 473.308, F.S.; deleting continuing education requirements for license by endorsement for certified public accountants; amending s. 474.202, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "limited-service veterinary medical practice" to include certain procedures; amending s. 474.207, F.S.; revising education requirements for licensure by examination; amending s. 474.217, F.S.; requiring the department to issue a license by endorsement to certain applicants who successfully complete a specified examination; amending s. 476.114, F.S.; revising training requirements for licensure as a barber; amending s. 476.144, F.S.; requiring the department to certify as qualified for licensure by endorsement an applicant who is licensed to practice barbering in another state; amending s. 477.013, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "hair braiding"; repealing s. 477.0132, F.S., relating to registration for hair braiding, hair wrapping, and body wrapping; amending s. 477.0135, F.S.; providing additional exemptions from license or registration requirements for specified occupations or practices; amending s. 477.019, F.S.; deleting a provision prohibiting the Board of Cosmetology from asking for proof of certain educational hours under certain circumstances; revising requirements for certification of licensure by endorsement for a certain applicant to engage in the practice of cosmetology; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 477.0201, F.S.; providing requirements for registration as a specialist; amending s. 477.026, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 477.0263, F.S.; providing that certain cosmetology services may be performed in a location other than a licensed salon under certain circumstances; amending ss. 477.0265 and 477.029, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 481.201, F.S.; deleting legislative findings relating to the practice of interior design; amending s. 481.203, F.S.; revising and deleting definitions; amending s. 481.205, F.S.; renaming the Board of Architecture and Interior Design as the Board of Architecture; revising membership of the board; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 481.207 and 481.209, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 481.213, F.S.; revising requirements for certification of licensure by endorsement for a certain licensee to engage in the practice of architecture; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 481.2131, F.S.; requiring certain interior designers to include proof of completed specified examination requirements when submitting documents for the issuance of a building permit; providing that a license or registration is not required for specified persons to practice; amending s. 481.215, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising requirements relating to the renewal of an interior designer license; specifying that the Board of Architecture shall only approve certain continuing education; providing exceptions; amending s. 481.217, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 481.219, F.S.; deleting provisions permitting the practice of or offer to practice interior design through certain business organizations; deleting provisions requiring certificates of authorization for certain business organizations offering interior design services to the public; requiring a licensee or applicant in the practice of architecture to qualify as a business organization; providing requirements; amending s. 481.221, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; requiring registered architects and certain business organizations to display certain license numbers in specified advertisements; providing an exception; amending ss. 481.222 and 481.223, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 481.2251, F.S., relating to disciplinary proceedings against registered interior designers; amending ss. 481.229 and 481.231, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 481.303, F.S.; deleting the definition of the term "certificate of authorization"; amending s. 481.310, F.S.; providing that an applicant who holds certain degrees is not required to demonstrate 1 year of practical experience for licensure; amending s. 481.311, F.S.; revising requirements for certification of licensure by endorsement for a certain applicant to engage in the practice of landscape architecture; amending s. 481.317, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 481.319, F.S.; deleting the requirement for a certificate of authorization; authorizing landscape architects to practice in the name of a corporation or partnership; amending s. 481.321, F.S.; requiring a landscape architect to display a certain certificate number in specified advertisements; amending s. 481.329, F.S.: conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 489.103, F.S.: revising certain contract prices for exemption; amending s. 489.111, F.S.; revising provisions relating to eligibility for licensure; amending s. 489.115, F.S.; requiring the Construction Industry Licensing Board to certify any applicant who holds a specified license to practice contracting issued by another state or territory of the United States under certain circumstances; amending s. 489.511, F.S.; requiring the board to certify as qualified for certification by endorsement any applicant who holds a specified license to practice electrical or alarm system contracting issued by another state or territory of the United States under certain circumstances; amending s. 489.517, F.S.; providing a reduction in certain continuing education hours required for registered contractors; amending s. 489.518, F.S.; requiring a person to have completed a specified amount of training within a certain time period to perform the duties of an alarm system agent; amending s. 548.003, F.S.; deleting the requirement that the Florida State Boxing Commission

adopt rules relating to a knockdown timekeeper; amending s. 548.017, F.S.; deleting the licensure requirement for a timekeeper or an announcer; amending s. 553.5141, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 553.74, F.S.; revising the membership and qualifications of the Florida Building Commission; amending ss. 553.79, 558.002, 559.25, and 287.055, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Commerce and Tourism; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hooper-

**SB 476**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement vehicles; creating ss. 718.129, 719.131, and 720.318, F.S.; providing that community associations may not prohibit a law enforcement officer from parking his or her law enforcement vehicle in certain areas; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

**SB 478**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle rentals; amending s. 212.0606, F.S.; defining and revising terms; requiring specified surcharges to be imposed upon the lease or rental of a certain motor vehicle if the lease or rental is facilitated by a car-sharing service, a motor vehicle rental company, or a peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing program under certain circumstances; creating s. 627.747, F.S.; defining terms; providing financial responsibility requirements for peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing programs; providing applicability; requiring specified entities to maintain certain motor vehicle liability insurance; providing certain indemnification requirements; providing construction; requiring a peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing program to give certain notice to a peerto-peer vehicle owner relating to the implications of a lien under certain circumstances; authorizing a certain insurer to exclude coverage and the duty to defend or indemnify a vehicle owner for any claim under his or her motor vehicle liability insurance policy; providing construction; requiring a peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing program to collect, verify, and retain certain records, subject to certain requirements; requiring the program to provide the records to certain entities under certain circumstances; authorizing a motor vehicle insurer that defends or indemnifies a claim arising from the operation of a peer-to-peer vehicle that is excluded under the terms of its policy to seek contribution against specified entities under certain circumstances; providing that a peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing program has an insurable interest in a vehicle during the sharing period; providing construction; authorizing a peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing program to own and maintain as the named insured policies of motor vehicle liability insurance which provide specified coverage; requiring each peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing program agreement made in this state to disclose specified information to the peer-to-peer vehicle owner and the peer-to-peer vehicle driver; requiring a peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing program to have sole responsibility for certain equipment; requiring the program to agree to indemnify and hold harmless the owner for any damage to or theft of such equipment under certain circumstances; authorizing the program to seek indemnity from the driver for any loss or damage to such equipment which occurs during the sharing period; requiring a peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing program to verify certain information and notify the peer-to-peer vehicle owner of certain requirements related to safety recalls, subject to certain requirements; providing restrictions and requirements for the owner if he or she has received notice of a certain safety recall on the vehicle; prohibiting a peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing program from entering into a certain agreement with a driver unless the driver meets specified requirements related to a driver license or authorization to drive peer-to-peer vehicles; prohibiting the program from renting a motor vehicle to another until the driver license of the peer-to-peer vehicle driver has been inspected and verified as being unexpired; requiring the program to keep specified records; requiring such records to be open to inspection by specified entities; providing that, under certain circumstances, the peer-to-peer vehicle-sharing program is deemed to have met specified requirements when the program requires the driver to verify at a certain time that he or she is duly licensed and that the license is unexpired; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Banking and Insurance; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

SB 480—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a declared state of emergency; creating s. 48.205, F.S.; prohibiting specified service of process during specified times relating to a declared state of emergency; providing immunity from liability for certain persons; defining the term "emergency declaration period"; creating s. 83.684, F.S.; tolling specified time periods for certain evictions under certain circumstances; requiring a court to stay certain eviction proceedings under certain circumstances; defining the term "emergency declaration period"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 482—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Beverage Law; repealing s. 564.05, F.S., relating to limitations on the size of individual wine containers; repealing s. 564.055, F.S., relating to limitations on the size of individual cider containers; amending s. 564.09, F.S.; revising provisions that authorize a restaurant to allow patrons to remove partially consumed bottles of wine from the restaurant for off-premises consumption; amending s. 565.03, F.S.; redefining the terms "branded product" and "craft distillery"; revising the requirements for the sale of branded products by a licensed craft distillery to consumers; deleting a provision that prohibits a craft distillery from selling more than six individual containers of a branded product to a consumer; revising requirements relating to the shipping of distilled spirits to consumers by a craft distillery; deleting requirements relating to the transfer of certain distillery licenses and ownership therein; deleting a prohibition against certain affiliations; authorizing a craft distillery to transfer specified quantities of specified distilled spirits from certain locations to its souvenir gift shop; requiring a craft distillery making such transfers to submit certain excise taxes with its monthly report to the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; amending s. 561.221, F.S.; authorizing the division to issue vendor's licenses to certain distilleries for the sale of alcoholic beverages on the distillery's licensed premises; requiring that the licensed vendor premises be included on certain sketches and diagrams under certain circumstances; requiring that all revisions to sketches or diagrams be approved by the division; requiring the division to issue permits to distilleries for conducting tastings and sales at certain events; requiring distilleries to pay entry fees for such events and have a representative of the distillery present at each event; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senators Simmons, Book, and Baxley-

SB 484—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a first responder property tax exemption; amending s. 196.102, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "first responder" for purposes of eligibility for the tax exemption to include a law enforcement officer or firefighter who, before becoming a resident of this state, sustained a total and permanent disability in the line of duty while serving as a full-time paid law enforcement officer or firefighter in another state; defining the term "law enforcement officer"; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bradley-

**SB 486**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Best and Brightest programs; repealing s. 1012.731, F.S., relating to the Florida Best and Brightest Teacher Program; repealing s. 1012.732, F.S., relating to the Florida Best and Brightest Principal Program; amending s.

1011.62, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1011.71, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Broxson-

**SB** 488—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; creating a fee for a certain specialty license plate; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

SR 490—Not introduced.

By Senators Cruz and Berman-

SB 492—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public notification of pollution; amending s. 403.077, F.S.; defining the term "local governmental entity"; redefining the term "reportable pollution release"; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to publish certain notices received from the Department of Health or a local governmental entity on a website accessible to the public; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to provide a written notice to certain homeowners via the United States Postal Service; requiring the Department of Health and a local governmental entity to notify the owner or operator of an installation and the Department of Environmental Protection of certain releases or discharges within a specified timeframe; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Simpson-

SB 494—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute; amending s. 210.20, F.S.; increasing, at specified timeframes, the percentage of cigarette tax proceeds paid to the Board of Directors of the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute for certain purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 496—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 39.4085, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; specifying the rights of children and young adults in out-of-home care; providing roles and responsibilities for the Department of Children and Families, community-based care lead agencies, and other agency staff; providing roles and responsibilities for caregivers; requiring the department to adopt certain rules; providing applicability; creating s. 39.4088, F.S.; requiring the Florida Children's Ombudsman to serve as an autonomous entity within the department for certain purposes; providing general roles and responsibilities for the ombudsman; requiring the ombudsman to collect certain data; requiring the ombudsman, in consultation with the department and other specified entities and by a specified date, to develop standardized information explaining the rights of children and young adults placed in out-of-home care; requiring the department, community-based care lead agencies, and agency staff to use the information provided by the ombudsman in carrying out specified responsibilities; requiring the department to establish a statewide toll-free telephone number for the ombudsman; requiring the department to adopt certain rules; amending s. 39.6011, F.S.; requiring that a case plan be developed in a face-to-face conference with a caregiver of a child under certain circumstances; providing additional requirements for the content of a case plan; providing additional requirements for a case plan when a child is 14 years of age or

older or is of an appropriate age and capacity; requiring the department to provide a copy of the case plan to the caregiver of a child placed in a licensed foster home; amending s. 39.604, F.S.; requiring a caseworker to provide specified information relating to subsidies that early learning coalitions provide to caregivers of certain children; amending s. 39.701, F.S.; providing additional requirements for social study reports for judicial review; amending s. 409.145, F.S.; providing additional requirements for caregivers; providing additional requirements for records and information the department and any additional providers are required to make available to caregivers; amending s. 409.175, F.S.; providing additional requirements for the licensure and operation of family foster homes, residential child-caring agencies, and child-placing agencies; amending s. 409.1753, F.S.; requiring a lead agency, rather than the department, to provide caregivers with a contact when the caseworker is unavailable; amending s. 409.988, F.S.; requiring lead agencies to recruit and retain foster homes; amending s. 39.6013, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 498—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consumer protection; creating s. 501.0195, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; defining the term "unlicensed vendor"; requiring an unlicensed vendor to take certain actions within a specified timeframe after receiving payment; providing an exception; providing that the unlicensed vendor has the burden to prove just cause; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 501.022, F.S.; removing an exemption from permitting requirements for certain solicitors, salespersons, and agents; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Harrell—

**SB 500**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited acts by health care practitioners; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; authorizing disciplinary action to be enforced by the Department of Health for the use of specified names or titles without a valid license or certification to practice as such; providing a definition; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senators Montford, Gainer, and Broxson-

 $\mathbf{SB}\ \mathbf{502} ext{--}\mathbf{A}$  bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency mitigation and response; establishing the Hurricane Michael Recovery Task Force adjunct to the Division of Emergency Management to make recommendations to the Legislature regarding additional assistance needed in the response to recovery from and mitigation of the effects of Hurricane Michael in certain areas; requiring the task force to review the local, state, and federal activities conducted and the resources provided in such areas, the effectiveness of such efforts, and any additional assistance necessary; providing for the membership of the task force; providing requirements for and restrictions on membership; providing for certain reimbursement; requiring the task force to report its findings and to make specified recommendations to the Legislature and the Governor by a specified date; providing for dissolution of the task force by a specified date; providing an appropriation to the Division of Emergency Management from the General Revenue Fund to prepare an after-action report on the shelter operations that took place during Hurricane Michael, subject to certain requirements; requiring that the report be submitted to the Legislature and the Governor by a specified date; providing an appropriation to the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability from the General Revenue Fund to contract with a third party for the evaluation of the reimbursement process of the Division of Emergency Management with respect to requests for reimbursement under federal disaster programs, subject to certain requirements; requiring that the report be submitted to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an appropriation to the Division of Emergency Management from the General Revenue Fund to competitively procure a consultant to make recommendations for the update of the statewide and regional hurricane evacuation studies, subject to certain requirements; requiring that the report be submitted to the Legislature and Governor by a specified date; creating s. 420.57, F.S.; subject to the appropriation of funds, creating the Hurricane Housing Recovery Program to provide funds to local governments for certain affordable housing recovery efforts; requiring that the Florida Housing Finance Corporation administer the program and allocate resources to local governments that meet certain criteria; specifying requirements for receiving and using funds; requiring participating local governments to submit a certain annual report to the corporation; requiring the corporation to compile the reports and submit them to the Legislature and the Governor; subject to the appropriation of funds, creating the Rental Recovery Loan Program to provide funds to build additional rental housing due to specified impacts; requiring the corporation to administer the program; providing intent for the program; requiring participating local governments to submit a certain annual report to the corporation; requiring the corporation to compile the reports and submit them to the Legislature and the Governor; authorizing the corporation to adopt rules; creating the Public Facilities Hurricane Restoration Cash Flow Loan Program for the purpose of assisting counties, municipalities, and district school boards in making timely payments in restoring certain facilities; providing eligibility requirements for receiving a cash flow loan; requiring that the Department of Economic Opportunity provide certain information and instructions, administer the loans, distribute loan funds, and deposit repaid funds into the Budget Stabilization Fund, subject to certain requirements; requiring the Division of Emergency Management to notify the Department of Economic Opportunity when certain federal payments have been distributed; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry—

SB 504—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government public construction works; amending s. 255.20, F.S.; requiring the governing board of a local government to consider estimated costs of certain projects using generally accepted cost-accounting principles that account for specified costs when the board is making a specified determination; prohibiting a local government from performing a project using its own services, employees, and equipment if the project requires an increase in the number of government employees or an increase in certain capital expenditures; requiring that a local government that performs projects using its own services, employees, and equipment disclose the actual costs of the project after completion to the Auditor General; requiring that the Auditor General review such disclosures as part of his or her routine audits of local governments; amending s. 336.41, F.S.; requiring estimated total construction project costs for certain projects to include specified costs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

SB 506—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the public procurement of services; amending s. 255.103, F.S.; revising the maximum dollar amount for continuing contracts for construction projects; amending s. 287.055, F.S.; redefining the term "continuing contract" to increase certain maximum dollar amounts for professional architectural, engineering, landscape architectural, and surveying and mapping services; requiring the Department of Management Services to annually adjust by rule the statutory caps for continuing contracts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations. By Senator Baxley-

**SB 508**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sales tax absorption; amending s. 212.07, F.S.; authorizing dealers, subject to specified conditions, to advertise or hold out to the public that they will absorb all or part of the sales and use tax on taxable transactions, or refund any part thereof to the purchaser; revising a criminal penalty; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 212.15, F.S.; providing that certain persons who unlawfully fail to remit absorbed sales taxes commit theft of state funds; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wright-

**SB 510**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bail pending appellate review; amending s. 903.133, F.S.; prohibiting a court from granting bail to specified offenders pending review following a conviction for an offense requiring sexual offender or sexual predator registration if the victim was a minor; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Hutson-

SB 512—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonembryonic stem cells; creating s. 381.4017, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; providing definitions; authorizing the administration of nonembryonic stem cells and the use of such cells in health care products; authorizing the ownership and operation of a pharmacy in the state which compounds a drug, medicine, or health care product using nonembryonic stem cells; authorizing the importation of any sterile compound, drug, or other treatment containing nonembryonic stem cells under certain circumstances; authorizing certain licensed persons to administer or assist in the administration of such compounds, drugs, or other treatment; authorizing the operation of stem cell banks in the state; requiring a stem cell bank to register with the Department of Health; providing requirements for a department-approved registration form; requiring a stem cell bank to notify the department of any changes in information within a specified time period; requiring a stem cell bank to obtain or otherwise carry professional liability insurance; providing that a professional licensing board is not limited in its duties; providing liability for persons who fail to use reasonable care; requiring that the department adopt by rule standards developed by an independent third party; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 514—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead exemptions; amending s. 196.031, F.S.; providing that a person or family unit receiving or claiming the benefit of certain ad valorem tax exemptions or tax credits in another state is entitled to the homestead exemption in this state if the person or family unit demonstrates certain conditions to the property appraiser; amending s. 196.121, F.S.; providing that homestead exemption forms prescribed by the Department of Revenue may include taxpayer information relating to such ad valorem tax exemptions or tax credits in another state; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 516—A bill to be entitled An act relating to campaign financing; amending s. 106.011, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "contribution" to conform to changes made by the act; amending ss. 106.07 and 106.0703, F.S.; revising the schedule governing campaign finance reporting for candidates, political committees, and electioneering com-

munications organizations; revising reporting requirements regarding transfers made by political committees and electioneering communications organizations, to conform; creating s. 106.38, F.S.; prohibiting a political committee or an electioneering communications organization from transferring funds to certain entities; providing a transitional provision regarding final monthly reports by candidates, political committees, and electioneering communications organizations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Gruters, Cruz, Pizzo, and Baxley—

**SB 518**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cardiac screening for newborns; amending s. 383.318, F.S.; revising components that are included in the postpartum evaluation and followup care required to be provided by birth centers to include a cardiac screening of the newborn; amending s. 395.1053, F.S.; requiring hospitals that provide birthing services to provide a postpartum evaluation that includes the cardiovascular screening of each newborn; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Gruters and Rouson-

**SB 520**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drones; amending s. 934.50, F.S.; expanding the authorized uses of drones by law enforcement agencies and other specified entities for specified purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 522—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cruelty to dogs; amending s. 828.12, F.S.; prohibiting a person from leaving a dog outside and unattended during certain weather events; providing a criminal penalty; providing a fine; defining the term "restraint"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters—

SB 524—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a sales tax holiday for disaster preparedness supplies; providing exemptions from the sales and use tax for specified disaster preparedness supplies during a specified timeframe; providing applicability for certain exemptions; specifying locations where the exemptions do not apply; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

**SB 526**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to charter schools; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; prohibiting specified individuals and entities from submitting an application to open a charter school for specified periods of time; providing an exception; defining the term "relative" for the purpose of applying the prohibition; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 528—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonemergency medical transportation services; amending s. 401.25, F.S.; authorizing certain transportation brokers and licensed basic life support or licensed advanced life support ambulance services to provide nonemergency Medicaid transportation in permitted ambulances in any county at the request of a certain eligible plan and without obtaining a certain certificate; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senators Gruters, Flores, Farmer, Stewart, Rouson, Cruz, Berman, Harrell, Gibson, Bracy, Pizzo, Hooper, and Torres—

SB 530—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the entertainment industry; creating the Film, Television, and Digital Media Targeted Rebate Program within the Department of Economic Opportunity under the supervision of the Commissioner of Film and Entertainment; providing purposes for the program; defining terms; requiring that film, television, and digital media projects being produced in this state meet specified criteria for rebate eligibility; authorizing applicants to receive rebates up to a specified amount, including bonuses; requiring an applicant that receives funding to make a good faith effort to use existing providers of infrastructure or equipment in this state and to employ residents of this state; requiring the commissioner to set application windows for the rebate; providing requirements for the department relating to earmarking and setting aside rebate funds; providing procedures and requirements for applicants applying for the rebate; requiring the commissioner to take specified action within a reasonable period of time; requiring the Florida Film and Entertainment Advisory Council to determine a score for each qualified project using specified criteria; requiring the commissioner to determine the priority order and scoring system of the specified criteria with assistance from the council and certain other persons; requiring the council to use certain criteria; requiring the commissioner to take certain actions relating to the certification or rejection of qualified projects in a timely manner; requiring the department to earmark and set aside funding necessary to fund the total maximum that may be awarded to the certified projects, if funds are available; requiring the commissioner to develop a process to verify the actual qualified expenditures of a certified project after the project's work in this state is complete; providing requirements for the verification process; requiring that the rebate be issued within a reasonable period of time upon approval of the final rebate amount by the department; requiring that unallocated rebate funds and rebate funds allocated but not awarded during a fiscal year roll over to the next fiscal year; requiring that certain marketing be included with a project; requiring certified projects to allow certain persons to visit the production site upon request of the commissioner and after providing the commissioner with reasonable notice; specifying that the commissioner or his or her affiliate is not required to visit the production site; requiring the department to disqualify a project under certain circumstances; providing for liability and imposing civil penalties for an applicant that submits fraudulent information; providing for rulemaking; requiring the commissioner to provide an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature on a specified date; providing for the expiration of the program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Appropriations.

By Senator Cruz—

SB 532—A bill to be entitled An act relating to developmental disabilities; providing a short title; amending s. 393.063, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "developmental disability"; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Diaz and Baxley-

SB 534—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 1001.10, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education to maintain a disqualification list that includes the identities of certain persons; providing requirements for the disqualification list; authorizing the department to remove a person from the disqualification list if certain conditions are met; requiring the department to adopt rules; requiring the department to provide certain staff with access to information from such disqualification list; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; requiring district school boards to investigate certain complaints and report certain results of such investigations to the department; requiring the department to place a person who is terminated, or resigns in lieu of termination, for a certain reason on the disqualification list; requiring district school boards to adopt policies establishing standards of ethical conduct for educational support employees; requiring district school boards to disqualify educational support employees from employment in certain circumstances; requiring district school boards to report a disqualified person to the department for inclusion on the disqualification list; revising the circumstances for which a school board official shall forfeit his or her salary for 1 year; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; prohibiting an individual who is on the disqualification list from being employed by a charter school or serving as a member of a charter school governing board; requiring a charter school to disqualify certain persons and make a report to the department for inclusion of the person on the disqualification list; requiring charter school governing boards to adopt policies establishing standards of ethical conduct for certain employees; requiring charter schools to perform a certain screening before employing a person in any position that requires direct contact with students; requiring charter schools to comply with a specified provision; assigning duties to certain charter school administrative personnel and a charter school governing board; amending s. 1002.421, F.S.; requiring certain private schools to adopt policies establishing standards of ethical conduct for certain employees; revising requirements for certain private schools relating to employment; requiring certain private schools to disqualify certain persons and make a report to the department for the inclusion of the person on the disqualification list; authorizing the Commissioner of Education to deny or revoke the authority of an owner or operator of a certain private school to establish or operate a private school under certain conditions; requiring the commissioner to include such person on the disqualification list; amending s. 1002.45, F.S.; revising virtual instruction program provider qualifications for department approval; expanding the screening requirements for employees and personnel of an approved virtual instruction program provider; requiring an approved virtual instruction program provider to disqualify certain persons and make a report to the department for inclusion of the person on the disqualification list; requiring an approved virtual instruction program provider to comply with a specified provision; requiring an approved virtual instruction program provider to inform the district school board of a certain complaint; amending s. 1006.061, F.S.; requiring certain schools to include information related to certain employees in a required posting; amending s. 1012.31, F.S.; clarifying a school district reporting requirement; amending s. 1012.315, F.S.; expanding ineligibility for educator certification or employment to persons who are on the disqualification list; amending s. 1012.32, F.S.; expanding requirements for screening of certain personnel of a virtual instruction program; prohibiting district school boards from requiring additional background screening of certain employees and personnel; amending s. 1012.795, F.S.; expanding the authority of the Education Practices Commission to discipline certain employees and personnel; amending s. 1012.796, F.S.; requiring the department to complete an investigation before issuing a new educator certificate to certain persons; clarifying the duty of a district school board to perform certain investigations; requiring certain entities to report certain arrests and allegations of misconduct of certain employees, personnel, and administrators to the department; requiring district school boards to adopt certain policies and procedures regarding educational support employees; requiring school superintendents to report certain misconduct of educational support employees to the department; requiring the department to include certain employees, personnel, and administrators on the disqualification list; requiring the department to maintain certain reports of misconduct; clarifying the department's duty to investigate certificated personnel; requiring a district school superintendent to suspend and reassign educational support employees for a certain allegation of misconduct; expanding penalties that may be imposed by the commission; authorizing the commission to direct the department to include a certain person on the disqualification list for

certain conduct; prohibiting persons on the disqualification list from serving or applying to serve as employees or contract personnel at certain institutions; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 1012.797, F.S.; expanding the list of entities that law enforcement agencies must notify of certain charges; requiring law enforcement agencies to notify certain institutions of certain charges against employees or contractors; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 536—A bill to be entitled An act relating to charter schools; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; conforming provisions relating to changes made by the act; establishing the High-Performing Charter School Council; providing the purpose of the council; providing for membership of the council; providing that applications submitted to the council must comply with specified requirements; providing the review process for applications for charter schools submitted to the council; providing the process for approving or denying a charter school application submitted to the council; requiring the council to submit a written recommendation to the State Board of Education as to whether an application should be approved or denied within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for such recommendation; providing construction; requiring the state board to accept or deny such recommendation within a specified timeframe; providing the process for the acceptance or denial of such recommendation; providing construction; authorizing charter school sponsors and applicants to provide input to the state board regarding the council's recommendation; requiring the Commissioner of Education to receive and make such input available to the state board within a specified timeframe; providing grounds on which the council may recommend denial of, or the state board may deny, an application submitted by a high-performing charter school or a high-performing charter school system; providing construction; amending s. 1002.331, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; deleting a requirement that the commissioner provide a letter to the sponsor verifying that a charter school meets specified criteria; amending s. 1002.332, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 538—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency reporting; creating s. 252.351, F.S.; requiring a county or municipality to report certain incidents to the State Watch Office within the Division of Emergency Management; authorizing the division to establish guidelines to specify additional information that must be provided by a reporting county or municipality; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Rader-

SB 540—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance guaranty associations; creating s. 626.8621, F.S.; authorizing certain guaranty association employees to adjust losses for the Florida Insurance Guaranty Association if certain conditions are met; amending s. 631.54, F.S.; redefining the term "net direct written premiums" as "direct written premiums" and revising the definition of that term; amending s. 631.57, F.S.; deleting a calculation of initial estimated assessments levied by the Office of Insurance Regulation on insurers in the Florida Insurance Guaranty Association; providing that a notice requirement for initial assessments applies to emergency assessments; revising the frequency of payable installments for assessments if an installment method is elected by the association; revising the basis of calculating initial payments of assessments for certain insurers; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending ss. 625.012, 631.59, and 631.912, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 631.914, F.S.; deleting a calculation of initial estimated assessments levied by the office on insurers in the Florida Workers' Compensation

Insurance Guaranty Association; revising the method for calculating assessments; authorizing the association to audit certain reports by insurers and self-insurance funds; specifying a requirement for the office in levying policy surcharges; revising a procedure for collecting policy surcharges; revising an installment method of payments to apply to policy surcharges rather than to assessments; revising requirements if the association elects to require insurers to remit assessments before surcharging policies; revising a requirement for annual reconciliation reports by insurers; revising construction; revising the applicability of premium taxes, fees, and commissions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 542—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a back-to-school sales tax holiday; providing exemptions from the sales and use tax on the retail sale of certain clothing, wallets, bags, school supplies, personal computers, and personal computer-related accessories during specified timeframes; defining terms; specifying locations where the exemptions do not apply; authorizing certain dealers to opt out of participating in the tax holiday, subject to certain requirements; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 544—A bill to be entitled An act relating to husband-wife communications privilege; amending s. 90.504, F.S.; providing that the privilege for husband-wife communications does not apply in certain civil or criminal proceedings involving child victims, to the extent that the communications concern certain conduct; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez-

**SR 546**—A resolution condemning the oppression of the Nicaraguan people under President Daniel Ortega.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Rodriguez and Berman—

SB 548—A bill to be entitled An act relating to firearms; amending s. 790.065, F.S.; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to include on a standard form certain questions concerning a potential firearm buyer's or transferee's criminal history and other information relating to the person's eligibility to make the firearm purchase; requiring the department to notify certain law enforcement agencies when a potential sale or transfer receives a nonapproval number; providing requirements for the notification of nonapproval; requiring that, if neither party to a prospective firearms sale, lease, or transfer is a licensed dealer, the parties must complete the sale, lease, or transfer through a licensed dealer; specifying procedures and requirements for a licensed dealer, seller, lessor, or transferor and a buyer, lessee, or transferee, including a required background check; providing applicability; revising the applicability of certain requirements imposed on licensed importers, licensed manufacturers, or licensed dealers; revising applicability of the prohibition against certain sales or deliveries of firearms to include certain purchases, trades, and transfers of a rifle or shotgun; deleting provisions exempting, under certain circumstances, a licensed importer, licensed manufacturer, or licensed dealer from the sale and delivery requirements; deleting provisions authorizing a licensee to complete the sale or transfer of a firearm to a person without receiving notification from the department informing the licensee as to whether the person is prohibited from receipt or possession of a firearm or providing a unique

approval number; prohibiting the sale or transfer, or facilitation of a sale or transfer, of a firearm to a person younger than a certain age by any person or entity; revising an exception to the prohibitions; amending s. 790.335, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Brandes and Perry-

**SB 550**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; amending s. 921.00241, F.S.; revising the criteria under which certain offenders sentenced after a specified date may be sentenced to a nonstate prison sanction under a prison diversion program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Brandes and Perry-

SB 552—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; amending s. 775.082, F.S.; revising the threshold of total sentence points below which a court must sentence nonviolent felony offenders who commit certain offenses and are sentenced on or after a specified date to a nonstate prison sanction; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Brandes and Perry-

SB 554—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; amending s. 921.0026, F.S.; revising the mitigating circumstances under which a departure from the lowest permissible sentence is reasonably justified; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; reenacting ss. 775.08435(1)(b), (c), and (d), 921.002(3), and 921.00265(1), F.S., all relating to mitigating circumstances, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 921.0026, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Brandes, Perry, and Bracy-

SB 556—A bill to be entitled An act relating to inmate conditional medical release; creating s. 945.0911, F.S.; establishing the conditional medical release program within the Department of Corrections; establishing a panel to consider specified matters; defining terms; providing for program eligibility; requiring any inmate who meets certain criteria to be considered for conditional medical release; providing that the inmate does not have a right to release or to a certain medical evaluation; requiring the department to identify eligible inmates; requiring the department to refer an inmate to the panel for consideration; providing for victim notification in certain circumstances; requiring the panel to conduct a hearing within a specified timeframe; specifying requirements for the hearing; providing a review process for an inmate who is denied release; providing conditions for release; providing that a medical releasee remains in the care, custody, supervision, and control of the department and is eligible to earn or lose gain-time; prohibiting a medical releasee or his or her community-based housing from being counted in the prison system population and the prison capacity figures, respectively; providing for the revocation of an inmate's conditional medical release; authorizing the medical releasee to be returned to the department's custody if his or her medical or physical condition improves; requiring a majority of the panel members to agree on the appropriateness of revocation; providing that gain-time is not forfeited for revocation based on improvement in the inmate's condition; providing a review process for an inmate who has his or her release revoked; authorizing the medical releasee to be recommitted if he or she violates any conditions of the release; requiring that the medical releasee be detained if a violation is based on certain circumstances; requiring that a majority of the panel members agree on the appropriateness of revocation; authorizing the forfeiture of gain-time if the revocation is based on certain violations; providing a review process for an inmate who has his or her release revoked; requiring that the medical releasee be given specified information in certain instances; providing rule-making authority; repealing s. 947.149, F.S., relating to conditional medical release; amending ss. 316.1935, 775.084, 775.087, 784.07, 790.235, 794.0115, 893.135, 921.0024, 944.605, 944.70, 947.13, and 947.141, F.S.; conforming cross-references to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 558—A bill to be entitled An act relating to large-capacity magazines; creating s. 790.236, F.S.; defining the term "large-capacity magazine"; prohibiting the sale, transfer, or possession of large-capacity magazines; providing criminal penalties; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Criminal Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Brandes and Perry-

SB 560—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; amending s. 921.002, F.S.; renaming the Criminal Punishment Code as the Public Safety Code; revising the primary purpose of sentencing under the Public Safety Code from punishing an offender to public safety; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 775.082, 775.087, 782.051, 817.568, 893.13, 893.20, 910.035, 921.0022, 921.0023, 921.0024, 921.0025, 921.0026, 921.0027, 924.06, 924.07, 944.17, 948.01, 948.015, 948.06, 948.20, 948.51, 958.04, and 985.465, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 562—A bill to be entitled An act relating to use of force by law enforcement officers; amending s. 776.05, F.S.; defining terms; revising the circumstances under which a law enforcement officer is authorized to use objectively reasonable force; revising the circumstances under which a law enforcement officer is authorized to use deadly force; prohibiting a law enforcement officer from using deadly force against a person under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 564—A bill to be entitled An act relating to murder; amending s. 782.04, F.S.; revising the elements of murder in the first degree and murder in the second degree; revising the elements of what constitutes felony murder, for murder in the second degree; deleting provisions relating to felony murder, for murder in the third degree; creating s. 782.041, F.S.; authorizing persons convicted under certain murder provisions to file a petition with the sentencing court to have his or her murder conviction vacated or to be resentenced, as applicable, on or after a specified date; amending ss. 27.401, 394.912, 775.0823, 782.065, 921.0022, 944.275, 947.146, and 948.012, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 921.0024, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 566-A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited discrimination; providing a short title; amending s. 420.516, F.S.; providing that it is unlawful for sponsors under the Florida Housing Finance Corporation Act to discriminate against any person or family because of a protected hairstyle; amending s. 760.01, F.S.; revising the purposes of the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992 to conform to changes made by the act; reordering and amending s. 760.02, F.S.; defining the term "protected hairstyle"; amending s. 760.05, F.S.; revising the functions of the Florida Commission on Human Relations to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 760.07, F.S.; revising provisions regarding remedies for unlawful discrimination to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 760.10, F.S.; adding protected hairstyle as impermissible grounds for discrimination with respect to specified unlawful employment practices; amending s. 760.23, F.S.; adding protected hairstyle as impermissible grounds for discrimination with respect to specified unlawful practices relating to the sale and rental of housing; amending s. 760.25, F.S.; adding protected hairstyle as impermissible grounds for discrimination with respect to specified practices relating to the financing of housing and real estate transactions; amending s. 1000.05, F.S.; defining the term "protected hairstyle"; prohibiting discrimination based on protected hairstyle in the Florida K-20 public education system; amending s. 1002.20, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; reenacting s. 420.5087(6)(i), F.S., relating to the State Apartment Incentive Loan Program, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 420.516, F.S.; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 568—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop a Guardian Ad Litem license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of such plates; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 570—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; creating a fee for a certain specialty license plate; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senators Brandes and Perry—

SB 572-A bill to be entitled An act relating to extension of confinement; amending s. 944.275, F.S.; specifying that an inmate is not eligible to receive specified incentive gain-time if such gain-time would result in the prisoner's release from the care, custody, supervision, or control of the Department of Corrections; requiring that participation in specified programs be credited toward satisfaction of specified portions of a sentence; amending s. 945.091, F.S.; authorizing the department to extend the limits of confinement to allow an inmate to participate in supervised community release, subject to certain requirements, as prescribed by the department by rule; providing that an inmate participating in such supervised community release is considered to be in the custody, care, supervision, and control of the department; authorizing the department to terminate the inmate's supervised community release under certain circumstances; providing that an inmate participating in supervised community release is eligible to earn or lose gaintime, subject to certain restrictions; prohibiting the inmate from being counted in the population of the prison system; prohibiting the inmate's approved community-based housing location from being counted in the capacity figures for the prison system; reenacting ss. 775.084(4)(k) and 921.002(1)(e), F.S., relating to violent criminals and habitual offenders and the Criminal Punishment Code, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 944.275, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 946.503(2), F.S., relating to the definition of the term "correctional work program" to incorporate the amendment made to s. 945.091, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Brandes and Perry-

SB 574-A bill to be entitled An act relating to aging inmate conditional release; creating s. 945.0912, F.S.; establishing the conditional aging inmate release program within the Department of Corrections; establishing a panel to consider specified matters; providing for program eligibility; requiring that an inmate who meets certain criteria be considered for conditional aging inmate release; providing that the inmate does not have a right to release; requiring the department to identify eligible inmates; requiring the department to refer an inmate to the panel for consideration; providing victim notification requirements under certain circumstances; requiring the panel to conduct a hearing within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for the hearing; providing a review process for an inmate who is denied release; providing conditions for release; prohibiting an aging releasee or his or her community-based housing from being counted in the prison system population and the prison capacity figures, respectively; providing for the revocation of an aging inmate release; requiring the aging releasee to be detained if a violation is based on certain circumstances; authorizing the aging releasee to be returned to the department if he or she violates any conditions of the release; requiring a majority of the panel to agree on the appropriateness of revocation; authorizing the forfeiture of gain-time if the revocation is based on certain violations; providing a review process for an inmate who has his or her released revoked; requiring the aging releasee to be given specified information in certain instances; providing rulemaking authority; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Gruters and Hutson-

SB 576—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the research and development tax credit; amending s. 220.196, F.S.; deleting a limitation on industries that qualify for the research and development credit against the corporate income tax; increasing the combined total amount of credits which may be granted to business enterprises during any calendar year; requiring that a specified amount of credits be allocated to certain qualified cleantech businesses; authorizing the Department of Revenue to allocate such amount that is not fully allocated to other qualifying businesses; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy—

SB 578—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile justice; amending s. 985.03, F.S.; redefining the term "child"; creating s. 985.031, F.S.; prohibiting children younger than a certain age from being adjudicated delinquent, arrested, or charged with a crime; amending s. 985.101, F.S.; authorizing children of at least a specified age, rather than of any age, to be taken into custody under certain circumstances; authorizing children of specified ages to be taken into custody or arrested only under certain circumstances; providing construction; authorizing a child enrolled in a primary or secondary school to be taken into custody or arrested only under certain circumstances; providing construction; amending s. 985.24, F.S.; requiring that children who are taken into custody pursuant to certain circuit court orders be treated in a specified manner and be detained only pursuant to specified findings; reenacting s. 316.003(11), F.S., relating to the definition of the term "child," to incorporate the amendment made to s. 985.03, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting ss. 960.001(1)(b) and 985.439(2), F.S., both relating to children being taken into custody, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 985.101, F.S., in references

thereto; reenacting s. 985.25(1), F.S., relating to a detention intake, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 985.24, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 580—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Uniform Partition of Heirs Property Act; designating part I of ch. 64, F.S., entitled "General Provisions"; creating part II of ch. 64, F.S., entitled "Uniform Partition of Heirs Property Act"; creating s. 64.201, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 64.202, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 64.203, F.S.; providing applicability; providing requirements relating to the court determination of heirs property; specifying the relation of the act to other law; creating s. 64.204, F.S.; providing for service and notice; creating s. 64.205, F.S.; providing for appointment and qualifications of commissioners; creating s. 64.206, F.S.; providing for the determination of property value; creating s. 64.207, F.S.; providing for buyout of cotenants; creating s. 64.208, F.S.; providing for alternatives to partition; creating s. 64.209, F.S.; providing factors to be considered in determining whether partition in kind may be ordered; creating s. 64.210, F.S.; providing for sale of property through open-market sale, sealed bids, or auction; creating s. 64.211, F.S.; providing requirements for reporting of an open-market sale of property; creating s. 64.212, F.S.; providing for uniformity of application and construction; creating s. 64.213, F.S.; specifying the relation of the act to the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act; providing an effective

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senators Bracy and Rouson-

SB 582—A bill to be entitled An act relating to students participating in intercollegiate athletics; creating s. 1004.098, F.S.; prohibiting a postsecondary educational institution from upholding any rule, requirement, standard, or limitation that prevents students participating in intercollegiate athletics from earning specified compensation; prohibiting certain organizations from preventing such students from earning specified compensation; prohibiting certain organizations from preventing postsecondary educational institutions from participating in intercollegiate athletics under certain circumstances; prohibiting postsecondary educational institutions and certain organizations from providing compensation to prospective students under certain conditions; prohibiting certain entities from preventing students participating in intercollegiate athletics from obtaining professional representation; providing requirements for such representation; providing that specified scholarships are not considered compensation; prohibiting the revocation of scholarships for specified reasons; prohibiting students participating in intercollegiate athletics from entering into contracts that meet certain criteria; providing student disclosure requirements for certain contracts; providing requirements for such disclosure; providing postsecondary education institution requirements for conflicts with specified contracts; providing requirements for specified contracts; providing applicability; providing definitions; providing for regulations and rulemaking; requiring the Chancellor of the Florida College System to convene a College System Athlete Name, Image, and Likeness Task Force; providing membership, meeting requirements, and duties of the task force; requiring the task force to submit a report by a certain date; providing for the expiration of the task force; providing an effective

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 584—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Council on Physician Assistants; amending ss. 458.347 and 459.022, F.S.; revising requirements relating to the Council on Physician Assistants membership; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Rodriguez and Berman—

SB 586—A bill to be entitled An act relating to firearms; amending s. 790.065, F.S.; requiring that, if neither party to a firearm sale or transfer is a licensed importer, licensed manufacturer, or licensed dealer, all other sales or transfers may be conducted only between two persons who have valid concealed weapons or firearms licenses; requiring such a seller or transferor to retain a copy of the buyer's or transferee's concealed weapons or firearms license and the serial number of the firearm sold; creating a civil cause of action; revising applicability; deleting applicability; expanding the applicability of certain criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rouson-

**SB 588**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the enforcement of school attendance; amending s. 1003.26, F.S.; authorizing district school boards and charter school governing boards to allow a specified number of mental health days as excused absences for students; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 590—A bill to be entitled An act relating to clerks of the court; amending s. 40.29, F.S.; deleting a requirement that the Justice Administrative Commission provide funds to the clerks of the court to compensate jurors and pay for certain expenses and certain jury-related personnel costs; amending s. 213.131, F.S.; providing the purpose of the Clerks of the Court Trust Fund within the Department of Revenue; requiring the distribution of certain funds to cover projected revenue deficits; requiring the Florida Clerks of Court Operations Corporation to conduct an end-of-year reconciliation of certain funds to ensure that the clerks of the court receive approved budget amounts; requiring the department to deposit certain funds into the trust fund for purposes of compensating jurors and paying certain expenses and certain jury-related personnel costs; providing requirements relating to such reimbursement; specifying that the clerks of the court are responsible for any such costs that exceed the amount appropriated by the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

**SB 592**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the identification of underground facilities; amending s. 556.101, F.S.; deleting a preemption to the state for the regulation of the types of paint or marking device or the removal of such marks that are used to identify underground facilities; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Benacquisto—

SB 594—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Statutes; amending ss. 11.2421, 11.2422, 11.2424, and 11.2425, F.S.; adopting the Florida Statutes 2020 and designating the portions thereof that are to constitute the official law of the state; providing that the Florida Statutes 2020 shall be effective immediately upon publication; providing that general laws enacted during the 2019 regular session and prior thereto and not included in the Florid Statutes 2020 are repealed;

providing that general laws enacted after the 2019 regular session are not repealed by this adoption act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules.

By Senator Benacquisto—

SB 596—A reviser's bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Statutes; amending ss. 14.20195, 16.618, 20.23, 27.52, 27.53, 27.710,  $28.22205,\ 28.35,\ 28.36,\ 39.821,\ 61.125,\ 63.212,\ 68.096,\ 73.015,\ 97.053,$ 101.161, 101.657, 110.233, 112.63, 117.021, 117.245, 117.265, 121.051, 161.74, 163.3178, 163.356, 166.0493, 177.503, 185.35, 186.801, 196.011, 206.11, 211.3103, 212.06, 212.08, 212.186, 212.20, 213.053, 220.02, 220.13, 220.193, 252.365, 259.037, 265.707, 282.318, 287.055, 287.09451, 287.134, 288.955, 295.016, 295.017, 295.13, 298.225, 316.193, 316.306, 316.5501, 318.18, 319.14, 320.08058, 320.77, 320.771, 320.8225, 320.8251, 328.72, 343.922, 350.113, 364.10, 365.172, 369.305, 373.4592, 376.301, 376.3071, 376.86, 377.703, 379.2291, 379.245,  $379.366,\ 379.372,\ 381.02035,\ 381.986,\ 383.2162,\ 393.115,\ 394.499,$ 395.1041, 395.40, 400.063, 400.191, 402.22, 403.703, 403.7065, 403.8163, 403.854, 408.036, 408.7057, 408.809, 409.964, 409.971, 409.978, 411.226, 411.228, 413.271, 420.9071, 420.9075, 429.55, 430.0402, 440.103, 443.131, 446.021, 458.3475, 458.351, 459.0055, 459.023, 464.019, 465.0235, 471.005, 480.046, 482.227, 491.009, 494.00611, 497.262, 497.607, 506.20, 509.096, 526.143, 534.041, 553.79, 553.791, 563.06, 578.11, 581.184, 607.0141, 607.0732, 624.4055, $624.40711,\ 624.610,\ 625.091,\ 625.161,\ 626.785,\ 626.9913,\ 626.99175,$ 626.992, 627.021, 627.4133, 627.4147, 627.443, 627.6561, 634.061, 636.228, 641.31, 641.3155, 651.105, 695.27, 716.02, 732.603, 760.80, 768.042, 768.1326, 768.21, 774.203, 790.333, 810.011, 843.085, 900.05, 944.613, 948.062, 1002.385, 1003.52, 1004.435, 1004.79, 1006.63, 1007.271, 1009.22, 1009.531, 1011.32, 1011.45, 1013.45, 1013.735, F.S.; reenacting and amending s. 1002.395, F.S.; reenacting ss. 112.31455, 121.71, 282.201, 960.07, 985.26, and 985.265, F.S.; and repealing ss. 316.0896 and 335.067, F.S.; deleting provisions that have expired, have become obsolete, have had their effect, have served their purpose, or have been impliedly repealed or superseded; replacing incorrect crossreferences and citations; correcting grammatical, typographical, and like errors; removing inconsistencies, redundancies, and unnecessary repetition in the statutes; and improving the clarity of the statutes and facilitating their correct interpretation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules.

By Senator Benacquisto—

**SB 598**—A reviser's bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Statutes; repealing ss. 43.19, 45.033(3)(d), 45.034, 110.123(3)(k), 39.135(5)(b)-(d), 343.1001, 343.1002, 343.1003, 343.1004, 343.1005, 343.1006, 343.1008, 343.1010, 343.1011, 343.1012, 343.1013, 375.075(4), 403.087(10), 427.013(30), 466.051, 627.715(4), 766.107, 937.041, 1011.03(2), 1011.60(8), and 1011.64, F.S., to delete provisions which have become inoperative by noncurrent repeal or expiration and, pursuant to s. 11.242(5)(b) and (i), F.S., may be omitted from the 2020 Florida Statutes only through a reviser's bill duly enacted by the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules.

By Senator Benacquisto-

SB 600—A reviser's bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Statutes; amending ss. 39.202, 106.07, 206.028, 216.102, 250.03, 250.08, 250.115, 259.032, and 286.29, F.S., and repealing s. 260.017, F.S., to conform to the directive of the Legislature in section 9 of chapter 2012-116, Laws of Florida, codified as section 11.242(5)(j), Florida Statutes, to prepare a reviser's bill to omit all statutes and laws, or parts thereof, which grant duplicative, redundant, or unused rulemaking authority; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules.

By Senator Montford-

SB 602—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Open Educational Resources Grant Program; creating s. 1004.086, F.S.; establishing the Open Educational Resources Grant Program; requiring the Department of Education and the Board of Governors to administer the program; providing the purpose of the program; defining the term "open educational resources"; providing for application requirements and the application process of the program; requiring participating state universities to use grant funds for a specified purpose; requiring the department to adopt rules; authorizing the board to adopt regulations; specifying that implementation of the program is subject to legislative appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bean-

SB 604—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; revising the definition of "abandoned" or "abandonment"; amending s. 39.0137, F.S.; providing that certain state laws relating to children do not supersede the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act; requiring the Department of Children and Families to ensure that the act is observed in certain cases; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Bean-

**SB 606**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to anchoring limitation areas; amending s. 327.4108, F.S.; designating specified waterways as anchoring limitation areas; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senators Pizzo and Gruters-

SB 608—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health education; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; requiring health education instruction for certain students to include age-appropriate water safety instruction; providing requirements for such instruction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Powell and Farmer-

SB 610-A bill to be entitled An act relating to direct filing of an information; amending s. 985.265, F.S.; revising provisions concerning the housing of children held in detention; prohibiting a child who has been transferred to adult court for criminal prosecution pursuant to direct file from being held in a jail or other facility used for the detention of adults prior to a specified hearing to determine if the child should be prosecuted as an adult; amending s. 985.557, F.S.; deleting references to the state attorney's discretion to direct file a juvenile; revising discretionary direct file criteria; requiring a court to advise a child and his or her parent or guardian of their right to a certain due process evidentiary hearing upon a state attorney filing an information transferring a child to adult court; authorizing the child or the child's parent or guardian to request an evidentiary hearing; requiring the judge to conduct the hearing within a certain timeframe; requiring a judge to consider specified information and factors; authorizing a judge to consider certain reports; providing for continued jurisdiction with regard to the child; providing an exception; requiring the adult court to render an order that includes certain findings; authorizing review of the order; reenacting s. 985.556(3), F.S., relating to involuntary mandatory waivers, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 985.557, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell-

**SB 612**—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 referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senators Powell and Torres-

SB 614—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Complete Count Committee; creating the committee adjunct to the Department of State for specified purposes; specifying the membership of the committee; providing for the appointment of members and filling of vacancies; prescribing duties of the committee and the department; requiring each state agency to designate a census coordinator; defining the term "state agency"; prescribing reporting requirements; providing for expiration of the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell-

**SB 616**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to background screening; creating s. 435.13, F.S.; prohibiting employers from excluding applicants from an initial interview for employment under certain conditions; providing a civil penalty; providing applicability; providing exceptions; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to enforce the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell-

SB 618—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the detention of children; amending s. 985.265, F.S.; prohibiting the holding of a child awaiting trial who is treated as an adult for purposes of criminal prosecution in a jail or other facility intended or used for the detention of adults; providing an exception; requiring the court to consider specified factors in making a certain determination; providing a requirement and a prohibition if a court determines that it is in the interest of justice to allow a child to be held in a jail or other facility intended or used for the detention of adults; deleting provisions under which a court is required to order the delivery of a child to a jail or other facility intended or used for the detention of adults; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 620—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Firefighters' Bill of Rights; amending s. 112.81, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 112.82, F.S.; requiring that witnesses be interviewed and certain information be provided to a firefighter subjected to interrogation before the interrogation is conducted; authorizing a firefighter to provide a voluntary statement at any time after being informed of a certain right; prohibiting a firefighter from being threatened with certain disciplinary action during the course of an interrogation; requiring that a copy of the interrogation be provided to a firefighter within a specified timeframe, upon request; creating s. 112.825, F.S.; requiring that a firefighter be notified and provided certain information before certain disciplinary actions are taken; requiring that a firefighter be given the opportunity

to address certain findings; requiring that certain information be kept confidential and exempt in accordance with existing law; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senators Baxley and Cruz-

SB 622—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency allergy treatment; amending s. 381.88, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "authorized entity" to include state universities and Florida College System institutions; requiring, rather than authorizing, the Department of Health to adopt rules and perform certain duties; providing that educational training programs relating to the administration of epinephrine auto-injectors may be offered online; requiring that state universities and Florida College System institutions pay the costs associated with such training for certain personnel; authorizing the certification of such personnel to administer epinephrine auto-injectors in emergency situations; requiring state universities and Florida College system institutions to provide funding for the payment of application fees for such certification; requiring that a person issued a certificate to administer an epinephrine auto-injector submit an incident report within a specified timeframe after administering an epinephrine autoinjector; requiring that the department publish a summary of such incident reports annually; amending s. 381.885, F.S.; requiring, rather than authorizing, pharmacists to dispense epinephrine auto-injectors in certain circumstances; requiring, rather than authorizing, certain individuals to use epinephrine auto-injectors for specified purposes; requiring, rather than authorizing, authorized entities that acquire and stock a supply of epinephrine auto-injectors pursuant to a prescription issued by a health care practitioner to make auto-injectors available to certain individuals, who are required, rather than authorized, to administer an epinephrine auto-injector in certain situations and under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 624—A bill to be entitled An act relating to collective bargaining for instructional personnel; amending s. 1012.2315, F.S.; removing a requirement that each school district and the certified collective bargaining unit for instructional personnel within each district negotiate a specified memorandum of understanding; removing a requirement that certain certified collective bargaining units include specified information in their applications for renewal of registration; removing a requirement that certain employee organizations petition the Public Employees Relations Commission for recertification; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

SB 626—A bill to be entitled An act relating to HIV prevention; providing a short title; amending s. 381.0041, F.S.; providing that it is a felony for certain persons who have human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection to donate human tissue to persons who are not HIV infected, with an exception; amending s. 384.23, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 384.24, F.S.; expanding the scope of unlawful acts by a person infected with a sexually transmissible disease; providing that certain actions are not sufficient evidence to establish intent on the part of the person who transmits the disease; providing a definition; amending s. 384.34, F.S.; providing applicability of criminal penalties for specified violations; removing a fine for specified rule violations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell-

SB 628—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prosecuting children as adults; amending s. 985.556, F.S.; deleting provisions under which a state attorney either must request a court to transfer and certify children of certain ages who commit specified crimes for prosecution as adults or must provide written reasons to the court for not making such a request, or proceed under certain provisions; amending s. 985.557, F.S.; revising the circumstances under which a state attorney may file an information in cases that involve children of certain ages who commit certain crimes; amending s. 985.56, F.S.; providing that children 14 years of age or older, rather than children of any age, who are charged with certain offenses are subject to the jurisdiction of the court until an indictment is returned by the grand jury; prohibiting the transfer to adult court for criminal prosecution of a child who commits an indictable offense and who has a pending competency hearing or who previously has been found incompetent and has not been restored to competency by a court until the child's competency is restored; providing for the tolling of certain time limits; authorizing, rather than requiring, that a child who is found to have committed specified crimes be sentenced according to certain provisions; amending s. 985.03, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 985.565, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting ss. 985.15(1) and 985.265(5), F.S., relating to filing decisions and detention transfer and release, education, and adult jails, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 985.556, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 985.26(2)(c), F.S., relating to the length of detention, to incorporate the amendment to s. 985.56, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Mayfield-

**SB 630**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulation of smoking; amending s. 386.209, F.S.; authorizing municipalities and counties to further restrict smoking within the boundaries of certain public parks; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 632—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; expanding the information that charter schools must include on their websites; requiring specified teachers to have received, at a minimum, a bachelor's degree; revising requirements for all charter school facilities to include compliance with the State Requirements for Educational Facilities of the Florida Building Code; amending s. 1002.42, F.S.; revising the information the Department of Education requires in a specified database relating to private schools; requiring private schools to provide specified students with a certain amount of time for recess; requiring private school students to participate in the statewide assessment program; requiring private schools to establish curricula that comply with specified standards; requiring teachers employed by or working under contract with private schools to meet specified requirements; requiring private schools to comply with the State Requirements for Educational Facilities of the Florida Building Code; providing for injunctive relief under certain circumstances; authorizing attorney fees and costs; amending s. 1003.455, F.S.; deleting an exception relating to charter schools' compliance with a specified provision; amending s. 1008.34, F.S.; requiring private schools to be graded according to specified rules; requiring private schools to assess at least 95 percent of eligible students; deleting obsolete language; requiring the department to annually develop, in collaboration with private schools, a school report card that private schools would provide to parents; amending s. 1013.385, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; reenacting ss. 163.3180(6)(h), 1002.32(9)(c), and 1002.345(1)(a), F.S., relating to concurrency, developmental research (laboratory) schools' funding, and determination of deteriorating financial conditions and financial emergencies for charter schools and charter technical career centers, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 1002.33, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting ss. 1002.385(2)(g), 1002.421(1),

and 1007.271(2), F.S., relating to the Gardiner Scholarship, state school choice scholarship program accountability and oversight, and dual enrollment programs, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 1002.42, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell—

**SB 634**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the lawful ownership, possession, and use of firearms and weapons; amending s. 790.25, F.S.; prohibiting a person from owning, possessing, and lawfully using firearms and other weapons, ammunition, and supplies while engaging in certain lawful uses if he or she is within a specified distance of the real property of certain locations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel-

SB 636—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; amending s. 319.40, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles or its authorized agents to collect electronic mail addresses and use electronic mail for certain purposes; requiring that all electronic mail addresses be made available to the department or its authorized agents upon request; amending ss. 320.95 and 322.08, F.S.; authorizing the department or its authorized agents to collect electronic mail addresses or verified texting numbers and use electronic mail or text messages in lieu of the United States Postal Service for certain purposes; requiring that all electronic mail addresses be made available to the department or its authorized agents upon request; amending s. 328.30, F.S.; limiting the applications the department may accept by electronic or telephonic means; authorizing the department or its authorized agents to collect electronic mail addresses or verified texting numbers and use electronic mail or text messages in lieu of the United States Postal Service for certain purposes; requiring that all electronic mail addresses be made available to the department or its authorized agents upon request; amending s. 328.40, F.S.; requiring that certain records made or kept by the department be subject to inspection and copying; amending s. 328.80, F.S.; authorizing the department, instead of the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, to accept certain applications by electronic or telephonic means; authorizing the department or its authorized agents to collect electronic mail addresses or verified texting numbers and use electronic mail or text messages in lieu of the United States Postal Service for certain purposes; requiring that all electronic mail addresses be made available to the department or its authorized agents upon request; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Montford-

SB 638—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Apalachicola Environmental Stewardship Act; providing a short title; amending s. 259.105, F.S.; appropriating a sum annually for a specified timeframe from the Florida Forever Fund to the Apalachicola Area of Critical State Concern for specified purposes; amending s. 380.0555, F.S.; renaming the Apalachicola Bay Area of Critical State Concern as the Apalachicola Area of Critical State Concern; deleting obsolete language; making technical changes; providing additional principles for guiding development within the Apalachicola Area of Critical State Concern to include projects that protect and improve water quality; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 640—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Indian River Lagoon State Matching Grant Program; creating s. 373.4594, F.S.; providing that certain projects identified in a specified Indian River Lagoon Comprehensive Conservation and Management Plan are eligible for state funding consideration; directing the Department of Environmental Protection to coordinate with the South Florida Water Management District and the St. Johns River Water Management District to identify projects and grant recipients and to submit an annual report to the Governor, the Legislature, and specified persons; requiring certain county and municipal governments to submit annual reports to the department and appropriate water management districts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

SB 642—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senator Braynon-

SB 644-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Civil Rights Act; amending s. 509.092, F.S.; prohibiting discrimination on the basis of height or weight in public lodging and food service establishments; amending s. 760.01, F.S.; revising the general purpose of the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992; amending s. 760.05, F.S.; revising the function of the Florida Commission on Human Relations; amending s. 760.07, F.S.; providing civil and administrative remedies for discrimination on the basis of height or weight; amending s. 760.08, F.S.; prohibiting discrimination on the basis of height or weight in places of public accommodation; amending s. 760.10, F.S.; prohibiting employment discrimination on the basis of height or weight; prohibiting discrimination on the basis of height or weight by employment agencies, labor organizations, and joint labor-management committees; prohibiting discrimination on the basis of height or weight in occupational licensing, certification, and membership organizations; providing an exception to unlawful employment practices based on height or weight; reenacting s. 760.11(1), F.S., relating to administrative and civil remedies for violations of the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 760.10(5), F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Mayfield-

SB 646—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary student athletes; providing a short title; amending s. 743.08, F.S.; providing requirements for contracts made by a minor or his or her parent or guardian relating to the licensing of the minor's name, image, or likeness while participating in intercollegiate athletics; creating s.  $1004.098, F.S.; prohibiting \ a \ postsecondary \ educational \ institution \ from$ preventing students participating in intercollegiate athletics from earning specified compensation; prohibiting certain organizations from preventing such students from earning specified compensation; prohibiting certain organizations from preventing postsecondary educational institutions from participating in intercollegiate athletics under certain circumstances; prohibiting certain entities from providing compensation to prospective students under certain conditions; prohibiting certain entities from preventing students participating in intercollegiate athletics from obtaining professional representation; providing requirements for such representation; providing that specified scholarships are not considered compensation; prohibiting the revocation of scholarships for specified reasons; prohibiting students participating in intercollegiate athletics from entering into contracts that meet certain criteria; providing student disclosure requirements for certain contracts; providing requirements for such disclosure; providing postsecondary education institution requirements for conflicts with specified contracts; providing requirements for specified contracts; providing for retroactive application; defining terms; requiring the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education to adopt regulations and rules, respectively; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Berman-

SB 648—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a *Sargassum* Seaweed Matching Grant Program; creating s. 403.926, F.S.; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to establish a *Sargassum* Seaweed Matching Grant Program for a specified purpose; requiring the department to adopt rules to govern the program; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 650—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student elopement; creating s. 1003.211, F.S.; providing definitions; requiring public schools to create a School Staff Assistance for Emergencies (SAFE) Team and a school elopement plan; providing for membership and responsibilities of the team; providing requirements for the plan; requiring the team to create student-specific elopement quick reference guides for certain students; providing requirements for such guides; requiring public schools to annually submit their plans to the district school board; authorizing the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

SB 652—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Urban Core Gun Violence Task Force; creating the Urban Core Gun Violence Task Force; providing for membership; providing for staff support; providing requirements for meetings; providing for reimbursement of certain expenses; specifying duties and powers of the task force; authorizing the task force to seek assistance from state agencies; providing for access to certain information; requiring an initial report; authorizing annual reports; providing for repeal of the task force; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Lee-

SB 654—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a sales tax refund for eligible job training organizations; creating s. 212.094, F.S.; defining terms; providing a sales tax refund for eligible job training organizations; specifying the percentage of sales tax remitted on certain sales which may be refunded to such organizations; limiting the use of the refund by such organizations to certain purposes; specifying an annual limit on refunds issued by the Department of Revenue and the priority of granting refunds; specifying requirements and procedures for applying for certification with and approving certification by the Department of Economic Opportunity; specifying requirements and procedures for applying for the refund with the Department of Revenue; providing construction; requiring organizations receiving refunds to provide specified reports to the Department of Economic Opportunity; authorizing the Department of Economic Opportunity to adopt rules; providing requirements and procedures relating to ineligible organizations; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing for expiration of the authorization; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

**SB 656**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arrests; amending s. 901.15, F.S.; authorizing warrantless arrests when a law enforcement officer has probable cause to believe that a person has violated s. 790.22, F.S.; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton—

SB 658—A bill to be entitled An act relating to acquisition of water and wastewater systems; creating s. 367.0712, F.S.; authorizing certain water and wastewater utilities to establish a rate base value by using the fair market value when acquiring a utility system; establishing a procedure to determine the fair market value; requiring the rate base value to be reflected in the acquiring utility's next rate case for ratemaking purposes; specifying the contents required for an application to the Public Service Commission for approval of the rate base value of the utility system; specifying duties of the commission regarding applications; specifying the commission's retained authority; providing applicability; requiring the commission to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Berman-

SB 660-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Uniform Commercial Real Estate Receivership Act; creating chapter 714, F.S., relating to the Uniform Commercial Real Estate Receivership Act; providing a short title; defining terms; prohibiting a court from issuing certain orders unless certain requirements are met; providing requirements for certain court orders; authorizing certain parties to move to dissolve or modify certain orders; requiring that such motions be heard within a specified timeframe; providing construction and applicability; specifying that a court has exclusive jurisdiction to direct receivers and determine controversies under certain circumstances; providing requirements and authorizations relating to the appointment of a receiver; specifying when a person is or is not disqualified from appointment as a receiver; authorizing certain persons to nominate someone to serve as a receiver; specifying the court is not bound by such nomination; requiring a receiver to post a bond with the court which meets certain requirements; providing an exception; prohibiting a claim against a receiver's bond or alternative security from being made after a certain time; providing that an appointed receiver has certain statuses of a lien creditor; providing that certain property is subject to specified security agreements; providing requirements relating to the collection and turnover of receivership property; providing for powers and duties of a receiver; authorizing the court to expand, modify, or limit such powers and duties; providing for duties of an owner; authorizing a court to take certain actions if a person knowingly fails to perform a duty; authorizing a court to take certain actions relating to stays and injunctions; authorizing certain persons to apply for relief from a stay or injunction; specifying when an order does not operate as a stay or injunction; authorizing receivers to engage and compensate certain professionals under certain circumstances; requiring certain persons to file an itemized statement with the court; requiring a receiver to pay an amount approved by the court; defining the term "good faith"; authorizing a receiver to use or transfer receivership property other than in the ordinary course of business under certain circumstances; providing for the service of notice to lien holders who are not parties to the action; defining the term "timeshare interest"; authorizing a receiver to adopt or reject an executory contract of the owner relating to receivership property under certain circumstances; requiring that a claim of damages for rejection of a contract be submitted within a specified timeframe; authorizing a purchaser to take certain actions if a receiver rejects an executory contract under certain circumstances; prohibiting a receiver from rejecting unexpired leases of certain property under certain circumstances; providing for defenses and immunities of a receiver; providing requirements for interim reports filed by a receiver; providing requirements relating to notices of appointment; authorizing the court to enter certain orders if the court concludes that receivership property

is likely to be insufficient to satisfy certain claims; providing requirements for certain distributions of receivership property; authorizing a court to award fees and expenses; authorizing a court to order certain persons to pay fees and expenses; providing for the removal and replacement of a receiver and the termination of a court's administration of the receivership property under certain circumstances; requiring a receiver to file a final report containing certain information upon completion of the receiver's duties; specifying that a receiver is discharged if certain requirements are met; authorizing a court to appoint ancillary receivers under certain circumstances; providing for rights, powers, and duties of an ancillary receiver; specifying that certain requests, appointments, and applications by a mortgagee do not have certain effects; providing construction and applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Wright-

SB 662—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the school grading system; amending s. 1008.34, F.S.; revising the calculation of school grades to include certain students who completed a specified number of years of coursework as participants in the United States Armed Forces Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps program and earned a specified score on the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; and Rules.

By Senators Lee and Gruters-

SB 664-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the verification of employment eligibility; defining terms; requiring employers to register with and use the E-Verify system beginning on a specified date to verify the employment eligibility of new employees; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to order certain agencies to suspend an employer's license under certain circumstances; prohibiting an employer from knowingly employing an unauthorized alien; authorizing certain persons to file a specified complaint with the department; prohibiting the filing of a complaint based on race, color, or national origin; providing that a person who knowingly files a false or frivolous complaint commits a misdemeanor of the second degree; providing responsibilities and powers of the department relating to notice, investigations, and subpoenas for the production of records; prohibiting the department from independently making a final determination regarding whether an employee is an unauthorized alien; requiring the department to notify the United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement Agency and specified law enforcement agencies of certain violations; requiring the department to order certain employers to take specified actions after the finding of a violation; providing for the suspension of an employer's license upon the finding of certain violations; providing civil immunity for an employer registered with and using the E-Verify system; providing specified immunity and nonliability for an employer who complies in good faith with the E-Verify system; requiring the department to maintain a public database containing certain information and make such information available on its website; authorizing the department to apply for a judicial order directing an agency or employer to comply with an order issued by the department; creating a rebuttable presumption for certain employers that the employer did not knowingly employ an unauthorized alien; authorizing an employer or employee to seek an injunction under certain circumstances; providing that certain actions by an employer constitute a deceptive and unfair trade practice; providing that an employee aggrieved by such actions has a private cause of action against the employer and providing available remedies; providing that a cause of action does not exist against an employer under specified circumstances; providing construction; creating s. 287.137, F.S.; defining terms; requiring public employers, contractors, and subcontractors to register with and use the E-Verify system; prohibiting such entities from entering into a contract unless each party to the contract registers with and uses the E-Verify system; requiring a subcontractor to provide certain certification to a contractor, which the contractor must maintain for a specified period of time; requiring the termination of a contract under certain conditions; providing that such termination is not a breach of contract; authorizing a challenge to such termination; prohibiting a contractor from being awarded a public

contract under certain circumstances; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Mayfield-

SB 666-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Development Finance Corporation; amending s. 20.60, F.S.; requiring the executive director of the Department of Economic Opportunity to serve as the chair of the board of directors of the Florida Development Finance Corporation; requiring that the annual report of the corporation be incorporated into the department's annual report on the condition of the business climate and economic development in the state; requiring the department to develop performance standards for the corporation and include certain information relating to the standards in the department's annual report; amending s. 288.9604, F.S.; revising the membership of the board of directors of the corporation; requiring that the director of the Division of Bond Finance of the State Board of Administration, or his or her designee, serve on the board of directors of the corporation; making conforming changes; specifying that all officers, employees, and administrative and support staff for the corporation shall be employees of the department; providing for future repeals; requiring the chair and vice chair of the board of directors of the corporation to serve as regular members of the board after a specified date; providing construction; amending s. 288.9610, F.S.; requiring the corporation to submit an annual report containing specified information to the department; providing for the continuation of certain contracts and interlocal agreements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

SB 668—A bill to be entitled An act relating to government-sponsored recreation programs; amending s. 402.302, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "child care facility" to exclude government-sponsored recreation programs; defining the term "government-sponsored recreation program"; amending s. 402.316, F.S.; providing an exemption for government-sponsored recreation programs from specified child care facility requirements; providing that an otherwise exempt government-sponsored recreation program may waive the exemption by notifying the Department of Children and Families; providing that such a program may not withdraw its waiver of the exemption and continue to operate; amending ss. 39.201, 402.305, and 1002.82,F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senators Gruters and Mayfield—

SB 670—A bill to be entitled An act relating to smoking on public beaches and in public parks; revising the title of part II of ch. 386, F.S.; amending s. 386.201, F.S.; revising a short title; amending s. 386.209, F.S.; authorizing counties to further restrict smoking within the boundaries of certain public beaches and public parks; creating s. 386.2095, F.S.; prohibiting smoking within the boundaries of a state park; amending ss. 381.84 and 386.211, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senators Mayfield and Berman-

SB 672—A bill to be entitled An act relating to coverage for cancer and associated conditions drug treatment; amending s. 627.4239, F.S.; defining the terms "associated condition" and "health care provider"; prohibiting health maintenance organizations from excluding coverage for certain cancer treatment drugs; prohibiting health insurers and health maintenance organizations from requiring, before providing

prescription drug coverage for the treatment of stage 4 metastatic cancer and associated conditions, that treatment have failed with a different drug; providing applicability; prohibiting insurers and health maintenance organizations from excluding coverage for certain drugs on certain grounds; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

**SB 674**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to immunization standards for child care facilities; amending s. 402.305, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families to include in licensure standards for child care facilities a minimum percentage of children enrolled in a facility who must have received immunizations; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Mayfield—

SB 676—A bill to be entitled An act relating to high-speed passenger rail safety; creating s. 341.601, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 341.602, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 341.603, F.S.; providing legislative intent; creating s. 341.604, F.S.; providing applicability; creating s. 341.605, F.S.; requiring the Department of Transportation to regulate railroads when that authority is not federally preempted; requiring the department to obtain certain information from parties; requiring the department to keep certain records; requiring the department to adopt rules; creating s. 341.606, F.S.; requiring the Division of Emergency Management to offer accident response training to certain local communities and local agencies; creating s. 341.607, F.S.; requiring certain railroad companies to furnish copies of federal accident reports to the department; requiring the department to annually publish certain information on its website; requiring railroad companies that transport liquefied natural gas on or within certain tracks or corridors to submit an annual report to the department containing specified information; prohibiting the use of reported information for the purpose of economically regulating railroad companies; requiring the department, in coordination with the Federal Railroad Administration and other necessary entities, to adopt certain rules; creating s. 341.608, F.S.; requiring certain railroad companies to comply with federal law and certain regulations and install certain safety equipment; requiring railroad companies to meet specified requirements before operating a high-speed passenger rail system; requiring sealed corridors at certain at-grade crossings; providing safety measure requirements for sealed corridors; creating s. 341.609, F.S.; requiring railroad companies to be responsible for ensuring that impacted roadbed meets specified transition requirements under certain circumstances; providing construction; creating s. 341.6101, F.S.; requiring the department's railroad inspectors, in accordance with a specified program, to meet certain certification requirements and to coordinate their activities with those of federal inspectors in the state in compliance with certain federal regulations; requiring the department's inspectors to report the results of their inspections to the department, subject to certain requirements, unless the results are confidential under law; requiring the department to make the reports available on its website; creating s. 341.611, F.S.; requiring the department to adopt by rule standards to be used in conducting field surveys of certain rail corridors; providing minimum requirements for the field surveys; requiring the department to hold certain public meetings; requiring certain railroad companies to construct and maintain fences under certain circumstances; providing fencing requirements; specifying that a railroad company operating a high-speed passenger rail system is liable for all damages arising from its failure to construct or maintain the fence, under certain circumstances; creating s. 341.612, F.S.; establishing jurisdiction for the state to enforce specified provisions; requiring penalties for violations of specified provisions to be imposed upon the railroad company that commits such violations; creating s. 341.613, F.S.; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senators Taddeo, Pizzo, Rodriguez, Torres, Cruz, and Flores—

SB 678—A bill to be entitled An act relating to native language assessment in public schools; amending s. 1002.69, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education to adopt native language versions of the school readiness screener, the school readiness assessment, the Florida Voluntary Prekindergarten Assessment, and the Florida Kindergarten Readiness Screener; requiring school districts to administer such screeners and assessments to certain students; providing for the determination of when it is appropriate to administer native language versions of the screeners and assessments; amending s. 1003.435, F.S.; requiring that a high school equivalency examination administered in any language other than English be given the same weight as a high school equivalency examination administered in English; amending s. 1008.22, F.S.; revising requirements of the statewide, standardized assessment program to include native language versions of related assessments; requiring school districts to administer native language versions of such assessments to English language learners and other students for whom it is appropriate; providing for the determination of when it is appropriate to administer native language versions of such assessments; requiring the department to create a timetable and action plan for the development and adoption of native language versions of the assessments; requiring the state to accept results on the high school equivalency examination from any language version of the examination; providing for the administration of language proficiency assessments; defining terms; requiring the department to develop or identify content assessments in target languages; providing for the administration of content assessments in target languages in certain education programs; requiring the department to create a timetable and an action plan for the development and adoption of native language examinations; requiring the state board to adopt standards for heritage language courses; requiring the state board to develop a timeline for phasing in standards for additional languages; requiring the Commissioner of Education to identify alternative assessments and passing scores for a specified purpose; requiring the State Board of Education to approve by rule passing scores on alternative assessments; requiring the department to provide funding for instructional materials for heritage language courses, subject to legislative appropriation; amending s. 1008.30, F.S.; requiring the state board, in conjunction with the Board of Governors, to develop and implement native language versions of the common placement test for public postsecondary education, beginning with certain languages; requiring the state board and the board to develop a timeline for phasing in additional languages; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Hutson and Gruters-

**SB 680**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to shark fins; amending s. 379.2426, F.S.; prohibiting the import, export, and sale of shark fins; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 682—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Guide to a Healthy Marriage; creating s. 741.0307, F.S.; creating the Marriage Education Committee within the Department of Children and Families for the purpose of creating the Florida Guide to a Healthy Marriage; providing for committee operation; providing for appointment of committee members and terms of office; requiring the committee to submit the completed guide to the Governor and the Legislature; providing for committee termination; providing for periodic reconstitution of the committee to review and update the guide; providing requirements for filling vacancies; providing requirements for the guide's content; requiring the committee to oversee the design and layout of the guide and obtain private funds to cover associated costs; authorizing the com-

mittee to obtain private funds for the costs of printing and distributing copies of the guide; authorizing the committee to distribute printed copies of the guide under certain circumstances; 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; encouraging clerks of court to provide a list of certain course providers and websites where certain classes are available; providing for periodic review and revision of the guide; requiring the committee to periodically submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature detailing its revisions to the guide and recommendations for further updates; amending s. 741.04, F.S.; 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; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Pizzo, Taddeo, Book, Perry, and Bracy-

SB 684—A bill to be entitled An act relating to expunction of criminal history records; reenacting and amending s. 943.0585, F.S.; expanding an exception to an eligibility requirement for expunction of a criminal history record to allow prior expunctions of criminal history records granted when the person was a minor; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 686-A bill to be entitled An act relating to stormwater management systems; amending s. 373.4131, F.S.; directing the water management districts, with Department of Environmental Protection oversight, to adopt rules for specified design and performance standards relating to new development and redevelopment projects; requiring, rather than authorizing, the department to incorporate such rules by reference for use within the geographic jurisdiction of each water management district; requiring the department and the water management districts to amend the applicant's handbook to include certain revised design criteria by a specified date; providing a rebuttable presumption that certain stormwater management systems do not cause or contribute to violations of applicable state water quality standards; requiring certain inspection training for department, water management district, and local pollution control program staff; directing the department and water management districts to initiate certain rulemaking for stormwater management systems by a specified date; amending s. 403.814, F.S.; revising permitting requirements for the construction of certain stormwater management systems; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wright-

SB 688—A bill to be entitled An act relating to illegal taking and possession of bears; creating s. 379.4041, F.S.; prohibiting certain taking and possession of bears; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

**SB 690**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water resources; providing legislative intent; creating s. 403.9339, F.S.; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to conduct a comprehensive and quantitative needs-based overview of this state's water resources; specifying requirements for the overview; requiring the department to

submit a report every 5 years to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

SB 692—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reinstatement of a revoked health care practitioner license; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; requiring, rather than authorizing, health care boards under the Department of Health to establish rules for applications for reinstatement of a revoked license; requiring the boards to grant applicants opportunities at reasonable intervals to demonstrate certain competencies; requiring the board to grant an applicant such initial opportunity within a specified timeframe; providing examples of evidence the board may require of an applicant to demonstrate certain competencies; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Mayfield-

SB 694—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nicotine and tobacco products; amending s. 569.002, F.S.; defining the term "electronic smoking device"; redefining the term "tobacco products"; amending s. 569.007, F.S.; revising exemptions to the prohibition of the sale or delivery of tobacco products; deleting a provision that allows the sale or delivery of tobacco products from a vending machine equipped with a certain device; requiring a dealer or the agent of a dealer to require proof of age of a purchaser of a tobacco product; creating s. 569.0071, F.S.; defining the term "flavored e-liquid"; prohibiting a dealer from selling flavored e-liquid; providing that certain statements and claims are presumptive evidence that e-liquid is flavored e-liquid; repealing s. 877.112, F.S., relating to nicotine products and nicotine dispensing devices; amending s. 569.14, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Mayfield-

SB 696—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prescription drug coverage; creating s. 627.42394, F.S.; requiring individual and group health insurers to provide notice of prescription drug formulary changes to current and prospective insureds and the insureds' treating physicians; specifying the timeframe and manner in which such notice must be provided; specifying requirements for a notice of medical necessity submitted by the treating physician; authorizing insurers to provide certain means for submitting the notice of medical necessity; requiring the Financial Services Commission to adopt a certain form by rule by a specified date; specifying a coverage requirement and restrictions on coverage modification by insurers receiving such notice; providing construction and applicability; requiring insurers to maintain a record of formulary changes; requiring insurers to annually submit a specified report to the Office of Insurance Regulation; requiring the office to annually compile certain data, prepare a report and make the report publicly accessible on its website, and submit the report to the Governor and the Legislature; creating s. 627.6404, F.S.; requiring insurers to apply certain reductions in out-of-pocket expenses for prescription drugs toward an insured's cost-sharing obligation; creating s. 627.64742, F.S.; defining the term "pharmacy benefit manager"; requiring pharmacy benefit managers to annually file with the office a specified report relating to payments collected from pharmaceutical manufacturers; requiring the office to publish such reports on its website within a certain timeframe; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; amending s. 627.6699, F.S.; requiring small employer carriers to comply with certain requirements for prescription drug formulary changes; amending s. 641.31, F.S.; requiring health maintenance organizations to provide notice of prescription drug formulary changes to current and prospective subscribers and the subscribers' treating physicians; specifying the timeframe and manner in which such notice must be provided; specifying requirements for a notice of medical necessity submitted by the treating physician; authorizing health maintenance organizations to provide certain means for submitting the notice of medical necessity; requiring the commission to adopt a certain form by rule by a specified date; specifying a coverage requirement and restrictions on coverage modification by health maintenance organizations receiving such notice; providing construction and applicability; requiring health maintenance organizations to maintain a record of formulary changes; requiring health maintenance organizations to annually submit a specified report to the office; requiring the office to annually compile certain data, prepare a report and make the report publicly accessible on its website, and submit the report to the Governor and the Legislature; creating s. 641.3157, F.S.; requiring health maintenance organizations to apply certain reductions in out-of-pocket expenses for prescription drugs toward a subscriber's cost-sharing obligation; providing applicability; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 698—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assisted reproduction facilities: creating s. 383.61, F.S.: defining terms: requiring a donor to enter into a certain contract with a donor bank or fertility clinic before he or she may donate; providing requirements for the contract; requiring a donor bank to clearly label each donation that is transferred to a fertility clinic according to the terms of each donor's contract; requiring a fertility clinic to ensure that each donation received from a donor or a donor bank is implanted, returned, or disposed of according to the terms of the applicable donor's contract; requiring donor banks and fertility clinics to develop, by a specified date, a written best practices policy for storing and segregating sperm, eggs, and embryos; requiring the annual submission of such written policies to the department for review; creating a presumption of recklessness against a physician at a fertility clinic that does not have such a written policy; requiring the Department of Health to perform annual inspections of donor banks and fertility clinics without notice; requiring the department to impose specified fines on donor banks and fertility clinics for certain violations and specified conduct; requiring such fines to be deposited into the Rape Crisis Program Trust Fund; providing civil and criminal causes of action for, criminal penalties for, and disciplinary action against a physician who intentionally or recklessly artificially inseminates a patient with the incorrect sperm, eggs, or embryos; tolling applicable time limitations for civil actions, criminal prosecution, and disciplinary proceedings relating to certain violations until certain conditions are met; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senators Perry, Pizzo, Braynon, Harrell, and Gruters-

**SB 700**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile diversion program expunction; amending s. 943.0582, F.S.; deleting a requirement that limits diversion program expunction to programs for misdemeanor offenses; amending s. 985.126, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Albritton—

SB 702—A bill to be entitled An act relating to petroleum cleanup; amending s. 376.3071, F.S.; revising requirements for a limited contamination assessment report required to be provided by a property owner, operator, or person otherwise responsible for site rehabilitation to the Department of Environmental Protection under the Petroleum Cleanup Participation Program; amending s. 376.30713, F.S.; revising the contents of an advanced cleanup application to include a specified property owner or responsible party agreement; requiring an applicant to submit a scope of work after the department has accepted the applicant's advanced cleanup application; requiring the department to

issue a purchase order for a certain contamination assessment; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 704-A bill to be entitled An act relating to mental health and substance use disorders; amending s. 394.455, F.S.; defining the term "first episode psychosis program"; amending s. 394.4573, F.S.; revising requirements for the annual state behavioral health assessment; revising the essential elements of a coordinated system of care; amending s. 397.4073, F.S.; revising background screening requirements for certain peer specialists; amending s. 397.417, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; revising requirements for certification as a peer specialist; requiring the Department of Children and Families to develop a training program for peer specialists and to give preference to trainers who are certified peer specialists; requiring the training program to coincide with a competency exam and to be based on current practice standards; requiring the department to certify peer specialists directly or by approving a third-party credentialing entity; requiring that a person providing peer specialist services be certified or be supervised by a licensed behavioral health care professional or a certified peer specialist; providing an exception; authorizing the department, a behavioral health managing entity, or the Medicaid program to reimburse a peer specialist service as a recovery service; encouraging Medicaid managed care plans to use peer specialists in providing recovery services; requiring peer specialists to meet the requirements of a background screening as a condition of employment and continued employment; requiring the department or certain authorized entities to forward fingerprints to the Department of Law Enforcement; requiring that fees for state and federal fingerprint processing be borne by the peer specialist applying for employment; requiring that any arrest record identified through background screening be reported to the department; authorizing the Department of Children and Families or certain agencies to contract with certain vendors for fingerprinting; specifying requirements for vendors; specifying offenses to be considered in the background screening of a peer specialist; authorizing a person who does not meet background screening requirements to request an exemption from disqualification from the department or the agency; providing that all peer specialists certified as of the effective date of this act are recognized as having met the requirements of this act; amending ss. 394.495, 394.496, 394.9085, 409.972, 464.012, and 744.2007, F.S., conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 706—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance coverage parity for mental health and substance use disorders; amending s. 409.967, F.S.; requiring Medicaid managed care plans to submit an annual report to the Agency for Health Care Administration relating to parity between mental health and substance use disorder benefits and medical and surgical benefits; specifying required information in the report; amending s. 627.6675, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 627.668, F.S.; requiring certain entities transacting individual or group health insurance or providing prepaid health care to comply with specified federal provisions that prohibit the imposition of less favorable benefit limitations on mental health and substance use disorder benefits than on medical and surgical benefits; deleting provisions relating to optional coverage for mental and nervous disorders by such entities; revising the standard for defining substance use disorders; requiring such entities to submit an annual report relating to parity between mental health and substance use disorder benefits and medical and surgical benefits to the Office of Insurance Regulation; specifying required information in the report; requiring the office to implement and enforce certain federal law in a specified manner; requiring the office to issue a specified annual report to the Legislature; providing requirements for writing and publicly posting the report; repealing s. 627.669, F.S., relating to optional

coverage required for substance abuse impaired persons; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hutson-

SB 708—A bill to be entitled An act relating to automated pharmacy systems; amending s. 465.0235, F.S.; authorizing a community pharmacy to use an automated pharmacy system under certain circumstances; providing that certain medicinal drugs stored in an automated pharmacy system for outpatient dispensing are part of the inventory of the pharmacy providing services through such system; requiring the Board of Pharmacy to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 710—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Building Code; amending s. 553.73, F.S.; requiring that the Florida Building Code require that the entire envelope of certain buildings being constructed or rebuilt be impact resistant and constructed with high windresistant construction materials; requiring that all parts or systems of a building or structure envelope meet impact test criteria or be protected with an external protection device that meets such criteria; providing exceptions; specifying certain items that shall be deemed to comply with impact tests for wind-borne debris; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Mayfield—

SB 712—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water quality improvements; providing a short title; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection, in coordination with the Department of Health, to develop a report to be submitted to the Legislature by a specified date on the impacts of a type two transfer of the onsite sewage program of the Department of Health to the Department of Environmental Protection; providing requirements for the report; amending s. 373.4131, F.S.; clarifying the duty of the Department of Environmental Protection to adopt, in coordination with the water management districts, specified statewide environmental resource permitting rules; directing the water management districts, with department oversight, to adopt rules for specified design and performance standards relating to new development and redevelopment projects; directing the department to incorporate such rules by reference for use within the geographic jurisdiction of each water management district and to amend such rules into the Environmental Resource Permit Applicant's Handbook; providing a rebuttable presumption that certain stormwater management systems do not cause or contribute to violations of applicable state water quality standards; amending s. 373.807, F.S.; revising the requirements for a basin management action plan for an Outstanding Florida Spring; prohibiting a local government from participating in the wastewater grant program under certain circumstances; providing for civil and criminal penalties; requiring certain agricultural operations that fail to adopt a basin management action plan or an alternative restoration plan within a specified timeframe to sign a notice of intent to implement certain practices, measures, or monitoring; amending s. 373.811, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; creating s. 403.0616, F.S.; requiring the department, subject to legislative appropriation, to establish a real-time water quality monitoring program; encouraging the formation of publicprivate partnerships; amending s. 403.067, F.S.; requiring certain agricultural operations that fail to adopt a basin management action plan or alternative restoration plan within a specified timeframe to sign a notice of intent to implement certain practices, measures, or monitoring; revising requirements for a basin management action plan; defining the term "onsite sewage treatment and disposal system"; requiring a local government, in cooperation with specified entities, to develop an onsite sewage treatment and disposal system remediation plan as part of the basin management action plan under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such plan; requiring local stakeholders to consider certain elements as part of its alternative restoration plan; providing for civil and criminal penalties; creating s. 403.0673, F.S.; establishing a wastewater grant program within the Department of Environmental Protection; authorizing the department to distribute appropriated funds for certain projects; providing requirements for the distribution; requiring the department to coordinate with each water management district to identify grant recipients; requiring an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; creating s. 403.0771, F.S.; requiring a wastewater treatment facility to notify customers within a specified timeframe of unlawful discharges of raw or partially treated sewage into any waterway or aquifer; prohibiting a local government that owns such a plant from participating in the wastewater grant program until specified actions have taken place; providing for civil and criminal penalties; requiring the department to maintain a publicly accessible website that contains certain information relating to wastewater treatment facilities; amending s. 403.086, F.S.; prohibiting facilities for sanitary sewage disposal from disposing of any waste in the Indian River Lagoon without first providing advanced waste treatment; amending s. 403.121, F.S.; increasing the maximum administrative penalty for certain violations; providing that such maximum amounts do not apply to violations of a basin management action plan or certain wastewater discharges; amending s. 403.814, F.S.; revising requirements for a general permit for the construction, alteration, and maintenance of a stormwater management system; amending s. 403.9337, F.S.; providing for civil and criminal penalties for a local government that fails to adopt, enact, and implement a specified ordinance by a specified date; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to revise basin management action plans by a specified date; authorizing the department to grant an extension to a local government upon a showing of good cause; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hutson-

SB 714—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the testing for and treatment of influenza and streptococcus; amending s. 381.0031, F.S.; requiring specified licensed pharmacists to report certain information to the Department of Health; amending s. 465.003, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "practice of the profession of pharmacy"; creating s. 465.1895, F.S.; authorizing pharmacists to test for and treat influenza and streptococcus and providing requirements relating thereto; requiring that the written protocol between a pharmacist and supervising physician contain certain information, terms, and conditions; requiring the Board of Pharmacy to adopt rules within a specified time period; requiring that a pharmacist notify a patient's primary care provider within a specified time period after providing any such testing or treatment; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Mayfield—

**SB 716**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to county boundaries; amending ss. 7.31 and 7.59, F.S.; revising county boundaries; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senators Berman and Cruz-

SB 718—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic violence; creating s. 784.04875, F.S.; prohibiting certain acts of domestic violence and dating violence; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 790.065, F.S.; revising a prohibition on the sale or transfer of firearms to persons convicted of misdemeanor domestic violence offenses; amending s. 790.233, F.S.; defining the term "misdemeanor offense of domestic violence"; prohibiting persons convicted of a misdemeanor offense of do-

mestic violence from possessing a firearm or ammunition; requiring persons convicted of misdemeanor offenses of domestic violence to surrender all firearms and ammunition in their possession upon conviction; requiring a court, upon convicting a defendant of such offense, to order the defendant to surrender to the local law enforcement agency having jurisdiction all firearms and ammunition and any license to carry a concealed weapon or firearm; providing requirements for law enforcement officers carrying out the court order; authorizing a law enforcement officer to take possession of all firearms and ammunition owned by the defendant and any license to carry a concealed weapon or firearm; authorizing a law enforcement officer to seek a search warrant under certain circumstances; requiring the law enforcement officer taking possession of the firearms, ammunition, and license to issue a receipt to the defendant and to file the original with the court and a copy with his or her law enforcement agency; requiring a court to make a certain determination upon a sworn statement or testimony that the defendant did not comply with the required surrender of any firearms, ammunition, or license; requiring the court to issue a warrant if it finds that probable cause exists; providing for the return of surrendered firearms, ammunition, and licenses to their lawful owner under certain circumstances; requiring all law enforcement agencies to develop certain policies and procedures; authorizing a defendant to elect to transfer all firearms and ammunition that he or she owns to another person if specified requirements are met; providing criminal penalties; creating s. 790.234, F.S.; defining the term "domestic violence"; requiring a law enforcement officer to remove firearms from the scene of an alleged act of domestic violence under certain circumstances; providing requirements for the law enforcement officer removing such firearms; authorizing the owner of the firearms to retake possession within a specified timeframe; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Montford-

SB 720—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the medical use of marijuana in schools; amending s. 381.986, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; authorizing a qualified patient to designate more than one caregiver to assist with the qualified patient's medical use of marijuana under certain circumstances; authorizing a countydesignated caregiver to register as a caregiver for more than one qualified patient under certain circumstances; conforming cross-references; creating s. 381.9867, F.S.; defining terms; providing a procedure for a parent of a student who is a qualified patient to request that marijuana be administered to the student during the school day; requiring the parent to include certain information in the written request to a school principal; specifying that a registered caregiver who is authorized by that student's parent to administer marijuana to the student during the school day is responsible for obtaining, accounting for, and storing the marijuana and any marijuana delivery devices; requiring a school principal who receives a request authorizing a county-designated caregiver to administer marijuana to the student to notify the county health department for the county in which the school is located; requiring a county health department that receives such notification to notify the Department of Health of the request; requiring the department to designate no more than two employees of the county health department to serve as county-designated caregivers; requiring a county-designated caregiver to follow the procedures adopted by department rule; requiring the student's caregiver to provide to a countydesignated caregiver at a certain location an appropriate supply of marijuana and any marijuana delivery devices needed during the school day; requiring the county-designated caregiver to document and account for the marijuana and any marijuana delivery devices received; requiring marijuana in its original container and marijuana delivery devices to be stored under lock and key when not in use or when being transported for use; providing that a county-designated caregiver is not liable for civil damages as a result of his or her actions if certain criteria are met; requiring a school principal who receives a request for marijuana to be administered during the school day to designate an isolated area on school grounds where marijuana may be administered to the student; requiring that a caregiver or a county-designated caregiver administering marijuana to the student do so in the area the school principal designates; prohibiting marijuana and marijuana delivery devices from being stored on school grounds; prohibiting a school from obstructing a student who is a qualified patient from accessing marijuana during the school day; providing that funding needed to administer this section must be provided from the Grants and Donations Trust Fund within the Department of Health from certain fees the department collects; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 1006.062, F.S.; deleting a requirement that each district school board adopt a policy and a procedure for allowing a student who is a qualified patient to access marijuana for medical use; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Education; and Rules.

By Senator Montford-

SB 722—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Land Acquisition Trust Fund; amending s. 375.041, F.S.; requiring that certain funds distributed into the Land Acquisition Trust Fund be used for conservation and management projects in certain counties; providing the types of projects for which the Department of Environmental Protection may use such funds; authorizing the department to distribute such funds to the appropriate agency; removing an obsolete provision; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 724—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government recycling programs; amending s. 403.706, F.S.; extending the goal date for the recycling of 75 percent of recyclable solid waste by counties other than fiscally constrained counties; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; requiring a report to the Legislature by a specified date; making technical changes; reenacting ss. 403.7049(5), 403.705(2)(c) and (3), and 403.7145(3) F.S., relating to the determination of full cost for solid waste management, the state solid waste management program, and recycling, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 403.706, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 726-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Commission on Human Relations; amending s. 760.03, F.S.; revising quorum requirements for the Commission on Human Relations and its panels; amending s. 760.065, F.S.; revising the number of persons the commission must recommend for the Florida Civil Rights Hall of Fame; amending s. 760.11, F.S.; requiring the commission to provide notice to an aggrieved person under specified circumstances; providing notice requirements; limiting the time the aggrieved person has to commence a civil action regarding a violation of the Florida Civil Rights Act; amending s. 760.29, F.S.; deleting a requirement that a facility or community that provides housing for older persons register with and submit a letter to the commission; amending s. 760.31, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 760.60, F.S.; deleting the requirement for the commission or Attorney General to investigate a complaint of discrimination in evaluating an application for club membership; revising the length of time the commission or Attorney General has to resolve such a complaint; amending s. 112.31895, F.S.; revising the timeline relating to a complaint alleging a prohibited personnel action; deleting a requirement that the commission notify a complainant upon receipt of the complaint; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel-

SB 728—A bill to be entitled An act relating to threats; amending s. 790.162, F.S.; prohibiting threats to use a firearm or weapon with specified intent; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 921.0022,

F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Criminal Justice; and Appropriations.

**SR 730**—Not introduced.

By Senator Gruters-

**SB 732**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insulation products; creating s. 553.843, F.S.; specifying that a person who takes certain actions relating to interior building envelope insulation products without having a certain test report is subject to the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; requiring that the test report be provided, upon request, to a local building official; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senators Gruters and Albritton-

SB 734—A bill to be entitled An act relating to termination of pregnancy; amending s. 390.0111, F.S.; prohibiting termination of pregnancy based on a test result, diagnosis, or other reason for believing that the fetus has Down syndrome; providing an exception; providing the pregnant woman immunity from prosecution for such abortion; subjecting a physician to disciplinary action for performing such abortion; amending s. 390.0112, F.S.; requiring a physician to report specified information for each abortion performed to the Agency for Health Care Administration; deleting obsolete language; providing for severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 736—A bill to be entitled An act relating to coverage for air ambulance services; creating s. 627.42397, F.S.; defining terms; requiring health insurers and health maintenance organizations to provide reasonable reimbursement to air ambulance services for certain covered services; providing that such reimbursement may be reduced only by certain amounts; providing that reasonable reimbursement must serve as full and final payment to the air ambulance service; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; and Rules.

By Senator Harrell—

**SB 738**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jury service; amending s. 40.013, F.S.; requiring certain students actively enrolled in specified schools to be excused from jury service upon request; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Education; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz—

SB 740—A bill to be entitled An act relating to real estate; creating s. 475.502, F.S.; providing a short title; creating the Florida Real Estate Management Corporation; providing for purpose, duties, requirements, and administration of the corporation; requiring a written contract with the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; providing contract requirements; prohibiting the management corporation from exercising certain authority assigned to the board of directors; providing that the board, rather than the department, receive complaints and investigate and deter the unlicensed practice of real estate; authorizing the use of specified funds of the Florida Real Estate Commission for

such activities; providing requirements for investigations by the department; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Berman-

SB 742—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fraudulent practices; amending s. 817.58, F.S.; redefining the terms "cardholder," "credit card," and "expired credit card"; amending s. 817.60, F.S.; providing applicability; conforming terminology; amending s. 817.625, F.S.; deleting the term "payment card"; conforming terminology; amending s. 525.07, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senators Hooper and Gruters-

SB 744—A bill to be entitled An act relating to podiatric medicine; amending s. 458.347, F.S.; providing and revising definitions; revising the membership, terms, and duties of the Council on Physician Assistants; amending s. 458.3485, F.S.; defining the term "physician" to include podiatric physicians; amending s. 459.022, F.S.; providing and revising definitions; revising the membership, terms, and duties of the Council on Physician Assistants; amending s. 461.007, F.S.; authorizing the Board of Podiatric Medicine to require as a condition for renewal of license a specified number of continuing education hours related to the safe and effective prescribing of controlled substances; creating s. 461.0145, F.S.; authorizing a podiatric physician or group of podiatric physicians to supervise a specified number of physician assistants; providing requirements for physician assistants under such supervision; providing for liability; creating s. 461.0155, F.S.; providing for governance of podiatric physicians who supervise medical assistants; amending s. 624.27, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "health care provider" to include podiatric physicians; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 746—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the study of the Bible and religion; amending s. 1003.45, F.S.; requiring district school boards to install secular programs of education in public schools which include specified courses relating to religion, the Hebrew Scriptures, and the Bible; requiring the Department of Education to include such courses in the Course Code Directory; providing that such courses must be offered as elective courses to certain students; providing course requirements; providing an effective date.

-was referred to the Committees on Education; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Flores-

SB 748—A bill to be entitled An act relating to takings claims within areas of critical state concern; providing a short title; creating s. 380.0501, F.S.; providing for the apportionment of awards of damages for takings claims within areas of critical state concern; providing that certain governmental entities are liable only for certain postjudgment interest; providing construction; requiring local governments to be reimbursed for specified amounts under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Community Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 750—A bill to be entitled An act relating to victims of reform school abuse; providing a short title; defining the term "victim of Florida

reform school abuse"; requiring a person seeking certification under this act to apply to the Department of State by a certain date; prohibiting the estate of a decedent or the personal representative of a decedent from submitting an application on behalf of the decedent; requiring that the application include certain information and documentation; requiring the department to examine the application, notify the applicant of any errors or omissions, and request any additional information within a certain timeframe; providing that the applicant has 15 calendar days after such notification to complete the application; requiring the department to review and process a completed application within a certain timeframe; prohibiting the department from denying an application for specified reasons and under certain circumstances; requiring the department to notify the applicant of its determination within a certain timeframe; requiring the department to certify an applicant as a victim of Florida reform school abuse if the department determines that the application meets the requirements of the act; requiring the department to submit a list of all certified victims to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives; providing exceptions from specified requirements for crime victim compensation eligibility for applications by victims of Florida reform school abuse; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bean-

**SB 752**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency sheltering of persons with pets; amending s. 252.3568, F.S.; requiring counties to designate at least one shelter that can accommodate persons with pets; specifying requirements for such shelters; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 754—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school crossing guards; amending s. 316.75, F.S.; authorizing a school crossing guard employed by a private school, upon approval of the sheriff of the county in which such private school is located, to direct traffic at certain locations under certain circumstances; providing that the school crossing guard is not required to meet specified uniform minimum standards; authorizing the school crossing guard to perform his or her duties without the immediate supervision of a fully qualified law enforcement officer if approved by the sheriff of the county; providing an effective data.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 756—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and public meetings; creating s. 570.233, F.S.; specifying that certain information held by a law enforcement agency which is obtained by the Fraud, Identity Theft, Skimmer Advisory Task Force and which is exempt or confidential and exempt from public records requirements retains its protected status; providing an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of advisory task force meetings at which such exempt or confidential and exempt information is discussed; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing statements of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

**SB 758**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hospital, hospital system, or provider organization transactions; creating s. 542.275, F.S.; defining terms; requiring certain entities to submit written notice of a specified filing to the Office of the Attorney General relating to certain

hospital, hospital system, or provider organization mergers, acquisitions, and other transactions within a specified timeframe; requiring that such entities submit written notice of a material change to the office within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for such notice; authorizing the office to request additional information or issue a civil investigative demand; requiring the office to submit a biennial report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing a civil penalty; providing that such penalty be deposited into a specified trust fund; authorizing the office to engage the services of certain persons to fulfill its duties; authorizing positions and providing appropriations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 760—A bill to be entitled An act relating to independent special fire control districts; amending s. 191.006, F.S.; requiring an independent special fire control district to have, and authorizing the board of such district to exercise, specified powers and duties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

**SB 762**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to inmate confinement; creating s. 944.175, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting the use of solitary confinement; prohibiting the use of restrictive confinement for noncompliance, punishment, harassment, or retaliation for an inmate's conduct; authorizing an inmate to be placed in restrictive confinement only if certain conditions are met; providing restrictions and requirements for such confinement; prohibiting specified inmates from being placed in restrictive confinement; prohibiting youths, young adults, and inmates who have specified medical needs from being placed in restrictive confinement except under specified circumstances; requiring facilities to keep certain records regarding restrictive confinement; requiring the warden of the facility to review such records; requiring the Department of Corrections to provide a report to the Department of Law Enforcement; providing that an inmate is entitled to a review of his or her placement in restrictive confinement within a specified timeframe by a specified review committee; amending s. 944.09, F.S.; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 951.23, F.S.; requiring sheriffs and chief correctional officers to adopt model standards relating to confinement; amending s. 985.601, F.S.; requiring the Department of Juvenile Justice to adopt rules relating to restrictive confinement; reenacting s. 944.279(1), F.S., relating to disciplinary procedures applicable to a prisoner for filing frivolous or malicious actions or for bringing false information before a court, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 944.09, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

**SB 764**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to certified pile burning; amending s. 590.125, F.S.; removing a provision specifying the origin of debris authorized for certified pile burning; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 766—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government accountability; amending s. 112.3148, F.S.; redefining the term "lob-byist" to conform to changes made by the act; repealing s. 112.3261, F.S., relating to registration of and reporting by water management district lobbyists; creating s. 112.3262, F.S.; defining terms; requiring the Commission on Ethics to create the Local Government Lobbyist

Registration System; preempting local government rules or ordinances establishing a lobbyist registration system; authorizing governmental entities to adopt certain rules and ordinances; prohibiting a person from lobbying a governmental entity absent registration with the commission; specifying registration requirements; requiring the commission to publish a lobbyist directory; establishing procedures for the cancellation of a lobbyist's registration; requiring a governmental entity to monitor compliance with registration requirements; requiring the commission to investigate sworn complaints containing certain allegations; prescribing procedures for the disposition of complaints; specifying applicable penalties for violations; specifying required duties of governmental entities; authorizing the commission to adopt certain rules; authorizing an affected person to seek an advisory opinion from the commission; amending ss. 125.001 and 166.0213, F.S.; requiring boards of county commissioners and governing bodies of municipalities, respectively, to provide notice of certain meetings in a specified manner; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

SB 768—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government lobbyist registration fees; amending s. 112.3262, F.S.; authorizing the Commission on Ethics to establish a lobbyist registration fee by rule; specifying limitations for such fee; specifying that a registration is incomplete until the commission receives a registration fee; prohibiting governmental entities from charging fees for lobbyist or principal registration; providing an exception for enforcement costs; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 770—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the property assessed clean energy program; amending s. 163.08, F.S.; amending the definition of "qualifying improvement" to include sewage treatment, seawall improvements, and certain improvements to underground infrastructure; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senators Hutson and Perry-

SB 772—A bill to be entitled An act relating to recreational vehicle parks; amending s. 513.012, F.S.; revising legislative intent; amending s. 513.02, F.S.; providing a timeframe for certain owners or transferees to apply for a permit; amending s. 513.051, F.S.; preempting to the Department of Health the regulatory authority for permitting standards; amending s. 513.112, F.S.; providing that evidence of a certain length of stay in a guest register creates a rebuttable presumption that a guest is transient; amending s. 513.1115, F.S.; providing standards for a damaged or destroyed recreational vehicle park to be rebuilt under certain circumstances; superseding certain local government regulation; amending s. 513.115, F.S.; specifying when certain property becomes abandoned; providing for disposition of the abandoned property; amending s. 513.118, F.S.; authorizing a park operator to refuse certain individuals access to the premises and to eject transient guests or visitors based on specified conduct; providing that a person who refuses to leave the park premises commits the offense of trespass; providing immunity from liability for certain law enforcement officers; providing for removal of a guest's property; amending s. 513.13, F.S.; providing for a guest's ejection from a park and specifying grounds and requirements for ejection; providing for removal of the guest's property; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Health Policy; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 774—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; creating s. 1004.098, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for any personal identifying information of an applicant for president of a state university or Florida College System institution; providing an exemption from public meeting requirements for any meeting held for the purpose of identifying or vetting applicants for president of a state university or Florida College System institution and for any portion of a meeting held for the purpose of establishing qualifications of, or any compensation framework to be offered to, such potential applicants which would disclose personal identifying information of an applicant or potential applicant; providing applicability; requiring release of the names of specified applicants within a certain timeframe; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

**SB 776**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Real Estate Appraisal Board; amending s. 475.613, F.S.; revising the composition of the board; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

SB 778—A bill to be entitled An act relating to home-based businesses; creating s. 559.955, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; specifying conditions under which a business is considered a home-based business; authorizing a home-based business to operate in a residential zone under certain circumstances; preempting to the state the ability to regulate or license home-based businesses; prohibiting a local government from certain actions relating to the licensure and regulation of home-based businesses; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Gainer-

SB 780—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care licensing requirements; creating s. 456.0231, F.S.; defining the term "physician"; exempting certain health care practitioners from specified licensing requirements when providing certain services to veterans in this state; requiring such health care practitioners to submit certain information to the Department of Health; requiring the department to notify such health care practitioners of their exemption within a certain timeframe; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 782—A bill to be entitled An act relating to clinical social workers, marriage and family therapists, and mental health counselors; amending s. 491.003, F.S.; defining the terms "certified master social worker," "practice of generalist social work," and "professional use of self"; amending s. 491.004, F.S.; deleting an obsolete provision; amending s. 491.0145, F.S.; requiring, rather than authorizing, the Department of Health to certify an applicant for designation as a certified master social worker if the applicant meets certain criteria; deleting a provision relating to an application requirement; revising requirements for licensure; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 491.0149, F.S.; requiring licensees, certificateholders, provisional licensees, and registrants to include their applicable professional titles on social media and other specified materials; amending

s. 414.065, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 784—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assisted living facilities; amending s. 429.02, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; defining the terms "medication technician" and "point-of-care devices"; amending s. 429.26, F.S.; providing that the owner or administrator of a facility is responsible for arranging medical evaluations and reevaluations of individuals admitted to or residing in the facility to assess the appropriateness of admission or continued residence; requiring such evaluations and reevaluations to be based on a medical examination report that was conducted by a licensed physician, a licensed physician assistant, or a licensed nurse practitioner within a specified timeframe; requiring the medical examination report to be recorded as required by Agency for Health Care Administration rule; requiring the owner or administrator of a facility to ensure all relevant information requested is provided on a medical examination report; providing immunity from liability for facility owners and administrators in certain circumstances; amending s. 429.29, F.S.; making the results of certain agency surveys inadmissible in certain civil proceedings, with exceptions; amending s. 429.52, F.S.; providing for minimum requirements and specifications for training of medication technicians; requiring the agency to authorize online materials and courses to be used for such training; providing for examination and certification of medication technicians after they complete an online training course; requiring the agency to post approved courses and certified trainers on its website; requiring the agency to maintain and update a list of approved point-of-care devices; requiring the agency to establish training requirements for staff and supervision of residents' use of point-of-care devices in a licensed facility; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gainer-

**SB 786**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 597.31, F.S.; providing a public records exemption for certain aquaculture records held by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing applicability, providing for future legislative review and repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

SB 788—A bill to be entitled An act relating to statewide active shooter response planning; creating s. 943.688, F.S.; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement, in consultation with law enforcement agencies throughout the state, to establish a uniform statewide rule on preparing for and responding to active shooters; providing minimum rule requirements; requiring each law enforcement agency to adopt an active shooter policy or rule, as appropriate, by a specified date; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

**SB 790**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to clerks of the circuit court; amending s. 28.24, F.S.; specifying that certain revenues from service charges collected by the clerk for remittance to the Department of Revenue include only revenues for court-related functions; defining the term "court-related functions"; providing for revenues for county operations to be retained by the clerk; amending s. 28.241, F.S.; revising

the distribution of revenue from filing fees from the institution of certain appellate proceedings; amending chapter 2019-58, Laws of Florida; revising retroactive application regarding the collection of revenue for court-related functions for remittance to the department; defining the term "court-related functions"; providing for revenues for county operations to be retained by the clerk; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Albritton and Harrell—

**SB 792**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to physical therapy; amending s. 486.021, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms "physical therapy assessment" and "practice of physical therapy"; amending s. 486.025, F.S.; revising the powers and duties of the Board of Physical Therapy Practice; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 794—A bill to be entitled An act relating to large-capacity magazines; creating s. 790.30, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting the importing into this state, or the distributing, transporting, transferring, selling, or giving within this state, of large-capacity magazines; providing criminal penalties; providing applicability; prohibiting the possession of large-capacity magazines; providing exceptions; providing criminal penalties; providing applicability; requiring certificates of possession for large-capacity magazines lawfully possessed before a specified date; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to adopt rules by a certain date; limiting transfers of large-capacity magazines represented by certificates of possession; providing conditions for continued possession of such large-capacity magazines; requiring certificates of transfer for transfers of large-capacity magazines; requiring the department to maintain a file of all certificates of transfer; providing for relinquishment of large-capacity magazines; specifying requirements for transportation of large-capacity magazines; providing criminal penalties; specifying circumstances in which the manufacture or transportation of large-capacity magazines is not prohibited; exempting permanently inoperable large-capacity magazines; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

SB 796—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Special Risk Class of the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.0515, F.S.; adding to the class certain employees of specified state hospitals and other facilities who spend a certain amount of time performing duties that involve contact with patients or inmates; declaring that the act fulfills an important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson—

SB 798—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the procurement of human organs and tissue; amending s. 765.542, F.S.; prohibiting forprofit entities from procuring certain human organs and tissue, with certain exceptions; amending s. 873.01, F.S.; prohibiting for-profit entities from procuring certain human organs and tissue, with certain exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senators Harrell and Farmer-

SB 800—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Division of State Technology; amending s. 282.0041, F.S.; defining the term "information technology portfolio rationalization"; amending s. 282.0051, F.S.; requiring the Department of Management Services to administer the Data Innovation Program through the division; creating s. 282.319, F.S.; establishing the Data Innovation Program within the division; providing legislative intent; specifying requirements for the division for data governance across state agencies; requiring the division to develop and conduct data interoperability pilot programs with the Agency for Health Care Administration, the Department of Health, and the Department of Children and Families by a specified date; specifying requirements for the pilot programs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 802-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Marketable Record Title Act; amending s. 712.03, F.S.; revising rights that are not affected or extinguished by marketable record titles; amending s. 712.04, F.S.; revising what types of interests are extinguished by a marketable record title; providing construction; creating s. 712.065, F.S.; defining the term "discriminatory restriction"; providing that discriminatory restrictions are unlawful, unenforceable, and declared null and void; providing that certain discriminatory restrictions are extinguished and severed from recorded title transactions; specifying that the recording of certain notices does not reimpose or preserve a discriminatory restriction; providing requirements for a parcel owner to remove a discriminatory restriction from a covenant or restriction; authorizing a property owner to apply to the Department of Economic Opportunity for a written determination relating to certain discriminatory restrictions; specifying that recording such determination does not constitute a title transaction occurring after the root of title; amending s. 712.12, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "covenant or restriction"; providing applicability; requiring persons with certain interests in land which may be extinguished by this act to file a specified notice to preserve such interests; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 804—A bill to be entitled An act relating to employee organization dues and uniform assessments; amending s. 447.303, F.S.; revising the requirements for an employee to authorize the deduction and collection of dues and uniform assessments by an employer; revising when such deductions commence; providing requirements for forms that authorize such deductions; reenacting s. 110.114(3), F.S., relating to employee wage deductions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Gainer-

SB 806—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 585.61, F.S.; exempting from public records requirements certain animal health records submitted to or generated by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services or the state veterinarian in connection with the Bronson Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

SB 808—Withdrawn prior to introduction.

By Senator Simmons—

SB 810—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tobacco and nicotine products; providing a short title; amending s. 210.095, F.S.; deleting and redefining terms; defining the terms "distributor" and "electronic smoking device"; restricting delivery sales of tobacco products to certain entities; prohibiting delivery sales directly to unlicensed persons; prohibiting a person from aiding or assisting another person in certain violations; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 386.212, F.S.; deleting age and time restrictions relating to the prohibition of smoking and vaping near school property; amending s. 569.002, F.S.; defining the term "electronic smoking device"; revising the definition of the term "tobacco products" to include additional products; replacing the term "any person under the age of 18" with "any person under the age of 21"; revising exemptions; amending s. 569.003, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising the conditions under which the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco may refuse to issue retail tobacco products dealer permits; exempting certain entities from fees associated with such permits; amending s. 569.005, F.S.; revising the fines for certain noncriminal violations; amending s. 569.006, F.S.; requiring revenues from certain fines to be used for specified purposes; requiring the division to deposit such revenues in the Alcoholic Beverage and Tobacco Trust Fund rather than the General Revenue Fund; amending s. 569.007, F.S.; revising the age limitation of persons to whom it is unlawful to sell or deliver tobacco products; revising the conditions under which sales of tobacco products from a vending machine are authorized; requiring a dealer or a dealer's agent to require proof of age of tobacco product purchasers; amending s. 569.0075, F.S.; revising the age under which the gift of sample tobacco products to a person by certain entities is prohibited; amending s. 569.008, F.S.; revising legislative intent to reflect that the Legislature intends to prevent the sale of tobacco products to persons under a specified age; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; deleting an authorization for the division to mitigate penalties imposed against a dealer for certain violations; revising what constitutes prima facie evidence of a lack of due diligence by a dealer under certain circumstances; amending s. 569.101, F.S.; revising the age limitation that applies to the sale, delivery, bartering, furnishing, or giving of tobacco products; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising civil penalties; deleting criminal penalties; revising the elements of a complete defense for violations relating to selling, delivering, bartering, furnishing, or giving tobacco products to persons under a specified age; amending s. 569.11, F.S.; deleting a provision that prohibits persons under a specified age from possessing a tobacco product; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising the age limitation that applies to unlawful misrepresentation of age for certain purposes; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; deleting provisions relating to requirements for persons cited for committing certain noncriminal violations; amending s. 569.12, F.S.; deleting provisions authorizing tobacco product enforcement officers and correctional probation officers to issue citations under certain circumstances; requiring that dealers be subject to certain compliance checks; amending ss. 569.14 and 569.19, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 877.112, F.S., relating to nicotine products and nicotine dispensing devices; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Hutson-

**SB 812**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 379.1026, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the site-specific location information of certain threatened or endangered species; providing for legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

**SB 814**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of surplus funds by candidates; amending s. 106.141, F.S.; prohibiting a candidate from donating surplus funds to a charitable organization that employs the candidate; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Torres-

SB 816—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workers' compensation benefits for correctional officers; creating s. 112.1817, F.S.; providing definitions; providing that, under certain circumstances, post-traumatic stress disorder suffered by a correctional officer is an occupational disease compensable by workers' compensation benefits; specifying that certain benefits do not require a physical injury and are not subject to certain apportionment or limitations; providing a time for notice of injury or death; requiring the Department of Financial Services to adopt certain rules; requiring an employing agency to provide specified mental health training; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 818—A bill to be entitled An act relating to manufactured housing; amending s. 212.05, F.S.; reducing the percentage of the sales price of certain mobile homes which is subject to sales tax; providing a sales tax exemption for certain mobile homes; amending s. 212.06, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "fixtures" to include certain mobile homes; amending s. 320.77, F.S.; revising a certification requirement for mobile home dealer applicants relating to the applicant's business location; amending s. 320.771, F.S.; exempting certain recreational vehicle dealer applicants from a garage liability insurance requirement; amending s. 320.822, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "code"; amending s. 320.8232, F.S.; revising applicable standards for the repair and remodeling of mobile and manufactured homes; amending s. 367.022, F.S.; exempting certain mobile home park and mobile home subdivision owners from regulation by the Florida Public Service Commission relating to water and wastewater systems; revising an exemption from regulation for certain water service resellers; amending s. 723.011, F.S.; providing construction relating to rental agreements and tenancies; providing that a mobile home owner, to become an approved tenant, may be required to install permanent improvements as disclosed in the mobile home park owner's prospectus; amending s. 723.012, F.S.; authorizing mobile home park owners to make certain prospectus amendments; providing that certain improvements and changes may be, but are not required to be, disclosed by amendment to the prospectus; authorizing park owners to amend prospectuses to provide certain additional facilities and services to the mobile home park under certain circumstances; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 723.023, F.S.; adding general obligations for mobile home owners; amending s. 723.031, F.S.; specifying a requirement for disclosing and agreeing to a mobile home lot rental increase; revising construction relating to a park owner's disclosure of certain taxes and assessments; amending s. 723.037, F.S.; authorizing mobile home park owners to give notice of lot rental increases for multiple anniversary dates in one notice; providing construction; specifying the composition of a certain negotiating committee; specifying the lot rental amount increases the committee must address in meetings with the park owner or subdivision developer; amending s. 723.041, F.S.; providing that a mobile home park damaged or destroyed due to natural forces may be rebuilt with the same density as previously approved, permitted, or built; providing construction; amending s. 723.042, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 723.059, F.S.; deleting certain purchasers' rights to assume the remainder of a rental agreement term; requiring certain purchasers to enter into a new lot rental agreement with the park owner; revising requirements for the disclosure of lot rental amounts for new tenancies; amending s. 723.061, F.S.; revising a requirement for mailing eviction notices; specifying the waiver and nonwaiver of certain rights of the

park owner under certain circumstances; requiring the accounting at final hearing of rents received; requiring a tenant defending certain actions by a landlord to comply with certain requirements; amending s. 723.063, F.S.; revising procedures and requirements for mobile home owners, and revising construction, relating to actions for rent or possession; revising conditions under which a park owner may apply to a court for disbursement of certain funds; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senators Harrell and Mayfield-

SB 820—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health insurance prior authorization; amending s. 627.4239, F.S.; defining the terms "associated condition" and "health care provider"; prohibiting health maintenance organizations from excluding coverage for certain cancer treatment drugs; prohibiting health insurers and health maintenance organizations from requiring, before providing prescription drug coverage for the treatment of stage 4 metastatic cancer and associated conditions, that treatment has failed with a different drug; providing applicability; prohibiting insurers and health maintenance organizations from excluding coverage for certain drugs on certain grounds; revising construction; amending s. 627.42392, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "health insurer"; defining the term "urgent care situation"; specifying a requirement for the prior authorization form adopted by the Financial Services Commission by rule; authorizing the commission to adopt certain rules; specifying requirements for, and restrictions on, health insurers and pharmacy benefits managers relating to prior authorization information, requirements, restrictions, and changes; providing applicability; specifying timeframes in which prior authorization requests must be authorized or denied and the patient and the patient's provider must be notified; amending s. 627.42393, F.S.; defining terms; requiring health insurers to provide and disclose procedures for insureds to request exceptions to steptherapy protocols; specifying requirements for such procedures and disclosures; requiring health insurers to authorize or deny protocol exception requests and respond to certain appeals within specified timeframes; specifying required information in authorizations and denials of such requests; requiring health insurers to grant a protocol exception request under specified circumstances; authorizing health insurers to request certain documentation; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.6131, F.S.; prohibiting health insurers, under certain circumstances, from retroactively denying a claim at any time because of insured ineligibility; prohibiting health insurers from imposing an additional prior authorization requirement with respect to certain surgical or invasive procedures or certain items; amending s. 641.31, F.S.; defining terms; requiring health maintenance organizations to provide and disclose procedures for subscribers to request exceptions to step-therapy protocols; specifying requirements for such procedures and disclosures; requiring health maintenance organizations to authorize or deny protocol exception requests and respond to certain appeals within specified timeframes; specifying required information in authorizations and denials of such requests; requiring health maintenance organizations to grant a protocol exception request under specified circumstances; authorizing health maintenance organizations to request certain documentation; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 641.3155, F.S.; prohibiting health maintenance organizations, under certain circumstances, from retroactively denying a claim at any time because of subscriber ineligibility; amending s. 641.3156, F.S.; prohibiting health maintenance organizations from imposing an additional prior authorization requirement with respect to certain surgical or invasive procedures or certain items; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

**SB 822**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drones; amending s. 934.50, F.S.; adding an exception to prohibited uses of a drone; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 824—A bill to be entitled An act relating to clean energy programs; amending s. 163.08, F.S.; creating the Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) Act; providing a short title; revising legislative findings; defining terms; authorizing a property owner to apply to a local government or an approved PACE administrator to finance a qualifying improvement and enter into a PACE loan contract with such government or administrator; authorizing a local government to enter into a certain agreement with a PACE administrator; specifying that a local government or a PACE administrator may enter into a PACE loan contract only with the record owner of a qualifying commercial or residential real property; removing a requirement for constructive notice; requiring that a local government determine that the property owner has not filed for bankruptcy within a specified number of years before entering into a PACE loan contract; providing the lien position of a PACE loan; providing requirements for financing a qualifying residential real property; providing requirements for and restrictions on PACE loan contracts; prohibiting a local government, a PACE administrator, or a PACE loan contractor from entering into a PACE loan contract with the property owner of qualifying residential real property until verification of the property owner's ability to repay the loan; providing requirements for such verification; authorizing certain methods of verification; defining terms; providing procedural requirements for a local government or a PACE administrator in a certain telephone conversation with the owner of qualifying residential real property before the execution by the owner of a PACE contract and the commencement of any installation of any energy improvement; providing screening requirements for income-eligible households that apply for a PACE loan on qualifying residential real property; requiring a financing estimate and disclosure form to be provided to the property owner, subject to certain requirements; providing the right to cancel a PACE loan contract and requiring a disclosure statement to be provided to the property owner relating to such right, subject to certain requirements; prohibiting PACE administrators and contractors from engaging in certain practices; removing provisions relating to the nonad valorem assessment of property; removing provisions requiring the property owner to provide certain notice to the holders or loan servicers of any existing mortgages encumbering or secured by the property; prohibiting a local government or a PACE administrator from entering into a PACE loan contract under certain circumstances; prohibiting the making of a PACE loan unless the qualifying property owner, the local government, or the PACE administrator receives certain signed confirmation from the holder of any mortgage on the qualifying real property; providing certain claims and defenses for a subsequent owner of, a successor in interest to, or any person obligated to pay the property taxes on qualifying residential real property encumbered by a PACE lien; requiring PACE administrators to comply with the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act; prohibiting the waiver of specified rights; providing remedies for an owner of qualifying residential real property aggrieved by specified violations; requiring that a seller give the prospective purchaser a certain written disclosure statement by the time the seller, rather than the purchaser, executes a contract for the sale of a certain property; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Mayfield-

**SB 826**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to marina evacuations; amending s. 327.59, F.S.; prohibiting vessels under a specified weight from remaining in certain marinas that have been deemed not suitable for refuge during a hurricane after the issuance of a hurricane watch or warning for the waters of the marina; providing for civil penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Benacquisto-

SB 828—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida ABLE program; amending s. 1009.986, F.S.; abrogating the future repeal of provisions relating to the Florida ABLE program; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Benacquisto—

SB 830—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 1009.987, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain personal financial and health information held by the Florida Prepaid College Board, Florida ABLE, Inc., or the Florida ABLE program, or an agent or service provider thereof; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel-

SB 832—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain identifying and location information of current members of the Legislature and the Cabinet, and the children and spouses of such legislators and officers; providing for retroactive application; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons-

SB 834—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency alerts; creating s. 784.072, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing a local law enforcement agency to activate the emergency alert system and issue a Lockdown Alert to public and private schools and child care facilities under certain circumstances; requiring local law enforcement agencies to create and maintain a list of all public schools, private schools, and child care facilities within their jurisdictions which must be included in the Lockdown Alert; authorizing public or private schools or child care facilities to contact their local law enforcement agencies to verify that they are included on the list or to register for inclusion on the list; requiring a local law enforcement agency to take a private school or child care facility off the list if the school or facility requests that it be taken off the list; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement, in cooperation with the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles and the Department of Transportation, to activate the emergency alert system and issue an Imminent Threat Alert to the public at the request of a local law enforcement agency under certain circumstances; specifying information that must be provided in Imminent Threat Alerts, if available; requiring Imminent Threat Alerts to be disseminated to the public through the emergency alert system and through the use of certain dynamic message signs; providing that the agency responsible for posting the Imminent Threat Alert on the dynamic message sign does not violate this section if certain traffic emergency information is displayed on the sign in lieu of the alert; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simmons-

**SB 836**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to funds for the operation of schools; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; revising the annual allocation to school districts to include an additional calculation of full-time equivalent membership for students who earn a College Board Advanced Placement Capstone Diploma; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simmons-

SB 838—A bill to be entitled An act relating to business organizations; amending s. 607.0120, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 607.0123, F.S.; specifying that certain documents accepted by the Department of State for filing are effective on the date the documents are accepted by the department; making technical changes; amending ss. 607.0125, 607.0127, 607.01401, 607.0141, 607.0302, 607.0501, and 607.0601, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 607.0602, F.S.; revising the authority of a board of directors to reclassify certain unissued shares; amending ss. 607.0620, 607.0623, 607.0630, 607.0704, 607.0705, 607.0707, 607.0720, 607.0721, 607.0732, and 607.0750, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 607.0808, F.S.; revising the required contents of a meeting notice relating to the removal of a director by shareholders; amending s. 607.0832, F.S.; making a technical change; amending s. 607.0850, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "expenses"; amending ss. 607.0855 and 607.0858, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 607.0901, F.S.; revising definitions; amending ss. 607.1002 and 607.1003, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 607.1102, F.S.; authorizing a domestic corporation to acquire one or more classes or series of shares under certain circumstances; amending ss. 607.1103, 607.11035, 607.11045, 607.1106, and 607.11920, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 607.11921, F.S.; revising an exception for the procedure to approve a plan of domestication; making a technical change; amending ss. 607.11923 and 607.11924, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 607.11932, F.S.; revising an exception for the procedure to approve a plan of conversion; making a technical change; amending ss. 607.11933, 607.11935, 607.1202, 607.1301, 607.1302, 607.1303, 607.1320, 607.1333, 607.1340, 607.1403, 607.1406, 607.1422, 607.1430, 607.1431, 607.1432, 607.14401, 607.1501, 607.1502, 607.1503, 607.1504, 607.1505, 607.1507, 607.1509, 607.15091, 607.15101, 607.1520, 607.1602, 607.1604, and 607.1622, F.S.; making technical changes; creating s. 607.1703, F.S.; authorizing the department to direct certain interrogatories to certain corporations and to officers or directors of certain corporations; providing requirements for answering the interrogatories; providing requirements for the department relating to interrogatories; authorizing the department to bring certain actions; authorizing the department to file a lis pendens against certain property and to certify certain findings to the Department of Legal Affairs; providing for powers and duties of the Department of State; amending ss. 607.1907, 607.504, and 605.0116, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 605.0207, F.S.; specifying that certain documents accepted by the department for filing are effective on the date the records are accepted by the department; making a technical change; amending ss. 605.0215, 605.0702, 605.0716, and 617.0501, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 617.0825, F.S.; authorizing a board of directors to appoint persons to serve on certain committees; requiring that a majority of the persons on such committees be directors; providing exceptions; making technical changes; providing responsibilities and duties for non-director committee members; authorizing a corporation to create or authorize the creation of advisory committees; specifying an advisory committee is not a committee of the board of directors; providing prohibitions and authorizations for advisory committees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons-

SB 840—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cancer clinical trials; creating s. 385.2021, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; defining terms; requiring cancer clinical trial programs to inform prospective patient subjects of specified reimbursements for ancillary and travel expenses which may be available to them and their caregivers if they participate in a cancer clinical trial; specifying that reimbursement offers may not be coercive or exert an undue influence and are not considered inducements for participation; authorizing corporations, individuals, public and private foundations, health care providers, and other stakeholders to offer financial assistance to support approved reimbursements of ancillary and travel expenses for patient subjects in a cancer clinical trial and their caregivers; requiring certain entities that offer reimbursement programs to secure the informed consent of

patient subjects; requiring that a patient subject be informed of financial eligibility guidelines and the reimbursement process; providing that participation in a cancer clinical trial may not begin without such informed consent; requiring the Department of Health to review certain reimbursement programs; requiring the department to approve programs that meet certain criteria; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wright-

**SB 842**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to injured police canines; creating s. 401.254, F.S.; defining the term "police canine"; authorizing life support services to transport injured police canines under certain circumstances; authorizing a paramedic or an emergency medical technician to provide emergency medical care to injured police canines under certain circumstances; providing immunities; amending s. 474.203, F.S.; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Taddeo-

**SB 844**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a sales tax exemption for hurricane shutters and impact-resistant windows; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; exempting hurricane shutters and impact-resistant windows that are installed by a qualified contractor from the sales and use tax; defining terms; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing for expiration of that authority; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simmons-

SB 846—A bill to be entitled An act relating to costs of prosecution and investigation; amending s. 938.27, F.S.; prohibiting the inclusion in negotiated plea agreements of costs for the state attorney which are greater than the minimum required; reenacting s. 985.032(2), F.S., relating to assessing costs of prosecution to a juvenile, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 938.27, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Montford, Perry, and Baxley—

SB 848—A bill to be entitled An act relating to rural communities; creating s. 288.062, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to accept applications for approval as growth funds in a specified manner; requiring certain information to be submitted in an application; requiring the department to approve or deny applications within a specified timeframe; prohibiting the department from approving more than a certain amount of investment authority or investor contributions; requiring the department to deny applications under certain circumstances; authorizing an applicant whose application was denied to provide additional information within a certain timeframe to cure defects in the application; requiring the department to review and reconsider such applications within a certain timeframe; prohibiting the department from reducing the investment authority of an application or denying an application unless certain circumstances are met; requiring the department to certify approved applications; providing requirements for certified growth funds; requiring the department to provide a tax credit certificate to certain taxpayers; requiring the department to revoke a growth fund's certification under specified conditions; requiring the department to distribute revoked investment authority among certain growth funds; authorizing growth funds to allocate associated investor contribution authority to certain taxpayers; granting a credit against state premium

tax liability for specified investors; providing restrictions on the credit; requiring that taxpayers claiming a credit submit a copy of the tax credit certificate with their tax return; requiring the department to revoke a tax credit certificate under certain circumstances; authorizing growth funds to request certain determinations from the department; providing a formula for calculating the maximum amount of investments; specifying a timeframe within which growth funds may correct violations to avoid revocation of a tax credit certificate; authorizing the department to distribute reverted investment authority among certain growth funds; authorizing growth funds to submit an exit application; providing a timeframe and procedures for use by the department in handling exit applications; prohibiting growth funds that have exited the program from making certain distributions or paying certain fees under certain circumstances; requiring growth funds to remit certain payments to the department under certain circumstances; prohibiting the department from revoking a growth fund's tax credit certificate after it exits the program; requiring growth funds to submit an annual report to the department; requiring that the annual report include certain information; providing for rulemaking; requiring the department to notify the Department of Revenue of any insurance company that is allocated tax credits; specifying that a growth fund is deemed to be a recipient of state financial assistance under certain circumstances; providing applicability; providing for future expiration; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

**SB 850**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the exposure of sexual organs; amending s. 800.03, F.S.; specifying that an exception to the unlawful exposure or exhibition of an individual's sexual organs in certain places includes clothing-optional beaches; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Pizzo—

SB 852—A bill to be entitled An act relating to restrictive housing for incarcerated pregnant women; amending s. 944.241, F.S.; defining the term "restrictive housing"; prohibiting the involuntary placement of pregnant prisoners in restrictive housing; providing exceptions; requiring corrections officials to write a specified report if an extraordinary circumstance necessitates placing a pregnant prisoner in restrictive housing; providing requirements for the report; requiring corrections officials to review such reports at specified intervals; requiring a copy of such reports and reviews to be provided to pregnant prisoners in restrictive housing; providing requirements for the treatment of pregnant prisoners placed in restrictive housing; requiring pregnant prisoners to be admitted to the infirmary under certain circumstances; providing certain rights for pregnant prisoners admitted to the infirmary; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

SB 854—A bill to be entitled An act relating to incarcerated pregnant women; amending s. 944.241, F.S.; defining the term "restrictive housing"; revising the circumstances under which a prisoner who is known to be pregnant may not be restrained; specifying conditions under which restraints may be used; requiring the Department of Corrections, correctional facilities, and certain agencies to develop policies that meet certain requirements for the use of restraints on prisoners known to be pregnant; requiring such prisoners who are in labor to be taken to an appropriate medical facility without delay; providing requirements for the care of the prisoner after she has given birth and of the prisoner's infant; prohibiting the child's birth certificate from stating the child was born in a correctional facility; requiring that invasive body cavity searches on a pregnant prisoner be conducted by a medical professional; providing an exception; prohibiting the involuntary pla-

cement of pregnant prisoners in restrictive housing; providing exceptions; requiring corrections officials to write a specified report if an extraordinary circumstance necessitates placing a pregnant prisoner in restrictive housing; providing requirements for the report; requiring corrections officials to review such reports at specified intervals; requiring copies of the reports and reviews to be provided to pregnant prisoners in restrictive housing; providing requirements for the treatment of pregnant prisoners placed in restrictive housing; requiring pregnant prisoners to be admitted to the infirmary under certain circumstances; providing certain privileges for pregnant prisoners admitted to the infirmary; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

SB 856—A bill to be entitled An act relating to an affordable housing tax reduction; creating s. 196.1979, F.S.; defining terms; providing legislative findings; providing a reduction in certain property taxes to taxpayers building or renovating certain affordable, elderly, or workforce housing projects; providing qualifying criteria; specifying the calculation of property assessments over the reduction term; providing taxpayer requirements for recording a certain covenant; providing a requirement for the property appraiser in applying reductions; specifying an annual reporting requirement for taxpayers; providing a criminal penalty; authorizing certain counties to limit the total number of qualifying projects, subject to certain requirements; specifying a taxpayer's liability for back taxes, penalties, interest, and certain remedies under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

**SB 858**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cost-of-living adjustment for Special Risk Class retirees; amending s. 121.101, F.S.; revising the manner of calculating the cost-of-living factor for Special Risk Class retirees, and their beneficiaries, who meet certain criteria; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 860—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08053, F.S.; providing legislative intent; requiring an organization that seeks authorization to establish a certain specialty license plate to submit to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles specified information; prohibiting state funds from being used to pay any application fee; providing an exception for collegiate specialty license plates; deleting requirements related to the submission of an art design to the department if the plate is approved by law; requiring the department to establish a certain method to issue a specialty license plate voucher within a specified period after the specialty license plate approval by the department, instead of after the plate becomes law; increasing the minimum number of voucher sales an approved specialty license plate organization must record with the department before manufacture of the license plate may commence; providing requirements for the issuance of certain specialty license plates; prohibiting an out-of-state entity from applying or being approved for a specialty license plate; providing an exception for an out-of-state college or university; authorizing the department to reject certain applications; authorizing the department to recall issued specialty license plates under certain circumstances; requiring the department to adopt certain rules; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; removing an exemption of collegiate license plates from requirements for discontinuing the issuance of certain specialty license plates; authorizing a vehicle owner or lessee who is issued a specialty license plate that has been discontinued by the department to keep the plate for a specified period, subject to certain requirements; providing procedural requirements for the department in discontinuing the issuance of specialty license plates and disbursing certain funds; prohibiting an out-of-state entity from applying for the creation of a specialty license plate; providing an exception for an out-ofstate college or university; specifying requirements for an organization that receives proceeds from the sale of an out-of-state college or university specialty license plate; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; increasing, on and after a specified date, the minimum number of specialty plate registrations below which the department must discontinue the issuance of an approved specialty license plate; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.08062, F.S.; requiring the department to audit certain organizations that receive annual use fee proceeds, subject to certain requirements; creating s. 320.0875, F.S.; authorizing a resident of this state to be issued a Purple Heart special motorcycle license plate under certain circumstances; providing requirements for the plate; authorizing a certain design for the plate; amending s. 320.089, F.S.; creating a Bronze Star special license plate; providing eligibility requirements for the plate; providing requirements for the plate; providing contingent effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

SB 862—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.08053, F.S.; requiring an organization that seeks authorization to establish a new specialty license plate for which an annual use fee is to be charged to submit to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles an application fee, subject to certain requirements; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; requiring requests for certain specialty license plates to include an annual use fee of a specified amount unless the amount is otherwise specified for a particular plate; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 864—A bill to be entitled An act relating to surrendered newborn infants; amending s. 383.50, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "newborn infant"; defining the term "newborn safety device"; authorizing hospitals, emergency medical services stations, and fire stations to use newborn safety devices to accept surrendered newborn infants under certain circumstances; requiring such hospital, emergency medical services station, or fire station to visually check and test the device within specified timeframes; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing additional locations under which the prohibition on the initiation of criminal investigations based solely on the surrendering of a newborn infant applies; amending s. 63.0423, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 866—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Talent Development Council; amending s. 1004.015, F.S.; requiring the council to submit, by a specified date, a report with recommendations related to the Pathways in Technology Early College High School (P-TECH) program, or a similar program, to the Governor, the Legislature, the Board of Governors, and the State Board of Education; requiring the P-TECH program to incorporate secondary and postsecondary education with workforce education and work experience; providing requirements for the report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 868—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction contracting; amending s. 255.05, F.S.; revising the manner by which cer-

tain claimants provide a notice of nonpayment to a surety; providing that certain provisions in a waiver or release of a claim against a payment bond are unenforceable; amending s. 713.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "final furnishing"; amending s. 713.07, F.S.; specifying the priority of certain liens in relation to subordinate conveyances, encumbrances, and demands; amending s. 713.13, F.S.; revising information required to be included in a notice of commencement; amending s. 713.18, F.S.; modifying conditions under which service of certain instruments is deemed effective; amending s. 713.20, F.S.; providing that certain provisions in a lien waiver or release are unenforceable; amending s. 713.23, F.S.; revising the manner by which certain lienors provide a notice of nonpayment to a surety; amending s. 713.235, F.S.; providing that certain provisions in a waiver or release of a right to make a claim against a payment bond are unenforceable; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

SB 870—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mental health; amending s. 394.455, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; revising the definition of the term "mental illness"; defining the terms "neglect or refuse to care for himself or herself" and "real and present threat of substantial harm"; amending s. 394.459, F.S.; requiring that respondents with a serious mental illness be afforded essential elements of recovery and be placed in a continuum of care regimen; requiring the Department of Children and Families to adopt certain rules; amending s. 394.4598, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 394.4599, F.S.; requiring a receiving facility to refer certain cases involving a minor to the clerk of the court within a certain timeframe for the appointment of a public defender; providing rights for attorneys who represent such minors; requiring that certain hearings be conducted in the physical presence of the minor; providing criminal penalties; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 394.461, F.S.; authorizing the state to establish that a transfer evaluation was performed by providing the court with a copy of the evaluation before the close of the state's case in chief; prohibiting the court from considering substantive information in the transfer evaluation unless the evaluator testifies at the hearing; amending s. 394.4615, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 394.462, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 394.4625, F.S.; making technical changes; providing requirements relating to voluntariness hearings for minors; prohibiting a fee from being charged for filing certain petitions; providing requirements for transfers to voluntary status for minors; amending s. 394.463, F.S.; revising the requirements for when a person may be taken to a receiving facility for involuntary examination; requiring a facility to inform the department of a minor's admission and case outcome at the close of an examination period; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing criminal and civil penalties; amending s. 394.4655, F.S.; revising the requirements for involuntary outpatient treatment; amending s. 394.467, F.S.; revising the requirements for when a person may be ordered for involuntary inpatient placement; revising requirements for continuances of hearings; revising the timeframe during which a court is required to hold a hearing on involuntary inpatient placement; revising the conditions under which a court may waive the requirement for a patient to be present at an involuntary inpatient placement hearing; authorizing the court to permit all witnesses to remotely attend and testify at the hearing through certain means; authorizing the state attorney to access certain persons and records for certain purposes; specifying such records remain confidential; revising when the court may appoint a magistrate; revising the amount of time a court may require a patient to receive services; providing an exception to the prohibition on a court ordering certain individuals to be involuntarily placed in a state treatment facility; conforming a cross-reference; authorizing the court to refer certain cases to the department; amending s. 394.4785, F.S.; requiring facility administrators to refer certain cases to the clerk of the court; providing requirements relating to the representation of minors admitted to certain facilities; requiring that certain hearings be conducted in the presence of the child; providing criminal penalties; amending ss. 394.495 and 394.496, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 394.499, F.S.; making technical and conforming changes; amending s. 394.9085, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 397.305, F.S.; revising the purposes of ch. 397, F.S.; amending s.

397.311, F.S.; revising the definition of the terms "impaired" and "substance abuse impaired"; defining the terms "involuntary treatment," "neglect or refuse to care for himself or herself," and "real and present threat of substantial harm"; amending s. 397.416, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 397.501, F.S.; requiring that respondents with serious substance abuse addictions be afforded essential elements of recovery and placed in a continuum of care regimen; requiring the department to adopt certain rules; amending s. 397.675, F.S.; revising the criteria for involuntary admissions; amending s. 397.6751, F.S.; revising the responsibilities of a service provider; amending s. 397.681, F.S.; requiring that the state attorney represent the state as the real party of interest in an involuntary proceeding, subject to legislative appropriation; authorizing the state attorney to access certain persons and records; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 397.6811, F.S., relating to involuntary assessment and stabilization; repealing s. 397.6814, F.S., relating to petitions for involuntary assessment and stabilization; repealing s. 397.6815, F.S., relating to involuntary assessment and stabilization procedures; repealing s. 397.6818, F.S., relating to court determinations for petitions for involuntary assessment and stabilization; repealing s. 397.6819, F.S., relating to the responsibilities of licensed service providers with regard to involuntary assessment and stabilization; repealing s. 397.6821, F.S., relating to extensions of time for completion of involuntary assessment and stabilization; repealing s. 397.6822, F.S., relating to the disposition of individuals after involuntary assessments; amending s. 397.693, F.S.; revising the circumstances under which a person is eligible for court-ordered involuntary treatment; amending s. 397.695, F.S.; authorizing the court or clerk of the court to waive or prohibit any service of process fees for an indigent petitioner; amending s. 397.6951, F.S.; revising the requirements for the contents of a petition for involuntary treatment; providing that a petitioner may include a certificate or report of a qualified professional with the petition; requiring the certificate or report to contain certain information; requiring that certain additional information must be included if an emergency exists; amending s. 397.6955, F.S.; requiring the clerk of the court to notify the state attorney's office upon the receipt of a petition filed for involuntary treatment; revising when a hearing must be held on the petition; providing requirements for when a petitioner asserts that emergency circumstances exist or the court determines that an emergency exists; amending s. 397.6957, F.S.; expanding the exemption from the requirement that a respondent be present at a hearing on a petition for involuntary treatment; authorizing the court to permit all witnesses to remotely attend and testify at the hearing through certain means; deleting a provision requiring the court to appoint a guardian advocate under certain circumstances; prohibiting a respondent from being involuntarily ordered into treatment unless certain requirements are met; providing requirements relating to involuntary assessment and stabilization orders; providing requirements relating to involuntary treatment hearings; requiring that the assessment of a respondent occur before a specified time unless certain requirements are met; requiring the service provider to discharge the respondent after a specified time unless certain requirements are met; requiring a qualified professional to provide copies of his or her report to the court and all relevant parties and counsel; providing requirements for the report; authorizing certain entities to take specified actions based upon the involuntary assessment; authorizing a court to order certain persons to take a respondent into custody and transport him or her to or from certain service providers and the court; revising the petitioner's burden of proof in the hearing; authorizing the court to initiate involuntary proceedings under certain circumstances; authorizing the court to refer the case to the department under certain circumstances; requiring that, if a treatment order is issued, it must include certain findings; providing that a treatment order may designate a specific service provider; amending s. 397.697, F.S.; requiring that an individual meet certain requirements to qualify for involuntary outpatient treatment; specifying that certain hearings may be set by the motion of a party or under the court's own authority; specifying that a service provider's authority is separate and distinct from the court's jurisdiction; amending s. 397.6971, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 397.6975, F.S.; authorizing certain entities to file a petition for renewal of involuntary treatment; revising the timeframe during which the court is required to schedule a hearing; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 397.6976, F.S.; authorizing the court to commit certain persons to inpatient or outpatient treatment, or a combination thereof, without an assessment under certain circumstances; limiting the treatment period to a specified number of days unless the period is extended; defining the term "habitual abuser"; amending s. 397.6977,

F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 397.6978, F.S., relating to the appointment of guardian advocates; amending s. 397.706, F.S.; revising whom the court may require to participate in substance abuse assessment and treatment services; providing requirements for holding a minor in contempt of court in cases that involve a minor violating an involuntary treatment order; requiring service providers to prioritize a minor's placement into treatment under certain circumstances; amending ss. 409.972, 464.012, 744.2007, and 790.065, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 872—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current and former commissioners and specified commission personnel of the Florida Commission on Offender Review and the names and personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such personnel; providing for future review and repeal of the exemption; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of school administrators and the names and personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of school administrators; providing for future review and repeal of the exemption; providing statements of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Torres-

SB 874—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sensory deprivation tanks; amending s. 514.011, F.S.; revising the terms "public swimming pool" and "public pool" to exclude sensory deprivation tanks used for flotation therapy; amending s. 514.0115, F.S.; exempting sensory deprivation tanks from regulation by the Department of Health as public pools; amending s. 553.77, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Gibson-

SB 876—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Matching Endowment Scholarship Program; creating s. 1009.895, F.S.; establishing the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Matching Endowment Scholarship Program within the Department of Education; providing the purpose of the program; providing for an appropriation; requiring a historically black college or university to provide a certain amount of matching funds by a specified date to participate in the program; requiring certain funds to remain in the trust fund; providing that the interest will be used to provide scholarships to certain students; providing for annual disbursement of the interest; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 878—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current or former emergency room health care practitioners and the spouses and children of such practitioners; defining the term "emergency room health care practitioner"; providing for retroactive application; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

**SB 880**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the nurse registry; amending s. 440.13, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "attendant care" to include services provided by a licensed nurse registry; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; and Rules.

By Senators Torres and Rodriguez-

SB 882—A bill to be entitled An act relating to heat illness prevention; creating s. 448.111, F.S.; providing applicability; defining terms; providing responsibilities of certain employers and employees; providing an exception; requiring certain employers to provide annual training for employees and supervisors; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, in conjunction with the Department of Health, to adopt specified rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Health Policy; and Rules.

By Senators Hooper and Perry-

SB 884—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement and correctional officers; reordering and amending s. 112.531, F.S.; revising the definitions of "correctional officer" and "law enforcement officer" to include persons employed on a part-time basis; amending s. 112.532, F.S.; authorizing an agency to take disciplinary action against a correctional officer or law enforcement officer accused of misconduct within a specified timeframe, regardless of the allegation's origin; requiring an agency to provide an officer with notice of alleged misconduct within a specified timeframe, regardless of the allegation's origin; amending s. 112.534, F.S.; authorizing an officer to bring an action for injunctive relief if a law enforcement or correctional agency fails to comply with certain requirements of part VI of ch. 112, F.S.; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell-

**SB 886**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to errors in deeds; creating s. 689.041, F.S.; defining terms; providing that a deed containing a scrivener's error conveys title as if there had been no such error if certain requirements are met; providing a form for a curative notice; authorizing the clerks of the circuit court to accept and record curative notices; providing for the operation of a curative notice; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

SB 888—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public nuisances; amending s. 60.05, F.S.; revising notice requirements for the filing of temporary injunctions relating to the enjoinment of certain nuisances; extending the period of notice before a lien may attach to certain real estate; amending s. 823.05, F.S.; making technical changes; declaring that the use of a location by a criminal gang, criminal gang members, or criminal gang associates for criminal gang-related activity is a public nuisance; declaring that any place or premises that has been used on more than two occasions during a certain period as the site of specified violations is a nuisance and may be abated or enjoined pursuant to specified provisions; providing a property owner an opportunity to remedy a nuisance before specified legal actions may be taken against the property under certain circumstances; amending s. 893.138, F.S.; de-

claring that any place or premises that has been used on more than two occasions during a certain period as the site of any combination of specified violations is a nuisance and may be abated pursuant to specified procedures; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

SB 890—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local licensing; creating s. 489.1175, F.S.; defining terms; providing that individuals who hold valid, active local licenses may work within the scope of such licenses in any local government jurisdiction without needing to meet certain additional licensing requirements; requiring licensees to provide consumers with certain information; providing that local governments have disciplinary jurisdiction over such licensees; requiring local governments to forward any disciplinary orders to a licensee's original licensing jurisdiction for further action; requiring the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to create and maintain a local licensing information system; requiring local governments to provide the department with specified information; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Berman-

SB 892—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual offenses; amending s. 775.15, F.S.; revising statute of limitations periods for prosecution of certain sexual offenses; specifying that the period for prosecution of certain sexual offenses may not begin until results of specified testing have been received by certain law enforcement agencies; amending s. 943.326, F.S.; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to create and maintain a database for tracking sexual offense evidence kits and other DNA evidence; requiring the department to ensure that alleged sexual assault victims and certain other persons are notified of and have access to information regarding such kits and evidence; providing requirements for such notification; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Rouson and Gruters—

SB 894—A bill to be entitled An act relating to business services; creating s. 516.405, F.S.; creating the Access to Responsible Credit Pilot Program within the Office of Financial Regulation; providing legislative intent; creating s. 516.41, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 516.42, F.S.; requiring a program license from the office to advertise, offer, or make program loans or to impose certain charges or fees; providing licensure requirements; requiring a program licensee's program branch offices to be licensed; providing program branch office license and license renewal requirements; providing circumstances under which the office may deny initial and renewal applications; requiring the Financial Services Commission to adopt rules; creating s. 516.43, F.S.; specifying requirements for program licensees, program loans, loan repayments, rescissions, interest rates, program loan refinancing, receipts, disclosures and statements provided by program licensees to borrowers, origination fees, insufficient funds fees, and delinquency charges; providing that program loans may be made only in specified counties; requiring that a specified percentage of program loans annually issued be provided to borrowers below a specified income; requiring program licensees to provide certain credit education information to borrowers and to report payment performance of borrowers to at least two consumer reporting agencies; prohibiting the office from approving a program licensee applicant before the applicant has been accepted as a data furnisher by a consumer reporting agency; requiring program licensees to provide certain credit reporting information to borrowers; specifying program loan underwriting requirements for program licensees; prohibiting program licensees from making program loans under certain circumstances; requiring program licensees to seek certain information and documentation; prohibiting program licensees from requiring certain waivers from borrowers; providing applicability;

requiring program licensees to maintain a registry of their access partners and annually provide a copy to the office; prohibiting the office from publishing a registry in its annual report; creating s. 516.44, F.S.; requiring all arrangements between program licensees and access partners to be specified in written access partner agreements; providing requirements for such agreements; specifying access partner services that may be used by program licensees; specifying procedures for borrowers' payment receipts or access partners' disbursement of program loans; providing recordkeeping requirements; specifying activities prohibited for access partners; providing disclosure statement requirements; providing requirements and prohibitions relating to compensation paid to access partners; requiring program licensees to provide the office with a specified notice after contracting with access partners; defining the term "affiliated party"; requiring access partners to provide program licensees with a certain written notice within a specified time; providing that program licensees are responsible for violations by their access partners; requiring the commission to adopt rules; creating s. 516.45, F.S.; requiring the office to examine each program licensee; authorizing the office to waive branch office examinations under certain circumstances; limiting the scope of certain examinations and investigations; authorizing the office to take certain disciplinary action against program licensees and access partners; requiring the commission to adopt rules; creating s. 516.46, F.S.; requiring program licensees to file an annual report with the office; requiring the office to post an annual report on its website; specifying information to be contained in the reports; requiring the commission to adopt rules; providing for future repeal of the pilot program; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes-

**SB 896**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to product liability actions; creating s. 768.1258, F.S.; defining the term "product seller"; providing that the doctrine of strict liability does not apply to a product seller in a product liability action; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senators Gruters and Broxson-

SB 898—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance guaranty associations; amending s. 631.57, F.S.; increasing the obligation of the Florida Insurance Guaranty Association, Incorporated, for certain claims under policies covering certain condominium associations and homeowners' associations; increasing the percentage limit of certain insurer net written premiums up to which the Office of Insurance Regulation may levy certain emergency assessments against insurers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel-

SB 900—A bill to be entitled An act relating to malt beverages; creating s. 563.061, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting certain sales of malt beverages between a distributor and vendor; authorizing bona fide returns of malt beverages under certain conditions; providing applicability; authorizing distributors to accept returns of certain products under specified conditions; providing distributor requirements for such returns; providing requirements for exchanges of product; providing recordkeeping requirements; specifying that authorized returns are not gifts, loans, or other prohibited forms of financial aid or assistance; providing civil penalties; providing for rulemaking; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senators Rouson and Brandes-

SB 902—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; creating s. 775.08701, F.S.; providing legislative intent; prohibiting certain persons from being sentenced to mandatory minimum terms of imprisonment for aggravated assault or attempted aggravated assault committed before a specified date; requiring resentencing for persons who committed those violations before a specified date and are serving mandatory minimum terms of imprisonment; specifying the procedures for such resentencing; providing eligibility for gain-time for such resentenced persons; creating s. 893.13501, F.S.; providing legislative intent; providing for sentencing or resentencing for persons who committed certain violations before a specified date which involved trafficking in hydrocodone or codeine; requiring resentencing for persons who committed those violations before a specified date and are serving mandatory minimum terms of imprisonment; providing criminal penalties for such violations that are subject to resentencing; providing legislative intent; requiring sentencing or resentencing for persons who committed certain violations before a specified date which involved trafficking in oxycodone; providing criminal penalties for such violation that is subject to resentencing; specifying the procedures for such resentencing; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hooper-

**SB 904**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sinkhole and catastrophic ground cover collapse insurance; amending s. 627.706, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "catastrophic ground cover collapse" for insurance coverage purposes; specifying circumstances under which settling or cracking of a foundation, structure, or building constitutes a loss resulting from a catastrophic ground cover collapse; defining the term "dangerous"; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer-

SB 906—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited reptiles; amending s. 379.372, F.S.; making technical changes; prohibiting a person, party, firm, association, or corporation from keeping, possessing, importing, selling, bartering, trading, or breeding for personal use or sale for personal use green iguanas or black and white tegus; reenacting s. 379.2311(1), F.S., relating to the definition of the term "priority invasive species," to incorporate the amendment made to s. 379.372, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

SB 908—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Agreement Among the States to Elect the President by National Popular Vote; providing for enactment of the agreement; providing a method by which a state may become a member state; requiring a statewide popular election for President and Vice President of the United States; establishing a procedure for appointing presidential electors in member states; providing that the agreement becomes effective upon the occurrence of specified actions; providing for the withdrawal of a member state; requiring notification of member states when the agreement takes effect in a nonmember state or when a member state withdraws from the agreement; providing severability; providing definitions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Torres-

**SB 910**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to rent control measures; amending ss. 125.0103 and 166.043, F.S.; deleting a provision that required local government measures that imposed rent controls to expire unless they were extended or renewed in accordance with law; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 912—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; amending s. 210.09, F.S.; requiring that certain reports relating to the transportation or possession of cigarettes be filed with the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco through the division's electronic data submission system; amending s. 210.55, F.S.; requiring that certain entities file reports, rather than returns, relating to tobacco products with the division; providing requirements for such reports; amending s. 509.241, F.S.; revising rulemaking requirements relating to public lodging and food service licenses; amending s. 509.251, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to fee schedule requirements; specifying that all fees are payable in full upon submission of an application for a public lodging establishment license or a public food service license; amending s. 548.003, F.S.; renaming the Florida State Boxing Commission as the Florida Athletic Commission; amending s. 548.043, F.S.; revising rulemaking requirements for the commission relating to gloves; amending s. 561.01, F.S.; deleting the definition of the term "permit carrier"; amending s. 561.17, F.S.; revising a requirement related to the filing of fingerprints with the division; requiring that applications be accompanied by certain information relating to right of occupancy; providing requirements relating to contact information for licensees and permittees; amending s. 561.20, F.S.; conforming cross-references; revising requirements for issuing special licenses to certain food service establishments; amending s. 561.42, F.S.; requiring the division, and authorizing vendors, to use electronic mail to give certain notice; amending s. 561.55, F.S.; revising requirements for reports relating to alcoholic beverages; amending s. 718.112, F.S.; providing the circumstances under which a person is delinquent in the payment of an assessment in the context of eligibility for membership on certain condominium boards; requiring that an annual budget be proposed to unit owners and adopted by the board before a specified time; amending s. 718.501, F.S.; authorizing the Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes to adopt rules regarding the submission of complaints against a condominium association; amending s. 718.5014, F.S.; revising the location requirements for the principal office of the condominium ombudsman; amending ss. 455.219, 548.002, 548.05, 548.071, and 548.077, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Community Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes-

**SB 914**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to property insurance; amending s. 627.428, F.S.; providing that, for certain attorney fees awarded for claims arising under property insurance policies, the maximum fee a court may award is a lodestar fee; prohibiting the court from considering contingency risk or using a contingency risk multiplier; amending s. 627.736, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley—

**SB 916**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly; creating s. 430.84, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration, in consultation with the Department of Elderly Affairs, to approve certain applicants to provide benefits pursuant to the Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE); specifying requirements and procedures for the sub-

mission, publication, review, and initial approval of applications; requiring prospective PACE organizations that are granted initial approval to apply within a certain timeframe for federal approval; providing accountability requirements; exempting PACE organizations from certain requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 918—A bill to be entitled An act relating to civic education; amending s. 1003.44, F.S.; requiring the Commissioner of Education to develop minimum criteria for a nonpartisan civic literacy practicum for high school students, beginning with a specified school year; requiring the commissioner to develop a certain process for use by district school boards; specifying criteria for the civic literacy practicum; authorizing students to apply the hours they devote to practicum activities to certain community service requirements; requiring the State Board of Education to designate certain high schools as Freedom Schools, based on criteria the board establishes relating to students' civic learning and civic engagement; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 920—A bill to be entitled An act relating to first-episode psychosis programs; amending ss. 394.455 and 394.67, F.S.; defining the term "first-episode psychosis program"; amending s. 394.658, F.S.; revising the application criteria for the Criminal Justice, Mental Health, and Substance Abuse Reinvestment Grant Program to include support for first-episode psychosis programs; amending s. 394.4573, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families to include specified information regarding first-episode psychosis programs in its annual assessment of behavioral health services; defining the term "first-episode psychosis program"; providing that first-episode psychosis programs are an essential element of a coordinated system of care; amending ss. 394.495, 394.496, 394.674, 394.9085, 409.972, 464.012, and 744.2007, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters—

SB 922—A bill to be entitled An act relating to economic development; amending s. 288.106, F.S.; authorizing a qualified target industry business located in a county affected by Hurricane Michael to submit a request to the Department of Economic Opportunity for an economic recovery extension in lieu of a tax refund claim scheduled to be submitted during a specified timeframe; authorizing the department to waive certain requirements during a specified timeframe; requiring the department to state any waiver in writing; providing that certain businesses are eligible for a specified tax refund payment; defining the term "county affected by Hurricane Michael"; deleting obsolete provisions; deleting a provision relating to the future expiration of certification for the tax refund program for qualified target industry businesses; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 924—A bill to be entitled An act relating to civil actions against insurers; amending s. 624.155, F.S.; providing that, in third-party bad faith actions against insurers, insureds and claimants have the burden to prove that an insurer acted in reckless disregard for insured rights which resulted in damage to the insured or the claimant; providing that insured or claimant actions or inactions are relevant in bad faith ac-

tions; specifying an affirmative defense; specifying an insurer's duties to insureds; providing that an insurer is not liable if certain conditions are met; providing that an insurer is not liable beyond available policy limits as to certain competing third-party claims if it files an interpleader action within a certain timeframe; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 926—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care practitioner licensure; creating s. 458.3129, F.S.; establishing that a physician licensed under the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact is deemed to be licensed under chapter 458; creating s. 459.074, F.S.; establishing that an osteopathic physician licensed under the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact is deemed to be licensed under chapter 459; amending s. 456.0635, F.S.; removing the requirement that each board within the jurisdiction of the Department of Health, or the department if there is no board, prohibit a candidate from being examined for or issued, or having renewed a license, certificate, or registration to practice a health care profession if he or she is listed on a specified federal list of excluded individuals and entities; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; deleting a provision classifying the failure to repay a student loan issued or guaranteed by the state or federal government in accordance with the terms of the loan as a failure to perform a statutory or legal obligation; removing penalties; repealing s. 456.0721, F.S., relating to investigations of health care practitioners in default on student loan or scholarship obligations; amending s. 456.074, F.S.; deleting the requirement, and related provisions, that the department immediately suspend the licenses of certain health care practitioners for failing to provide proof of new payment terms for defaulted student loans within a specified timeframe; creating s. 456.4501, F.S.; implementing the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact in this state; providing for an interstate medical licensure process; providing requirements for multistate practice; creating s. 456.4502, F.S.; establishing that a formal hearing before the Division of Administrative Hearings must be held if there are any disputed issues of material fact when the licenses of certain physicians and osteopathic physicians are suspended or revoked by this state under the compact; requiring the department to notify the division of a petition for a formal hearing within a specified timeframe; requiring the administrative law judge to issue a recommended order; requiring the Board of Medicine or the Board of Osteopathic Medicine, as applicable, to determine and issue final orders in certain cases; providing the department with standing to seek judicial review of any final order of the boards; creating s. 456.4504, F.S.; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 768.28, F.S.; designating the state commissioners of the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Commission and other members or employees of the commission as state agents for the purpose of applying sovereign immunity and waivers of sovereign immunity; requiring the commission to pay certain claims or judgments; authorizing the commission to maintain insurance coverage to pay such claims or judgments; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 928—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; creating s. 456.4503, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by the Department of Health, the Board of Medicine, or the Board of Osteopathic Medicine, pursuant to the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact; providing an exemption from public meeting requirements for certain meetings or portions of certain meetings of the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Commission; providing an exemption from public records requirements for recordings, minutes, and records generated during the closed portions of such meetings; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Gainer-

SB 930—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.0713, F.S.; exempting from public records requirements certain financial and taxpayer personal identifying information held by a county or municipality in connection with the collection or administration of a local business tax; authorizing such information to be divulged under specified conditions; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing statements of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Finance and Tax; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Lee-

**SB 932**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to executive appointments; amending s. 114.05, F.S.; specifying that the Governor may rescind an appointment before the Senate confirms such appointment; specifying the term of office of an appointee whose appointment is rescinded by the Governor; providing retroactive application; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senators Pizzo and Hooper-

SB 934—A bill to be entitled An act relating to first aid for severe bleeding; amending s. 768.1326, F.S.; requiring the State Surgeon General to adopt rules to establish guidelines for the placement of bleeding control kits in state buildings by a specified date; providing requirements for such guidelines and the placement of such kits in state buildings; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; requiring district school boards to provide a bleeding control kit in every school within the school district; providing requirements for such kits; creating s. 1003.457, F.S.; requiring school districts to provide instruction for all students in first aid for severe bleeding; requiring students to study and practice skills associated with first aid for severe bleeding at least once before graduating from high school; requiring that the instruction be a part of a required curriculum and be based on certain programs; providing an exemption; creating s. 1012.5841, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education to develop a list of approved first aid for severe bleeding instructional programs for certain instructional personnel by a specified date; providing requirements for such list; requiring the department to incorporate such training programs into existing requirements for continuing education or inservice training for such personnel by a specified school year; prohibiting such requirements from adding to the total hours required for such education and training; authorizing the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gainer-

**SB 936**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disability retirement benefits; amending s. 121.091, F.S.; allowing members receiving care at federal Veterans Health Administration facilities to use certification by a specified number of physicians working at such facilities as proof of total and permanent disability for purposes of establishing eligibility for benefits; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

**SB 938**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the death penalty; amending s. 775.082, F.S.; deleting provisions providing for the death penalty for capital felonies; deleting provisions relating to the effect of a declaration by a court of last resort that the death penalty in a capital felony is unconstitutional; amending ss. 27.51 and 27.511, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to representation in death penalty cases; amending

s. 27.5304, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing ss. 27.7001, 27.7002, 27.701, 27.702, 27.703, 27.704, 27.7045, 27.705, 27.706, 27.707, 27.708, 27.7081, 27.7091, 27.710, 27.711, and 27.715, F.S., relating to capital collateral representation and constitutionally deficient representation, respectively; amending ss. 23.21, 27.51, 27.511, 43.16, and 112.0455, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; deleting a public records exemption relating to capital collateral proceedings; amending ss. 186.003, 215.89, 215.985, 216.011, and 790.25, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 775.15 and 790.161, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to the effect of a declaration by a court of last resort that the death penalty in a capital felony is unconstitutional; repealing s. 913.13, F.S., relating to jurors in capital cases; repealing s. 921.137, F.S., relating to prohibiting the imposition of the death sentence upon a defendant with an intellectual disability; repealing s. 921.141, F.S., relating to determination of whether to impose a sentence of death or life imprisonment for a capital felony; repealing s. 921.142, F.S., relating to determination of whether to impose a sentence of death or life imprisonment for a capital drug trafficking felony; amending ss. 775.021, 782.04, 775.30, 394.912, 782.065, 794.011, 893.135, 944.275, and 948.012, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing ss. 922.052, 922.06, 922.07, 922.08, 922.095, 922.10, 922.105, 922.108, 922.11, 922.111, 922.12, 922.14, 922.15, 924.055, 924.056, and 924.057, F.S., relating to issuance of warrant of execution, stay of execution of death sentence, proceedings when a person under sentence of death appears to be insane, proceedings when person under sentence of death appears to be pregnant, pursuit of collateral remedies, execution of death sentence, prohibition against reduction of death sentence as a result of determination that a method of execution is unconstitutional, sentencing orders in capital cases, regulation of execution, transfer to state prison for safekeeping before death warrant issued, return of warrant of execution issued by the Governor, sentence of death unexecuted for unjustifiable reasons, return of warrant of execution issued by the Supreme Court, legislative intent concerning appeals and postconviction proceedings in death penalty cases, commencement of capital postconviction actions for which sentence of death is imposed on or after January 14, 2000, and limitation on postconviction cases in which the death sentence was imposed before January 14, 2000, respectively; amending s. 925.11, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to preservation of DNA evidence in death penalty cases; amending s. 945.10, F.S.; deleting a public records exemption for the identity of executioners; amending ss. 316.3026, 373.409, 373.430, 376.302, 403.161, 448.09, 504.013, 648.571, 775.261, 787.06, 794.0115, 800.04, 907.041, 921.1401, 921.1402, 944.17, 944.608, 944.609, and 944.705, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senators Rader, Pizzo, Rouson, and Berman-

SB 940—A bill to be entitled An act relating to crimes evidencing prejudice; amending s. 775.085, F.S.; expanding grounds for the reclassification of crimes to include prejudice based on the gender or gender identity of any person; specifying that the reclassification occurs if the crime was based in whole or in part on the race, color, ancestry, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, national origin, homeless status, advanced age, gender, or gender identity of any person; defining the term "gender identity"; amending s. 775.0863, F.S.; replacing the term "mental or physical disability" with the term "disability"; defining the term "disability"; specifying that the reclassification of a certain crime occurs if the crime was based in whole or in part on a disability of any person; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Pizzo-

SB 942—A bill to be entitled An act relating to implicit bias training; amending s. 943.1716, F.S.; requiring the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission to include specified implicit bias training in instruction related to dealing with diverse populations; amending s. 1000.05, F.S.; requiring the State Board of Education to develop requirements for training for all K-12 instructional personnel and ad-

ministrators in recognizing and overcoming implicit bias; requesting that the Supreme Court develop training requirements for judges in recognizing and overcoming implicit bias; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston-

**SB 944**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assault or battery on courtroom personnel; creating s. 784.079, F.S.; defining the term "courtroom personnel"; prohibiting an assault or battery on specified courtroom personnel; providing criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 946—A bill to be entitled An act relating to moments of silence in public schools; amending s. 1003.45, F.S.; providing legislative findings; requiring that public school principals require teachers to set aside time for a moment of silence at the beginning of each school day; specifying the duration of the required moment of silence; prohibiting teachers from making suggestions as to the nature of any reflection that a student may engage in during the moment of silence; deleting a provision authorizing district school boards to provide a brief period of silent prayer or meditation; requiring certain teachers to encourage parents to discuss the moment of silence with their children and to make suggestions as to the best use of this time; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 948—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction defects; amending s. 553.84, F.S.; defining the term "material violation"; revising when a person has a cause of action for a violation relating to the Florida Building Code; providing requirements for such cause of action; amending s. 558.004, F.S.; revising requirements relating to notices of claim; requiring a claimant to allow persons served with a notice of claim to inspect certain records; providing that the claimant, under certain circumstances, does not have a claim for damages that could have been avoided or mitigated; reenacting s. 558.002(5), F.S., relating to definitions for ch. 558, F.S.; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rouson-

**SB 950**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assault or battery on hospital personnel; amending s. 784.07, F.S.; defining the term "hospital personnel"; providing enhanced criminal penalties for persons who knowingly commit assault or battery upon hospital personnel; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 952—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Senior Management Service Class; amending s. 121.055, F.S.; providing that participation in the Senior Management Service Class of the Florida Retirement System is compulsory for each appointed criminal conflict and civil regional counsel and specified staff of the regional counsel beginning on a specified date; authorizing certain additional positions that may be included in the class; authorizing members of the class to purchase and upgrade certain retirement credit; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Criminal Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 954—A bill to be entitled An act relating to building design; amending s. 163.3202, F.S.; providing that certain regulations relating to building design elements may not be applied to certain structures; providing exceptions; defining the term "building design elements"; providing applicability; amending s. 553.73, F.S.; providing that an affected party may submit certain local government regulations to the Florida Building Commission for review; providing for enforcement of such regulations; making technical changes; amending ss. 125.01 and 125.56, F.S.; conforming cross-references; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Perry—

SB 956—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop a Solar Power license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of such plates; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

**SB 958**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; creating a fee for a certain specialty license plate; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 960—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citizen oversight of correctional facilities; creating s. 944.0232, F.S.; creating a Citizens Oversight Council adjunct to the Department of Corrections; providing for membership and terms; specifying duties and responsibilities of the council; prohibiting the council from interfering with the day-to-day operations of the Department of Corrections or the Department of Juvenile Justice or certain facilities; providing a purpose of the council; providing for confidentiality of council business; authorizing reimbursement for per diem and travel expenses; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Berman-

SB 962—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medical marijuana employee protection; creating ss. 112.219 and 448.111, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting an employer from taking adverse personnel action against an employee or job applicant who is a qualified patient using medical marijuana; providing exceptions; requiring an employer to provide written notice to an employee or job applicant who tests positive for marijuana of his or her right to explain the positive test result; providing procedures when an employee or job applicant tests positive for marijuana; providing a cause of action and damages; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules. SR 964—Not introduced.

By Senator Gainer-

SB 966—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain records and information provided to the Department of Economic Opportunity, the Florida Housing Finance Corporation, a county, a municipality, or a local housing finance agency by or on behalf of an applicant for or a participant in a federal, state, or local housing assistance program for the purpose of disaster recovery assistance; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 968—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sports wagering; creating ch. 547, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing certain persons to place wagers on a sports event under certain circumstances; providing duties and responsibilities of the Department of the Lottery relating to sports pools; requiring the department to adopt rules; authorizing persons to apply to the department for a license to operate a sports pool; providing requirements for such application; requiring licensees to annually renew their licenses; prohibiting sports pools from being offered by anyone other than the department or a licensee; specifying requirements for accepting wagers on sports events; authorizing a licensee to have certain websites and applications under certain circumstances; authorizing the department or licensees to provide certain benefits to induce a person to wager; requiring licensees to perform background checks on all employees and provide certain documentation to the department upon request; prohibiting certain persons from wagering under certain circumstances; providing applicability; requiring the department and licensees to adopt certain procedures to prevent certain persons from wagering; prohibiting the department and licensees from accepting wagers from certain persons; requiring a licensee to promptly notify the department of certain information; providing for the disbursement of unclaimed winnings; providing civil and criminal penalties; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes—

**SB 970**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 547.004, F.S.; providing an application fee and a renewal fee for licenses relating to sports wagering; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes—

**SB 972**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxes; creating s. 547.009, F.S.; providing a tax rate for certain revenues received from sports wagering; specifying requirements relating to the payment of taxes; providing civil penalties; amending s. 24.121, F.S.; revising the purpose of the Operating Trust Fund of the Department of the Lottery; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Pizzo-

SM 974—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging Congress to recognize October 17 as Jean-Jacques Dessalines Day.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Pizzo-

**SM 976**—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging Congress to recognize January 1 as "Haitian Independence Day," the month of May as "Haitian American Heritage Month," May 18 as "Haitian Flag Day," and the month of June as "Caribbean American Heritage Month."

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Pizzo—

SM 978—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging Congress to recognize June 19, 2020, as "Juneteenth Independence Day."

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 980—A bill to be entitled An act relating to lost, stray, unwanted, or homeless dogs and cats; amending s. 823.151, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; requiring certain animal shelters, humane organizations, or animal control agencies that take receivership of any lost, stray, unwanted, or homeless dogs or cats to adopt written policies and procedures to achieve specified goals; requiring that additional specified records be available to the public; authorizing employees, agents, or contractors of certain animal shelters or animal control agencies to implant dogs and cats with radio-frequency identification devices for certain purposes; authorizing employees, agents, or contractors of certain animal shelters or animal control agencies to contact certain owners of record to verify pet ownership; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

Senate Bills 982-988—Not used.

By Senator Hutson-

SB 990—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public deposits; amending s. 280.02, F.S.; redefining terms; adding credit unions meeting certain criteria to a list of qualified public depositories; amending s. 280.03, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; creating s. 280.042, F.S.; specifying criteria for a credit union to be designated as a qualified public depository by the Chief Financial Officer; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to withdraw from a collateral agreement with a credit union under certain circumstances; specifying a requirement and a procedure for a credit union that is a party to a withdrawn collateral agreement; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to limit, for certain purposes, the amount of public deposits held by a credit union; amending ss. 280.05, 280.052, 280.053, and 280.055, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 280.07, F.S.; revising and specifying the mutual responsibility and contingent liability of financial institutions designated as qualified public depositories; amending ss. 280.08 and 280.085, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 280.09, F.S.; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to segregate and separately account for certain amounts attributable to credit unions in the Public Deposits Trust Fund; amending ss. 280.10, 280.13, and 280.17, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting ss. 17.57(1), (2), and (7)(a); 17.58(1) and (2); 17.62; 17.68(4) and (5); 24.114(1); 125.901(3)(e) and (f); 136.01; 159.608(11); 175.301; 175.401(8); 185.30; 185.50(8); 190.007(3); 191.006(16); 215.322(4); 215.34(2); 218.415(16)(c), (17)(c), and (23)(a); 255.502(4)(h); 331.309(1) and (2); 373.553(2); 420.0005(1); 420.5087(7); 420.5088(4); 420.5089(1); 420.525(1); 631.221; 655.057(5)(e); 723.06115(3)(c); 895.09(4); and

1009.971(5)(d), F.S., to incorporate the amendment made to s. 280.02, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 992—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System Investment Plan; amending s. 121.4501, F.S.; specifying applicability of employee and employer contribution rates for employees who default into the investment plan; amending s. 121.571, F.S.; authorizing investment plan members to make voluntary contributions to the plan, subject to certain limitations; amending s. 121.71, F.S.; revising required employee contribution rates for the investment plan; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 121.72, F.S.; revising the percentage of gross compensation allocated to investment plan member accounts to conform to changes made by the act; amending ss. 121.051, 121.055, 121.35, and 1012.875, F.S.; conforming cross-references to changes made by the act; revising required employer retirement contribution rates to fund the benefit changes made by the act; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; requiring the State Board of Administration to prepare a report regarding income annuities; requiring the state board to submit the report to the board's trustees and the Legislature by a specified date; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senators Passidomo, Stewart, and Thurston-

SB 994—A bill to be entitled An act relating to guardianship; amending s. 744.312, F.S.; expanding factors for a court to consider when appointing a guardian; amending s. 744.3215, F.S.; prohibiting a guardian from consenting to or signing on behalf of a ward an order not to resuscitate without court approval; amending s. 744.334, F.S.; revising requirements for a petition for the appointment of a guardian; defining the term "alternatives to guardianship"; prohibiting professional guardians from petitioning for their own appointment except under certain circumstances; defining the term "relative"; amending s. 744.363, F.S.; expanding requirements for initial guardianship plans; amending s. 744.367, F.S.; expanding requirements for annual guardianship reports; defining the term "remuneration"; amending s. 744.3675, F.S.; expanding requirements for annual guardianship plans; amending s. 744.446, F.S.; prohibiting guardians from taking certain actions on behalf of an alleged incapacitated person or minor; revising provisions relating to conflicts of interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 996—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the displacement of private waste companies; amending s. 403.70605, F.S.; revising the process for a local government to displace a private waste collection company in a county or municipality; requiring a local government to announce its intent to adopt an ordinance or a resolution for organized collection service through a resolution of intent; specifying requirements for the resolution of intent; specifying requirements for a local government's plan for organized collection service; prohibiting a local government from commencing organized collection service for a specified time after adoption of a certain ordinance or resolution; requiring a local government to restart the notification and planning process under certain circumstances; defining the term "organized collection service"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Environment and Natural Resources; and Rules.

By Senator Hutson-

SB 998—A bill to be entitled An act relating to housing; amending s. 125.01055, F.S.; authorizing a board of county commissioners to approve development of affordable housing on any parcel zoned for residential, commercial, or industrial use; beginning on a specified date, prohibiting counties from collecting certain fees for the development or construction of affordable housing; amending s. 163.31771, F.S.; revising legislative findings; requiring local governments to adopt ordinances that allow accessory dwelling units in any area zoned for residential use; amending s. 163.31801, F.S.; requiring counties, municipalities, and special districts to include certain data relating to impact fees in their annual financial reports; deleting a provision authorizing counties, municipalities, and special districts to provide an exception for or waiver on impact fees for the development or construction of affordable housing; amending s. 166.04151, F.S.; authorizing governing bodies of municipalities to approve the development of affordable housing on any parcel zoned for residential, commercial, or industrial use; beginning on a specified date, prohibiting municipalities from collecting certain fees for the development or construction of affordable housing; amending s. 212.05, F.S.; providing the percentage of the sales price of certain mobile homes which is subject to sales tax; providing a sales tax exemption for certain mobile homes; amending s. 212.06, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "fixtures" to include certain mobile homes; amending s. 320.77, F.S.; revising a certification requirement for mobile home dealer applicants relating to the applicant's business location; amending s. 320.822, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "code"; amending s. 320.8232, F.S.; revising applicable standards for the repair and remodeling of mobile and manufactured homes; amending s. 367.022, F.S.; exempting certain mobile home park and mobile home subdivision owners from regulation relating to water and wastewater systems by the Florida Public Service Commission; revising an exemption from regulation for certain water service resellers; creating s. 420.0007, F.S.; providing a local permit approval process for affordable housing; requiring local governments to issue development permits if certain conditions are met; requiring applicants for development permits to submit certain notice to the local government if relying on a specified approval provision; amending s. 420.5087, F.S.; revising the criteria used by a review committee when evaluating and selecting specified applications for state apartment incentive loans; amending s. 420.5095, F.S.; renaming the Community Workforce Housing Innovation Pilot Program as the Community Workforce Housing Loan Program to provide workforce housing for essential services personnel affected by the high cost of housing; revising the definition of the term "workforce housing"; deleting the definition of the term "public-private partnership"; authorizing the corporation to provide loans under the program to applicants for construction of workforce housing; requiring the corporation to establish a certain loan application process; deleting provisions requiring the corporation to provide incentives for local governments to use certain funds; requiring projects to receive priority consideration for funding under certain circumstances; deleting a provision providing for the expedition of local government comprehensive plan amendments to implement a program project; requiring that the corporation award loans at a specified interest rate and for a limited term; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 420.5098, F.S.; creating the Rental to Homeownership Opportunity Program; requiring certain rental developments to establish a resident homeownership opportunity financial incentive program; specifying requirements relating to the program; authorizing the Florida Housing Finance Corporation to adopt rules; amending s. 420.531, F.S.; specifying that technical support provided to local governments and community-based organizations includes implementation of the State Apartment Incentive Loan Program; requiring the entity providing training and technical assistance to convene and administer quarterly workshops; requiring such entity to annually compile and submit certain information to the Legislature and the corporation by a specified date; amending s. 420.9071, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "local housing incentive strategies"; amending s. 420.9075, F.S.; revising the criteria for awards made to eligible sponsors or persons relating to local housing assistance plans; revising the amount of funds that may be reserved for certain purposes; reenacting and amending s. 420.9076, F.S.; beginning on a specified date, revising the membership of local affordable housing advisory committees; requiring the committees to perform specified duties annually instead of triennially; requiring locally elected officials serving on advisory committees, or their designees, to attend quarterly regional workshops; providing a penalty; amending s. 723.041, F.S.; providing

that a mobile home park damaged or destroyed due to natural force may be rebuilt with the same density as previously approved, permitted, or built; providing construction; amending s. 723.061, F.S.; revising a requirement related to mailing eviction notices; specifying the waiver and nonwaiver of certain rights of the park owner under certain circumstances; requiring the accounting at final hearing of rents received; requiring a tenant defending certain actions by a landlord to comply with certain requirements; amending s. 723.063, F.S.; revising procedures and requirements for mobile home owners and revising construction, relating to park owners' actions for rent or possession; revising conditions under which a park owner may apply to a court for disbursement of certain funds; reenacting s. 420.507(22)(i), F.S., relating to powers of the Florida Housing Finance Corporation, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 420.5087, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 193.018(2), F.S., relating to land owned by a community land trust used to provide affordable housing, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 420.5095, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 420.9072(2)(a), F.S., relating to the State Housing Initiatives Partnership Program, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 420.9071, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

SB 1000—A bill to be entitled An act relating to traffic and pedestrian safety; creating s. 316.0756, F.S.; requiring a pedestrian crosswalk on a public highway, street, or road which is located at any point other than at an intersection with another public highway, street, or road to be controlled by traffic control signal devices and pedestrian control signals that conform to specified requirements; providing coordination requirements for such devices and signals; requiring, by a specified date, the entity with jurisdiction over a public highway, street, or road with a certain pedestrian crosswalk to ensure that the crosswalk is controlled by coordinated traffic control signal devices and pedestrian control signals; authorizing such entity to alternatively remove any such crosswalk; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 1002—A bill to be entitled An act relating to subpoenas; amending s. 92.605, F.S.; revising the definition of "properly served"; authorizing an applicant to petition a court to compel compliance with a subpoena; authorizing a court to address noncompliance as indirect criminal contempt and impose a daily fine for a specified amount of time; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1004—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Sunshine Scholarship Program; creating s. 1009.895, F.S.; establishing the Sunshine Scholarship Program; requiring the Department of Education to administer the program; providing the purpose of the program; defining the term "eligible postsecondary institution"; requiring certain financial aid to be credited to a student's tuition and fees before the award of a Sunshine Scholarship; specifying student eligibility requirements; defining the term "full-time student"; requiring a student to repay the scholarship amount under certain circumstances; providing that the program applies only to a student's tuition and fees; providing for funding; providing for rulemaking; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Baxley and Perry-

**SB 1006**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to coverage for hearing aids for children; creating s. 627.6413, F.S.; requiring certain individual health insurance policies to provide coverage for hearing aids for children 21 years of age or younger; specifying health care providers who may prescribe, fit, and dispense the hearing aids; specifying a minimum coverage limit within a certain timeframe; providing an exception; providing that an insured is responsible for certain costs that exceed the policy limit; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; and Appropriations.

SR 1008—Not introduced.

By Senator Farmer-

**SB 1010**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to marriage equality; repealing s. 741.212, F.S., relating to marriages between persons of the same sex; removing a prohibition on the recognition of marriages entered into between persons of the same sex in this state, another state, or another jurisdiction, either domestic or foreign; removing a prohibition on giving effect to any public act, record, or judicial proceeding of another jurisdiction respecting a marriage or relationship not recognized in this state or a claim arising from such a marriage or relationship; removing the definition of the term "marriage," which limits marriage only to a legal union between one man and one woman; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Montford-

SB 1012—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Teacher Scholarship Program; creating s. 1009.897, F.S.; establishing the Teacher Scholarship Program within the Department of Education; providing a purpose of the program and the criteria for student eligibility; specifying duties of each postsecondary institution for the program; providing for disbursement of the scholarship awards; providing for stipends; specifying funding; authorizing the department to prorate awards under a certain circumstance; providing for rulemaking; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 1014—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public safety tele-communicator training; amending s. 401.465, F.S.; defining the term "telecommunicator cardiopulmonary resuscitation training"; conforming cross-references; requiring certain 911 public safety tele-communicators to receive telecommunicator cardiopulmonary resuscitation training every 2 years; requiring the Department of Health to establish a procedure to monitor adherence to the training requirements; authorizing the department to adjust state grants or shared revenue funds to certain entities based on their employees' adherence or failure to adhere to the training requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

**SB 1016**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to discretionary sales surtaxes; amending s. 212.055, F.S.; redefining the term "infrastructure," for purposes of the local government infrastructure surtax, to add authorized expenditures and revise criteria for surtax proceeds used for certain affordable residential housing; revising purposes for

which a local government or special district may enter into certain ground leases; defining the term "residential housing"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart-

**SB 1018**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to exposure of sexual organs; amending s. 800.03, F.S.; increasing criminal penalties for exposure of sexual organs under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Bean-

SB 1020-A bill to be entitled An act relating to institutional formularies established by nursing home facilities; creating s. 400.143, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing a nursing home facility to establish and implement an institutional formulary; requiring such formulary to be developed by a committee established by the nursing home facility; providing for committee membership; providing requirements for the development and implementation of the institutional formulary; requiring a nursing home facility to maintain written policies and procedures for the institutional formulary; requiring a nursing home facility to make available such policies and procedures to the Agency for Health Care Administration, upon request; requiring a prescriber to annually authorize the use of the institutional formulary for certain patients; requiring the prescriber to opt into any changes made to the institutional formulary; authorizing a prescriber to opt out of use of the institutional formulary or to prevent a therapeutic substitution, under certain circumstances; prohibiting a nursing home facility from taking adverse action against a prescriber for refusing to agree to the use of the institutional formulary; amending s. 465.025, F.S.; authorizing a pharmacist to therapeutically substitute medicinal drugs under an institutional formulary established by a nursing home facility, under certain circumstances; prohibiting a pharmacist from therapeutically substituting a medicinal drug, under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 1022—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mobile home parks; amending s. 723.004, F.S.; revising construction; amending s. 723.005, F.S.; revising the duties of the Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation relating to mobile home parks; amending s. 723.006, F.S.; expanding the duties of the division relating to mobile home parks to include certification of certain mobile home park operators; providing for renewal of such certification; requiring the division to adopt rules; amending s. 723.011, F.S.; revising requirements relating to the delivery of a prospectus; revising provisions relating to the adequacy of a prospectus or offering circular; revising documents that must be received by homeowners to include rental agreements; requiring a park owner to provide specified information to the division when more than one prospectus is filed and approved for use in a park; amending s. 723.012, F.S.; revising disclosures that must be contained in a prospectus or offering circular; amending s. 723.033, F.S.; making conforming changes; prohibiting a court or arbitrators from considering certain mobile home parks when determining market rent; requiring a mediator, arbitrator, or court to consider certain factors when determining whether a rental amount is unreasonable; amending s. 723.037, F.S.; deleting provisions prohibiting park owners from limiting comparable mobile home park disclosures to certain mobile home parks; amending s. 723.038, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 723.0381, F.S.; authorizing either party to submit a rent dispute to the division for binding arbitration; providing procedures and requirements for such binding arbitration; authorizing either party to file an action in circuit court to resolve a rent dispute if binding arbitration is not elected within a specified timeframe; requiring a circuit court action to be filed within a specified timeframe; authorizing the division to adopt rules; amending s. 723.061, F.S.; requiring that an eviction notice be provided to the division and the executive director of the Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation within a specified timeframe; amending s. 723.068, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 723.076, F.S.; requiring homeowners' associations to notify park owners upon the election or appointment of new officers or members; amending s. 723.078, F.S.; revising requirements for board elections and ballots; requiring an impartial committee to be responsible for overseeing the election process and complying with ballot requirements; defining the term "impartial committee"; requiring that association bylaws provide a method for determining the winner of an election in which two or more candidates receive the same number of votes; prohibiting certain persons from seeking election to a board and from being eligible for board membership; specifying that actions taken by a board are not invalid because a member is later determined to be ineligible for board membership; requiring the division to adopt rules; expanding the types of meetings that are not required to be open to members; making technical changes; providing an exception to a provision requiring an officer of an association to provide an affidavit affirming certain information; providing that the minutes of certain board and committee meetings are privileged and confidential; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 723.079, F.S.; revising homeowners' association recordkeeping requirements; revising the timeframe for which records are required to be made available for inspection or photocopying; capping the amount of damages for which an association is liable when a member is denied access to official records; requiring that certain disputes be submitted to mandatory binding arbitration with the division; amending s. 723.1255, F.S.; requiring that certain disputes be submitted to mandatory binding arbitration with the division; providing requirements for such arbitration; requiring the division to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Bean—

**SB 1024**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.011, F.S.; expanding an existing public records exemption by redefining the term "active" to include an ongoing, good faith investigation of a case that previously resulted in the conviction of the accused person; providing for future review and repeal of the expanded exemption; providing for reversion of specified language if the exemption is not saved from repeal; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Book—

**SB 1026**—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 referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 1028—A bill to be entitled An act relating to survivors of sexual offenses; providing a short title; creating s. 960.0013, F.S.; defining terms; providing for the attachment and duration of survivor rights; providing that a survivor has the right to consult with a sexual assault counselor during certain examinations and have such counselor present during certain interviews; providing for confidentiality of certain communications between the survivor and such counselor; prohibiting a medical provider from charging a survivor for certain incurred costs; requiring a medical provider to inform a survivor of specified information before commencing a certain medical examination; requiring a law enforcement officer, prosecutor, or defense attorney to inform a survivor

of specified rights before commencing an interview; prohibiting a law enforcement officer, prosecutor, or defense attorney from discouraging a survivor from receiving a certain medical exam; providing that a survivor has the right to have counsel present and the right to prompt analysis of a sexual offense evidence kit; requiring a medical provider to notify the appropriate law enforcement agency within a certain time after collecting such kit; requiring the law enforcement agency to take specified actions after taking possession of such kit from the medical provider and to provide certain information to the survivor; providing requirements and periods of retention for a crime laboratory; prohibiting the use of such kit under certain circumstances; providing requirements for law enforcement officers and medical providers upon initial contact with a survivor; requiring law enforcement officers and prosecutors to provide certain information to a survivor upon his or her written request; creating a cause of action; authorizing the Attorney General to bring an action for injunctive relief; providing a defense to such actions; authorizing a person to bring an action for injunctive relief or damages, or both; requiring the Attorney General, in consultation with the Department of Law Enforcement and by a certain date, to establish a system for tracking such kits; providing reporting requirements for law enforcement agencies and departments tasked with the collection, maintenance, storage, or preservation of such kits; providing reporting requirements for the Auditor General; providing annual reporting requirements for the Department of Law Enforcement, the Department of Health, and the Auditor General; amending s. 943.326, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel-

SB 1030—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.0712, F.S.; creating public records exemptions for certain information contained in any record that pertains to a vessel title or vessel registration issued by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; providing exemptions from public records requirements for e-mail addresses and cellular telephone numbers collected by the department; providing for retroactive application; requiring disclosure of confidential information under certain circumstances; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing statements of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 1032—A bill to be entitled An act relating to licensure examinations for dental practitioners; amending s. 466.006, F.S.; authorizing passage of a dental examination produced by a specified entity to satisfy licensure examination requirements for applicants to practice dentistry in this state; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; making technical changes; amending s. 466.007, F.S.; authorizing passage of a dental hygiene examination produced by a specified entity to satisfy licensure examination requirements for applicants to practice as dental hygienists in this state; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Montford-

**SB 1034**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to district millage elections; amending s. 1011.71, F.S.; increasing the maximum number of years for which a specified millage may be levied; deleting obsolete language; amending s. 1011.73, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Finance and Tax; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 1036—A bill to be entitled An act relating to diesel exhaust fluid; creating s. 330.401, F.S.; requiring the presence, storage, or use of diesel exhaust fluid on the premises of a public airport to be phased out by a certain date; requiring the manager of each public airport that meets certain criteria to create a diesel exhaust fluid safety mitigation and exclusion plan for submission to the Department of Environmental Protection; providing plan requirements; requiring the plan to be fully implemented on the airport premises by a certain date; requiring annual certification of the plan by the department until all diesel exhaust fluid and certain vehicles have been removed from the airport premises; prohibiting the presence, storage, or use of diesel exhaust fluid on the premises of a public airport after a certain date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Environment and Natural Resources; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy-

**SB 1038**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disposition of juvenile offenses; amending s. 921.0021, F.S.; redefining the term "prior record"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters—

**SB 1040**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reentry into this state by certain persons; creating s. 877.28, F.S.; prohibiting persons who are denied admission to or are excluded, deported, or removed from, or who depart the United States under certain circumstances, from entering or being found in this state; providing criminal penalties; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 1042—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aquatic preserves; creating s. 258.3991, F.S.; creating the Nature Coast Aquatic Preserve; designating the preserve for inclusion in the aquatic preserve system; describing the boundaries of the preserve; outlining the authority of the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund in respect to the preserve; requiring the board to adopt rules; prohibiting the establishment and management of the preserve from infringing upon the riparian rights of upland property owners adjacent to or within the preserve; providing civil penalties; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senators Pizzo, Stewart, Gruters, Perry, Harrell, Torres, Diaz, Albritton, Farmer, Flores, Powell, Cruz, Book, Hooper, Mayfield, Taddeo, and Rodriguez—

SB 1044—A bill to be entitled An act relating to animal cruelty; providing a short title; creating s. 828.124, F.S.; defining the term "treatment provider"; requiring veterinarians to report suspected animal cruelty in certain circumstances; requiring certain persons to report suspected animal cruelty to a veterinarian; providing duties for veterinarians; providing immunity from criminal and civil liability for certain persons and entities; prohibiting the alteration or destruction of certain records; providing criminal penalties; providing enhanced penalties for repeat violations; amending s. 474.214, F.S.; specifying that failure of a veterinarian to report suspected animal cruelty is grounds for discipline; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Bracy-

**SB 1046**—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 referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

SB 1048—A bill to be entitled An act relating to courtroom animal advocates; creating s. 828.035, F.S.; providing for appointment of an advocate for the interests of an animal in certain court proceedings, at the discretion of the court; providing powers and duties of such advocates; requiring the Animal Law Section of the Florida Bar to maintain a list of attorneys and certified legal interns meeting specified requirements who are eligible to be appointed as such advocates; specifying that certain rules of The Florida Bar govern such advocates; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

**SB 1050**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disaster volunteer leave for state employees; amending s. 110.120, F.S.; reordering, revising, and providing definitions; expanding the Florida Disaster Volunteer Leave Act to include employees of the legislative and judicial branches of state government; revising conditions under which an employee may be granted leave under the act; specifying requirements and limitations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Taddeo-

SB 1052—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a Small Business Saturday sales tax holiday; defining the term "small business"; providing that small businesses are not required to collect the sales and use tax on the retail sale of certain items of tangible personal property during a specified timeframe; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1054—A bill to be entitled An act relating to substance abuse services; creating s. 394.6745, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families, in conjunction with the Office of the State Courts Administrator, to establish a process for electronically verifying compliance with certain court-ordered treatments; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Simpson-

SB 1056—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the PACE Center for Girls; creating s. 985.175, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Juvenile

Justice to contract with the PACE Center for Girls for specified services; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Taddeo-

SB 1058—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporal punishment in public schools; amending s. 1002.20, F.S.; providing that only school principals, and not teachers, may administer corporal punishment to public school students; requiring school principals to notify students' parents in writing and receive written consent before administering corporal punishment; requiring school principals who have administered corporal punishment to provide parents with written explanations of the punishment; amending s. 1003.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "corporal punishment"; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 1003.32, F.S.; authorizing teachers and other instructional personnel to request that principals administer corporal punishment; removing corporal punishment as an option for teachers to use to manage student behavior; prohibiting principals from administering corporal punishment unless the principal has taken specified actions; prohibiting principals from administering corporal punishment to students with disabilities; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Thurston-

SB 1060-A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain documents that depict the structural elements of certain 911 or E911 communication system infrastructure, structures, or facilities; providing an exemption from public records requirements for geographical maps indicating the actual or proposed locations of certain 911 or E911 communication system infrastructure, structures, or facilities; providing for retroactive application; authorizing disclosure under certain circumstances; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; amending s. 286.0113, F.S.; providing an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of meetings which would reveal certain documents depicting the structural elements of 911 or E911 communication system infrastructure, structures, or facilities, or geographic maps indicating the actual or proposed locations of 911 or E911 communication system infrastructure, structures, or facilities; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1062—A bill to be entitled An act relating to involuntary examinations of minors; amending s. 381.0056, F.S.; revising parent and guardian notification requirements that must be met before an involuntary examination of a minor; amending s. 394.463, F.S.; revising data reporting requirements for the Department of Children and Families; amending s. 1001.212, F.S.; revising data reporting requirements for the Office of Safe Schools; amending s. 1002.20, F.S.; revising parent and guardian notification requirements that must be met before conducting an involuntary examination of a minor who is removed from school, school transportation, or a school-sponsored activity; providing an exception; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; revising parent and guardian notification requirements that must be met before an involuntary examination of a minor who is removed from a charter school, charter school transportation, or a charter school-sponsored activity; providing an exception; amending s. 1006.07, F.S.; creating reporting requirements for schools relating to involuntary examinations of minors; amending s. 1006.12, F.S.; revising training requirements for school safety officers; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; requiring that certain plans include procedures to assist certain mental and behavioral health providers in attempts to verbally de-escalate certain crisis situations before initiating an involuntary examination; requiring the procedures to include certain strategies; creating requirements for memoranda of understanding between schools and local mobile crisis response services; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Education; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

**SM 1064**—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging Congress to propose to the states an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, for submission to the several states, which would require that a federal regulation be adopted by a majority vote of both houses of Congress if the proposed federal regulation is opposed by a specified percentage of the membership of either house.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1066—A bill to be entitled An act relating to impact fees; amending s. 163.31801, F.S.; revising the conditions that counties, municipalities, and special districts must satisfy before enacting an impact fee by ordinance or passing an impact fee by resolution; providing timeframes for the collection of impact fees by local governments; providing that impact fee credits are assignable and transferable under certain conditions; requiring certain counties and municipalities to establish impact fee review committees; providing for membership; providing procedures for meetings and establishing quorums; providing committee duties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

**SB 1068**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation facility designations; providing honorary designations of certain transportation facilities in specified counties; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wright—

SB 1070—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Space Florida; amending s. 331.302, F.S.; clarifying that Space Florida is subject to a specified provision of law; amending s. 331.303, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "bonds"; amending s. 331.305, F.S.; revising Space Florida's authorization to issue bonds; deleting a requirement for Space Florida to notify the presiding officers of the Legislature before presenting a bond proposal to the Governor and Cabinet; amending s. 331.331, F.S.; revising the revenue sources by which revenue bonds may be secured or repaid; clarifying that such bonds may not be secured by the full faith and credit of Space Florida; amending s. 331.335, F.S.; deleting assessments as an asset that may be pledged by Space Florida; amending s. 331.340, F.S.; reducing the term of years for which Space Florida may issue bonds; amending s. 331.346, F.S.; authorizing Space Florida to validate certain bonds; repealing s. 331.334, F.S., relating to pledging assessments and other revenues and properties as additional security on bonds; repealing s. 331.336, F.S., relating to the issuance of bond anticipation notes; repealing s. 331.337, F.S., relating to shortterm borrowing; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wright-

**SB 1072**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to redevelopment trust funds; amending s. 163.387, F.S.; providing an exemption from specified appropriation requirements to certain hospital districts for a community redevelopment agency that extends, on or after a specified date, the time certain set forth in a redevelopment plan; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Rules.

By Senator Wright-

SB 1074—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a surviving spouse ad valorem tax reduction; amending s. 196.082, F.S.; authorizing the surviving spouses of certain permanently disabled veterans to carry over a certain discount on ad valorem taxes on homestead property under specified conditions; authorizing the discount to be transferred to another permanent residence under specified conditions; providing a procedure by which an applicant may file an application after a specified date and request the discount; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wright-

**SJR 1076**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 6 of Article VII and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to provide for the carryover of the homestead property tax discount for certain veterans with permanent combat-related disabilities to a veteran's surviving spouse if certain criteria are met, to authorize the transfer of the discount to a surviving spouse's new homestead property if certain criteria are met, and to provide an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wright-

SB 1078—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a special election; providing for a special election to be held on August 18, 2020, pursuant to Section 5, Article XI of the State Constitution, for the approval or rejection by the electors of this state of amendments to the State Constitution, proposed by joint resolution, relating to an ad valorem tax discount for spouses of certain deceased veterans who had permanent, combat-related disabilities, the transfer of the ad valorem tax discount to another permanent residence of the surviving spouse under specified conditions, and an effective date if such amendments are adopted; providing for publication of notice and election procedures; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Ethics and Elections; and Rules.

By Senators Perry and Baxley-

**SB 1080**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonopioid alternatives; amending s. 456.44, F.S.; revising exceptions to certain controlled substance prescribing requirements; clarifying that a certain patient or patient representative must be informed of specified information, have specified information discussed with him or her, and be provided with an electronic or printed copy of a specified educational pamphlet; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

**SB 1082**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic violence injunctions; amending s. 741.30, F.S.; authorizing a court to take certain actions regarding the care, possession, or control of an animal in domestic violence injunctions; providing applicability; conforming a cross-reference; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senators Diaz and Montford-

SB 1084—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emotional support animals; creating s. 760.27, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting discrimination in the rental of a dwelling to a person with a disability or a disability-related need who has an emotional support animal; prohibiting a landlord from requiring such person to pay extra compensation for such animal; providing an exception; authorizing a landlord to request certain written documentation under certain circumstances; authorizing the Department of Health to adopt rules; prohibiting the falsification of written documentation or other misrepresentation regarding the use of an emotional support animal; providing penalties; specifying that a person with a disability or a disability-related need is liable for certain damage done by her or his emotional support animal; exempting a landlord from certain liability; providing applicability; amending s. 413.08, F.S.; providing applicability; amending s. 419.001, F.S.; conforming terminology to changes made by the act; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 760.22, F.S.; updating terminology; amending s. 760.29, F.S.; extending specified exemptions to conform to changes made by the act; conforming terminology to changes made by the act; amending ss. 760.23, 760.24, 760.25, and 760.31, F.S.; conforming terminology to changes made by the act; providing an effective

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1086—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vehicle and vessel registration data and functionality; amending ss. 320.03 and 328.73, F.S.; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to provide tax collectors and their approved agents and vendors with real-time access to certain vehicle and vessel registration data and functionality in the same manner as provided to other third parties; authorizing the department to require a memorandum of understanding; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1088—A bill to be entitled An act relating to teacher salary enhancement; creating s. 1011.687, F.S.; establishing a teacher salary enhancement allocation in the General Appropriations Act; requiring each school district to use the allocated funds to increase teacher salaries; authorizing school districts that meet the teacher salary requirements specified in the appropriations act to use any additional funds provided in the allocation for any lawful operating expenditure; requiring each school district to report to the department by a specified date the amounts expended for salary increases and any operating expenditures; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senators Diaz and Taddeo-

**SB 1090**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to express lanes; creating s. 338.167, F.S.; prohibiting express lanes and tolls on a specified state road; requiring the Department of Transportation to remove

all existing express lanes and the imposition of tolls; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bean-

SB 1092—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fire prevention and control; creating s. 633.137, F.S.; creating the Firefighter Cancer Decontamination Equipment Grant Program within the Division of State Fire Marshal of the Department of Financial Services for certain purposes; requiring the division to administer the program and annually award grants, and distribute equipment and training, to qualifying fire departments in a certain manner; requiring the State Fire Marshal to adopt rules and procedures; providing application criteria; providing requirements for grant recipients; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1094—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consultant pharmacists; amending s. 465.003, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "practice of the profession of pharmacy"; amending s. 465.0125, F.S.; authorizing a consultant pharmacist to perform specified services under certain conditions; prohibiting a consultant pharmacist from modifying or discontinuing medicinal drugs prescribed by a health care practitioner under certain conditions; revising the responsibilities of a consultant pharmacist; requiring a consultant pharmacist and a collaborating practitioner to maintain collaborative practice agreements; requiring collaborative practice agreements to be made available upon request from or upon inspection by the Department of Health; prohibiting a consultant pharmacist from diagnosing any disease or condition; defining the term "health care facility"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senators Cruz, Stewart, and Berman-

**SB 1096**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bottled water; creating s. 500.458, F.S.; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to monitor certain consumptive use permits; providing penalties for nonpayment of fees; directing the department to adopt rules; providing applicability; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Agriculture; and Rules.

By Senators Cruz, Stewart, and Berman-

SB 1098—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 500.458, F.S.; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to charge bottled water companies a specified fee per gallon extracted; requiring the fees to be deposited into the Water Protection and Sustainability Program Trust Fund; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Agriculture; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 1100—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Seal of Fine Arts Program; creating s. 1003.4321, F.S.; establishing the Florida Seal of Fine Arts Program to recognize high school graduates who have attained a high level of skill in fine arts coursework; providing the purpose of the program; providing criteria to earn the Seal of Fine Arts; authorizing the State Board of Education to adopt additional criteria for the award of the seal; requiring the Commissioner of Education and

school districts to perform specified duties to administer the program; prohibiting a school district or the Department of Education from charging a fee for the seal; requiring the state board to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1102—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty contracting services; amending s. 489.117, F.S.; authorizing certain persons under the supervision of specified licensed contractors to perform certain specialty contracting services for commercial or residential swimming pools, hot tubs or spas, or interactive water features; providing that such supervision does not require a direct contract between those persons; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 1104—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state park fee waivers and discounts; amending s. 258.0142, F.S.; requiring the Division of Recreation and Parks within the Department of Environmental Protection to provide a specified waiver and discount for state park fees to persons, corporations, or agencies that operate group homes and to relatives and nonrelatives who provide out-of-home care; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

**SB 1106**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to universal changing places; creating s. 553.5145, F.S.; defining terms; requiring certain entities to install and maintain at least one universal changing place at specified locations; specifying requirements for a universal changing place; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1108—A bill to be entitled An act relating to campaign finance; repealing ss. 106.30, 106.31, 106.32, 106.33, 106.34, 106.35, 106.353, 106.355, and 106.36, F.S., relating to the Florida Election Campaign Financing Act; deleting provisions governing the public funding of campaigns for candidates for statewide office who agree to certain expenditure limits; amending ss. 106.021, 106.141, 106.22, and 328.72, F.S.; conforming cross-references and provisions to changes made by the act; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

**SJR 1110**—A joint resolution proposing the repeal of Section 7 of Article VI of the State Constitution which requires the availability of public financing of campaigns of candidates for elective statewide office who agree to campaign spending limits.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Taddeo-

SB 1112—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a bottled water excise tax; revising the title of ch. 211, F.S.; creating part III of ch. 211, F.S., entitled "Tax on Extraction of Water for Bottling"; creating s. 211.40, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 211.41, F.S.; imposing an excise tax upon bottled water operators; specifying the rate of the tax and the trust fund where tax proceeds are to be deposited; requiring that tax proceeds be separately accounted for and be used for certain purposes; creating s. 211.42, F.S.; specifying requirements for bottled water operators in filing monthly returns and declarations of estimated tax with, and remitting estimated taxes to, the Department of Revenue; authorizing the department to provide for credits of overpaid taxes and to grant extensions for filing and payment under certain circumstances; specifying the department's rulemaking authority; creating s. 211.43, F.S.; specifying interest payable on unpaid taxes; specifying the delinquency penalty for failure to timely file a return; specifying the penalty for the substantial underpayment of taxes; specifying the interest payable on underpayments of estimated taxes; providing that a penalty or interest for underpayment of estimated tax may not be imposed under certain circumstances; providing construction; authorizing the department to settle or compromise taxes in accordance with certain provisions; creating s. 211.44, F.S.; authorizing the department to adopt rules; requiring local governments to cooperate with the department and furnish information without cost to the department for certain purposes; specifying recordkeeping requirements for bottled water operators; specifying the department's authority to inspect, examine, and audit bottled water operator books and records, issue subpoenas, require testimony under oath or affirmation of certain persons, and apply for certain judicial orders; specifying requirements and procedures for the department in conducting audits, assessing deficiencies, and crediting or refunding overpayments; specifying procedures and requirements for claiming refunds; providing that amounts due remain a lien on certain property; specifying requirements and procedures for warrants and alias tax executions issued by the department; requiring that suits brought by the department for violations be brought in circuit court; creating s. 211.45, F.S.; providing criminal penalties for certain violations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senators Montford and Torres—

SB 1114—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cost-of-living adjustments to state employee salaries; creating s. 110.195, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing annual cost-of-living adjustments to base rates of pay of eligible state employees, beginning in 2021; requiring the Office of Economic and Demographic Research to calculate the percentage for the adjustment in a specified manner; specifying conditions under which a cost-of-living adjustment is not implemented; requiring the office to certify the adjustment amount to the Governor and the Legislature; specifying eligibility for the cost-of-living adjustment; providing legislative intent; providing that implementation of cost-of-living adjustments is contingent upon funding by the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes-

**SB 1116**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 944.73, F.S.; creating the State-Operated Institutions Inmate Welfare Trust Fund within the Department of Corrections; providing the purpose of the trust fund; providing for future review and termination or recreation of the trust fund; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 1118—A bill to be entitled An act relating to inmate welfare trust funds; amending s. 945.215, F.S.; requiring that specified proceeds and

funds be deposited into the State-Operated Institutions Inmate Welfare Trust Fund; providing that the trust fund is a trust held by the Department of Corrections for the benefit and welfare of certain inmates; prohibiting deposits into the trust fund from exceeding a specified amount per fiscal year; requiring that deposits in excess of that amount be deposited into the General Revenue Fund; requiring that funds of the trust fund be used exclusively for specified purposes at correctional facilities operated by the department; requiring that funds from the trust fund be expended only pursuant to legislative appropriation; requiring the department to annually compile a report documenting trust fund receipts and expenditures; requiring the department to submit the report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date each year; providing an appropriation; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1120—A bill to be entitled An act relating to substance abuse services; amending s. 397.4073, F.S.; specifying that certified recovery residence administrators and certain persons associated with certified recovery residences are subject to certain background screenings; requiring, rather than authorizing, the exemption from disqualification from employment for certain substance abuse service provider personnel; amending s. 397.487, F.S.; deleting a provision relating to background screenings for certain persons associated with applicant recovery residences; amending s. 397.4872, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to exemptions from disqualification for certain persons associated with recovery residences; amending s. 817.505, F.S.; revising provisions relating to payment practices exempt from prohibitions on patient brokering; amending ss. 397.4871 and 435.07, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Pizzo-

SB 1122—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency telecommunication devices in public swimming pools; creating s. 514.0316, F.S.; authorizing public swimming pools to be equipped with continuously accessible emergency telecommunication devices; providing that an owner of a public swimming pool who elects to install such device must comply with certain requirements by a specified date; providing that property on which a public swimming pool is equipped with an emergency telecommunication device is eligible for certain adjustments or reductions in general liability insurance policy rates; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1124—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legislative review of occupational regulations; providing a short title; creating s. 11.65, F.S.; defining terms; establishing a schedule for the systematic review of occupational regulatory programs; providing Legislative intent; providing that amending or transferring a section with a scheduled repeal does not affect the scheduled repeal; providing for the abolition of units or subunits of government and personnel positions responsible for repealed programs; providing for the reversion of certain unexpended funds and the refund of certain unencumbered revenue of a repealed program; requiring the Department of Legal Affairs to prosecute or defend certain pending causes of actions; preempting the regulation of an occupation to the state if such occupation's regulatory program has been repealed through this act; providing a schedule of repeal for occupational regulatory programs; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1126—A bill to be entitled An act relating to employment conditions; amending s. 218.077, F.S.; revising, adding, and deleting defined terms; prohibiting a political subdivision from establishing, mandating, or otherwise requiring an employer to offer conditions of employment which are not otherwise required by state or federal law; specifying that the regulation of conditions of employment is expressly preempted to the state; revising exceptions to the preemption; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1128—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vacation rentals; amending s. 509.013, F.S.; defining the term "advertising platform"; amending s. 509.032, F.S.; preempting the regulation of vacation rentals to the state; providing legislative findings; authorizing a local law, ordinance, or regulation to regulate certain activities under certain circumstances; prohibiting a local law, ordinance, or regulation from allowing or requiring inspections or licensing of vacation rentals; preempting the regulation of advertising platforms to the state; amending s. 509.241, F.S.; requiring licenses issued by the Division of Hotels and Restaurants of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to be displayed conspicuously to the public inside the licensed establishment; requiring the operator of certain vacation rentals to also display its vacation rental license number and applicable tax account numbers; amending s. 509.242, F.S.; revising the criteria for a public lodging establishment to be classified as a vacation rental; creating s. 509.243, F.S.; requiring advertising platforms to require that persons placing advertisements for vacation rentals include certain information in the advertisements; providing that the advertising platform is not required to verify such information; requiring each advertising platform to quarterly provide the division with certain information regarding vacation rentals in this state listed on the platform; requiring an advertising platform to remove an advertisement or listing under certain conditions and within a specified timeframe; authorizing the division to issue and deliver a notice to cease and desist for certain violations; providing that such notice does not constitute agency action for which a certain hearing may be sought; authorizing the division to file certain proceedings; authorizing the collection of attorney fees and costs under certain circumstances; providing applicability; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 1130—A bill to be entitled An act relating to young farmers and ranchers; creating s. 570.842, F.S.; creating the Florida Young Farmer and Rancher Matching Grant Program within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; specifying the purpose of the grants; requiring the department to select grant recipients based on specified criteria; requiring the department to adopt rules; requiring that applicants meet specified eligibility requirements; requiring the department to give preference to veterans; specifying a range for grant amounts awarded; providing that a recipient may not receive more than one award per grant period under the program; specifying that grant funding is contingent upon specific appropriation from the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1132—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters Grant Program; creating s. 1002.996, F.S.; creating the Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters (HIPPY) Grant Program; providing the purpose of the program; providing definitions; requiring the Florida HIPPY Training and Technical Assistance Center at the University of South Florida, subject

to legislative appropriation, to provide grants to program operators establishing a HIPPY program and with an existing HIPPY program; providing the duties of the center; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 1134—A bill to be entitled An act relating to genetic counseling; creating part IV of ch. 483, F.S., titled "Genetic Counseling"; providing a short title; providing legislative findings and intent; defining terms; providing licensure, licensure renewal, and continuing education requirements; requiring the Department of Health to adopt by rule continuing education requirements; prohibiting certain acts; providing penalties and grounds for disciplinary action; authorizing the department to enter an order denying licensure or imposing other penalties for certain violations; providing exemptions; amending s. 456.001, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "health care practitioner" to include licensed genetic counselors; amending s. 20.43, F.S.; correcting a cross-reference relating to the department's responsibilities for regulating health care practitioners; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes-

**SB 1136**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to children's services councils; amending s. 125.901, F.S.; expanding requirements for annual reports required to be submitted by councils on children's services to the respective governing body of the county; revising financial reporting requirements for such councils; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1138—A bill to be entitled An act relating to chiropractic medicine; amending s. 460.403, F.S.; authorizing chiropractic physicians who have completed specified training to order, store, possess, prescribe, and administer articles of natural origin; authorizing chiropractic physicians to administer medical oxygen for nonemergency purposes; authorizing licensed pharmacists to fill such chiropractors' orders for articles of natural origin; amending s. 460.408, F.S.; providing a definition for the term "contact classroom"; authorizing a specified number of certain chiropractic continuing education hours to be completed online; providing requirements for such online chiropractic continuing education courses; amending s. 460.413, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; repealing s. 460.4166, F.S., relating to registered chiropractic assistants; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

**SB 1140**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public accountancy; amending s. 473.308, F.S.; requiring certain applicants to not be licensed in any state or territory in order to be licensed by endorsement; amending s. 473.311, F.S.; providing license renewal requirements for nonresident licensees; amending s. 473.312, F.S.; requiring that a majority of the hours required for continuing education include specific content; amending s. 473.313, F.S.; authorizing certain Florida certified public accountants to apply to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to have their license placed in a retired status; providing requirements for such conversion; providing requirements and prohibitions for retired licensees; authorizing retired licensees to use a specified title under certain circumstances; providing that retired licensees are not required to maintain continuing education requirements; authorizing retired licensees to reactivate their licenses if certain conditions are met; defining the term "retired licensee"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Hooper-

**SB 1142**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to offenses against firefighters; amending s. 782.065, F.S.; providing enhanced penalties for certain offenses committed against firefighters engaged in the performance of their legal duties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1144—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Juvenile Justice; amending s. 20.316, F.S.; revising the list of programs within the department; repealing s. 985.686, F.S., relating to shared county and state responsibility for juvenile detention; amending s. 985.6865, F.S., deleting provisions relating to legislative findings and legislative intent; deleting a provision requiring each county that is not a fiscally constrained county to pay its annual percentage share of the total shared detention costs; requiring the Department of Juvenile Justice to calculate and provide to each county that is not a fiscally constrained county and that does not provide its own detention care for juveniles its annual percentage share; requiring each county that is not a fiscally constrained county and that does not provide its own detention care for juveniles to incorporate into its annual budget sufficient funds to pay its annual percentage share; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

**SB 1146**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Special Risk Class of the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.0515, F.S.; adding juvenile detention officers and juvenile detention officer supervisors employed by the Department of Juvenile Justice who meet certain criteria to the class; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 1148—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electric bicycles; amending s. 261.03, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "OHM" or "off-highway motorcycle"; amending s. 316.003, F.S.; revising definitions relating to the Florida Uniform Traffic Control Law; defining the term "electric bicycle"; amending s. 316.027, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "vulnerable road user"; amending s. 316.083, F.S.; requiring the driver of a vehicle overtaking an electric bicycle to pass the electric bicycle at a certain distance; amending s. 316.1995, F.S.; expanding exceptions to a prohibition on persons driving certain vehicles on sidewalks and bicycle paths; creating s. 316.20655, F.S.; providing electric bicycle regulations; providing for rights and privileges of electric bicycles and operators of electric bicycles; providing that electric bicycles are vehicles to the same extent as bicycles; providing that electric bicycles and operators of electric bicycles are not subject to specified provisions; requiring manufacturers and distributers, beginning on a specified date, to apply a label containing certain information to each electric bicycle; prohibiting persons from tampering with or modifying electric bicycles for certain purposes; providing an exception; requiring electric bicycles to comply with specified provisions of law; requiring electric bicycles to operate in a manner that meets certain requirements; authorizing operators to ride electric bicycles where bicycles are allowed; authorizing municipalities, counties, and agencies to regulate the use of electric bicycles on certain paths; amending ss. 316.613, 316.614, and 320.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "motor vehicle"; amending s. 322.01, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms "motor vehicle" and "vehicle"; amending ss. 324.021, 403.717, and 681.102, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "motor vehicle"; amending s. 320.08, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending ss. 316.306 and 655.960, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Stewart-

**SB 1150**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to lewd or lascivious exhibition; amending s. 800.04, F.S.; revising the elements that constitute the offense of lewd or lascivious exhibition; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Broxson-

SB 1152—A bill to be entitled An act relating to brownfield site rehabilitation; amending ss. 220.1845 and 376.30781, F.S.; increasing the total amount of tax credits which may be granted for certain contaminated site rehabilitations each year; amending s. 376.79, F.S.; defining the term "PFAS"; amending s. 376.82, F.S.; providing that potential brownfield sites owned by the state or a local government which are impacted by PFAS are eligible to participate in a brownfield site rehabilitation agreement regardless of contribution; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 1154-A bill to be entitled An act relating to community associations; amending s. 514.0115, F.S.; exempting certain property association pools from Department of Health regulations; amending s. 627.714, F.S.; prohibiting subrogation rights against a condominium association under certain circumstances; amending s. 718.111, F.S.; requiring that certain records be maintained for a specified time; prohibiting an association from requiring certain actions related to the inspection of records; revising requirements relating to the posting of digital copies of certain documents by certain condominium associations; amending s. 718.112, F.S.; providing that certain provisions in governing documents are void and unenforceable; authorizing associations to record a certain notice in the public record; providing that an association's failure to record a notice in the public record does not form a basis for liability or evidence of discrimination; specifying that only board service that occurs on or after a specified date may be used for calculating a board member's term limit; providing requirements for certain notices; prohibiting an association from charging certain fees; providing an exception; deleting a prohibition against employing or contracting with certain service providers; amending s. 718.113, F.S.; revising regulations for electric vehicle charging stations; amending s. 718.303, F.S.; revising requirements for certain actions for failure to comply with specified provisions; revising requirements for certain fines; amending s. 718.5014, F.S.; revising where the principal office of the Office of the Condominium Ombudsman must be maintained; amending s. 719.103, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "unit" to specify that an interest in a cooperative unit is an interest in real property; amending s. 719.104, F.S.; prohibiting an association from requiring certain actions related to the inspection of records; making technical changes; amending s. 719.106, F.S.; revising provisions related to a quorum and voting rights for members remotely participating in meetings; providing that certain provisions in governing documents are void and unenforceable; authorizing associations to record a certain notice in the public record; providing that an association's failure to record a notice in the public record does not form a basis for liability or evidence of discrimination; amending s. 720.303, F.S.; authorizing an association to adopt procedures for electronic meeting notices; revising the documents that constitute the official records of an association; amending s. 720.305, F.S.; providing requirements for certain fines; amending s. 720.306, F.S.; revising requirements for providing certain notices; amending s. 720.3075, F.S.; providing that certain provisions in

governing documents are void and unenforceable; authorizing associations to record a certain notice in the public record; providing that an association's failure to record a notice in the public record does not form a basis for liability or evidence of discrimination; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Braynon-

**SB 1156**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to children's initiatives; amending s. 409.147, F.S.; revising requirements for the implementation of certain children's initiatives; requiring the Department of Children and Families to contract with a not-for-profit corporation for certain purposes and for specified amounts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Braynon-

**SB 1158**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop a Florida Swims license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of such plates; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Braynon-

**SB 1160**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plate fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; establishing a fee for a certain specialty license plate; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Cruz—

SB 1162—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Legislature; providing a short title; amending s. 11.143, F.S.; deleting provisions regarding the administration of oaths and affirmations to witnesses appearing before legislative committees, and associated penalties, to conform to changes made by the act; creating s. 11.1435, F.S.; requiring that persons addressing a legislative committee take an oath or affirmation of truthfulness; providing exceptions; requiring that a member of the legislative committee administer the oath or affirmation; providing criminal penalties for certain false statements before a legislative committee; authorizing the use of a signed appearance form in lieu of an oral oath or affirmation; prescribing conditions related to the use of such form; providing penalties for making a false statement after signing such form; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

SB 1164—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Gardiner Scholarship; amending s. 1002.385, F.S.; revising eligibility requirements for the Gardiner Scholarship Program; revising an authorized use of scholarship funds; providing that scholarship funds may be spent for tuition and fees associated with programs relating to art, music, or theater; providing requirements for instructors of such programs; revising terms under which a student's scholarship account is closed and program funds revert to the state; authorizing certain students to continue spending scholarship funds under certain circumstances; re-

vising a certain obligation of scholarship-funding organizations; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 1166—A bill to be entitled An act relating to broadband Internet service; amending s. 339.0801, F.S.; authorizing certain funds within the State Transportation Trust Fund to be used for certain broadband infrastructure projects within or adjacent to multiuse corridors; requiring the Department of Transportation to give priority to certain projects; amending s. 364.0135, F.S.; defining terms; designating the Department of Economic Opportunity, and not the Department of Management Services, as the lead state entity to facilitate the expansion of broadband Internet service in this state; requiring the department to work collaboratively with certain entities; creating the Florida Office of Broadband within the Division of Community Development within the Department of Economic Opportunity; providing the purpose and duties of the office; making technical changes; repealing chapter 2012-131, Laws of Florida, relating to broadband Internet service; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Braynon-

**SB 1168**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for complaints in the custody of any agency related to discrimination based on height or weight; amending s. 119.0713, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for complaints in the custody of any unit of local government related to discrimination based on height or weight; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senators Baxley and Hutson-

SB 1170-A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; amending s. 282.318, F.S.; revising a provision to reflect the abolishment of the Agency for State Technology; providing an exemption from public records requirements for portions of records held by a state agency which contain network schematics, hardware and software configurations, or encryption; removing the scheduled repeal of a certain public records exemption; providing an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of meetings which would reveal certain records; requiring the recording and transcription of exempt portions of such meetings; providing an exemption from public records requirements for such recordings and transcripts; providing an exception; revising applicability of provisions requiring and authorizing certain records to be made available to certain entities; providing for future legislative review and repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act of the exemptions; providing for retroactive application of the exemptions; providing statements of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton—

SB 1172—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation; amending s. 20.23, F.S.; revising requirements for determining the salaries of the secretary of the Department of Transportation and assistant secretaries; specifying the secretary's minimum salary; amending s. 316.2397, F.S.; authorizing certain vehicles to show or display certain lights under certain circumstances; amending s. 337.14, F.S.; requiring certain contractors to be certified by the department as qua-

lified; revising the financial statements required to accompany an application for certification; prohibiting the department from considering certain financial information; requiring the contractor to submit interim financial statements under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such statements; expanding an exception to a certain prohibition on contracting to include airport projects; amending s. 337.195, F.S.; specifying conditions under which the limitation on liability of the department applies for personal injury, property damage, or death; amending s. 338.155, F.S.; authorizing the Governor to suspend payment of tolls when necessary to assist emergency evacuation; providing for automatic reinstatement of tolls; authorizing the Governor to override the automatic reinstatement in extraordinary circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hutson-

SB 1174—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the communications services tax; amending s. 202.105, F.S.; revising legislative intent regarding local communications services tax rates; amending s. 202.11, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "video service"; amending s. 202.12, F.S.; revising downward the tax rate on the retail sale of communications services; amending s. 202.13, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 202.18, F.S.; deleting a provision that specifies where proceeds of a communications services tax must be deposited and disbursed; amending s. 202.19, F.S.; revising the local communications services tax rates levied by counties and municipalities at certain dates; requiring reductions of certain tax rates at specified dates; requiring dealers to collect and remit local communications services taxes under certain conditions; specifying the fees, taxes, charges, and other impositions that the revised local communications services tax rates replace; providing an exception; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 202.197, F.S.; authorizing the Legislature to appropriate moneys to offset specified direct reductions of the local communications services tax by certain counties and municipalities; providing a procedure for certain counties and municipalities that expect an insufficient revenue amount as a result of reduced local communications services tax rates to apply to the Department of Revenue for a legislative appropriation; requiring the department to submit a report to the Legislature regarding aggregate taxable sales amounts and expected shortfalls in revenues; amending s. 202.21, F.S.; deleting provisions authorizing local governments to adjust the rate of their local communications services taxes for specified reasons; authorizing the department to amend specified forms without first adopting a rule; amending ss. 202.24, 202.37, and 337.401, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 202.20, F.S., relating to local communications services tax conversion rates; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; providing effective

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Community Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 1176—A bill to be entitled An act relating to captive-bred animal culture; creating chapter 598, entitled "Animal Policy"; creating s. 598.001, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 598.002, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; creating s. 598.003, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 598.004, F.S.; providing duties of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; requiring the department to submit a list of specified research and development projects with its annual legislative budget request to the Governor and the Legislature; requiring certain funds to be deposited in the General Inspection Trust Fund to fund certain captive-bred animal projects; creating s. 598.005, F.S.; requiring a captive-bred producer to apply to the department for a certificate of registration; providing requirements for the application; providing renewal requirements for a certificate of registration; requiring the department, in consultation with the Department of Environmental Protection, the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, the water management districts, and other interested groups, to adopt rules that meet certain requirements; requiring captive-bred products to be identified by a captive-bred animal culture certificate of registration number under certain circumstances; creating s. 598.006,

F.S.; creating the Captive-bred Animal Culture Advisory Council adjunct to the department; providing for the membership and terms of the advisory council; creating s. 598.007, F.S.; requiring the Commissioner of Agriculture, in consultation with the advisory council, to develop and coordinate the implementation of the state captive-bred animal culture plan; providing requirements for the plan; requiring a revised and updated plan to be sent to the Legislature biannually, requiring that annual progress reports and budget requests be submitted to the Legislature; creating s. 598.008, F.S.; prohibiting a captive-bred producer from commingling such animals or products with wildlife or products under certain circumstances; providing civil and criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Montford-

**SB 1178**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Special Risk Class; amending s. 121.0515, F.S.; adding specified Florida State Hospital employees to the class; conforming cross-references; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Benacquisto-

SCR 1180—A concurrent resolution providing that the House of Representatives and the Senate convene in Joint Session for the purpose of receiving a message from the Governor. —was previously introduced and adopted this day.

By Senator Montford-

SB 1182—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pay-for-success contracts; creating s. 287.05715, F.S.; providing definitions; authorizing a state agency to enter into a pay-for-success contract with a private entity under certain conditions, subject to an appropriation and specified language in the General Appropriations Act; authorizing the carryforward of certain unexpended appropriations; providing contract requirements; authorizing cancellation of the contract under specified circumstances; specifying services and programs eligible for funding under the contract; prohibiting a private entity from viewing or receiving certain information that is otherwise confidential and exempt from public records requirements; requiring an agency to provide an annual report containing certain data to the chairs of the legislative appropriations committees by a specified date; requiring the Department of Management Services to prescribe certain procedures by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 1184—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the statute of limitations for sexual offenses; amending s. 95.11, F.S.; extending the statute of limitations period for civil actions for certain offenses; providing applicability; authorizing certain persons to bring causes of action that were previously barred for specified reasons; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

 ${\bf SB~1186} {\bf -A}$  bill to be entitled An act relating to drug-free work-places; amending s. 112.0455, F.S.; requiring licensed drug-testing fa-

cilities to perform prescreening tests on urine specimens to determine the specimens' validity; specifying requirements for such tests; authorizing such facilities to rely on such tests to determine if confirmation testing is required; providing that urine specimens may not be sent to an out-of-state facility unless the facility complies with certain requirements; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt rules; conforming cross-references; amending s. 440.102, F.S.; revising definitions; revising information required in a written policy statement provided to employees and job applicants before drug testing; revising procedures for specimen collection, testing, and preservation; revising qualifications for persons who may take or collect specimens for a drug test; revising requirements and procedures for retesting specimens; deleting and revising confidentiality requirements for employers relating to certain information; revising circumstances under which an employer may take certain actions as to an employee or a job applicant on the sole basis of certain positive test results; revising standards for chain-of-custody procedures; revising requirements and authorized actions relating to confirmation testing; requiring licensed drug-testing facilities to perform prescreening tests on urine specimens to determine the specimens' validity; specifying requirements for such tests; authorizing such facilities to rely on such tests to determine if confirmation testing is required; providing that urine specimens may not be sent to an out-of-state facility unless the facility complies with certain requirements; authorizing the agency to adopt rules; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 443.101, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 1188—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 631.195, F.S.; defining the terms "consumer" and "personal financial and health information"; exempting from public records requirements consumer personal financial and health information, certain underwriting files, insurer personnel and payroll records, and consumer claim files that are made or received by the Department of Financial Services acting as receiver as to an insurer; exempting from public records requirements certain reports and documents held by the department relating to insurer own-risk and solvency assessments and corporate governance annual disclosures and certain information received from the National Association of Insurance Commissioners or governments; providing retroactive applicability; providing that exempted records may be released under specified circumstances; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing statements of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1190—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cooling towers; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; creating s. 386.301, F.S.; providing legislative intent; creating s. 386.302, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 386.303, F.S.; requiring that owners of cooling towers register them with the Department of Health; requiring the department to create a statewide electronic system for such registrations; providing minimum requirements for the registration system; requiring that owners of cooling towers report specified information regarding the towers to the department, beginning on a specified date; providing department responsibilities regarding the registration system; requiring that owners of cooling towers maintain certain cooling tower records for a specified timeframe; requiring that a copy of the cooling tower's maintenance program and plan be kept on the cooling tower premises; creating s. 386.304, F.S.; requiring that owners of cooling towers obtain or update a maintenance program and plan for existing and newly installed cooling towers, by a specified date; providing requirements for the maintenance program and plans; creating s. 386.305, F.S.; requiring that certain culture analyses be conducted by certified environmental laboratories; providing requirements for interpreting the results of such analyses; creating s. 386.306, F.S.; requiring that owners of cooling towers provide notification to the county health department and the public within a specified timeframe under specified circumstances; requiring county health departments to provide certain

notification to the department; requiring the county health department or, at its discretion, the department to determine the method of certain notifications; creating s. 386.307, F.S.; providing cooling tower disinfection standards; requiring that the person conducting the disinfection meet certain qualifications; specifying the types of products that may be used during a disinfection; providing cooling tower efficiency standards; creating s. 386.308, F.S.; requiring that owners of cooling towers have their cooling towers inspected before initial startup and, thereafter, at specified intervals; providing inspection requirements; requiring that persons conducting inspections report deficiencies to the owner for corrective action; requiring initial and annual certification of cooling towers by a specified date; providing requirements for certification; requiring that all inspection findings, deficiencies, corrective actions, and certifications be reported to the department and maintained by the owner; creating s. 386.309, F.S.; authorizing the department or a county health department to require an owner to conduct a *Legionella* culture sampling and analysis under certain circumstances; authorizing an officer, employee, or agent of the department or county health department to enter a property to inspect a cooling tower; specifying that certain actions by the owner of a cooling tower may constitute a nuisance; providing for civil and criminal penalties; requiring the State Surgeon General to submit a report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing requirements for the report; creating s. 386.3101, F.S.; authorizing county health departments or the department to issue waivers if the waiver does not present a danger to the public health; providing requirements for the waivers; authorizing county health departments to issue variances under certain circumstances for a specified period of time; providing for severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1192—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on aviation fuel; repealing ss. 206.9815, 206.9825, 206.9826, 206.9835, 206.9837, 206.9845, 206.9855, 206.9865, and 206.9875, F.S., relating to definitions, the tax on aviation fuel, refunds for certain air carriers, administration of the tax, disclosure of price, distribution of proceeds, refunds to carriers, commercial air carrier registration and reporting, and a tax exemption for federal entities, respectively; amending ss. 163.3206, 206.42, 206.9915, 207.003, 207.005, 213.053, 332.007, and 332.009, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Cruz-

SB 1194-A bill to be entitled An act relating to employment practices; creating ch. 444, F.S., entitled the "Florida Family Leave Act"; providing a short title; providing legislative findings and intent; defining terms; requiring an employer to allow certain employees to take paid family leave to bond with a new child upon the child's birth, adoption, or foster care placement; requiring an employee to take certain actions in order to receive family leave; specifying limitations and duties related to an employer's administration of family leave; requiring that family leave be taken concurrently with any leave taken pursuant to federal family and medical leave provisions; requiring an employer to provide notice to employees of the right to paid family leave; prescribing notice requirements; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to create a poster and a model notice that specify family leave rights; specifying circumstances under which an employer is deemed in compliance with notice requirements; providing a civil penalty for an employer's failure to comply with the notice requirements; authorizing the executive director of the department to conduct an investigation under certain circumstances; establishing rebuttable presumptions that an employer has violated certain provisions of ch. 444, F.S., under specified circumstances; authorizing the executive director to take certain actions in the event of specified violations; authorizing an employee to bring a civil action against an employer for a violation; providing a timeframe for filing such action; authorizing the award of specified compensation, damages, and fees; providing a civil penalty; prohibiting an employee from taking certain actions in bad faith; providing a criminal penalty; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing construction; amending s. 760.10, F.S.; revising the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992 to prohibit specified employment practices on the basis of pregnancy, childbirth, or a related medical condition; providing for leave, maintenance of health coverage, reasonable accommodation and transfer, and return rights for an employee who is disabled from pregnancy, childbirth, or a related medical condition; providing construction; amending s. 760.11, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Cruz-

SB 1196—A bill to be entitled An act relating to coverage for epinephrine injectors for children; creating ss. 627.64161 and 627.65791, F.S.; defining the term "epinephrine injector"; requiring certain individual and group health insurance policies, respectively, to provide coverage for epinephrine injectors prescribed by the treating physician as medically necessary for an insured's family member 18 years of age or younger; amending s. 641.31, F.S.; defining the term "epinephrine injector"; requiring certain health maintenance contracts to provide coverage for epinephrine injectors prescribed by the treating physician as medically necessary for a subscriber's family member 18 years of age or younger; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Berman-

SB 1198—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Purple Alert; amending s. 937.0201, F.S.; redefining the term "missing endangered person"; creating s. 937.0205, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement, in cooperation with the Department of Transportation, the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, the Department of the Lottery, and local law enforcement agencies, to establish and implement the Purple Alert; specifying minimum requirements for the Purple Alert; authorizing local law enforcement agencies to broadcast information concerning certain missing adults; requiring the local law enforcement agency of jurisdiction to notify certain media and alert subscribers if a Purple Alert is determined to be necessary and appropriate; authorizing the local law enforcement agency of jurisdiction which broadcasts the notification to request that a case be opened with the Department of Law Enforcement's Missing Endangered Persons Information Clearinghouse; requiring the clearinghouse to coordinate with the Department of Transportation and the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles in the activation of dynamic message signs on state highways and the immediate distribution of certain critical information under certain circumstances; requiring the Purple Alert to include certain procedures and an information and education strategy; authorizing the Department of Law Enforcement to adopt rules; amending s. 937.021, F.S.; providing that the Department of Law Enforcement, as the Purple Alert coordinator, and certain agencies, employees, individuals, and entities are immune from civil liability for damages when performing certain actions in good faith; providing that the presumption of good faith is not overcome under certain circumstances; providing construction; amending s. 937.022, F.S.; authorizing only the law enforcement agency having jurisdiction over a case to make a request to the clearinghouse for the activation of a Purple Alert involving a missing adult under certain circumstances; amending s. 429.918, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an appropriation; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

**SB 1200**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to voter registration maintenance; amending s. 98.065, F.S.; requiring supervisors of elections to enter into agreements with clerks of the circuit courts to receive specified information; requiring supervisors of elections to compare the

information with the statewide voter registration system; amending s. 98.093, F.S.; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to furnish monthly to the Department of State a list of persons who identified themselves as aliens; requiring the Department of State to compare the list with the statewide voter registration system and provide the names of registered voters who are aliens to the supervisors of elections of the counties in which the voters are registered; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Infrastructure and Security; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell-

SB 1202-A bill to be entitled An act relating to care for retired law enforcement dogs; creating s. 943.69, F.S.; providing a short title; providing legislative findings; defining terms; creating the Care for Retired Law Enforcement Dogs Program within the Department of Law Enforcement; requiring the department to contract with a nonprofit corporation to administer and manage the program; providing requirements for the corporation not for profit; providing requirements for the disbursement of funds for the veterinary care of eligible retired law enforcement dogs; placing an annual cap on the amount of funds available for the care of an eligible retired law enforcement dog; prohibiting a former handler or adopter from accumulating unused funds from a current year for use in a future year; prohibiting a former handler or adopter from receiving reimbursement if funds are depleted for the year for which the reimbursement is sought; requiring the department to pay to the nonprofit corporation, and authorizing the nonprofit corporation to use, up to a certain percentage of appropriated funds for administrative purposes; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Flores-

**SB 1204**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; amending s. 627.351, F.S.; revising and specifying annual rate increase limits for certain policies issued by the corporation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1206—A bill to be entitled An act relating to applied behavior analysis services; amending s. 400.9905, F.S.; providing an exemption from licensure requirements for certain individuals who are employed or under contract with certain entities providing applied behavior analysis services; amending s. 1003.572, F.S.; redefining the term "private instructional personnel" to include certain behavior analysts and paraprofessionals providing applied behavior analysis services; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Farmer-

SB 1208—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assault weapons and large-capacity magazines; creating s. 790.301, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting the sale or transfer of an assault weapon or large-capacity ammunition magazine; providing exceptions; providing criminal penalties; prohibiting possession of an assault weapon or large-capacity magazine; providing exceptions; providing criminal penalties; requiring certificates of possession for assault weapons or large-capacity ammunition magazines lawfully possessed before a specified date; providing requirements for certificates; specifying the form of certificates; limiting transfers of assault weapons or large-capacity ammunition magazines represented by such certificates; providing conditions for continued possession of such weapons or large-capacity ammunition

magazines; providing requirements for an applicant who fails to qualify for such a certificate; requiring certificates of transfer for transfers of assault weapons or large-capacity magazines; providing requirements for certificates of transfer; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to maintain a file of such certificates; providing for relinquishment of assault weapons or large-capacity magazines; providing requirements for transportation of assault weapons or large-capacity magazines; providing criminal penalties; specifying circumstances in which the manufacture or transportation of assault weapons or large-capacity magazines is not prohibited; exempting permanently inoperable firearms from provisions; amending s. 775.087, F.S.; providing enhanced criminal penalties for certain offenses when committed with an assault weapon or large-capacity magazine; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Harrell-

 $\mathbf{SB}\ 1210\mathrm{--}\mathrm{A}\ \mathrm{bill}$  to be entitled An act relating to the certification of developmental disabilities services personnel; creating s. 393.0659, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining the terms "certification" and "third-party credentialing entity"; beginning on a specified date, requiring that all support coordinators and certain direct service providers obtain and maintain certification by a third-party credentialing entity; specifying that certification of direct service providers is subject to certain appropriations; requiring the Agency for Persons with Disabilities to approve one or more third-party credentialing entities; specifying criteria for approval of third-party credentialing entities; requiring the agency to approve certain third-party credentialing entities under certain circumstances; requiring the agency to approve at least one third-party credentialing entity by a specified date; providing that the agency must require employers of support coordinators and direct service providers to report certain information to the third-party credentialing entity for a specified purpose; providing for the review and appeal of decisions made by third-party credentialing entities; authorizing the agency to adopt rules; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

**SB 1212**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to international affairs; amending s. 15.01, F.S.; requiring the Secretary of State to serve as the state protocol officer; requiring the Secretary of State to take certain actions relating to the state protocol manual; amending s. 15.182, F.S.; requiring that certain organizations provide notice of international travel to the Department of State, rather than the Department of Economic Opportunity; requiring the Department of State, The Department of Economic Opportunity, and Enterprise Florida, Inc., to work in conjunction for a certain purpose; amending s. 288.816, F.S.; revising the duties of the state protocol officer; authorizing, rather than requiring, the state protocol officer to take certain actions; creating s. 288.8165, F.S.; authorizing the Office of International Affairs within the Department of State to support the establishment of citizen support organizations for certain purposes; defining the term "citizen support organization"; authorizing the office to adopt rules; prohibiting the office from allowing a citizen support organization to use certain services, property, or facilities if the organization does not provide equal membership and employment opportunities; requiring citizen support organizations to provide for a certain financial audit; providing a scheduled repeal; amending s. 288.012, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

**SB 1214**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to engineers; amending s. 471.003, F.S.; prohibiting a person who is not licensed as an engineer from using a specified name or title; prohibiting a person who is not a licensed structural engineer from using specified names and titles or

practicing structural engineering, after a specified date; exempting certain persons from licensing requirements; amending s. 471.005, F.S.; defining terms; revising definitions; amending s. 471.011, F.S.; authorizing the Board of Professional Engineers to establish fees relating to structural engineering licensing; amending s. 471.013, F.S.; authorizing the board to refuse to certify an applicant for a structural engineering license for certain reasons; amending s. 471.015, F.S.; providing licensure and application requirements for a structural engineer license; exempting a structural engineer who applies for licensure before a specified date from passage of a certain national examination, under certain conditions; requiring the board to certify certain applicants for licensure by endorsement; amending ss. 471.019 and 471.025, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 471.031, F.S.; prohibiting certain persons from practicing structural engineering after a specified date; prohibiting specified persons from using specified names and titles; amending s. 471.033, F.S.; providing acts that constitute grounds for disciplinary action, including civil penalties, against a structural engineer; amending ss. 471.037 and 471.0385, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

**SJR 1216**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 4 of Article IX and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to limit the terms of office for a member of a district school board.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Education; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1218—A bill to be entitled An act relating to anti-bullying and anti-harassment in schools; amending s. 1002.421, F.S.; expanding the information that private schools participating in an educational scholarship program are required to publish and provide to parents; requiring such private schools to adopt bullying and harassment policies; requiring such schools to report bullying and harassment incidents to the Department of Education; requiring the department to include reported incidents in annual accountability reports; requiring private school principals or their designees to meet and share specified information with students and parents prior to student enrollment in the school; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1220—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 1004.04, F.S.; requiring that the rules to establish uniform core curricula for each state-approved teacher preparation program include evidence-based reading instructional strategies and mental health strategies and support; deleting a provision allowing teacher preparation programs to waive admission requirements for up to 10 percent of the students admitted; amending s. 1012.56, F.S.; providing that for a subject requiring only a baccalaureate degree, a baccalaureate degree with a major in the subject area, conferred within the last 10 years, is an acceptable means of demonstrating mastery of subject area knowledge; amending s. 1012.79, F.S.; directing the Commissioner of Education, with the advice and consent of the chair of the Education Practices Commission, to appoint an executive director who is exempt from career service and may be removed by the commissioner; specifying that the executive director will have administrative duties, as determined by the commissioner; making a technical change; amending s. 1012.586, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

**SM 1222**—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, urging the federal government to designate certain drug cartels as foreign terrorist organizations.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons-

**SB 1224**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to real estate conveyances; amending s. 689.01, F.S.; providing that subscribing witnesses are not required to validate certain instruments conveying a leasehold interest in real property; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

SB 1226—A bill to be entitled An act relating to punitive damages; amending ss. 400.0238 and 429.298, F.S.; removing provisions requiring that a portion of the punitive damages awarded for claims brought under part II of ch. 400, F.S., relating to nursing homes, and part I of ch. 429, F.S., relating to assisted living facilities, be deposited into the Quality of Long-Term Care Facility Improvement Trust Fund; amending s. 400.0239, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 1228—A bill to be entitled An act relating to amusement rides; amending s. 616.242, F.S.; requiring amusement ride managers to meet certain requirements; defining and redefining terms; revising standards for rules adopted by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services relating to amusement rides; revising provisions for permanent amusement ride annual permits; providing for temporary amusement ride permits; revising provisions for nondestructive testing and department testing of amusement rides; removing the exemption from safety standards for certain museums and institutions; removing the limitation on the authority of the department to establish exemptions from safety standards; revising inspection standards for amusement rides; directing the department to prescribe by rule specified signage to be posted at amusement ride events; revising requirements for compliance certifications after major modifications to amusement rides; revising requirements for amusement ride inspections by owners and managers; providing procedures for the introduction and examination of witnesses and evidence in examinations and investigations conducted by the department; revising civil penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1230—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electric vehicles; amending s. 316.003, F.S.; revising definitions; authorizing the Department of Transportation to adopt rules; amending s. 334.046, F.S.; revising the department's goals relating to mobility; creating s. 339.0802, F.S.; requiring that certain funds be used for specified purposes relating to the Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Grant Program, beginning in specified years; providing for future expiration of the requirement; creating s. 339.286, F.S.; requiring the department to establish the Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Grant Program; providing the purpose of the program; providing for the distribution of grants to certain entities to install electric vehicle charging infrastructure; providing grant requirements; providing requirements for equipment installed using grant funds; requiring the department to develop and publish criteria for the prioritization of grant applications and to

maintain a prioritized list of approved applications; providing requirements for the distribution of grants; requiring that the department continually review emerging research, policies, and standards; requiring the department to publish certain information; authorizing the department to develop a model plan for local governments; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 366.94, F.S.; specifying that certain rules adopted by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services may not require specific methods of sale for electric vehicle charging equipment used in, and services provided in, this state; providing an appropriation; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 1232—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Climate and Resiliency Research Program; creating s. 403.9119, F.S.; establishing the program within the Department of Environmental Protection; providing for program purpose and participants; requiring the program to submit the Florida Resiliency Plan to the Governor and Legislature at specified intervals; providing plan requirements; directing the department to coordinate and oversee the program and provide staff support; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Environment and Natural Resources; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rouson-

**SB 1234**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Minority Health Council; creating s. 381.735, F.S.; creating the council adjunct to the Department of Health for a specified purpose; providing for membership, meetings, and duties of the council; requiring the council to submit annual reports to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing for the issuance of interim reports at the discretion of the council chair; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1236—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the educational property tax exemption; amending s. 196.198, F.S.; exempting land and real property improvements used exclusively for educational purposes from ad valorem taxes if an educational institution, under a ground lease or other contractual arrangement, meets certain criteria; providing that the educational institution shall receive the full benefit from the exemption; requiring the property owner to make certain disclosures to the educational institution; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

**SB 1238**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regulatory reform; creating s. 14.35, F.S.; establishing the Red Tape Reduction Advisory Council within the Executive Office of the Governor; providing for membership and terms; providing for meetings and organization of the council; specifying that members serve without compensation; authorizing reimbursement for per diem and travel expenses; specifying required activities of the council; requiring an annual report; amending s. 120.52, F.S.; providing definitions; amending s. 120.54, F.S.; requiring an agency adopting a rule to submit a rule replacement request to the Administrative Procedures Committee; requiring a rule development or adoption notice to include a rule proposed for repeal, if necessary to maintain the regulatory baseline; providing that a rule repeal necessary to maintain the regulatory baseline is effective at the same time as the proposed rule; amending s. 120.545, F.S.; requiring the committee to examine rule replacement requests and existing rules; requiring the committee to determine whether a rule replacement request complies

with certain requirements and whether adoption of a rule, other than an emergency rule, will exceed the regulatory baseline; creating s. 120.546, F.S.; requiring the Administrative Procedures Committee to establish a regulatory baseline of agency rules; providing that a proposed rule may not cause the total number of rules to exceed the regulatory baseline; requiring an agency proposing a rule to submit a rule replacement request to the committee; authorizing an agency to request an exemption; prohibiting the committee from approving exemption requests or certain rule replacement requests until certain conditions are met; requiring an annual report; amending s. 120.55, F.S.; requiring the inclusion of certain information and a specified report in the Florida Administrative Code; amending s. 120.74, F.S.; requiring an agency regulatory plan to include identification of certain rules; conforming a cross-reference; amending ss. 120.80, 120.81, 420.9072, 420.9075, and 443.091, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters—

**SB 1240**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a corporate income tax credit; creating s. 220.197, F.S.; defining the term "NAICS"; providing a credit against the corporate income tax, for a specified amount and for a specified taxable year, for taxpayers classified in the sales financing or passenger car rental or leasing industries which meet certain criteria; providing for retroactive operation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres-

**SB 1242**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to annual salary adjustments for state employees; creating s. 110.195, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing annual salary adjustments to base rates of pay of eligible state employees, beginning as of a specified date; specifying the manner of calculating the adjustment; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton—

SB 1244—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state workforce development boards; amending s. 445.002, F.S.; defining the terms "for cause" and "state board"; amending s. 445.003, F.S.; replacing CareerSource Florida, Inc., with the state board or the Department of Economic Opportunity in provisions relating to the implementation of the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act; authorizing, rather than requiring, certain funds to be reserved for the Incumbent Worker Training Program; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; authorizing the state board to hire a director and staff; requiring the state board to authorize the director and staff to work with the department for specified reasons; amending s. 445.004, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the operation of CareerSource Florida, Inc.; revising the purpose of CareerSource Florida, Inc.; providing purpose for the state board; revising the organizational structure of CareerSource Florida, Inc.; providing requirements for the organizational structure of the state board; providing the state board with powers and authority previously held by CareerSource Florida, Inc.; revising the requirements related to such powers and authority; authorizing the department to consult with the state board to issue certain technical assistance letters; requiring the state board, rather than CareerSource Florida, Inc., to submit an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature; authorizing the Auditor General to conduct an audit of the state board and programs or entities created by the state board; requiring the state board, rather than CareerSource Florida, Inc., to establish certain uniform performance accountability measures; requiring the state board, in consultation with the department, to design the workforce development strategy for the state; requiring that the strategy be approved by the Governor; revising requirements relating to the workforce development system; amending s. 445.006, F.S.; requiring

that the state board, rather than CareerSource Florida, Inc., take certain actions relating to the state plan for workforce development; amending s. 445.007, F.S.; replacing CareerSource Florida, Inc., with the state board or the department in provisions relating to local workforce development boards; deleting the definition of the term "cause"; authorizing a chief elected official for a local workforce development board to remove certain persons from the board for cause; requiring the department to provide certain guidance to specified entities; deleting an obsolete provision; making technical changes; amending s. 445.0071, F.S.; replacing CareerSource Florida, Inc., with the state board or the department in provisions relating to the Florida Youth Summer Jobs Pilot Program; amending s. 445.008, F.S.; revising authority relating to the Workforce Training Institute; requiring that certain donations and grants be reported to the state board and the department; amending s. 445.009, F.S.; replacing CareerSource Florida, Inc., with the state board or the department in provisions relating to one-stop delivery systems; deleting an obsolete provision; amending s. 445.011, F.S.; replacing CareerSource Florida, Inc., with the department in provisions relating to workforce information systems; requiring the department to consult with the state board in implementing certain automated information systems; deleting a provision requiring CareerSource Florida, Inc., to take certain actions when procuring workforce information systems; amending s. 445.028, F.S.; replacing CareerSource Florida, Inc., with the department in provisions relating to transitional benefits and services; amending s. 445.051, F.S.; replacing CareerSource Florida, Inc., with the state board in provisions relating to individual development accounts; amending ss. 11.45 and 443.171, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel—

SB 1246—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dual enrollment; amending s. 1007.271, F.S.; clarifying that secondary students eligible for dual enrollment programs include students who are enrolled in home education programs; providing for exceptions to grade point average requirements relating to student eligibility; requiring that exceptions to required grade point averages be specified in the dual enrollment articulation agreement; prohibiting postsecondary institutions from establishing additional initial student academic eligibility requirements; prohibiting district school boards and Florida College System institutions from denying students who have met eligibility requirements from participating in dual enrollment except under specified circumstances; revising the date by which career centers are required to annually complete and submit specified agreements to the Department of Education; requiring district school boards to inform secondary students and their parents or legal guardians of specified information; prohibiting schools from enrolling students in dual enrollment courses under certain circumstances; revising the date by which eligible postsecondary institutions are required to annually complete and submit home education articulation agreements to the department; revising requirements for home education students enrolled in dual enrollment courses; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; requiring that instructional materials assigned for use within dual enrollment courses be made available to dual enrollment students from public schools, private schools, and home education programs free of charge; revising the date by which certain postsecondary institutions are required to annually complete and submit to the department a dual enrollment articulation agreement; revising requirements for the articulation agreement; revising provisions relating to funding for dual enrollment; providing that certain independent colleges and universities are eligible for inclusion in the dual enrollment and early admission programs; revising the date by which certain district school boards and Florida College System institutions are required to annually complete and submit a dual enrollment articulation agreement to the department; revising the date by which certain postsecondary institutions are required to annually complete and submit a private school articulation agreement to the department; revising requirements for such agreements; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; requiring the Commissioner of Education to annually report the status of dual enrollment programs to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; amending s. 1007.273, F.S.; changing the term "collegiate high school program" to "early college program"; defining the term "early college program"; requiring early college programs to prioritize certain courses; deleting requirements relating to collegiate high school programs; revising provisions relating to contracts executed between district school boards and their local Florida College System institutions to establish early college programs; revising provisions relating to student performance contracts for students participating in early college programs; authorizing charter schools to execute contracts to establish an early college program with specified institutions; requiring the commissioner to annually report the status of early college programs to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; creating s. 1009.31, F.S.; providing legislative findings; establishing the Dual Enrollment Scholarship Program; providing for the administration of the program; providing for the reimbursement of tuition and costs to eligible postsecondary institutions; requiring students participating in dual enrollment programs to meet minimum eligibility requirements in order for institutions to receive reimbursements; requiring participating institutions to annually report specified information to the department by certain dates; providing a reimbursement schedule for tuition and instructional materials costs; requiring the department to reimburse institutions by specified dates; providing that reimbursement for dual enrollment courses is contingent upon appropriations; providing for the prorating of reimbursements under certain circumstances; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the calculation of full-time equivalent student membership with respect to dual enrollment instruction for purposes of allocating funds for the operation of schools; amending ss. 1002.20 and 1003.4282, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1003.436, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; reenacting s. 1011.68(1)(d), F.S., relating to funds for student transportation, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 1011.62, F.S.; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1248—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the safe storage of firearms; creating s. 790.0656, F.S.; providing firearm storage requirements for licensed importers, licensed manufacturers, and licensed dealers under certain circumstances; authorizing agents or employees of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to perform inspections under certain circumstances; providing noncriminal penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1250—A bill to be entitled An act relating to teacher professional learning; amending s. 1004.04, F.S.; expanding requirements for uniform core curricula and candidate assessment for teacher preparation programs; amending s. 1004.85, F.S.; expanding requirements for the certification program of a postsecondary educator preparation institute to be approved by the Department of Education; amending s. 1012.585, F.S.; specifying that teachers may earn inservice points only once during a certain time period for any mandatory training topic not linked to student learning or professional growth; amending s. 1012.98, F.S.; requiring district school boards to calculate a proportionate share of professional development funds for each classroom teacher; authorizing classroom teachers to use up to a certain amount of such funds for certain purposes; requiring the Department of Education to identify professional development opportunities for classroom teachers to demonstrate proficiency in a specific classroom practice; requiring the department to create and develop a model annual and 5-year calendar of professional development by a specified date; requiring school districts to develop annual and 5-year calendars of professional development for inclusion in the department's professional development system by a specified date; requiring the department to maintain a statewide registry of approved professional development providers and professional development activities for use by teachers; requiring professional development providers to be approved by the department; specifying requirements for professional development providers; requiring the department to review professional development provider applications for compliance and to approve or deny an application within a certain

timeframe; providing for provider reapplication; requiring each school district to accept an approved professional development activity for a certain purpose; requiring the department to determine the number of inservice hours to be awarded for completion of an activity; creating the Professional Development Choice Pilot Program to be administered by the department for a specified period; providing the pilot program's purpose; authorizing the use of pilot program grants for specified purposes; providing requirements for the use of such grants; providing eligibility requirements for receiving pilot program grants; providing requirements and limits for grant disbursements; providing certain duties of each school district; requiring the department to maintain a registry of approved provider and professional development activities; requiring the department to establish an application form by a specified date; creating s. 1012.981, F.S.; creating the Professional Education Excellence Resources (PEER) Pilot Program in specified counties; authorizing school districts implementing the pilot program to engage in certain activities; authorizing school districts to use program funds for certain purposes; requiring school districts participating in the program to collaborate with the department and other entities to develop highquality online professional development opportunities accessible to instructional personnel statewide; providing requirements for such professional online development opportunities; authorizing participating school districts to use program funds to establish a master teacher program; providing requirements for the master teacher program; requiring participating school districts to collaborate with the department and the University of Florida Lastinger Center to develop a master teacher academy; providing duties for the master teacher academy; requiring each school district participating in the PEER Pilot Program to report annually to the Governor, the Legislature, and the department on the performance of the pilot program; requiring the annual report to contain certain information; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; specifying that the pilot program be implemented only to the extent specifically funded and authorized by law; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

 ${\bf SR~1252} {\color{red} -} {\bf Not~introduced}.$ 

By Senator Wright-

**SB 1254**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community development district bond financing; amending s. 190.016, F.S.; requiring district boards to authorize bonds by a two-thirds vote of the members; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton—

**SB 1256**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to telegraph companies; repealing chapter 363, F.S., relating to the regulation of telegraph companies and telegrams; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1258—A bill to be entitled An act relating to commercial service airports; amending s. 11.45, F.S.; requiring the Auditor General to conduct specified audits of certain airports; defining the term "large-hub commercial service airport"; amending s. 112.3144, F.S.; requiring members of the governing body of a large-hub commercial service airport to comply with certain financial disclosure requirements; defining the term "large-hub commercial service airport"; creating s. 332.0075, F.S.; defining terms; requiring the governing body of a municipality, county, or special district that operates a commercial service airport to establish and maintain a website; requiring the governing body to post certain information on the website; requiring commercial service airports to comply with certain contracting requirements; providing approval requirements for certain contracts; requiring governing body

members and employees of a commercial service airport to comply with certain ethics requirements; requiring governing body members to complete annual ethics training; requiring commercial service airports to submit certain information annually to the Department of Transportation; requiring the department to review such information and submit an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature; prohibiting the expenditure of certain funds unless specified conditions are met; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 1260—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Space Exploration Monument; creating s. 265.008, F.S.; providing legislative intent; establishing the Florida Space Exploration Monument; providing for administration of the monument by the Department of Management Services; providing for the creation of a design contest and selection committee; requiring the department to develop a plan regarding the monument; requiring the plan to be submitted to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy-

SB 1262-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the 1920 Ocoee Election Day Riots; creating s. 16.63, F.S.; establishing the Ocoee Election Day Riots Descendant Compensation Fund Program within the Department of Legal Affairs; specifying the purpose of the program; requiring the department to accept and process applications for payment of claims for compensation; requiring the department to provide certain notice of the program; specifying procedures and requirements regarding applications for compensation; requiring the department to approve applications for payment if certain conditions are met, subject to certain limitations; providing for contingent repeal; amending s. 288.7102, F.S.; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to prioritize certain applications for the Black Business Loan Program; directing the Commissioner of Education's African American History Task Force to determine ways in which the 1920 Ocoee Election Day Riots may be included in required instruction on African-American history; requiring the task force to submit recommendations to the commissioner and the State Board of Education by a specified date; directing the Secretary of State to take certain action regarding the inclusion of the history of the 1920 Ocoee Election Day Riots in museum exhibits; directing the Secretary of Environmental Protection to assess naming opportunities for state parks, or a portion of a facility therein, in recognizing victims of the 1920 Ocoee Election Day Riots; authorizing the secretary to appoint a committee to assist in assessing naming opportunities; requiring the secretary to submit recommendations to the Legislature under specified circumstances; encouraging district school boards to assess naming opportunities for school facilities in recognizing victims of the 1920 Ocoee Election Day Riots; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1264—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 16.631, F.S.; creating the Ocoee Election Day Riots Descendant Compensation Trust Fund within the Department of Legal Affairs; specifying the purpose and the funding source of the trust fund; requiring the department to administer the trust fund; providing for the carrying forward of undisbursed funds; providing for future review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund; providing an appropriation; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations. By Senator Gruters—

**SB 1266**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to social media websites; providing a short title; defining terms; providing that the owner or operator of a social media website is subject to a private right of action by a social media website user in this state under certain conditions; providing damages; authorizing the award of reasonable attorney fees and costs; prohibiting a social media website from using hate speech as a defense; authorizing the Attorney General to bring an action on behalf of a social media website user; providing exceptions for the deletion or censure of certain types of speech; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1268—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the capital investment tax credit; amending s. 220.191, F.S.; redefining terms; defining the term "intellectual property"; providing a credit against the corporate income tax, the sales and use tax, or a stated combination of the two taxes to a qualifying business that establishes a qualifying project for the creation of intellectual property which meets certain capital investment criteria; specifying the calculation of the credit; authorizing the carryover or transfer of credits, subject to certain conditions; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 288.1089, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "cumulative investment" to conform to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Lee-

SB 1270—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the fiduciary duty of care for appointed public officials and executive officers; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision to create part IX of ch. 112, F.S.; creating s. 112.89, F.S.; providing legislative findings and purpose; defining terms; establishing standards for the fiduciary duty of care for appointed public officials and executive officers of specified governmental entities; requiring training on board governance beginning on a specified date; requiring the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to contract for or approve such training programs or publish a list of approved training providers; specifying requirements for such training; authorizing training to be provided by in-house counsel for certain governmental entities; requiring appointed public officials and executive officers to certify their completion of the annual training; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing an exception to the training requirement; specifying requirements for the appointment of executive officers and general counsels of governmental entities; specifying standards for legal counsel; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Montford-

SB 1272—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Statewide Emergency Shelter Task Force; establishing the task force adjunct to the Department of Management Services; specifying the task force's purpose; providing for the membership of the task force; providing requirements and restrictions for members of the task force; authorizing reimbursement for per diem and travel expenses; requiring the task force to report recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing for expiration; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Powell-

SB 1274—A bill to be entitled An act relating to qualifying medical conditions for medical use of marijuana; amending s. 381.986, F.S.;

adding sickle cell disease to the list of qualifying medical conditions for medical use of marijuana; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton—

SB 1276—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Citrus; creating s. 601.041, F.S.; establishing the Friends of Florida Citrus Program within the Department of Citrus; providing a purpose of the program; providing duties of the department; authorizing the program to receive certain funds; requiring funds to be deposited into the Florida Citrus Advertising Trust Fund; creating the Friends of Florida Citrus Advisory Council adjunct to the department; providing for the membership and duties of the advisory council; amending s. 601.10, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Citrus to loan department employees to or share department employees with specified state and federal entities; authorizing the department to enter into agreements with such entities; providing that agreements are subject to prior approval by the department; deleting provisions setting out the required work schedule for the department; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rader-

**SB 1278**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Companion Animal Public-Private Partnership Act; providing legislative findings; defining terms; prohibiting animal shelters from euthanizing animals under certain conditions; requiring animal shelters to release animals to rescue organizations under certain conditions; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

**SB 1280**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to automated license plate recognition systems; amending s. 316.0778, F.S.; prohibiting homeowners' associations from owning or operating an automated license plate recognition system; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 1282—A bill to be entitled An act relating to animal cremation: creating s. 501.961, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; requiring a provider of companion animal cremation services to provide certain individuals and entities with a written description of the services that the provider offers; requiring the written description to include a detailed explanation of each service offered; providing that the written description may not contain false or misleading information; requiring certain entities that make referrals to providers or accept deceased companion animals for cremation through a provider to make the provider's written description of services available to owners or their representatives; requiring certain providers to include a certification with the returned animal's remains; providing requirements for the certification; providing that certain acts are unlawful; providing civil penalties for initial and subsequent offenses; providing circumstances under which a person commits an unfair or deceptive act or practice or engages in an unfair method of competition in violation of certain provisions; providing for a private right of action; providing powers of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1284—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Land Subsidence Research Initiative; creating s. 380.29, F.S.; providing legislative intent; establishing the Florida Land Subsidence Research Initiative as a partnership between the Department of Environmental Protection and Florida International University; providing the goal of the initiative; directing the department to contract with, and allocate certain funds to, Florida International University to implement the initiative; requiring Florida International University to collaborate with other state universities, develop data collection and reporting specifications, and submit reports to the Governor and Legislature by specified dates; providing report requirements; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations

By Senator Simmons-

SB 1286-A bill to be entitled An act relating to contraband in specified facilities; amending s. 916.1085, F.S.; prohibiting the introduction of cannabis and certain related substances into specified facilities of the Department of Children and Families or of the Agency for Persons with Disabilities; providing a definition; providing criminal penalties; amending ss. 944.47 and 951.22, F.S.; prohibiting the introduction of Cannabis sativa and certain related substances and vaporgenerating electronic devices into specified detention facilities; providing a definition; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 985.711, F.S.; prohibiting the introduction of Cannabis sativa and certain related substances, cellular telephones and other portable communication devices, and vapor-generating electronic devices into specified juvenile detention facilities or commitment programs; providing a definition; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; ranking the offense of introducing certain contraband into specified facilities of the Department of Children and Families on level 4 of the offense severity ranking chart; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Wright-

SB 1288—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the solicitation of legal services; creating s. 501.2106, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting legal advertisements from containing certain terminology or failing to include specified disclosures; providing that a person who places or sponsors an advertisement in violation of certain provisions commits a deceptive and unfair trade practice, subject to the penalties and remedies of the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; creating s. 877.025, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting certain use, sale, or transfer of protected health information without specified authorization for purposes of soliciting legal services; providing that a person who uses, sells, or transfers protected health information in violation of the act commits a deceptive and unfair trade practice, subject to the penalties and remedies of the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; providing criminal penalties for willful and knowing violations and enhanced penalties for violations committed for financial gain; providing applicability; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Berman-

SB 1290—A bill to be entitled An act relating to solar schools; amending s. 366.91, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing a public educational customer to enter into a contract for the installation, maintenance, or operation of a renewable energy source device on property owned or controlled by the public educational customer; providing that financing arrangements for such contracts are not considered retail sales of electricity; limiting the capacity of the renewable energy source device; requiring electric utilities to provide meter aggregation to public educational customers under certain circumstances; providing that

shared solar facilities may participate in an electric utility's net metering program; limiting a public educational customer's annual allocated credits; requiring electric utilities to adopt a tariff, subject to Public Service Commission review, by a specified date; amending s. 1013.44, F.S.; prohibiting costs associated with certain solar energy systems from being included in certain cost per student station limitations; amending ss. 366.92, 373.236, and 403.973, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Education; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

**SB 1292**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 943.0582, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for a nonjudicial record of the arrest of a minor who has successfully completed a diversion program; providing for retroactive application; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons—

SB 1294—A bill to be entitled An act relating to security licenses; amending s. 493.6301, F.S.; revising applicability of ownership and employee requirements for Class "D" licenses; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Berman—

SB 1296—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health access dental licenses; reviving, reenacting, and amending s. 466.0067, F.S., relating to the application for a health access dental license; reviving, reenacting, and amending s. 466.00671, F.S., relating to the renewal of such license; reviving and reenacting s. 466.00672, F.S., relating to the revocation of such license; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simmons-

SB 1298—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Office of the Judges of Compensation Claims; amending s. 440.45, F.S.; providing an appropriation to the Division of Administrative Hearings for adjustments to salaries of the judges of compensation claims; requiring the Deputy Chief Judge to recommend such salary adjustments within the appropriated amount; requiring that such salary adjustments be paid out of a specified trust fund; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 1300—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assault weapons; creating s. 790.30, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting the importing into this state, or the distributing, transporting, transferring, selling, or giving within this state, of an assault weapon; providing criminal penalties; providing applicability; prohibiting the possession of an assault weapon; providing exceptions; providing criminal penalties; providing applicability; requiring certificates of possession for assault weapons lawfully possessed before a specified date; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to adopt rules by a certain date; limiting transfers of assault weapons represented by certificates of possession; providing

conditions for continued possession of such weapons; requiring certificates of transfer for transfers of assault weapons; requiring the department to maintain a file of all certificates of transfer; providing for relinquishment of assault weapons; specifying requirements for transportation of assault weapons; providing criminal penalties; specifying circumstances in which the manufacture or transportation of assault weapons is not prohibited; exempting permanently inoperable firearms from certain provisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Flores-

SB 1302—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sovereign immunity; amending s. 768.28, F.S.; providing a short title; providing an exception to certain liability for the state and its agencies and subdivisions; increasing the statutory limits on liability for tort claims against the state and its agencies and subdivisions; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising when a state and its agencies and subdivisions may agree to settle a claim or judgment without further action from the Legislature; requiring that the limitations on tort liability be adjusted every year after a specified date; specifying that the limitations in effect on the date a final judgment is entered apply to that judgment; requiring certain final judgment amounts to be paid without further action by the Legislature; providing liability for claims arising as a result of certain acts or omissions by certain persons; prohibiting an insurance policy from conditioning the payment of benefits on the enactment of claims bills; amending ss. 29.0081, 39.8297, 163.01, 252.36, 260.0125, 288.9625, 316.6146, 321.24, 324.022, 381.0056, 403.0862, 456.048, 458.320, 459.0085, 589.19, 616.242, 624.461, 624.462, 627.733, 760.11, 766.1115, 766.118, 768.1315, 768.135, 944.713, 984.09, 985.037, 1002.55, 1002.88, 1004.41, 1004.43, 1004.447, and 1006.261, F.S.; conforming cross-references; reenacting ss. 45.061, 110.504, 111.071, 163.01(15)(k), 190.043, 213.015, 284.31, 284.38, 337.19, 341.302, 373.1395, 375.251, 393.075, 403.706, 409.993, 455.221, 455.32, 456.009,472.006, 497.167, 548.046, 556.106, 768.295, 946.5026, 946.514, 961.06, 1002.33, 1002.333, 1002.34, 1002.77, and 1002.83, F.S., to incorporate the amendment made to s. 768.28, F.S.; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Community Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 1304—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; creating s. 948.0121, F.S.; defining terms; creating conditional sentences for substance use and mental health offenders; specifying eligibility requirements; providing minimum sentencing requirements; providing an exception to a conditional sentence; authorizing a presentence investigation report; specifying duties of the Department of Corrections; authorizing the department to enter into certain contracts; requiring the department to provide written notice to specified parties upon the offender's admission into an in-prison treatment program; providing that the department may find that an offender is ineligible for an inprison program under certain circumstances; requiring written notice to certain parties if an offender is terminated from or prevented from entering an in-prison program; requiring that an offender be transitioned to probation upon the completion of an in-prison program; requiring an offender to comply with specified terms of probation; requiring the offender to pay specified costs; providing that certain violations may result in revocation of probation and imposition of any authorized sentence; requiring the department to develop a computerized tracking system; requiring the department make an annual report; requiring rulemaking; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurston—

**SB 1306**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to individual retirement accounts; amending s. 222.21, F.S.; specifying that interests in certain individual retirement funds or accounts which are exempt from

creditor claims continue to be exempt after certain transfers incident to divorce; providing retroactive applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1308—A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal justice; providing a short title; amending s. 775.082, F.S.; authorizing the resentencing and release of certain persons who are eligible for sentence review under specified provisions; reenacting and amending s. 921.1402, F.S.; revising the circumstances under which a juvenile offender is not entitled to a review of his or her sentence after a specified timeframe; creating s. 921.14021, F.S.; providing for retroactive application of a specified provision relating to review of sentence for juvenile offenders convicted of murder; providing for immediate review of certain sentences; creating s. 921.1403, F.S.; defining the term "young adult offender"; precluding eligibility for a sentence review for young adult offenders who previously committed, or conspired to commit, specified offenses; providing timeframes within which young adult offenders who commit specified crimes are entitled to a review of their sentences; providing applicability; requiring the Department of Corrections to notify young adult offenders in writing of their eligibility for sentence review within certain timeframes; requiring a young adult offender seeking a sentence review or a subsequent sentence review to submit an application to the original sentencing court and request a hearing; providing for legal representation of eligible young adult offenders; providing for one subsequent review hearing for the young adult offender after a certain timeframe if he or she is not resentenced at the initial sentence review hearing; requiring the original sentencing court to hold a sentence review hearing upon receiving an application from an eligible young adult offender; requiring the court to consider certain factors in determining whether to modify the young adult offender's sentence; authorizing a court to modify the sentence of certain young adult offenders if the court makes certain determinations; requiring the court to issue a written order stating certain information in specified circumstances; providing for retroactive application; amending s. 944.705, F.S.; requiring the department to provide inmates with certain information upon their release; creating s. 951.30, F.S.; requiring that administrators of county detention facilities provide inmates with certain information upon their release; amending s. 1009.21, F.S.; providing that a specified period of time spent in a county detention facility or state correctional facility counts toward the 12-month residency requirement for tuition purposes; requiring the Office of Program Policy and Governmental Accountability (OPPAGA) to conduct a study to evaluate the various opportunities available to persons returning to the community from imprisonment; providing study requirements; requiring OPPAGA to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Mayfield-

SB 1310—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a hunting and fishing sales tax holiday; providing an exemption from the sales and use tax for the retail sale of firearms, firearm ammunition, camping tents, and fishing supplies during a specified timeframe; defining the terms "firearms" and "fishing supplies"; specifying locations where the exemptions do not apply; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Montford—

**SB 1312**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to voting systems; amending s. 97.021, F.S.; defining the term "automatic tabulating equipment" for purposes of the Florida Election Code; amending s. 101.5614, F.S.; revising procedures governing the canvassing of returns to specify usage of a voting system's automatic tabulating equipment;

amending s. 102.141, F.S.; clarifying the circumstances under which ballots must be processed through automatic tabulating equipment in a recount; amending s. 102.166, F.S.; specifying the manner by which a manual recount may be conducted; revising requirements for hardware or software used in a manual recount; authorizing overvotes and undervotes to be identified and sorted physically or digitally in a manual recount; revising minimum requirements for Department of State rules to require procedures regarding the certification and use of automatic tabulating equipment for manual recounts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurston-

SB 1314—A bill to be entitled An act relating to payments to the Greyhound Racing Compensation Trust Fund; creating s. 550.916, F.S.; requiring pari-mutuel permitholders to pay the Division of Pari-mutuel Wagering within the Department of Business and Professional Regulation a specified percentage of the gross revenue derived from certain wagers; requiring the division to deposit the funds into the Greyhound Racing Compensation Trust Fund; requiring the division to calculate the reduction in certain expenses resulting from the ban on greyhound racing; requiring the division to deposit an amount equal to such calculation into the trust fund on a specified date; creating s. 551.1065, F.S.; requiring slot machine licensees to pay the division a specified percentage of the monthly gross revenue derived from slot machines; requiring the division to deposit the funds into the Greyhound Racing Compensation Trust Fund; providing for a future repeal; amending s. 849.086, F.S.; requiring cardroom licensees to pay the division a specified percentage of the monthly gross receipts; requiring the division to deposit the funds into the Greyhound Racing Compensation Trust Fund; providing for a future repeal; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; providing contingent effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Thurston-

SB 1316—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 550.914, F.S.; providing legislative findings; creating the Greyhound Compensation Trust Fund within the Division of Pari-mutuel Wagering within the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; specifying the purpose of the fund and authorized uses of the assets; requiring the division to contract with a certain organization to develop criteria and guidelines relating to the fund; requiring that any balances in the fund at the end of the fiscal year remain in the fund; providing for future review and termination of the fund; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 1318—A bill to be entitled An act relating to lottery games; amending s. 24.105, F.S.; prohibiting an electronic computer terminal or electronic device from being used by a player to play any lottery game; prohibiting the Department of the Lottery from authorizing the operation of a specified lottery game; amending s. 24.107, F.S.; requiring the department to include a specified warning in all advertisements and promotions of certain lottery games; providing requirements for such warning; amending s. 24.111, F.S.; requiring all contracts between the department and a vendor to include a provision that requires the vendor to place or print a specified warning on certain lottery tickets; providing requirements for such warning; amending s. 24.121, F.S.; requiring certain funds in the Operating Trust Fund to be used for a specified annual payment for services relating to the prevention of compulsive and addictive gambling; requiring the department to contract for such services; providing contract requirements; providing that certain failures by a private provider relating to such contracts constitute a breach of contract or grounds for nonrenewal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Cruz-

**SB 1320**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary fee waivers; amending s. 1009.26, F.S.; providing specified fee waivers for graduate students who meet certain requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wright-

**SB 1322**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary fee exemptions; amending s. 1009.25, F.S.; deleting an exemption from specified tuition and fees for students enrolled in approved apprenticeship programs at specified institutions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simpson—

SB 1324—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 25.385, F.S.; deleting the definition of the term "family or household member"; requiring the Florida Court Educational Council to establish certain standards for instruction of circuit and county court judges for dependency cases; requiring the council to provide such instruction on a periodic and timely basis; creating s. 39.01304, F.S.; providing legislative intent; providing a purpose; authorizing circuit courts to create early childhood court programs; requiring that early childhood court programs have certain components; defining the term "therapeutic jurisprudence"; providing requirements and guidelines for the Office of the State Courts Administrator when hiring community coordinators and a statewide training specialist; requiring the Department of Children and Families to contract with certain university-based centers; requiring the university-based centers to hire a clinical director; amending s. 39.0138, F.S.; requiring that certain background screenings be completed within a specified timeframe; amending s. 39.301, F.S.; requiring the department to notify the court of certain reports; authorizing the department to file specified petitions under certain circumstances; amending s. 39.302, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 39.522, F.S.; requiring the court to consider specified factors when making a certain determination; authorizing the court to place a child in out-of-home care under certain circumstances; requiring the court to consider specified factors when determining whether the child should be placed in out-of-home care; requiring the court to evaluate and change a child's permanency goal under certain conditions; amending s. 39.6011, F.S.; revising requirements for case plan development; amending s. 39.701, F.S.; requiring the court to retain jurisdiction over a child under certain circumstances; requiring community-based care lead agencies, rather than social service agencies, to make assessments before certain hearings; revising requirements for such assessments; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising determinations that courts and citizen review panels are required to make in certain deliberations; creating s. 409.1415, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; requiring the department and community-based care lead agencies to develop and support relationships between certain foster families and legal parents of children; providing responsibilities for foster parents, birth parents, the department, community-based care lead agency staff, and other agency staff; defining the term "excellent parenting"; requiring caregivers employed by residential group homes to meet specified requirements; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 409.145, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.988, F.S.; authorizing a lead agency to provide more than 35 percent of all child welfare services under certain conditions; requiring a specified local community alliance, or specified representatives in certain circumstances, to review and recommend approval or denial of the lead agency's request for a specified exemption; requiring lead agencies to conduct home studies of prospective parents; requiring such home studies to be completed within a specified timeframe;

amending s. 409.996, F.S.; requiring the department to conduct background screenings of prospective adoptive parents; requiring such background screenings to be completed within a specified timeframe; amending ss. 39.6225, 393.065, 409.1451, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simpson—

SB 1326—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Children and Families; providing a short title; amending s. 20.19, F.S.; providing for the creation of the Office of Quality Assurance and Improvement in the Department of Children and Families; requiring the Secretary of Children and Families to appoint a chief quality officer; providing duties of the chief quality officer; creating s. 39.0012, F.S.; providing legislative intent; requiring the department to annually report certain information to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; requiring the department to publish such report on its website; providing requirements for such report; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; defining terms; amending s. 39.201, F.S.; extending the timeframe within which a protective investigation is required to be commenced in certain circumstances; specifying factors to be considered when determining when to commence a protective investigation; authorizing certain reports to the central abuse hotline to be referred for precrisis preventive services; amending s. 39.301, F.S.; requiring notification of certain staff of certain reports to the central abuse hotline; requiring detailed documentation for preventive services; requiring the department to incorporate into its quality assurance program the monitoring of reports that receive preventive services; providing that onsite investigation visits must be unannounced unless a certain finding is made; requiring that contacts made involving preventive services be announced unless there is no reasonable means to do so; amending s. 39.3065, F.S.; providing legislative intent; requiring certain sheriffs to adopt Florida's Child Welfare Practice Model and operate under certain provisions of law; requiring the department and sheriffs to collaborate and conduct program performance evaluations; requiring the department and sheriffs, or their designees, to meet at least quarterly for a specified purpose; providing that program performance evaluations be based on criteria developed by the department; requiring such evaluations to be standardized using a random sample of cases; revising the date by which the department is required to submit an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature; requiring certain sheriffs to annually submit to the department a prevention plan; providing requirements for such prevention plans; authorizing the secretary of the department to offer resources to sheriffs for certain purposes; amending s. 394.67, F.S.; defining the term "performance standards and metrics"; amending s. 394.9082, F.S.; providing legislative intent; requiring the department to annually provide a report containing certain information to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; requiring the department to publish such report on its website; providing requirements for such report; requiring the department to grade each managing entity based on specified criteria; requiring the department to renew contracts with managing entities that receive a specified grade; requiring the department to develop a system of support and improvement strategies for certain managing entities; authorizing the department to provide assistance to certain managing entities; requiring the department to take certain actions in response to managing entities that receive a grade of "D" or "F"; authorizing the department to competitively procure and contract under certain circumstances; authorizing the secretary of the department to direct resources to managing entities for certain purposes and to terminate contracts with certain entities; requiring managing entities to pay certain fines incurred by the department; requiring managing entities to retain responsibility for any failures of compliance if the managing entity subcontracts its duties or services; requiring the department to conduct program performance evaluations of managing entities at least annually; requiring managing entities to allow the department access to make onsite visits to contracted providers; requiring the department to adopt rules; deleting provisions relating to a requirement for the department to establish performance standards for managing entities; amending s. 409.986, F.S.; defining terms; amending s. 409.991, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; defining terms; providing for the calculation of the allocation of core plus funds; prohibiting the department from reducing or redistributing the allocation budget for certain lead agencies before the 2023-2024 fiscal year; providing for funding of lead agencies; providing for the distribution of additional funding to lead agencies; amending s. 409.996, F.S.; revising requirements for contracts entered into by the department with lead agencies; requiring the department to provide grades for lead agencies based on specified criteria; requiring the department to renew contracts with lead agencies that receive a specified grade; requiring the department to develop a system of support and improvement strategies for certain lead agencies; authorizing the department to provide assistance to certain lead agencies; requiring the department to take certain actions in response to lead agencies that receive a grade of "D" or "F"; authorizing the department to competitively procure and contract under certain circumstances; authorizing the secretary of the department to offer resources to lead agencies for certain purposes and to terminate contracts with certain entities; requiring lead agencies to pay certain fines incurred by the department; requiring lead agencies to retain responsibility for any failures of compliance if the lead agency subcontracts its duties or services; requiring the department to adopt rules; requiring attorneys contracted by the department to adopt Florida's Child Welfare Practice Model and to operate in accordance with specified provisions of law; requiring the department and contracted attorneys to collaborate and conduct program performance evaluations; requiring the department and attorneys or their designees to meet at least quarterly for a specified purpose; providing requirements for annual program performance evaluations; requiring the department to annually submit a report containing certain information to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; authorizing the secretary of the department to offer resources to contracted attorneys for certain purposes; amending s. 409.997, F.S.; requiring certain data to be provided to the Office of Quality Assurance and Improvement; requiring the department to conduct certain evaluations of lead agencies at least annually; requiring lead agencies to allow the department access to make onsite visits to contracted providers; amending ss. 39.202, 39.502, 39.521, 39.6011, 39.6012, 39.701, 39.823, 322.09, 393.065, 394.495, 394.674, 409.987, 409.988, 627.746, 934.255, and 960.065, F.S.; conforming cross-references; reenacting and amending s. 39.302(1), F.S., relating to protective investigations of institutional child abuse, abandonment, or neglect, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 39.201, F.S.; reenacting ss. 409.988(1)(b) and 409.996(1)(a), F.S., relating to lead agency duties and duties of the department, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 409.997, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Wright-

SB 1328-A bill to be entitled An act relating to fines and fees; amending s. 28.24, F.S.; revising specified service charges for recording documents with the clerk of the circuit court; amending s. 28.246, F.S.; revising the methods by which the clerk of the circuit court may accept payments for certain fees, charges, costs, and fines; requiring the court to enroll certain persons in a monthly payment plan under certain circumstances; providing requirements for the payment plan; authorizing a court to convert certain fines and fees to community service under specified circumstances; authorizing certain persons to have their payment plans terminated if certain requirements are met; amending s. 28.42, F.S.; requiring the Office of the State Courts Administrator to develop a uniform payment plan form by a specified date; providing minimum criteria for the form; amending s. 318.15, F.S.; deleting provisions specifying procedures to be used if a person fails to comply with certain court-ordered requirements; authorizing certain persons to reinstate their suspended driver licenses under certain circumstances; amending s. 322.245, F.S.; authorizing certain persons to reinstate their suspended driver licenses under certain circumstances; deleting provisions requiring the department to suspend the driver licenses of certain persons who have failed to pay financial obligations for certain criminal offenses; deleting provisions addressing the reinstatement of such suspended licenses; amending ss. 34.191 and 320.03, F.S.; conforming cross-references; reenacting ss. 27.52(5)(i) and 57.082(6), F.S., relating to determination of indigent status, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 28.24, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1330—A bill to be entitled An act relating to municipal service taxing units and municipal service benefit units; amending s. 125.01, F.S.; requiring that the establishment, merger, or abolishment of a municipal service taxing or benefit unit be approved by majority vote of certain qualified electors in an election that is called for such purpose by the governing body of the county on its own motion; requiring that the continued existence of certain municipal service taxing or benefit units be approved by majority vote of certain qualified electors; providing procedures for the dissolution of a municipal service taxing or benefit unit; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Rules.

By Senator Hooper-

SB 1332-A bill to be entitled An act relating to towing and immobilizing vehicles and vessels; amending ss. 125.0103 and 166.043, F.S.; authorizing local governments to enact rates to tow or immobilize vessels on private property and to remove and store vessels under specified circumstances; requiring counties to establish maximum rates for such towing, immobilization, removal, and storage of vessels; providing applicability; creating s. 125.01047, F.S.; prohibiting counties from enacting certain ordinances or rules that impose fees or charges on authorized wrecker operators or towing businesses; defining the term "towing business"; providing exceptions; authorizing authorized wrecker operators or towing businesses to impose and collect a certain administrative fee or charge on behalf of the county, subject to certain requirements; providing applicability; providing construction; prohibiting a certain charter county from imposing any new business tax, fee, or charge that was not in effect on a specified date on a towing business or an authorized wrecker operator; providing restrictions and requirements on a certain administrative fee or charge imposed and collected by such charter county; defining the term "charter county"; creating s. 166.04465, F.S.; prohibiting municipalities from enacting certain ordinances or rules that impose fees or charges on authorized wrecker operators or towing businesses; defining the term "towing business"; providing exceptions; authorizing authorized wrecker operators or towing businesses to impose and collect a certain administrative fee or charge on behalf of the municipality, subject to certain requirements; amending s. 323.002, F.S.; prohibiting counties or municipalities from adopting or maintaining in effect certain ordinances or rules that impose charges, costs, expenses, fines, fees, or penalties on authorized wrecker operators or registered owners, other legally authorized persons in control, or lienholders of vehicles or vessels under certain conditions; providing an exception; authorizing authorized wrecker operators or towing businesses to impose and collect a certain administrative fee or charge on behalf of counties or municipalities, subject to certain requirements; prohibiting counties or municipalities from enacting certain ordinances or rules that require authorized wrecker operators to accept a specified form of payment; requiring that a wrecker operator maintain an operable automatic teller machine for use by the public under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; providing applicability; authorizing certain charter counties to impose a charge, cost, expense, fine, fee, or penalty on an authorized wrecker operator in connection with a certain violation; amending s. 713.78, F.S.; authorizing certain persons to place liens on vehicles or vessels to recover specified fees or charges; amending s. 715.07, F.S.; deleting requirements regarding notices and signs concerning the towing or removal of vehicles or vessels; deleting a requirement that a certain receipt be signed; prohibiting counties or municipalities from enacting certain ordinances or rules that require towing businesses to accept a specified form of payment; requiring that a towing business maintain an operable automatic teller machine for use by the public under certain circumstances; providing applicability; prohibiting counties or municipalities from authorizing attorney fees in connection with certain towing activities; preempting to the state the regulation of attorney fees in connection with certain towing activities; authorizing a court to award damages, attorney fees, and court costs in certain actions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 1334—A bill to be entitled An act relating to financial services; amending s. 215.555, F.S.; redefining the term "covered policy" under the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund in relation to certain collateral protection insurance policies; requiring the Office of Insurance Regulation to retain an independent consultant to audit the fund's reimbursement premium formula at specified intervals; specifying requirements for the audit; requiring the office to report audit findings and certain recommendations to the Financial Services Commission and the Legislature; amending s. 319.30, F.S.; revising a certain electronic signature requirement for a motor vehicle salvage certificate of title; amending s. 624.155, F.S.; revising requirements for the civil remedy notice provided to insurers and the Department of Financial Services; revising the timeframe for an insurer to pay damages or for certain circumstances to be corrected; revising circumstances that toll the applicable statute of limitations; amending ss. 624.307 and 624.315, F.S.; providing that certain aggregate information containing trade secret information may be publicly disclosed by the department or office, except under certain circumstances; amending s. 626.854, F.S.; deleting a requirement for certain persons acting on behalf of an insurer to provide certain notice before scheduling a meeting or onsite inspection for certain purposes; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 626.916, F.S.; adding a condition for export eligibility under the Surplus Lines Law for certain risks; amending s. 626.918, F.S.; adding certain unauthorized insurers that may become eligible surplus lines insurers; amending s. 626.931, F.S.; deleting a requirement for certain surplus lines agents to file quarterly affidavits with the Florida Surplus Lines Service Office; conforming cross-references; amending s. 626.932, F.S.; revising the time when surplus lines agents must remit surplus lines taxes; amending s. 626.935, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.062, F.S.; specifying that certain periods ending on a weekend or on certain holidays are extended until the conclusion of the next business day; prohibiting the office from disapproving a homeowners' insurance rate in a rate filing solely on specified grounds; amending s. 627.0629, F.S.; authorizing, rather than requiring, rate filings for certain residential property insurance to include certain rate factors; amending ss. 627.0651 and 627.410, F.S.; specifying that certain periods ending on a weekend or on certain holidays are extended until the conclusion of the next business day; amending s. 627.7011, F.S.; providing that homeowners' insurers are not prohibited from offering policies or endorsements providing for a certain adjustment basis on certain losses; amending s. 627.70132, F.S.; revising property insurance coverages for which a notice of a claim must be given to the insurer within a specified timeframe; revising the timeframe for providing notices of hurricane claims; creating s. 627.70152, F.S.; requiring named insureds to provide insurers with a specified notice as a condition precedent to filing suit under a property insurance policy; specifying the manner and timeframe in which such notice must be provided; requiring insurers to acknowledge receipt of the notice within a certain timeframe; providing that the named insured has the burden to demonstrate that the insurer is not prejudiced by certain circumstances; requiring the named insured to sign the civil complaint; amending s. 627.714, F.S.; revising criteria for assessing a residential condominium unit owner's loss assessment coverage; reviving, reenacting, and amending s. 627.715(4), F.S.; providing an exemption from a diligent effort requirement for surplus lines agents exporting contracts or endorsements providing flood coverage; providing for expiration; amending s. 627.7152, F.S.; specifying the manner in which an assignee of certain property insurance policy benefits must serve a notice of intent to initiate litigation; amending s. 627.7295, F.S.; decreasing the timeframe during which an insurer is prohibited from canceling a new policy or binder of motor vehicle insurance for nonpayment of premium, except under certain circumstances; amending s. 629.401, F.S.; revising criteria for surplus lines insurance in insurance exchanges; amending ss. 634.171, 634.317, and 634.419, F.S.; authorizing licensed personal lines and general lines agents to solicit, negotiate, advertise, or sell motor vehicle service agreements, home warranty contracts, and service warranty contracts, respectively, without specified licenses; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

SB 1336—A bill to be entitled An act relating to preemption of local occupational licensing; creating s. 163.21, F.S.; defining terms; preempting licensing of occupations to the state; providing exceptions; prohibiting local governments from imposing additional licensing requirements or modifying licensing unless specified conditions are met; specifying that certain local licensing that does not meet specified criteria does not apply and may not be enforced; amending s. 489.117, F.S.; specifying that certain specialty contractors are not required to register with the Construction Industry Licensing Board; prohibiting local governments from requiring certain specialty contractors to obtain a license under specified circumstances; specifying job scopes for which a local government may not require a license; amending ss. 489.1455 and 489.5335, F.S.; authorizing counties and municipalities to issue certain journeyman licenses; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Wright-

SB 1338-A bill to be entitled An act relating to prescription drug coverage; amending s. 624.3161, F.S.; authorizing the Office of Insurance Regulation to examine pharmacy benefit managers; specifying that certain examination costs are payable by persons examined; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 465.1885, F.S.; revising entities conducting pharmacy audits to which certain requirements and restrictions apply; authorizing audited pharmacies to appeal certain findings; providing that health insurers and health maintenance organizations that transfer a certain payment obligation to pharmacy benefit managers remain responsible for certain violations; creating s. 624.491, F.S.; providing applicability; requiring health insurers and health maintenance organizations, or pharmacy benefit managers on behalf of health insurers and health maintenance organizations, to annually report specified information to the office; requiring reporting pharmacy benefit managers to also provide the information to health insurers and health maintenance organizations they contract with; authorizing the Financial Services Commission to adopt rules; amending ss. 627.64741, 627.6572, and 641.314, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; specifying requirements relating to brand-name and generic drugs in contracts between pharmacy benefit managers and pharmacies pharmacy services administration organizations; requiring an agreement for pharmacy benefit managers to pass through certain financial benefits to the individual or group health insurer or health maintenance organization, respectively; authorizing the office to require health insurers or health maintenance organizations to submit certain contracts or contract amendments to the office; authorizing the office to order insurers or health maintenance organizations to cancel such contracts under certain circumstances; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; revising applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1340—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legal notices; amending s. 50.011, F.S.; providing for the publication of legal notices on certain publicly accessible websites; amending ss. 50.021, 50.0211, and 50.031, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 50.0311, F.S.; providing definitions; allowing a governmental agency to publish legal notices on a publicly accessible website under certain circumstances; providing criteria for website publication; authorizing a fiscally constrained county to use a publicly accessible website to publish legally required advertisements and public notices only if certain requirements are met; requiring a governmental agency to provide specified notice to certain residents and property owners relating to alternative methods of receiving legal notices; authorizing a governmental agency to publish certain public notices and advertisements on its governmental access channels; amending s. 50.041, F.S.;

removing provisions relating to the publication of legal notices in newspapers; amending s. 50.051, F.S.; revising a form for affidavits of publication; amending s. 50.0711, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the use of court docket funds; amending s. 83.806, F.S.; providing that an advertisement of a sale or disposition of property may be published on certain websites for a specified time period; amending ss. 11.02, 45.031, 121.0511, 121.055, 125.66, 162.12, 166.041, 189.015, 190.005, 190.0046, 194.037, 197.402, 200.065, 338.223, 348.0308, 348.635, 348.7605, 373.0397, 373.146, 403.722, 712.06, 849.38, 865.09, and 932.704; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

**SB 1342**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to court-ordered expunction and sealing of certain records; reenacting and amending ss. 943.0585 and 943.059, F.S.; expanding the eligibility criteria for the expunction and sealing of criminal history records to allow for expunction and sealing for a conviction of possession of a certain amount of cannabis; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1344—A bill to be entitled An act relating to intermediate care facilities; amending s. 400.962, F.S.; requiring certain facilities that have been granted a certificate-of-need exemption to demonstrate and maintain compliance with specified criteria; amending s. 408.036, F.S.; providing an exemption from a certificate-of-need requirement for certain intermediate care facilities; prohibiting the Agency for Health Care Administration from granting an additional exemption to a facility unless a certain condition is met; providing that a specific legislative appropriation is not required for such exemption; providing an effective date

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1346—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.08001, F.S.; creating an additional fee for electric vehicles; creating a license tax and an additional fee for plug-in hybrid electric vehicles; providing for the distribution of proceeds from the additional fees; requiring, on specified dates, the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to increase the additional fees, subject to certain requirements; providing that certain vehicles are exempt from specified fees; providing for the future expiration and reversion of specified statutory text; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1348—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the temporary care of a child; providing a short title; defining terms; requiring a certain organization to provide the Department of Revenue with an annual written certification demonstrating its status as an eligible charitable organization for certain purposes; providing requirements for such certification; requiring the department to review such certification and notify the organization of its determination; authorizing the department to request recertification from such organization; requiring the department to compile and make available to the public a list of eligible charitable organizations; providing the tax credit cap amount for a specified state fiscal year; providing for the increase of the tax credit cap amount under certain circumstances; requiring the department to publish on its website the tax credit cap amount if increased; author-

izing a taxpayer to submit an application to the department requesting certain tax credits; providing requirements for the tax credit application; requiring the department to provide a copy of its approval or denial letter of the application to the eligible charitable organization specified in the application within a specified timeframe; authorizing certain tax credits to be carried forward under certain circumstances; prohibiting a taxpayer from conveying, assigning, or transferring certain tax credits under certain circumstances; requiring a taxpayer to notify the department of its intent to convey, assign, or transfer tax credits under certain circumstances; requiring the department to obtain certain approvals from the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation under certain circumstances; authorizing a taxpayer to rescind all or part of an approved tax credit; providing requirements for the rescindment; requiring the department to provide notice to an eligible charitable organization within a specified timeframe under certain circumstances; providing the methodology by which the underpayment of estimated corporate income taxes is calculated; providing the methodology for determining the imposition of a penalty or interest for such underpayment; providing applicability; creating s. 409.1761, F.S.; providing legislative findings; authorizing qualified nonprofit organizations to establish programs to provide temporary respite care for children; defining terms; providing registration and recordkeeping requirements for such organizations and the Department of Children and Families; exempting such organizations from specified licensure requirements; providing background screening requirements for certain persons; authorizing a parent or legal guardian to enter into a contract to provide temporary respite care for a child; specifying the form, content, and execution of the contract; authorizing the department to inspect documents held by such organizations; prohibiting certain children from placement in volunteer respite homes; authorizing the department to refer a child for temporary respite care under certain circumstances; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 1350—A bill to be entitled An act relating to brownfields; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; revising the definition of the terms "housing project" and "mixed-use project" for purposes of specifying the projects eligible for certain tax exemptions; amending s. 376.30781, F.S.; revising the conditions under which an applicant that has rehabilitated a contaminated site may submit and claim certain tax credits; specifying a timeframe within which such tax credit applications must be submitted; revising the types of projects which are eligible for a specified tax credit; revising the criteria for determining applicants who are redeveloping brownfield sites who may be eligible for certain tax credits; revising the definition of "solid waste disposal area"; revising the date by which the Department of Environmental Protection must issue annual site rehabilitation tax credit certificate awards; amending s. 376.313, F.S.; specifying defenses to specified causes of action concerning certain discharges or other types of pollution resulting from certain discharges or pollution; amending s. 376.78, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 376.80, F.S.; revising the entities that may propose brownfield designations using specified criteria; removing the requirement that certain persons be identified before negotiating a brownfield site rehabilitation agreement; amending s. 376.82, F.S.; exempting certain job creation requirements otherwise needed for eligibility for specified brownfield site rehabilitation agreements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1352—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation companies; amending s. 627.748, F.S.; revising definitions; defining the term "transportation network company digital advertising device"; deleting for-hire vehicles from the list of vehicles that are not considered transportation network company (TNC) carriers or are not exempt from certain registration; authorizing TNC drivers or their designees to contract with a company for the installment of TNC digital advertising devices; providing requirements for such devices; requiring companies

operating such devices to allocate a specified percentage of advertisement inventory to certain organizations; providing construction; defining the term "luxury ground transportation company"; authorizing entities to be regulated as luxury ground TNCs; providing requirements; providing that luxury ground TNCs, luxury ground TNC drivers, and luxury ground TNC vehicles are governed exclusively by state law; prohibiting local governmental entities from taking specified actions with respect to luxury ground TNCs, luxury ground TNC drivers, and luxury ground TNC vehicles and providing for retroactive applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes-

**SB 1354**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the statewide voter registration application; amending ss. 97.052 and 97.053, F.S.; revising requirements for the uniform statewide voter registration application and the acceptance of such applications; amending s. 97.0585, F.S.; deleting an exemption from public records requirements for information related to a voter registration applicant's or voter's prior felony conviction and his or her restoration of voting rights to conform to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Bean-

SB 1356—A bill to be entitled An act relating to employer contributions for reemployment assistance; amending s. 443.1216, F.S.; reducing the initial rate that certain client companies of employee leasing companies must pay under specified circumstances to tax collection service providers; amending s. 443.131, F.S.; requiring the tax collection service provider to adjust the initial employer contribution rate under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 1358—A bill to be entitled An act relating to detained or housed unaccompanied minors; imposing requirements on state agencies, and entities that contract with a state agency, which provide services, or coordinate with the Federal Government to provide services, relating to the detention of unaccompanied minors in this state; providing requirements for the Children and Youth Cabinet; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1360—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Endangered and Threatened Species Act; amending s. 379.2291, F.S.; revising legislative intent; revising definitions; directing the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to protect certain declassified species; prohibiting the commission and the Department of Environmental Protection from considering certain costs when designating a species as endangered or threatened; amending s. 581.185, F.S.; revising criteria for placement of species on the Regulated Plant Index by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; directing the department, in consultation with the Endangered Plant Advisory Council, to protect certain declassified species; prohibiting the department from considering certain costs when designating a species as endangered or threatened; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Rodriguez-

SB 1362—A bill to be entitled An act relating to rental agreements; repealing s. 83.561, F.S., relating to the termination of a rental agreement upon foreclosure; creating s. 83.5615, F.S.; providing a short title; providing for the assumption of interest in certain foreclosures on dwellings or residential real property; providing construction; defining the term "federally-related mortgage loan"; requiring the director of the Division of Consumer Services of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to notify the Division of Law Revision of the repeal of the Protecting Tenants at Foreclosure Act of 2009 within a specified timeframe; providing effective dates, including a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez—

**SJR** 1364—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Sections 2 and 4 of Article IX of the State Constitution, relating to the State Board of Education, school districts, and school boards, to provide that school boards shall, subject to Article I, Section 6 of the State Constitution, set the wages, hours, and terms and conditions of employment for all school board employees.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

**SB 1366**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trusts; creating s. 736.08145, F.S.; authorizing trustees of certain trusts to reimburse persons being treated as the owner of the trust for specified amounts and in a specified manner; prohibiting certain policies, values, and proceeds from being used for such reimbursement; providing applicability; prohibiting certain trustees from taking specified actions relating to trusts; requiring that specified powers be granted to certain persons if the terms of the trust require a trustee to act at the direction or with the consent of such persons; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

SB 1368—A bill to be entitled An act relating to human trafficking prevention; amending s. 488.01, F.S.; requiring certain commercial driver schools to offer as part of their curriculum either a human trafficking prevention course administered by the Department of Law Enforcement or by a certain organization or certain industry-specific training; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to adopt rules by a specified date to develop and implement the human trafficking prevention course; amending s. 1012.45, F.S.; requiring that a specified amount of time in a school bus driver training program provided by a district school board be allocated to certain industry-specific training; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 1370—A bill to be entitled An act relating to patient safety culture surveys; amending s. 408.05, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to develop surveys to assess patient safety culture in certain health care facilities; prescribing measures for the surveys; providing applicability; requiring the agency to conduct and make available the results of such surveys; amending s. 408.061, F.S.; revising requirements for the submission of health care data to the agency; amending s. 395.1055, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1372—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending s. 101.043, F.S.; 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 or otherwise challenge an elector's legal residence; amending s. 101.5612, F.S.; revising the timeframes for conducting public preelection testing of automatic tabulating equipment; amending s. 101.5614, F.S.; removing the requirement that duplicate ballots be made of vote-by-mail ballots containing overvoted races; amending s. 101.6103, F.S.; revising the timeframe in which the supervisor of elections must mail ballots in elections conducted under the Mail Ballot Election Act; amending s. 103.091, F.S.; expanding the timeframe within which candidates for political party executive committees may qualify for office; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 1374—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regional perinatal intensive care centers; amending s. 383.16, F.S.; defining and revising terms; amending s. 383.17, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Health to designate regional perinatal intensive care centers; amending s. 383.18, F.S.; providing that designation by the department is required for participation in the regional perinatal intensive care centers program; amending s. 383.19, F.S.; specifying standards that must be included in department rules relating to the designation, development, and operation of a regional perinatal intensive care center; authorizing the department to designate two regional perinatal intensive care centers in a district under certain circumstances; specifying reimbursement parameters for certain services provided in a regional perinatal intensive care center setting; providing parameters for removal of a regional perinatal intensive care center's designation; specifying criteria centers must meet for the department's selection and designation as regional perinatal intensive care centers; requiring the department, in consultation with the agency, to develop and implement a process by a specified date to determine levels of maternal care provided by regional perinatal intensive care centers; revising the contents of certain annual reports that regional perinatal intensive care centers are required to submit to the department; requiring the department to conduct an onsite review of each center at least once every 3 years; amending s. 409.908, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.975, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Broxson-

SB 1376—A bill to be entitled An act relating to credit for reinsurance; amending s. 624.610, F.S.; adding conditions under which a ceding insurer must be allowed credit for reinsurance; defining the terms "reciprocal jurisdiction" and "covered agreement"; specifying requirements for assuming insurers and reinsurance agreements; requiring the Financial Services Commission to adopt certain rules; authorizing a ceding insurer or its representative that is subject to rehabilitation, liquidation, or conservation to seek a certain court order; specifying a limitation on credit taken by a ceding insurer; authorizing the Office of Insurance Regulation to revoke or suspend an assuming insurer's eligibility under certain conditions; providing construction; deleting an obsolete provision; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rouson-

SB 1378—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vessels; creating s. 327.332, F.S.; specifying operation of a vessel at slow speed, minimum wake; prohibiting the operation of vessels at speeds faster than slow speed, minimum wake in certain situations; providing requirements for flags displayed from vessels and barges actively engaged in construction operations; providing noncriminal penalties; amending s. 327.4109, F.S.; prohibiting the anchoring or mooring of a vessel to, or within a specified distance of, a mangrove or to vegetation upon, or within a specified distance of, public lands; providing exceptions; amending s. 327.73, F.S.; revising civil penalties relating to certain at-risk vessels and prohibited anchoring or mooring; providing civil penalties relating to vessels that fail to reduce speed for special hazards and the display of specified flags by construction vessels or barges not actively engaged in construction operations; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

**SB 1380**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction contracts; amending s. 337.14, F.S.; exempting an airport from the requirement that the entity performing design and construction engineering and inspection services for a certain project not be the same entity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 1382—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental resource management; amending s. 403.067, F.S.; providing that basin management action plan management strategies may include certain water quality improvement elements; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection, in coordination with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, to develop and implement a cooperative agricultural regional water quality improvement element; providing guidelines for the element; providing requirements for participation in the element; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection, in coordination with the Department of Health or water management districts, to develop and implement a cooperative urban, suburban, commercial, or institutional water quality improvement element; providing guidelines for the element; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to work with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and producers to improve certain data and technology resources; requiring the Institute of Food and Agriculture Sciences of the University of Florida, in cooperation with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, to develop a research plan and a legislative budget request; providing requirements for the plan; establishing a nutrient reduction cost-share program within the Department of Environmental Protection; providing requirements for the program, subject to legislative appropriation; providing priorities for funding allocations; authorizing the department to waive a local match requirement under certain circumstances; requiring an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature; amending s. 403.412, F.S.; prohibiting local governments from recognizing, granting, conveying, or extending legal rights or legal standing to animals or the natural environment under certain circumstances; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 1384—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Farm to School Program; amending s. 595.406, F.S.; requiring vendors selling or delivering agricultural commodities to school districts in the Florida Farm to School Program to provide the school districts with an invoice that meets certain requirements, beginning on a specified date; re-

quiring each participating district school board to submit the information monthly to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; requiring the department to create and manage a sortable database for the information; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Legislature; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 1386—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact; creating s. 490.0075, F.S.; creating the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact; providing purposes and objectives; defining terms; providing for recognition of psychologist licenses in compact states; authorizing a compact state to require licensure under certain circumstances; requiring compact states to meet certain criteria to participate in the compact; providing criteria that a psychologist must satisfy to practice under the compact; maintaining that authority over a psychologist's license remains with the home state but authorizing receiving states to define the scope of and act on a psychologist's authority to practice in the compact state under the compact; providing that a psychologist can no longer practice under the compact if his or her authority to do so has been acted on by any compact state; requiring compact states to report adverse actions they take against psychologists to the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission; requiring compact states to participate in a coordinated licensure information system; providing for the development of the system, reporting procedures, and the exchange of certain information between compact states; establishing the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission; providing for the jurisdiction and venue for court proceedings; providing membership, duties, and powers; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; providing rulemaking procedures; providing for state enforcement of the compact; providing for the termination of compact membership; providing procedures for the resolution of certain disputes; providing compact amendment procedures; authorizing nonparty states to participate in commission activities before adoption of the compact; providing construction and severability; amending s. 456.073, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to report certain investigative information to the coordinated licensure information system; amending s. 456.076, F.S.; requiring monitoring contracts for impaired practitioners participating in treatment programs to contain certain terms; amending s. 490.004, F.S.; requiring the Board of Psychology to appoint an individual to serve as the state's commissioner on the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission; amending s. 490.005, F.S.; exempting certain persons from licensure requirements; amending s. 490.006, F.S.; exempting certain persons from requirements for licensure by endorsement; amending s. 490.009, F.S.; authorizing certain disciplinary action under the compact for certain prohibited acts; amending s. 768.28, F.S.; designating the state commissioner and other members or employees of the commission as state agents for the purpose of applying sovereign immunity and waivers of sovereign immunity; requiring the commission to pay certain judgments or claims; authorizing the commission to maintain insurance coverage to pay such judgments or claims; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1388—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; creating s. 490.0076, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by the Department of Health or the Board of Psychology pursuant to the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact; authorizing disclosure of the information under certain circumstances; providing an exemption from public meeting requirements for certain meetings of the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission; providing an exemption from public records requirements for recordings, minutes, and records generated during the closed portion of such meetings; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons-

SB 1390—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Everglades Protection Area; amending s. 163.3184, F.S.; requiring comprehensive plans and plan amendments adopted by the governing bodies of local governments whose boundaries include any portion of the Everglades Protection Area to follow the state coordinated review process; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to make certain determinations for such plans and amendments, to provide written notice of its determination to the local governments within a specified timeframe, and to coordinate with the local governments on certain mitigation measures; requiring certain governing bodies of local governments to transmit adopted plan amendments to the department within a specified timeframe; providing a condition for such plans and plan amendments to be deemed complete; amending s. 420.5095, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons—

SB 1392—A bill to be entitled An act relating to official headquarters of judicial officers; amending s. 25.025, F.S.; revising provisions governing the payment of subsistence and travel reimbursement for Supreme Court justices who designate an official headquarters other than the headquarters of the Supreme Court; amending s. 35.05, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; creating s. 35.051, F.S.; authorizing district court of appeal judges who meet certain criteria to have an appropriate facility in their county of residence designated as their official headquarters; providing restrictions; specifying eligibility for subsistence and travel reimbursement, subject to the availability of funds; requiring the Chief Justice to coordinate with certain officials in implementation of the act; providing that a county is not required to provide space for a judge in a county courthouse; authorizing counties to enter into agreements with a district court of appeal for use of county courthouse space; prohibiting a district court of appeal from using state funds to lease space to establish a judge's official headquarters; authorizing the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court to establish certain parameters in administering the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simmons—

**SB 1394**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxes and fees; amending s. 210.25, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "tobacco products" to include nicotine dispensing devices and nicotine products; republishing s. 210.276, F.S., relating to a surcharge on tobacco products; republishing s. 210.30, F.S., relating to tax on tobacco products; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simmons-

SB 1396—A bill to be entitled An act relating to driving under the influence; creating s. 316.19395, F.S.; requiring each judicial circuit to establish a Driving Under the Influence Diversion Pilot Program; providing the purpose of the pilot program; requiring the state attorney of each judicial circuit to develop and operate the pilot program; requiring the policies and procedures of the pilot program to be published on the website of the office of the state attorney; providing eligibility requirements; defining the term "conviction"; providing pilot program requirements; requiring that a person who completes the pilot program be offered a certain plea agreement; providing for withholding of adjudication; authorizing the state attorney to discharge a person who fails to complete the pilot program and pursue prosecution of driving under the influence; requiring state attorneys to annually report certain

information to the Governor and the Legislature, by a specified date; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to establish a certain statewide database, by a certain date; requiring judicial circuits to provide a certain monthly report to the department; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Flores-

SB 1398—A bill to be entitled An act relating to regional planning council meetings; amending s. 120.525, F.S.; providing requirements for establishing a quorum for meetings of certain councils when a voting member appears via telephone, real-time videoconferencing, or similar real-time electronic or video communication; requiring the member to give notice of intent to appear via telephone, real-time videoconferencing, or similar real-time electronic or video communication by a specified time; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1400—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 1002.394, F.S.; revising initial scholarship eligibility criteria for the Family Empowerment Scholarship Program, beginning with a specified school year; providing that participation in certain virtual schools, correspondence schools, or distance learning programs does not make a student ineligible for a scholarship under the program in certain circumstances; amending s. 1002.395, F.S.; revising eligibility criteria for the Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program and applying the criteria only to initial eligibility; requiring that priority be given to students whose household incomes do not exceed a specified amount; amending s. 1011.61, F.S.; providing that a certain scholarship award is not subject to the maximum value for funding a student under the Florida Education Finance Program; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; creating the minimum base annual salary allocation to assist school districts in providing minimum base annual salaries to classroom teachers; providing for the calculation of the initial allocation; requiring the Department of Education, by a specified date, to estimate the funding required to increase the minimum base annual salary as required by the act; creating the Rewarding Great Classroom Teachers for Extending Student Success Program within the Department of Education for a specified purpose; defining terms; requiring that awards made under the program be tiered based upon students' performance or improvement, as demonstrated by the school's grade; providing that the amount of awards under the program must be established annually in the General Appropriations Act; providing for teacher eligibility; requiring school districts to certify certain information annually to the department; providing for the proration of award amounts under certain circumstances; providing construction; creating the Rewarding Great Principals for Extending Student Success Program within the Department of Education for a specified purpose; specifying that certain principals must receive awards under the program; providing for principal eligibility; requiring school districts to certify certain information annually to the department; requiring that awards made under the program be tiered based upon students' performance or improvement, as demonstrated by the school's grade; providing for proration of awards under certain circumstances; providing construction; amending s. 1012.22, F.S.; requiring district school boards and charter school governing boards to implement a minimum base annual salary for certain teachers beginning on a specified date; amending s. 1003.47, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1402—A bill to be entitled An act relating to higher education; amending s. 1001.7065, F.S.; revising standards for the preeminent state research universities program; requiring such standards to be reported annually in a specified plan; deleting the "emerging pre-

eminent state research university" designation within the State University System; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; deleting the programs of excellence designation within the State University System; creating the "state universities of distinction" designation within the State University System; requiring the Board of Governors to establish standards and measures for specific state university competencies; providing requirements for such standards and measures; authorizing the Board of Governors to annually submit such programs to the Legislature for funding by a specified date; amending s. 1001.92, F.S.; revising the performance-based metrics for state universities to include specific data beginning in a certain fiscal year; authorizing the Board of Governors to approve other metrics; prohibiting the adjustment of such metrics and benchmarks once specified data has been received; amending s. 1004.085, F.S.; requiring innovative pricing techniques and payment options to include an opt-out provision; amending s. 1004.346, F.S.; removing a limitation on the length of time a Phosphate Research and Activities Board member may serve after expiration of his or her term; amending s. 1011.90, F.S.; providing requirements for a specified legislative budget request; requiring the Board of Governors to define specified classifications in regulation and provide such classifications in specified budget requests; prohibiting the growth rate of administrators at a state university from exceeding the growth rate of faculty at such university; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry—

SB 1404—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Financial Services; amending s. 20.121, F.S.; specifying powers and duties of the Division of Public Assistance Fraud; amending s. 497.101, F.S.; revising provisions relating to membership of the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services; deleting a requirement for the department to adopt certain rules; creating s. 497.1411, F.S.; defining terms; providing for permanent disqualification of applicants for licensure under ch. 497, F.S., for certain offenses; providing for disqualifying periods for applicants for certain offenses; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing for calculation of disqualifying periods; providing conditions for licensure after completion of a disqualifying period; providing for the effect of a pardon or clemency; providing for exemptions from disqualification in certain circumstances; providing procedures for consideration of applications for such exemptions; providing construction; amending s. 497.157, F.S.; prohibiting persons from acting as or advertising themselves as being funeral directors, embalmers, direct disposers, or preneed sales agents unless they are so licensed; prohibiting persons from engaging in certain activities requiring licensure without holding required licenses; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 552.081, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "two-component explosives" for the purpose of regulation by the Division of State Fire Marshal; amending s. 553.7921, F.S.; authorizing a contractor repairing certain existing fire alarm systems to begin work after filing an application for a required permit but before receiving the permit; providing construction; amending s. 633.416, F.S.; providing that certain persons serving as volunteer firefighters may serve as a regular or permanent firefighter for a limited period, subject to certain restrictions; amending s. 843.08, F.S.; prohibiting false personation of personnel or representatives of the Division of Investigative and Forensic Services; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 943.045, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "criminal justice agency" to include the investigations component of the department which investigates certain crimes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Broxson-

**SB 1406**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to youth athletic activities; creating s. 381.796, F.S.; defining the term "athletics personnel"; requiring the Department of Health to define a term by rule; requiring an entity that administers or conducts a high-risk youth athletic activity or related training on certain property to require unpaid or volunteer athletics personnel to complete a specified course; providing that the course must be offered at no charge to such personnel; pro-

viding that the course may be offered online or in person; providing requirements for course content; requiring such personnel to complete the course within a specified timeframe after their initial involvement, and annually thereafter; providing an exemption; requiring entities to maintain specified records; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Montford-

SB 1408—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of insurance proceeds; amending s. 494.0026, F.S.; adding requirements for mortgagees and assignees holding certain insurance proceeds pending completion of all or part of damage repairs; creating s. 655.969, F.S.; specifying requirements for the disposition of certain insurance proceeds received by financial institutions and their subsidiaries relating to mortgage loans they hold; providing an exception from a requirement for a financial institution or subsidiary to endorse certain negotiable instruments; providing that a financial institution or subsidiary is not required to remit a certain portion of proceeds to the insured under certain circumstances; providing applicability and construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Cruz-

**SB 1410**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public school transportation; amending s. 1006.21, F.S.; revising the requirement that district school boards provide transportation for certain students; amending s. 1006.23, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "student"; requiring a district school superintendent to request a review of a hazardous walking condition upon receipt of a written request from a parent of a student; requiring, rather than authorizing, a district school board to initiate a specified proceeding relating to hazardous walking conditions; amending ss. 1002.20 and 1011.68, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell-

SB 1412—A bill to be entitled An act relating to an internship tax credit program; creating s. 220.198, F.S.; providing a short title; defining the term "degree-seeking student intern"; providing a credit against the corporate income tax to a taxpayer employing a degree-seeking student intern if certain criteria are met; specifying the amount of the credit; specifying a limit on the credit claimed per taxable year; requiring the Department of Revenue to adopt certain rules; authorizing the carryforward of unused tax credits for a specified timeframe; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Mayfield-

SB 1414—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fish and wildlife activities; amending s. 379.105, F.S.; prohibiting certain harassment of hunters, trappers, and fishers within or on public lands or publicly or privately owned wildlife and fish management areas, or in or on public waters; amending s. 379.354, F.S.; authorizing the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to designate additional annual free freshwater and saltwater fishing days; amending s. 379.372, F.S.; prohibiting the keeping, possessing, importing, selling, bartering, trading, or breeding of certain species except for educational or research purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Agriculture; and Rules.

By Senator Perry-

**SB 1416**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assaults on specified persons; creating s. 341.0611, F.S.; 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; specifying minimum requirements for such a program; amending s. 784.07, F.S.; revising the reclassification of the offense of assault on specified persons; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Hutson-

**SB 1418**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student transportation funds; amending s. 1011.68, F.S.; modifying the requirements for determination of student membership in a school district for funding purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Flores-

SB 1420—A bill to be entitled An act relating to charter schools; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; prohibiting sponsors from refusing to receive a charter school application submitted during the calendar year; requiring certain charter school employees or governing board members to inform a school district if he or she has completed a criminal history check in another district within a certain timeframe; requiring the school district to verify the results of such criminal history check using a specified system; prohibiting the school district from charging a fee for verifying the results of such criminal history check; requiring the department to participate in a certain clearinghouse; providing a rescreening schedule for certain instructional personnel; revising how charter schools operated by not-for-profit or municipal entities may use certain unrestricted current and capital assets; amending s. 1002.331, F.S.; specifying how many applications a high-performing charter school may submit in any school district in the state to establish and operate a new charter school; providing applicability; amending s. 1002.45, F.S.; revising the virtual instruction a virtual charter school may provide; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Flores—

SB 1422—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction liens; amending s. 713.01, F.S.; revising and deleting definitions; amending s. 713.015, F.S.; revising the notice to owner in certain direct contracts; revising construction; amending s. 713.02, F.S.; deleting a provision establishing the right of certain persons who are not in privity with an owner to have a lien on certain real property; deleting provisions authorizing an owner and a contractor to agree upon the contractor furnishing a payment bond; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 713.06, F.S.; deleting provisions establishing the right of persons who are not in privity with the owner to have a lien on the owner's real property; revising provisions relating to payments due under a direct contract; revising the form of the required final payment affidavit; revising provisions relating to the order in which liens must be paid under a direct contract; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 713.23, F.S., relating to payment bonds; repealing s. 713.235, F.S., relating to waivers of the right to claim against payment bonds; repealing s. 713.245, F.S., relating to conditional payment bonds; amending ss. 713.03, 713.04, 713.05, 713.07, 713.08, 713.10, 713.12, 713.13, 713.132, 713.135, 713.16, 713.165, 713.18, 713.20, 713.24, 713.29, 713.31, 713.345, 713.346, 713.3471, and 713.35, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act and making technical changes; amending ss. 713.22 and 95.11, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

**SB 1424**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to special neighborhood improvement districts; amending s. 163.511, F.S.; revising the number of directors allowed on the boards of special neighborhood improvement districts; requiring local planning ordinances to specify the number of directors and provide for 4-year staggered terms; requiring that directors be landowners in the proposed area and be subject to certain taxation; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Rules.

By Senator Powell-

**SB 1426**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the removal of a student for an involuntary examination; amending ss. 381.0056, 1002.20, and 1002.33, F.S.; revising the requirements for parental notification prior to removing a student for an involuntary examination, under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Education; and Rules.

By Senator Bradley-

**SB 1428**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to attorney compensation; amending s. 733.6171, F.S.; authorizing certain compensation for services of attorneys in formal estate administration to be based on the compensable value of the estate; deleting a presumption that such compensation is reasonable if it is based on the compensable value of the estate; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Torres-

**SB 1430**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community development districts; amending s. 190.012, F.S.; requiring community development districts to obtain a just valuation before acquiring property that includes real property or that is permanently affixed to real property; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

**SB 1432**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fossil fuel combustion products in landfills; amending ss. 403.7047, 403.706, and 403.7222, F.S.; prohibiting a landfill in this state from receiving fossil fuel combustion products; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1434—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community development districts; amending s. 190.046, F.S.; authorizing certain entities to petition a court to dissolve a community development district with outstanding financial obligations or operating or maintenance responsibilities; providing procedures to be used by a court in appointing receivers; specifying court authorities in issuing orders concerning duties of a receiver; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Torres-

SB 1436—A bill to be entitled An act relating to overtime pay; creating s. 448.115, F.S.; requiring employers to pay certain employees overtime pay at a specified rate; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to adjust, at specified intervals, the threshold for mandatory overtime pay; providing effective dates for the adjusted thresholds; repealing s. 448.01, F.S., relating to a legal day's work and extra pay; amending s. 448.24, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell-

**SB 1438**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dyslexia; creating s. 1001.2151, F.S.; providing legislative intent; requiring public schools to screen all students in kindergarten through grade 3 for dyslexia within a certain timeframe; requiring public school students with a substantial deficiency in reading to be placed in an intensive remedial intervention program; requiring parental notification of dyslexia diagnoses and biweekly progress reports; providing for subsequent diagnostic assessment; requiring that intensive remedial intervention meet certain requirements; requiring remedial intervention to continue until the student can perform at a certain level; requiring public schools to have at least one person on staff trained in the instruction of students with dyslexia; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; amending s. 1003.01, F.S.; defining the terms "dyscalculia," "dysgraphia," and "dyslexia"; creating the Dyslexia Task Force within the Department of Education; specifying the purpose and membership of the task force; requiring the task force to be appointed and to hold its first meeting within a certain timeframe; providing that task force members serve without compensation, but may receive reimbursement for certain expenses; amending ss. 11.45, 39.0016, 414.1251, 1002.01, 1002.20, 1002.3105, 1002.33, 1002.385, 1002.42, 1002.43, 1003.03, 1003.21, 1003.26, 1003.4282, 1003.52, 1003.575, 1006.07, 1008.24, and 1012.2315, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell-

SB 1440—A bill to be entitled An act relating to children's mental health; amending s. 394.493, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families and the Agency for Health Care Administration to identify certain children and adolescents who use crisis stabilization services during specified fiscal years; requiring the department and agency to collaboratively meet the behavioral health needs of such children and adolescents and submit a quarterly report to the Legislature; amending s. 394.495, F.S.; including crisis response services provided through mobile response teams in the array of services available to children and adolescents; requiring the department to contract with managing entities for mobile response teams to provide certain services to certain children, adolescents, and young adults; providing requirements for such mobile response teams; providing requirements for managing entities when procuring mobile response teams; creating s. 394.4955, F.S.; requiring managing entities to develop and implement plans promoting the development of a coordinated system of care for certain services; providing requirements for the planning process; requiring each managing entity to submit and implement such plan by a specified date; requiring that such plan be reviewed and updated periodically; providing requirements for managing entities and collaborating organizations relating to such plan; amending s. 394.9082, F.S.; revising the duties of the department relating to priority populations that will benefit from care coordination; requiring that a managing entity's behavioral health care needs assessment include certain information regarding gaps in certain services; requiring a managing entity to promote the use of available crisis intervention services; amending s. 409.175, F.S.; revising requirements relating to preservice training for foster parents; amending s. 409.988, F.S.; revising the duties of a lead agency relating to individuals providing care for dependent children; amending s. 985.601, F.S.; requiring the Department of Juvenile Justice to participate in the planning process for promoting a coordinated system of care for children and adolescents; amending s. 1003.02, F.S.; requiring each district school board to participate in the planning process for promoting a coordinated system of care for children and adolescents; amending s. 1004.44, F.S.; requiring the Louis de la Parte Florida Mental Health Institute to develop, in consultation with other entities, a model response protocol for schools; amending s. 1006.04, F.S.; requiring the educational multiagency network to participate in the planning process for promoting a coordinated system of care for children and adolescents; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; revising the elements of a plan required for school district funding under the mental health assistance allocation; requiring the Department of Children and Families and the Agency for Health Care Administration to assess the quality of care provided in crisis stabilization units to certain children and adolescents; requiring the department and agency to review current standards of care for certain settings and make recommendations; requiring the department and agency to jointly submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres-

SB 1442—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homeowners' association recalls; providing a short title; amending s. 720.303, F.S.; revising the process for recalling a director of a homeowners' association; requiring a specified percentage of certain parcel owners to initiate a recall petition or a special meeting to recall a director; requiring the board of directors to duly notice and hold a referendum within a specified time; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Harrell-

SB 1444—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prescription drug benefits; providing a short title; amending s. 465.003, F.S.; providing the definitions of the terms "pharmacy benefit manager" and "pharmacy benefit management services"; creating s. 465.203, F.S.; providing definitions; providing that pharmacy benefit managers have a fiduciary duty and obligation to specified individuals and entities; providing requirements for service performance, contracts, and specified funds for pharmacy benefit managers; authorizing specified pharmacies and pharmacists to contract with pharmacy benefit managers; providing requirements for maximum allowable cost lists; requiring pharmacy benefit managers to respond to certain appeals within a specified timeframe; prohibiting pharmacy benefit managers from engaging in certain practices; requiring pharmacy benefit managers to allow payors access to specified records, data, and information; providing disclosure and reporting requirements; requiring certain income and financial benefits to be passed through to payors; requiring pharmacy benefit managers to allow the Department of Financial Services access to specified records, data, and information; requiring the department to investigate certain violations; providing penalties; providing that specified violations are subject to the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; providing applicability; amending s. 624.490, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 627.42385, F.S.; providing definitions; requiring group health plans, health insurers, and certain pharmacy benefit managers to base plan beneficiaries' and insureds' coinsurance obligations for certain prescription drugs on specified drug prices; providing applicability; prohibiting such group health plans, health insurers, and pharmacy benefit managers from revealing specified information; requiring such entities to protect such information and impose the confidentiality protections on other entities; providing penalties; requiring the department to investigate certain violations; providing construction; amending ss. 627.64741, 627.6572, and 641.314, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing circumstances under which contracts between health insurers or health maintenance organizations and pharmacy benefit managers are void and against the public policy; providing requirements for contracts; requiring the department to investigate certain violations; providing penalties; amending ss. 409.9201, 458.331, 459.015, 465.014, 465.015, 465.0156, 465.016, 465.0197, 465.022, 465.023, 465.1901, 499.003, and 893.02, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres—

SB 1446—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homeowners' associations dispute resolution; providing a short title; amending s. 720.311, F.S.; revising the form required for a written demand to participate in presuit mediation; requiring nonbinding arbitration in certain homeowners' association disputes; providing applicability and construction; requiring that a judicial proceeding be initiated within a specified timeframe after the entry of an arbitrator's final decision; authorizing parties in certain disputes to either file a dispute in court or elect to enter into binding or nonbinding arbitration; providing procedures for resolving such disputes; specifying certain parties are entitled to seek recovery of certain costs and fees; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Torres-

**SB 1448**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 720.311, F.S.; requiring that certain fees relating to nonbinding arbitration be paid to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; requiring the prevailing party in nonbinding arbitration to recover certain costs and fees; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1450—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental enforcement; amending ss. 161.054, 258.397, 258.46, 373.129, 373.209, 373.430, 376.065, 376.071, 376.16, 376.25, 377.37, 378.211, 403.086, 403.121, 403.141, 403.161, 403.413, 403.7234, 403.726, 403.727, and 403.93345, F.S.; increasing the civil penalties for violations of certain provisions relating to beach and shore construction, the Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserve, aquatic preserves, the state water resource plan, artesian wells, pollution, operating a terminal facility without discharge prevention and response certificates, discharge contingency plans for vessels, the Pollutant Discharge Prevention and Control Act, the Clean Ocean Act, the pollution of surface and ground waters, the regulation of oil and gas resources, the Phosphate Land Reclamation Act, sewage disposal facilities, pollution control, reasonable costs and expenses for pollution releases, necessary permits, dumping litter, small quantity generators, the abatement of imminent hazards caused by hazardous substances, hazardous waste generators, transporters, or facilities, and coral reef protection, respectively; providing that each day that certain violations are not remediated constitutes a separate offense; making technical changes; reenacting s. 823.11(5), F.S., to incorporate the amendment made to s. 376.16, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting ss. 403.077(5), 403.131(2), 403.4154(3)(d), and 403.860(5), F.S., to incorporate the amendment made to s. 403.121, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting ss. 403.708(10), 403.7191(7), and 403.811, F.S., to incorporate the amendment made to s. 403.141, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 403.7255(2), F.S., to incorporate the amendment made to s. 403.161, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 403.7186(8), F.S., to incorporate the amendment made to ss. 403.141 and 403.161, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres-

**SJR 1452**—A joint resolution proposing the creation of Section 22 of Article III and the amendment of Section 10 of Article IV of the State Constitution to authorize the proposal and enactment of legislation by initiative and to provide for Supreme Court review of initiative petitions proposing legislation.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Powell-

**SB 1454**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop a Highwaymen license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of the plates; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Powell-

**SB 1456**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plate fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; establishing a fee for a certain specialty license plate; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

**SR 1458**—A resolution reaffirming the oath of office made by each member of the Senate to support, protect, and defend the United States Constitution, including the 12th Amendment, and supporting the preservation of the Electoral College.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Taddeo—

**SJR 1460**—A joint resolution proposing amendments to Sections 3 and 4 of Article IV and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to establish the position of Commissioner of Insurance as a statewide elected officer and to provide for the commissioner's inclusion on the Cabinet.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Taddeo-

**SB 1462**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school holidays; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; requiring district school boards to designate the day after Halloween as a school holiday; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Community Affairs; and Rules.

By Senator Flores-

**SB 1464**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to underground facility damage prevention and safety; amending s. 556.107, F.S.; providing noncriminal violations relating to the transportation of certain hazardous materials; authorizing the State Fire Marshal or local fire chief to issue certain citations; providing enhanced civil penalties; providing for disposition of the civil penalty; requiring a report by additional entities; amending s. 556.116, F.S.; providing that certain incident reports

must be transmitted to, and investigated by, the State Fire Marshal, the local fire chief, a local or state law enforcement officer, a government code inspector, or a code enforcement officer; authorizing the State Fire Marshal, the local fire chief, a local or state law enforcement officer, a government code inspector, or a code enforcement officer to issue citations and civil penalties; providing for disposition of the civil penalty; removing provisions relating to hearings by the Division of Administrative Hearings in connection with certain incidents; creating s. 556.117, F.S.; creating an underground facility damage prevention review panel; providing duties and membership of the review panel; specifying the term limits of the review panel; requiring the State Fire Marshal to provide support to the review panel; specifying how the review panel will be funded; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

**SB 1466**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to special districts; amending s. 189.069, F.S.; revising the list of items required to be included on the websites of special districts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senators Taddeo and Hooper-

SB 1468—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trains; creating s. 341.3023, F.S.; requiring, as a condition of operation in this state, that trains used in connection with the movement of freight and passengers have a crew that consists of at least two individuals; providing exceptions; defining terms; authorizing the Secretary of Transportation to exempt certain railroad carriers from specified provisions of law under certain conditions; providing requirements for such exemptions; authorizing the Department of Transportation to assess civil penalties against a person or an entity for a specified violation, subject to certain requirements; requiring the department to exercise certain authority to the extent that such authority is not preempted by federal law or regulation; creating s. 341.3024, F.S.; requiring, as a condition of operation in this state, that trains used in connection with the movement of certain materials and substances have a crew that consists of at least two individuals; authorizing the Secretary of Transportation to exempt certain railroad carriers from specified provisions of law under certain conditions; providing requirements for such exemptions; authorizing the department to assess civil penalties against a person or entity for a specified violation, subject to certain requirements; requiring the department to exercise certain authority to the extent that such authority is not preempted by federal law or regulation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Book-

SB 1470—A bill to be entitled An act relating to informed consent for pelvic examinations; creating s. 456.51, F.S.; defining the terms "health care provider" and "pelvic examination"; specifying circumstances under which a health care provider may perform a pelvic examination on an anesthetized or unconscious patient; specifying procedures for obtaining consent for a pelvic examination; providing that a patient may revoke or amend consent verbally or in writing within a specified timeframe; prohibiting a student or resident from observing or performing a pelvic examination on a patient without the patient's consent; requiring a health care provider to notify the patient of certain information before the patient is anesthetized and rendered unconscious; providing for disciplinary action against a health care provider who fails to comply with certain provisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

SB 1472—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public safety communications systems; amending s. 365.172, F.S.; authorizing the Governor to require the improvement of inadequate communications systems or the specific placement of towers under certain circumstances; requiring a local government to reimburse the state for such costs under certain circumstances; providing factors that the Division of State Technology within the Department of Management Services may consider to find that a community's communications system is inadequate; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Community Affairs; and Appropriations.

By Senator Taddeo-

SB 1474—A bill to be entitled An act relating to required flood disclosures for real property sales; creating s. 689.301, F.S.; requiring a seller of real property to disclose certain flood information to a prospective purchaser before executing a contract for the sale of the property; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Torres-

SB 1476—A bill to be entitled An act relating to missing persons; amending s. 937.0201, F.S.; defining the term "at-risk veteran"; revising the definition of the term "missing adult"; amending s. 937.021, F.S.; providing that the Department of Law Enforcement, as the state Camo Alert coordinator, and certain agencies, employees, individuals, and entities, are immune from civil liability for damages for performing certain actions in good faith; providing that the presumption of good faith is not overcome under certain circumstances; providing construction; creating s. 937.0215, F.S.; prohibiting a person from causing a false Camo Alert to be issued; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 937.022, F.S.; authorizing only the law enforcement agency having jurisdiction over a case to make a request to the clearinghouse for the activation of a state Camo Alert involving a missing adult under certain circumstances; providing that a Camo Alert may only be issued for an at-risk veteran included in the Camo Alert Voluntary Registry; requiring the clearinghouse to establish and maintain the Camo Alert Voluntary Registry within the Missing Endangered Persons Information Clearinghouse; providing for voluntary registration of an at-risk veteran; providing requirements for the removal and expungement of an at-risk veteran's registration and information; amending s. 937.023, F.S.; providing that the term "missing Florida school child" does not include an at-risk veteran; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Torres-

SB 1478—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 937.022, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the names, addresses, telephone numbers, and other personal identifying information of persons who are or have been included in the Camo Alert Voluntary Registry; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Book-

**SJR 1480**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 4 of Article IX and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to limit the terms of office for a member of a district school board.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Education; and Rules.

By Senator Bean-

SB 1482—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic violence services; amending s. 39.902, F.S.; deleting the definition of the term "coalition"; amending s. 39.903, F.S.; revising the duties of the Department of Children and Families in relation to the domestic violence program; repealing s. 39.9035, F.S., relating to the duties and functions of the Florida Coalition Against Domestic Violence with respect to domestic violence; amending s. 39.904, F.S.; requiring the department to provide a specified report; amending s. 39.905, F.S.; revising the requirements of domestic violence centers; amending s. 39.9055, F.S.; removing the coalition from the capital improvement grant program process; amending ss. 39.8296, 381.006, 381.0072, 383.402, 402.40, 741.316, 753.03, 943.0542, 943.1701, and 1004.615, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1484—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle manufacturers and dealers; amending s. 320.60, F.S.; redefining the term "line-make vehicle"; amending s. 320.605, F.S.; replacing legislative intent with legislative findings; amending s. 320.64, F.S.; revising a prohibition against certain applicants and licensees competing with franchised motor vehicle dealers in this state; defining the term "sale"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1486-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the SunPass electronic toll system; creating s. 338.157, F.S.; creating a SunPass Maximum Annual Use Fee Program within the Department of Transportation for certain purposes; authorizing certain drivers to apply to SunPass to participate in the program; providing requirements for the program; providing application requirements; requiring a program participant to notify SunPass of the date of a change of home address within a specified period; requiring the participant's eligibility for the maximum annual use fee to terminate on such date; authorizing a driver to reapply for the maximum annual use fee for a new home address; requiring that a driver's eligibility for the maximum annual use fee be canceled and that he or she pay a certain amount if the driver does not notify SunPass of a change of home address; requiring the department to adopt rules for the implementation and operation of the program; requiring an entity that contracts with the state to operate SunPass to administer the program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1488—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction defects; amending s. 558.001, F.S.; revising legislative findings and intent; amending s. 558.002, F.S.; deleting and revising definitions; amending s. 558.003, F.S.; specifying that certain disclosures and documents must be provided before a claimant may file an action; amending s. 558.004, F.S.; deleting provisions related to an action involving an association; providing requirements for a notice of claim; revising the timeframes within which certain persons are required to serve a written response to a notice of claim; requiring claimants to serve a written notice of denial or failure to respond to certain parties; providing requirements for the repair of alleged construction defects; providing requirements for payments for such repairs; prohibiting certain persons from requiring advance payments for certain repairs; limiting liability for certain parties

under certain circumstances; providing requirements for certain payments held in trust; creating s. 558.0045, F.S.; providing applicability; requiring parties to a construction defect claim to participate in certain mandatory nonbinding arbitration within a specified time; requiring an arbitrator who finds in favor of a claimant in a mandatory nonbinding arbitration to include specified information in the award; authorizing parties to agree to be bound by the arbitration award; authorizing any party who does not agree to be bound by an arbitration award to proceed with a civil action; requiring a jury verdict and final judgment in favor of the claimant in such civil action to include specified information in the award; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1490—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public officers and employees; amending s. 112.3148, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing specified reporting individuals and procurement employees to accept gifts or compensation to be used toward costs incurred due to a serious bodily injury or the diagnosis of a serious disease or illness of the individual, employee, or a child thereof; specifying limitations and requirements; amending ss. 11.045 and 112.3215, F.S.; revising provisions regarding prohibited lobbying expenditures in the legislative and executive branches to conform to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Wright-

**SB 1492**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consumer protection; amending s. 501.0051, F.S.; prohibiting consumer reporting agencies from charging to reissue or provide a new unique personal identifier to a consumer for the removal of a security freeze; amending s. 624.307, F.S.; revising a requirement for entities licensed or authorized by the Department of Financial Services or the Office of Insurance Regulation to respond to the department's Division of Consumer Services regarding consumer complaints; revising administrative penalties the division may impose for failure to comply; amending s. 626.112, F.S.; prohibiting unlicensed activity by an adjusting firm; providing an exemption; providing an exemption from licensure for branch firms that meet certain criteria; providing an administrative penalty for failing to apply for certain licensure; providing a criminal penalty for aiding or abetting unlicensed activity; deleting an obsolete provision; amending s. 626.602, F.S.; authorizing the department to disapprove the use of insurance agency names containing the words "Medicare" or "Medicaid"; providing an exception for certain insurance agencies; amending s. 626.621, F.S.; adding grounds on which the department may take certain actions against a license, appointment, or application of certain insurance representatives; amending ss. 626.782 and 626.783, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms "industrial class insurer" and "ordinary-combination class insurer," respectively, to conform to changes made by the act; repealing s. 626.796,  $\bar{\text{F.S.}}$ , relating to the representation of multiple insurers in the same industrial debit territory; amending s. 626.8443, F.S.; increasing the maximum period of suspension of a title insurance agent's or agency's license; amending s. 626.854, F.S.; revising the timeframes in which an insured or claimant may cancel a public adjuster's contract to adjust a claim without penalty or obligation; amending s. 626.916, F.S.; revising the classes of insurance subject to a disclosure requirement before being eligible for export under the Surplus Lines Law; amending s. 626.9541, F.S.; adding certain acts or practices to the definition of sliding; amending s. 626.9741, F.S.; requiring an insurer to include certain additional information when providing an applicant or insured with certain credit report or score information; amending ss. 626.9957 and 627.062, F.S.; conforming crossreferences; amending s. 627.421, F.S.; requiring personal lines residential property insurers to annually deliver a certain notification to policyholders within a specified timeframe; amending s. 627.502, F.S.; prohibiting life insurers from writing new policies of industrial life insurance beginning on a certain date; amending s. 627.70131, F.S.; providing that communication made to or by an insurer's representative, rather than to or by an insurer's agent, constitutes communication to or by the insurer; requiring an insurer-assigned licensed adjuster to

provide the policyholder with certain information in certain investigations; requiring that certain adjuster reports be provided to policyholders within a certain timeframe; specifying requirements for insurers in notifying policyholders for certain changes in assigned adjusters; requiring an insurer to establish a process to provide the agent of record access to claim status information for a certain purpose; defining the term "agent of record"; requiring insurers to include specified notices when providing preliminary or partial damage estimates or claim payments; specifying the timeframe in which an insurer must pay or deny property insurance claims under certain circumstances; providing applicability; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 627.7031, F.S.; prohibiting foreign venue clauses in property insurance policies; providing applicability; amending s. 627.7142, F.S.; revising information contained in the Homeowner Claims Bill of Rights; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 631.57, F.S.; deleting a deductible on the Florida Insurance Guaranty Association, Incorporated's obligation as to certain covered claims; amending s. 648.30, F.S.; prohibiting the aiding or abetting of unlicensed activity of a bail bond agent or temporary bail bond agent; amending ss. 717.124, 717.12404, 717.1315, and 717.1322, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 717.135, F.S.; replacing provisions relating to powers of attorney to recover unclaimed property with provisions relating to uniform forms for unclaimed property recovery agreements and purchase agreements; requiring the department to adopt the uniform forms by rule; specifying required information and disclosures in the forms; requiring that, for the purchase agreement form, proof the seller received payment be filed with the department along with the claim; requiring registered claimant's representatives to use the forms as the exclusive means of engaging with a claimant or seller to file claims and prohibiting them from using or distributing other agreements; specifying a limitation on fees and costs owed or paid; prohibiting certain language in the forms; authorizing the department to pay additional accounts owned by the claimant under certain circumstances; providing construction; repealing s. 717.1351, F.S., relating to the acquisition of unclaimed property; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

**SB 1494**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance coverage for condominium unit owners; amending s. 627.714, F.S.; prohibiting residential property insurance policies of condominium unit owners from providing rights of subrogation against condominium associations under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Lee-

SB 1496—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans treatment courts; creating s. 26.58, F.S.; providing a short title; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; authorizing certain courts to create and administer veterans treatment courts; providing eligibility criteria for participation in the veterans treatment court program; specifying program implementation procedures, components, and policies; requiring participant agreements and specifying requirements for such agreements; exempting certain statements and information from recordkeeping requirements; providing for liberal construction; specifying that the act does not create a right to participate in a veterans treatment court; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley—

**SB 1498**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school turnaround; amending s. 1008.33, F.S.; revising the criteria for schools that are deemed to be in need of intervention and support; providing that a school district may request to change a turnaround option after the first year of implementation; authorizing the school district to request ad-

ditional time to implement a turnaround option only if certain conditions are met; providing new requirements for schools that complete a district-managed turnaround plan and do not improve; authorizing the State Board of Education to revoke a turnaround plan when the school district has failed to follow the terms or meet the requirements of its approved plan; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; clarifying provisions related to the turnaround school supplemental services allocation; amending ss. 1002.33, 1002.332, and 1002.333, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Broxson-

**SB 1500**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plate fees; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; creating a uniform annual use fee collected for a specialty license plate; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.06, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

**SJR 1502**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 4 of Article IV of the State Constitution to require the Chief Financial Officer, as prescribed by general law, to annually provide information about counties and municipalities to residents in a manner that allows residents to compare economic and noneconomic factors of each local government.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes-

SB 1504—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; creating s. 322.3401, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining terms; requiring certain persons convicted of driving while license suspended, revoked, canceled, or disqualified committed before a specified date to be sentenced in a specified manner in accordance with the amendments in chapter 2019-167, Laws of Florida; requiring resentencing for persons who committed such violations before a specified date and are serving terms of imprisonment; specifying the procedures for such resentencing; requiring certain persons convicted of driving while license suspended, revoked, canceled, or disqualified to have such conviction treated as a misdemeanor for specified purposes; requiring fines, fees, and costs to be waived; creating s. 943.0587, F.S.; defining terms; providing that persons who meet specified criteria are eligible to petition a court to expunge a criminal history record for convictions of driving while license suspended, revoked, canceled, or disqualified; requiring such persons to apply to the Department of Law Enforcement for a certificate of eligibly for expunction; requiring the department to adopt rules; requiring the department to issue such certificates if specified conditions are met; providing for the timeframe during which a certificate is valid; providing requirements for such petitions; providing criminal penalties; providing court procedures relating to a petition to expunge; providing for the effects of expunction orders; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1506—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 943.0587, F.S.; providing a public records exemption to include the expunction of specified convictions of certain persons convicted of driving while license suspended, revoked, canceled, or disqualified; providing for legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Taddeo-

**SB 1508**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to police vehicles; amending s. 319.14, F.S.; prohibiting a person from knowingly selling, exchanging, or transferring a police vehicle without removing any police markings from the vehicle and certifying that the police markings have been removed; defining the term "police markings"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Infrastructure and Security; and Rules.

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1510—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jurisdiction of courts; amending s. 26.012, F.S.; revising the jurisdiction of circuit courts; amending s. 26.57, F.S.; revising the authority of county court judges temporarily designated to preside over circuit court cases; amending s. 28.241, F.S.; removing authorization for filing fees for certain appellate proceedings; repealing s. 34.017, F.S., relating to certification of questions to district courts of appeal; amending s. 34.041, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; repealing s. 35.065, F.S., relating to the review of a judgment or an order certified by a county court to be of great public importance; amending s. 162.11, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction for appeals of final administrative orders of local government code enforcement boards from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 171.081, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction for petitions on annexation or contraction of local government boundaries from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 163.3215, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction for appeals on development orders from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 189.041, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of challenges of urban area maps adopted by special districts from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 190.046, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of petitions seeking review of transfer plan ordinances adopted by a community development district from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 255.20, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals regarding local bids and contracts for public construction works from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 318.16, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction for appeals of traffic infractions from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 318.33, F.S.; modifying provisions regarding the appeal of traffic infractions to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.781, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of determinations of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles on certain claims against mobile home or recreational vehicle dealers or brokers from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 321.051, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of final orders of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles regarding the Florida Highway Patrol wrecker operator system from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 322.272, F.S.; modifying provisions regarding the filing of petitions for certiorari to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 322.31, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of the review of Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles final orders and rulings from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 322.64, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 327.73, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of a hearing official's finding regarding a noncriminal infraction regarding a vessel from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 333.11, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of judicial review of airport zoning regulations from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 336.41, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of competitive bidding determinations made by counties from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 337.14, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of competitive bidding determinations made by the Department of Transportation from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 337.404, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of judicial review of the removal or relocation of utility facilities from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 376.065, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of an appeal of a hearing official's findings of a violation of discharge prevention and response certification from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 376.07, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of an appeal of a hearing official's finding of inadequate booming by a terminal facility from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 376.071, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of an appeal of a hearing official's finding of a violation of requirements for a discharge contingency plan from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 376.16, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of an appeal of a hearing official's finding of a violation of the Pollutant Discharge Prevention and Control Act from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 379.401, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of Level One violations from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 379.4015, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 379.412, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of violations of certain prohibitions regarding feeding wildlife and freshwater fish from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 408.40, F.S.; providing for the review of the Public Counsel's petition of the Agency for Health Care Administration by appellate courts; amending s. 489.127, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of final administrative orders of an enforcement board or licensing board regulating contracting or a designated special magistrate from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 489.531, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of final administrative orders of an enforcement board or licensing board regulating electrical or alarm system contracting or a designated special magistrate from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 556.107, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of noncriminal infractions under the Underground Facility Damage Prevention and Safety Act from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 569.005, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of findings of infractions of operating without a retail tobacco products dealer permit from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 605.0716, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of judicial review of denial of reinstatement of a limited liability company from the Circuit Court of Leon County to the First District Court of Appeal; amending s. 605.09091, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of judicial review of denial of reinstatement of a foreign limited liability company from the Circuit Court of Leon County to the First District Court of Appeal; amending s. 607.0126, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of the Department of State's refusal to file a corporate document from the Circuit Court of Leon County to the First District Court of Appeal; amending s. 607.1423, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of judicial review of denial of reinstatement of a corporation from the Circuit Court of Leon County to the First District Court of Appeal; amending s. 607.1532, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of judicial review of denial of reinstatement of a foreign corporation from the Circuit Court of Leon County to the First District Court of Appeal; amending s. 620.1811, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals from the denial of reinstatement of a limited partnership from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 717.1242, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference to changes made by the act; amending s. 723.0612, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of review of certain actions of the Florida Mobile Home Relocation Corporation from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; amending s. 767.12, F.S.; transferring jurisdiction of appeals of dangerous dog classifications and penalties from the circuit court to the district court of appeal; repealing s. 924.08, F.S., relating to courts of appeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Diaz-

SB 1512—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government reporting; amending ss. 129.03 and 166.241, F.S.; deleting an annual requirement for county budget officers and municipal budget officers, respectively, to report specified budget information to the Office of Economic and Demographic Research; creating s. 218.323, F.S.; providing legislative intent; requiring each county and municipality to annually report specified fiscal and economic information to the Department of Financial Services; requiring the department to adopt rules; requiring the department to establish a certain website by a specified date; requiring the department to annually generate and distribute to residents a specified local government report; specifying requirements for preparing and distributing the report; specifying required information in the report; specifying required information on the department's website; authorizing the department to select contractors for certain purposes; providing a procurement requirement; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Albritton—

SB 1514—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending s. 377.703, F.S.; revising the contents of a Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services report to the Governor and the Legislature to include the development of certain renewable and alternative energy technologies; requiring the department to promote the development of alternative fuel and alternative vehicle technologies; requiring the Division of Emergency Management to consult with the department to include specified provisions in a certain report; deleting a requirement that the department prepare a separate, specified renewable energy report; amending s. 487.021, F.S.; defining the term "raw agricultural commodities fumigation"; amending s. 487.0435, F.S.; authorizing the department to consider the use of a fumigant as a pesticide for raw agricultural commodities; amending s. 500.03, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 500.033, F.S.; revising the membership of the Florida Food Safety and Food Defense Advisory Council; amending s. 500.12, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising the date by which a late fee is imposed for nonpayment of an applicable permit; amending s. 500.121, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 500.147, F.S.; updating a reference to certain bottled water provisions; amending s. 502.012, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; amending s. 502.014, F.S.; revising the authority of the department to conduct onsite inspections of certain facilities and to collect samples of products at such facilities for testing; amending s. 502.053, F.S.; requiring operation permits for wholesalers of frozen dessert products; deleting a requirement that a frozen dessert plant permitholder submit specified reports to the department; providing an exemption from bulk milk hauler/ sampler permit requirements; amending s. 502.181, F.S.; revising the prohibitions against certain testing for milkfat content and for repasteurizing milk; amending s. 502.231, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; repealing s. 502.301, F.S., relating to the Dairy Industry Technical Council; amending s. 570.441, F.S.; extending the expiration for the use of funds from the Pest Control Trust Fund; amending s. 570.93, F.S.; revising requirements for the agricultural water conservation program; amending s. 590.02, F.S.; directing the Florida Forest Service to develop a training curriculum for wildland firefighting; providing requirements for such training; amending s. 595.404, F.S.; authorizing the department to adopt and implement an exemption, variance, and waiver process for school food and other nutrition programs; amending s. 633.408, F.S.; providing wildland firefighter training and certification for certain firefighters and volunteer firefighters; reenacting ss. 373.016(4)(a), 373.223(3), and 373.701(2)(a), F.S., relating to a declaration of policy, conditions for a permit, and a declaration of policy, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 500.033, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Appropriations.

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1516—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Organ Transplant Technical Advisory Council; amending s. 765.53, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to establish the Organ Transplant Technical Advisory Council for a specified purpose; providing for membership, meetings, and duties of the council; requiring the council to submit a report to the Governor, the Legislature, the Secretary of Health Care Administration, and the State Surgeon General by a specified date; extending sovereign immunity to council members under certain circumstances; requiring the agency to amend or adopt specified rules based on the council's recommendations; providing for expiration of a certain provision; amending s. 408.0455, F.S.; revising a provision related to the operation of certain rules adopted by the agency; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

**SB 1518**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to acquisition of certain professional services; amending s. 287.055, F.S.; providing that the Consultants' Competitive Negotiation Act may not be construed to prevent cooperative purchasing between governmental agencies if certain criteria are met; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez-

**SB 1520**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to wage and employment benefits requirements; repealing s. 218.077, F.S., relating to restrictions on the establishment of minimum wage and employment benefits requirements by political subdivisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By Senator Broxson-

SB 1522—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dissolution of municipalities; amending s. 165.051, F.S.; requiring the dissolution of a municipality after a referendum is held if specified conditions are met; providing the procedures for setting the date for a referendum to dissolve a municipality; providing notice requirements; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Ethics and Elections; and Rules.

By Senator Gainer-

**SB 1524**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited places for weapons and firearms; amending s. 790.06, F.S.; authorizing elected members of specified governing bodies who are concealed weapon or firearm licensees to carry a concealed weapon or firearm to a meeting of the governing body of which he or she is a member; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Albritton—

SB 1526-A bill to be entitled An act relating to food donation programs; creating s. 220.197, F.S.; defining terms; creating an agricultural commodity donation tax credit; specifying requirements for applying for the tax credit; providing specifications for the application form; providing for unused credit to be carried forward and used under certain circumstances; providing a maximum annual amount for the tax credit; authorizing the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to adopt rules; amending s. 595.402; defining terms; amending s. 595.404, F.S.; revising the department's powers and duties relating to school food and other nutrition programs; amending s. 595.405, F.S.; deleting a provision authorizing district school boards to opt out of implementing universal school breakfast programs; providing that district school boards that make breakfast meals available to students through an alternative service model shall be eligible to receive certain funds; authorizing district school boards to use share tables if certain conditions are met; requiring the department to collaborate with the Department of Health to distribute guidelines on implementing share tables; requiring district school boards to implement practices to reduce, recycle, and recover food waste; requiring the department to create a sponsor education campaign; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 595.406, F.S.; requiring the department to annually allocate to participating sponsors a reimbursement in addition to the sum appropriated for the Florida Farm to School Program if certain conditions are met; providing eligibility requirements for such reimbursement; authorizing the department to adopt rules; creating s. 595.422, F.S.; requiring the department to develop the Florida Gleaning

Support Grant Program; requiring the department to adopt rules to administer the program; requiring the department to promote and market the program to certain organizations and programs; creating s. 595.801, F.S.; requiring the department to conduct a study on certain geographical areas; providing requirements for the study; authorizing the department to employ a third-party vendor to conduct all or part of the study; providing an appropriation; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Torres-

**SB 1528**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to landlords and tenants; amending s. 83.60, F.S.; deleting a provision providing that the failure to pay rent into a registry of the court under certain circumstances constitutes an absolute waiver of certain defenses and entitles the landlord to a certain default judgment; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 1530—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ethics reform; repealing s. 11.061, F.S., relating to state, state university, and community college employee lobbyists; creating s. 106.114, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting certain public service announcements by specified governmental entities, persons acting on behalf of such entities, and elected officials; providing applicability; amending s. 112.313, F.S.; revising applicability of certain provisions relating to conflicting employment and contractual relationships; prohibiting public officers or employees of an agency from soliciting specified employment or contractual relationships; requiring certain offers and solicitations of employment or contractual relationships to be disclosed to certain persons; requiring such solicitations to be disclosed to the Commission on Ethics in certain circumstances; authorizing the commission to investigate such disclosures; prohibiting specified persons from receiving certain compensated representation for a specified period following vacation of office; deleting certain exceptions from postemployment restrictions; providing applicability; creating s. 112.3181, F.S.; prohibiting statewide elected officers and legislators from soliciting employment offers or investment advice arising out of official or political activities; providing exceptions; prohibiting such officers or legislators from soliciting or accepting investment advice from or soliciting or entering into certain profitmaking relationships with or advised by lobbyists or principals; defining terms; requiring lobbyists and principals to disclose certain prohibited solicitations to the commission; authorizing the commission to investigate such disclosures; providing disclosure requirements for reporting certain employment; requiring the commission to publish the disclosures on its website; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; amending s. 112.3185, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting certain officers and employees from soliciting employment or contractual relationships from or negotiating employment or contractual relationships with certain employers; providing exceptions; requiring disclosure of certain offers of employment or contractual relationships; providing applicability; amending s. 112.3215, F.S.; revising definitions; requiring executive branch lobbyists to electronically register with the commission; revising lobbyist registration, compensation report, principal designation cancellation, and investigation requirements; authorizing the commission to dismiss certain complaints and investigations; amending s. 420.5061, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

**SB 1532**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 688.01, F.S.; defining terms; providing an exemption from public record requirements for a trade secret held by an agency; providing notice requirements; providing an exception to the exemption; providing liability; providing applicability; providing for future legisla-

tive review and repeal of the exemption; amending ss. 688.001 and 688.006, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 1534—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 73.0155, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by governmental condemning authorities; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; deleting a provision declaring that certain data processing software exempt from public records requirements is considered a trade secret; deleting a scheduled repeal; amending s. 119.0713, F.S.; removing trade secrets from the list of what constitutes proprietary confidential business information; amending s. 125.0104, F.S.; deleting provisions exempting trade secrets held by county tourism development agencies from public records requirements; amending ss. 163.01 and 202.195, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information"; amending s. 215.4401, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information" to no longer include certain trade secrets; deleting provisions relating to confidentiality of trade secrets held by the State Board of Administration; amending s. 252.88, F.S.; deleting provisions exempting certain information from public records requirements under the Florida Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act; repealing s. 252.943, F.S., relating to a public records exemption under the Florida Accidental Release Prevention and Risk Management Planning Act; amending s. 287.0943, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information" to no longer include certain trade secrets and contract costs; amending s. 288.047, F.S.; deleting provisions exempting potential trade secrets from public records requirements; amending s. 288.075, F.S.; deleting the definition of the term "trade secret"; deleting a provision relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets held by economic development agencies; amending s. 288.1226, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets held by the Florida Tourism Industry Marketing Corporation; deleting a scheduled repeal; amending s. 288.776, F.S.; deleting a provision relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets held by the Florida Export Finance Corporation; amending s. 288.9520, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets and potential trade secrets held by Enterprise Florida, Inc., and related entities; amending s. 288.9607, F.S.; deleting a provision relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets held by the Florida Development Finance Corporation: amending s. 288.9626, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information" to no longer include certain trade secrets; revising public records and public meetings exemptions relating to trade secrets; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 288.9627, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information" to no longer include certain trade secrets; revising public records and public meetings exemptions relating to trade secrets; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 331.326, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets held by Space Florida; removing a scheduled repeal; amending s. 334.049, F.S.; deleting a provision relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets held by the Department of Transportation; amending s. 350.121, F.S.; deleting a provision relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Florida Public Service Commission; amending ss. 364.183, 365.174, 366.093, 367.156, and 368.108, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information" to no longer include certain trade secrets; repealing s. 381.83, F.S., relating to confidentiality of certain information containing trade secrets obtained by the Department of Health; amending s. 395.3035, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets of hospitals; amending s. 403.7046, F.S.; revising provisions relating to an exemption for trade secrets contained in certain reports to the Department of Environmental Protection; removing a scheduled repeal; repealing s. 403.73, F.S., relating to confidentiality of certain information containing trade secrets obtained by the Department of Environmental Protection; amending s. 408.061, F.S.; deleting a requirement that certain trade secret information submitted to the Agency for Health Care Administration be clearly designated as such; amending s. 408.185, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for certain trade

secrets held by the Office of the Attorney General; amending s. 408.910, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information" to no longer include certain trade secrets; amending s. 409.91196, F.S.; revising provisions relating to public records exemptions and public meetings exemptions for trade secrets held by the Agency for Health Care Administration; amending s. 440.108, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Department of Financial Services; amending s. 494.00125, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Office of Financial Regulation; amending s. 497.172, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Department of Financial Services or the Board of Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services; amending ss. 499.012, 499.0121, 499.05, and 499.051, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; removing a scheduled repeal; repealing s. 499.931, F.S., relating to maintenance of information held by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation which is deemed to be a trade secret; amending s. 501.171, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information" to no longer include certain trade secrets; repealing s. 502.222, F.S., relating to trade secrets of a dairy business which are held by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending ss. 517.2015 and 520.9965, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Office of Financial Regulation; amending s. 526.311, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending ss. 548.062 and 556.113, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information" to no longer include certain trade secrets; amending s. 559.5558, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Office of Financial Regulation; amending s. 559.9285, F.S.; revising provisions specifying that certain information provided to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services does not constitute a trade secret; amending s. 560.129, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Office of Financial Regulation; amending s. 570.48, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Division of Fruit and Vegetables; removing a scheduled repeal; revising construction; amending ss. 570.544 and 573.123, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Division of Consumer Services; removing a scheduled repeal; repealing s. 581.199, F.S., relating to a prohibition on the use of trade secret information obtained under specified provisions for personal use or gain; amending ss. 601.10, 601.15, and 601.152, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Department of Citrus; removing scheduled repeals; amending s. 601.76, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to a public records exemption for certain formulas filed with the Department of Agriculture; removing a scheduled repeal; amending ss. 607.0505 and 617.0503, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for certain information that might reveal trade secrets held by the Department of Legal Affairs; amending s. 624.307, F.S.; authorizing the Office of Insurance Regulation to report, publish, or make available certain information on an aggregate basis; amending s. 624.315, F.S.; authorizing the Office of Insurance Regulation to make certain information available on an aggregate basis; amending s. 624.4212, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information" to no longer include certain trade secrets; revising what confidential and exempt information the Office of Insurance Regulation may disclose; repealing s. 624.4213, F.S., relating to trade secret documents submitted to the Department of Financial Services or the Office of Insurance Regulation; amending s. 626.84195, F.S.; revising the definition of "proprietary confidential business information" to no longer include certain trade secrets; amending s. 626.884, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Office of Insurance Regulation; amending s. 626.9936, F.S.; revising provisions relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets held by the Office of Insurance Regulation; amending ss. 627.0628 and 627.3518, F.S.; revising provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by the Florida Commission on Hurricane Loss Projection Methodology or the Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; amending s. 655.057, F.S.; revising provisions relating to a public records exemption for trade secrets held by the Office of Financial Regulation; repealing s. 655.0591, F.S., relating to trade secret documents held by the Office of Financial Regulation; amending s. 663.533, F.S.; revising a cross-reference; repealing s. 721.071, F.S., relating to trade

secret material filed with the Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; amending s. 815.04, F.S.; deleting a public records exemption for certain trade secret information relating to offenses against intellectual property; removing a scheduled repeal; repealing s. 815.045, F.S., relating to trade secret information; amending s. 1004.22, F.S.; revising provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets and potential trade secrets received, generated, ascertained, or discovered during the course of research conducted within the state universities; amending s. 1004.30, F.S.; revising provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets held by state university health support organizations; amending s. 1004.43, F.S.; revising provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets and potential trade secrets held by the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute; amending s. 1004.4472, F.S.; revising provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets and potential trade secrets held by the Florida Institute for Human and Machine Cognition, Inc.; amending s. 1004.78, F.S.; revising provisions relating to public records exemptions for trade secrets and potential trade secrets held by the technology transfers centers at Florida College System institutions; amending s. 601.80, F.S.; making a technical change; amending ss. 663.533, 721.13, and 921.0022, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting s. 408.185(5), F.S., relating to the confidentiality of information submitted for review of antitrust issues; reenacting s. 425.045(2), F.S., relating to meetings of trustees of certain entities; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Torres-

SB 1536—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation network companies; amending s. 627.748, F.S.; defining the term "authorized user"; authorizing a person who is 18 years of age or older to establish an account with a transportation network company (TNC); providing requirements for establishing an account; authorizing a person to add authorized users to such account under certain circumstances; providing requirements for adding such users; requiring a TNC and a TNC driver to send certain notifications to a person requesting a prearranged ride on behalf of an authorized user; requiring a TNC to allow an authorized user to view such notifications but to prohibit the authorized user from changing the origin or destination of a prearranged ride; requiring a TNC to provide human trafficking awareness training and education to employed TNC drivers; providing training and education requirements; limiting the liability of a TNC in cases of human trafficking; authorizing the Department of Financial Services to seek a court order to require a TNC to comply with certain provisions; providing legislative intent; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters-

SB 1538-A bill to be entitled An act relating to government integrity; creating s. 11.421, F.S.; creating the Florida Integrity Office under the Auditor General; specifying the purpose of the office; providing for the appointment of the Florida Integrity Officer; requiring the Auditor General to employ qualified individuals for the office; providing definitions; providing procedures for the submission and investigation of certain complaints; authorizing the Florida Integrity Officer to take certain action in response to complaints received; authorizing legislative committees to compel testimony or production of evidence under certain circumstances; providing for the enforcement of subpoenas; requiring the Florida Integrity Officer to receive copies of certain reports; providing procedures with respect to the review of appropriations projects and specified public entities; amending s. 11.45, F.S.; providing a definition; providing and revising Auditor General reporting requirements; amending s. 14.32, F.S.; providing definitions; providing investigative duties of the Chief Inspector General and agency inspectors general; requiring such inspectors general to provide a report to the Chief Financial Officer within a specified timeframe in certain circumstances; providing liability for certain officials, contractors, and persons in certain circumstances; amending s. 17.04, F.S.; authorizing

the Chief Financial Officer to commence an investigation based on certain complaints or referrals; authorizing state agency employees and state contractors to report certain information to the Chief Financial Officer; amending s. 17.325, F.S.; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to transmit certain information received through the Government Efficiency Hotline to the Florida Integrity Officer within a specified timeframe; amending s. 20.055, F.S.; requiring agency inspectors general to make certain determinations and reports; amending s. 110.1245, F.S.; providing requirements for awards given to employees who report under the Whistle-blower's Act; authorizing expenditures for such awards; amending s. 112.3187, F.S.; revising a definition; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 287.057, F.S.; revising provisions relating to contractual services and commodities that are not subject to competitive-solicitation requirements; requiring certain state contracts to include a good faith estimate of gross profit; requiring a determination of reasonableness; providing definitions; prohibiting certain state employees from participating in the negotiation or award of state contracts; creating s. 288.00001, F.S.; prohibiting tax incentives from being awarded or paid to a state contractor or subcontractor; amending s. 1001.20, F.S.; requiring the Office of Inspector General of the Department of Education to conduct investigations relating to waste, fraud, abuse, or mismanagement against a district school board or Florida College System institution; authorizing the Office of the Auditor General to use carryforward funds to fund the Florida Integrity Office; amending ss. 112.3188, 112.3189, and 112.31895, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Ethics and Elections; and Rules.

By Senator Simmons-

**SB 1540**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic violence; amending s. 741.2901, F.S.; requiring a court to order a defendant arrested for an act of domestic violence not to possess firearms or ammunition as a condition of bail under certain circumstances; prohibiting an individual with an outstanding warrant issued for an act of domestic violence from possessing a firearm or any ammunition; amending s. 790.065, F.S.; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement, upon receipt of a request for a criminal history record check, to review available records to determine if a potential firearm buyer or transferee has been charged with a crime of domestic violence or has an outstanding warrant issued for an act of domestic violence and is prohibited from possessing firearms or ammunition; amending s. 901.02, F.S.; authorizing a court to issue an arrest warrant for an act of domestic violence; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending ss. 493.6108, 790.06, and 943.0583, F.S.; conforming crossreferences; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Criminal Justice; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel-

SB 1542—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Alzheimer's disease; amending s. 430.501, F.S.; requiring state agencies to provide assistance to the Alzheimer's Disease Advisory Committee, upon request; creating s. 430.5015, F.S.; creating the position of Dementia Director within the Department of Elderly Affairs; requiring the Secretary of Elderly Affairs to appoint the director; authorizing the director to call upon certain agencies for assistance; requiring the agencies to assist the director under certain circumstances; providing duties and responsibilities of the director; amending s. 430.502, F.S.; making a technical change; revising incentive funding criteria for memory disorder clinics; revising the information the department must consider when developing the allocation formula for respite care; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Albritton-

SB 1544—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elderly care; creating s. 409.9022, F.S.; providing applicability; prohibiting the Department of Children and Families, in determining Medicaid eligibility, from considering the cash surrender value of certain life insurance policies as assets if certain conditions are met; specifying requirements for a collateral assignment by a Medicaid applicant; requiring Medicaid recipients, or their guardians or legal representatives, to continue to pay premiums on such policies; requiring the deduction of the cost of premiums from a recipient's income for certain purposes; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to file a claim for the death benefit upon the recipient's death; specifying requirements for the payment of a certain funeral expense benefit by the state and the distribution of remaining balances by the issuer of the policy; providing that certain transfers constitute improper asset transfers unless certain conditions are met; requiring the Department of Children and Families and the agency, in collaboration with the Office of Insurance Regulation, to adopt rules; authorizing the agency to seek a federal waiver; amending s. 409.979, F.S.; revising the individuals who must be rescreened annually by aging resource centers under the Medicaid longterm care managed care program; revising the individuals who must be placed on the wait list for potential enrollment for certain services; requiring that certain other individuals be placed on a registry of interest maintained by the Department of Elderly Affairs; requiring personnel of the aging resource center to provide certain information to individuals on the registry of interest; providing construction; requiring the Department of Elderly Affairs to notify individuals or their authorized representatives of placement on the registry of interest; amending s. 430.04, F.S.; requiring the Department of Elderly Affairs to develop, and adopt by rule, a tool for comprehensive assessment of longterm-care supports and services needed by family and friend caregivers for elderly and disabled adults; providing the purpose of the tool; amending s. 430.205, F.S.; authorizing a community-care-for-the-elderly services provider to dispute certain referrals and request certain negotiations by the adult protective services program; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley—

**SB 1546**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the sales and use tax on aircraft; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; exempting all aircraft sales and leases, rather than the sales and leases of certain aircraft, from the sales and use tax; deleting the definition of the term "common carrier" to conform to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 1548—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 25.385, F.S.; requiring the Florida Court Educational Council to establish certain standards for instruction of specified circuit court judges; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "parent"; amending s. 39.205, F.S.; deleting a requirement for the Department of Children and Families to report certain information to the Legislature; amending s. 39.302, F.S.; requiring the department to review certain reports under certain circumstances; amending s. 39.402, F.S.; providing requirements for the court when establishing paternity at a shelter hearing; amending s. 39.407, F.S.; transferring certain duties to the department from the Agency for Health Care Administration; amending s. 39.503, F.S.; revising procedures and requirements relating to the unknown identity or location of a parent of a dependent child; providing that a person does not have standing under certain circumstances; creating s. 39.5035, F.S.; providing court procedures and requirements relating to deceased parents of a dependent child; providing requirements for petitions for adjudication and permanent commitment for certain children; amending s. 39.521, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to protective supervision; deleting provisions relating to the court's authority to enter an order ending its jurisdiction over a child under certain circumstances; amending s. 39.522, F.S.; providing requirements for a modification of placement of a child under the supervision of the department; amending s. 39.6011, F.S.; providing timeframes in which case plans must be filed with the court and be provided to specified parties; creating s. 39.63, F.S.; providing procedures and requirements for closing a case under chapter 39; amending s. 39.801, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 39.803, F.S.; revising procedures and requirements relating to the unknown identity or location of a parent of a dependent child; providing that a person does not have standing under certain circumstances; amending s. 39.806, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 39.811, F.S.; expanding conditions under which a court retains jurisdiction; providing when certain decisions relating to adoption are reviewable; amending s. 39.812, F.S.; authorizing the department to take certain actions without a court order; authorizing certain persons to file a petition to adopt a child without the department's consent; providing standing requirements; providing a standard of proof; providing responsibilities of the court in such cases; amending s. 63.062, F.S.; requiring the department to consent to certain adoptions; providing exceptions; amending s. 63.082, F.S.; providing construction; amending s. 402.302, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 402.305, F.S.; requiring a certain number of staff persons at child care facilities to be certified in certain safety techniques; requiring child care facilities to provide certain information to parents at the time of initial enrollment and annually thereafter; revising minimum standards for child care facilities, family day care homes, and large family child care homes relating to transportation; requiring child care facilities, family day care homes, and large family child care homes to be approved by the department to transport children in certain situations; amending s. 402.313, F.S.; requiring family day care homes to provide certain information to parents at the time of enrollment and annually thereafter; amending s. 402.3131, F.S.; requiring large family child care homes to provide certain information to parents at the time of enrollment and annually thereafter; amending s. 409.1451, F.S.; deleting a reporting requirement of the department and the Independent Living Services Advisory Council; creating s. 742.0211, F.S.; defining the term "dependent child"; providing requirements and procedures for the determination of paternity when a child is dependent; providing the burden of proof for certain paternity complaints; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Cruz-

**SB 1550**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to high school graduation requirements; amending s. 1003.4282, F.S.; requiring students to submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid in order to be awarded a standard high school diploma; providing an exception; amending ss. 1002.3105 and 1003.5716, F.S.; conforming cross-references to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Flores-

SB 1552—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement activities; amending s. 683.231, F.S.; authorizing a citizen support organization for Florida Missing Children's Day to provide grants to law enforcement agencies for specified purposes; redefining the term "citizen support organization"; providing requirements for such grants and for the citizen support organization; amending ss. 775.21 and 943.0435, F.S.; authorizing sexual predators and sexual offenders to report online certain information to the Department of Law Enforcement; revising reporting requirements for sexual predators and sexual offenders; making technical changes; providing for consideration for removal of the requirement to register as a sexual offender under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Appropriations.

By Senator Baxley-

SB 1554—A bill to be entitled An act relating to substance abuse and mental health; amending s. 394.455, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "mental illness" to exclude conditions manifested by dementia or traumatic brain injury; amending s. 394.674, F.S.; revising eligibility requirements for certain substance abuse and mental health services; providing priority for specified individuals; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 394.908, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "individuals in need"; revising distribution of funding for substance abuse and mental health services; amending s. 394.9085, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 397.311, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 397.4012, F.S.; revising entities that are exempt from certain licensing requirements; amending s. 397.4073, F.S.; providing an exemption from background screening requirements for certain peer specialists; amending s. 916.106, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "mental illness"; amending ss. 916.13 and 916.15, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families to request certain medical information from jails; requiring county jails to provide such information within a specified timeframe; requiring the maintenance of psychotropic medications to specified defendants under certain circumstances; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Bean-

SB 1556—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nondiscrimination in organ transplants; creating s. 765.523, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting certain entities from making certain determinations or engaging in certain actions related to organ transplants solely on the basis of an individual's disability; specifying an instance where certain entities may consider an individual's disability, with an exception; requiring certain entities to make reasonable modifications in their policies, practices, and procedures under certain circumstances, with an exception; requiring certain entities to take certain necessary steps to ensure an individual with a disability is not denied services, with exceptions; providing a cause of action for injunctive and other relief; providing construction; creating ss. 627.64197, 627.65736, and 641.31075, F.S.; prohibiting insurers, nonprofit health care service plans, and health maintenance organizations that provide coverage for organ transplants from denying coverage solely on the basis of an individual's disability under certain circumstances; providing construction; defining the term "organ transplant"; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; and Appropriations.

By Senator Braynon—

**SB 1558**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local educational agencies; amending s. 1004.02, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "local educational agency" to include certain partners of entities that provide apprenticeship and preapprenticeship programs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Braynon-

SB 1560—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction materials mining activities; amending s. 552.30, F.S.; requiring that blasting reports be submitted to the Chief Financial Officer and the State Fire Marshal; requiring the Division of State Fire Marshal to make such reports publicly available on its webpage; providing report requirements; providing legislative findings and intent; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Banking and Insurance; and Rules.

By Senator Stewart-

SB 1562—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state contracting; creating s. 287.1351, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting an agency from entering into or renewing a contract for goods or services with a company that is domiciled in a state or territory that enacts legislation establishing restrictions on abortion in violation of United States Supreme Court precedent; specifying conditions upon which legislation is deemed to be in violation of Supreme Court precedent; requiring contracts entered into or renewed on or after a specified date to authorize immediate termination of the contract if certain conditions exist; requiring the Department of Management Services, in consultation with the Department of Legal Affairs, to annually prepare a list of affected states and territories; providing for distribution of such list to agencies; providing for applicability and construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Stargel-

SB 1564—A bill to be entitled An act relating to genetic information for insurance purposes; amending s. 627.4301, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting life insurers and long-term care insurers from canceling, limiting, or denying coverage, or establishing differentials in premium rates, based on genetic information under certain circumstances; prohibiting such insurers from taking certain actions relating to genetic information for any insurance purpose; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Braynon-

SB 1566—A bill to be entitled An act relating to concealed weapons or firearms licensing; amending s. 790.06, F.S.; decreasing the number of years that licenses to carry concealed weapons or firearms are valid; specifying that experience with a firearm through military service in the Armed Forces of the United States meets the requirement of demonstrating competence with a firearm; requiring that the full set of fingerprints submitted as part of an application for a license be retained by specified entities; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to bear the licensee's fingerprint retention fee; revising the required notice by the department to licensees before the expiration date of such licenses to include electronic notice; requiring renewing licensees to submit a full set of fingerprints and the personal identifying information required by federal law; requiring the department to bear the renewing licensee's fingerprint retention fee; providing that charges for fingerprint retention are not subject to a certain sales tax; requiring a licensee, upon each renewal, to provide proof of completion of a firearms training or safety course or class; requiring instructors to maintain certain records for a specified timeframe; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Hutson-

SB 1568—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating s. 446.541, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining terms; providing that individuals enrolled in certain preapprenticeship programs are deemed to be employees of the state for purposes of workers' compensation coverage; amending s. 446.011, F.S.; revising legislative intent related to apprenticeship training; amending s. 446.021, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; amending s. 446.032, F.S.; providing for the general duties of the Department of Education with regard to apprenticeship and preapprenticeship programs; amending s. 446.041, F.S.; requiring the department to review and evaluate uniform minimum standards for apprenticeship programs; amending s. 446.045, F.S.; requiring that a representative of the Office of Apprenticeship of the United States Department of Labor serve ex officio as a nonvoting member of the State Apprenticeship Advisory Council; requiring the

council to meet at the call of the chair or the chair's designee; amending s. 446.051, F.S.; requiring the apprenticeship or preapprenticeship program sponsors to be responsible for the selection and training of instructors, as approved by the department; amending s. 446.052, F.S.; providing that apprenticeship program sponsors are encouraged to cooperate in developing and establishing registered preapprenticeship programs that include career instruction; amending s. 446.071, F.S.; providing that certain organizations may be apprenticeship sponsors; amending s. 446.081, F.S.; revising the applicability of a certain limitation; repealing s. 446.091, F.S., relating to an on-the-job training program; amending s. 446.092, F.S.; revising criteria for apprenticeship occupations; amending s. 1003.4156, F.S.; providing that students are encouraged to complete one course in career and educational planning for promotion to high school from middle school; amending s. 1003.4282, F.S.; authorizing school districts and regional consortia to work with national providers to submit to the department for approval recommended career-themed courses that satisfy high school credit requirements; amending s. 1007.23, F.S.; requiring a statewide articulation agreement contain three mathematics pathways; requiring the Articulation Coordinating Committee to convene a representative workgroup composed of academic affairs administrators and faculty from state universities and Florida College System institutions; requiring the workgroup to report its recommendations to the committee, the Board of Governors, and the State Board of Education by a certain date; requiring the Articulation Coordinating Committee to approve the mathematics pathways by a specified date; amending s. 1007.2616, F.S.; requiring public schools to include computational thinking and foundational computer science skills in instruction to students; deleting obsolete language; authorizing school districts to apply to the department for funding for specified purposes; requiring the department to award funding to school districts or consortia using specified criteria; amending s. 1008.44, F.S.; providing that the Commissioner of Education may limit CAPE industry certification and CAPE Digital Tool certificates to students in certain grades for a specified purpose; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; revising the calculation of certain additional full-time equivalent membership relating to funding for the operation of schools; authorizing the use of a specified percentage of certain funds for CAPE program expenses; prohibiting the use of CAPE funding to supplant funds provided for basic operation of the CAPE program; amending s. 1011.802, F.S.; requiring the department to administer the grant program and establish criteria for selection; providing the amount allocated that may be used by the department to administer the grant program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Perry-

SB 1570-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Division of Library and Information Services; amending s. 257.22, F.S.; removing the date by which the division must submit an annual report regarding the allocation of library funding to the Chief Financial Officer; repealing s. 257.34, F.S., relating to the Florida International Archive and Repository; amending s. 257.35, F.S.; revising the duties and responsibilities of the division in the administration of the Florida State Archives; conforming a cross-reference to changes made by the act; amending s. 257.36, F.S.; revising the duties and responsibilities of the division in the administration of the records and information management program; clarifying provisions governing the storage of records transferred to the division for storage; removing the requirement that the division notify an agency by certified mail of a record's eligibility for destruction; deleting a provision that provides for title of a record to pass to the division under specified circumstances; deleting a provision specifying the effect of a preservation duplicate of a record; specifying the role and duties of records management liaison officers; amending s. 257.42, F.S.; removing a limitation on the annual grant amount that the administrative unit of a library cooperative may receive from the state for purposes of sharing library resources; amending s. 120.54, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations. By Senator Stewart—

**SR 1572**—A resolution expressing the Legislature's recognition of this state's susceptibility to climate change and its intention to adopt policies to combat climate change.

—was referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; Environment and Natural Resources; and Rules.

By Senator Baxley-

**SB 1574**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to contingency fees; creating s. 287.05905, F.S.; defining the term "local or regional governmental entity"; prohibiting local and regional governmental entities from entering into contingency fee contracts above specified limits with private attorneys and law firms; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Judiciary; and Rules.

By Senator Rodriguez-

**SB 1576**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporate income taxes; repealing s. 220.1105, F.S., relating to corporate income taxes imposed, automatic refunds, and downward adjustments of such tax rates; amending ss. 220.11, and 220.63, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Hutson-

**SB 1578**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; creating s. 1002.24, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; requiring the Department of Education to collect certain information about career preparation and placement in this state; requiring the department to annually distribute such information to school guidance counselors at each public high school in this state; requiring such career preparation and placement information to be distributed to students by a certain date each year; authorizing the department to enter into a memorandum of understanding to share the career preparation and placement information with other state agencies; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; authorizing state universities designated by the State Board of Education to sponsor a charter school; authorizing a Florida College System institution designated by the state board to sponsor a charter school under certain circumstances; authorizing a state university or Florida College System institution to deny an application for a charter school; revising requirements for the report made by sponsors to the Department of Education; eliminating a requirement that a charter school working with a Florida College System institution must implement a blended learning instructional model; providing that the board of trustees of a sponsoring state university or Florida College System institution is the local educational agency for purposes of receiving federal funds for sponsored charter schools; providing that a student enrolled in a charter school that is sponsored by a state university or a Florida College System institution may not be included in the calculation of a school district's grade; requiring the department, in collaboration with charter school sponsors and charter school operators, to develop a sponsor evaluation framework that must address certain requirements; deleting a provision related to acceptance and consideration of charter school applications; deleting a provision requiring that initial startup of a charter school commence within a specified timeframe; providing that charter schools operated by a municipality, a public entity, or a private, not-for-profit organization are eligible for a 15-year charter if approved by the sponsor; requiring sponsors to report a charter school that closes as part of a consolidation; clarifying the circumstances under which a charter may be terminated immediately; providing for certain property, improvements, furnishings, and equipment to revert to the sponsor upon dissolution of a charter school; providing that a sponsor may not assume charter school debt except under certain circumstances; authorizing charter schools to limit the enrollment process to target certain additional student populations; requiring that any arrangement entered into to borrow or otherwise secure funds for a charter school from certain sources indemnify the sponsor, rather than the school

district; specifying funding requirements for students enrolled in a charter school sponsored by a state university or a Florida College System institution; requiring a local governing authority to provide a written justification for any challenged requirements, restrictions, and site planning processes, under certain circumstances; requiring courts to award attorney fees and court costs to a charter school if they determine that a local governing authority failed to treat a charter school equitably; providing that places of worship, rather than only specifically churches, may provide space to charter schools in their facilities; prohibiting local governing authorities from imposing additional requirements on such facilities; requiring that the educational occupant load for a charter school within such facilities be based solely on the criteria set forth in the Florida Building Code and the Florida Fire Prevention Code; authorizing a school district to enter into an agreement to plan, design, and construct a charter school and to serve as the financial agent, lienholder, or lessor; requiring a sponsor to provide access to the sponsor's student information systems and student performance data in certain circumstances; amending s. 1002.333, F.S.; requiring the department to annually provide to school districts a list of certain facilities; requiring the department to update and publish a final list of such facilities owned or operated by each school district by a certain date; authorizing allocated funds that are not disbursed by a certain date to be carried forward for up to 7 years after the date of the original appropriation; amending s. 1003.493, F.S.; authorizing charter schools to offer career and professional academies; amending s. 1013.385, F.S.; deleting provisions authorizing certain resolutions to propose the implementation of specified exceptions to certain building code requirements; providing that resolutions may implement exceptions to certain sections of the Florida Building Code that limit the ability of a school district to design and construct a facility in the same manner as a charter school; reenacting ss. 11.40(c)(2), 163.3180(6)(h), 196.1983, 218.39(1)(e), 381.0056(4)(a), 409.1664(1)(b), 409.9072(1), 944.801(7), 951.176(1), 1006.15(3)(d), 1008.33(3)(c), and 1011.61(1)(c), F.S., relating to the Legislative Auditing Committee, concurrency, the charter school exemption from ad valorem taxes, annual financial audit reports, the school health services program, adoption benefits for qualifying adoptive employees of state agencies, Medicaid provider agreements for charter schools and private schools, education for state prisoners, provision of education, student standards for participation in interscholastic and intrascholastic extracurricular student activities, authority to enforce public school improvement, and definitions for the Florida Education Finance Program, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 1002.33, F.S., in references thereto; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; and Appropriations.

By Senator Braynon-

SB 1580—A bill to be entitled An act relating to minority businesses; creating s. 288.715, F.S.; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to establish a revolving loan guarantee program; providing the purpose of the program; requiring the department to contract with an entity meeting certain criteria to administer the program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Simmons-

SB 1582—A bill to be entitled An act relating to asbestos trust claims; creating s. 774.301, F.S.; defining terms; requiring a plaintiff who files an asbestos claim to provide certain information to the parties of the action within a specified timeframe; requiring the plaintiff to supplement the information and materials under certain circumstances within a specified timeframe; authorizing the defendant to seek discovery from an asbestos trust; prohibiting the plaintiff from claiming privilege or confidentiality to bar discovery of such materials; providing that asbestos trust claim materials and trust governance documents are admissible in evidence under certain circumstances; providing for the adjustment of a judgment under certain circumstances; providing for severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; and Rules.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs-

SB 7000—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reporting abuse, abandonment, and neglect; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; deleting the terms "juvenile sexual abuse" and "child who has exhibited inappropriate sexual behavior"; defining the term "child-on-child sexual abuse"; conforming cross-references; creating s. 39.101, F.S.; relocating existing provisions relating to the central abuse hotline of the Department of Children and Families; providing additional requirements relating to the hotline; amending s. 39.201, F.S.; revising when a person is required to report to the central abuse hotline; requiring the department to conduct a child protective investigation under certain circumstances; requiring the department to notify certain persons and agencies when certain child protection investigations are initiated; providing requirements relating to such investigations; requiring animal control officers and certain agents to provide their names to hotline staff; requiring central abuse hotline counselors to advise reporters of certain information; requiring that counselors receive specified periodic training; revising requirements relating to reports of abuse involving impregnation of children; amending s. 39.205, F.S.; providing penalties for the failure to report known or suspected child abuse, abandonment, or neglect; providing construction; specifying that certain persons are not relieved from the duty to report by notifying a supervisor; creating s. 39.208, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; providing responsibilities for child protective investigators relating to animal abuse and neglect; providing criminal, civil, and administrative immunity to certain persons; providing responsibilities for animal control officers relating to child abuse, abandonment, and neglect; providing criminal penalties; requiring the department to develop certain training in consultation with the Florida Animal Control Association which relates to child and animal abuse, abandonment, and neglect; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 39.302, F.S.; conforming crossreferences; authorizing certain persons to be represented by an attorney during institutional investigations and under certain circumstances; providing requirements relating to institutional investigations; amending s. 828.126, F.S.; providing a purpose; revising the definition of the term "sexual contact"; revising prohibitions relating to sexual conduct and sexual contact with an animal; revising criminal penalties; requiring a court to issue certain orders; amending s. 828.27, F.S.; requiring certain animal control officers to complete specified training; providing requirements for the training; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; assigning offense severity rankings for sexual activities involving animals; amending s. 1006.061, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; requiring the Department of Education to coordinate with the Department of Children and Families to develop, update, and publish certain notices; amending s. 1012.795, F.S.; requiring the Education Practices Commission to suspend the educator certificate of certain personnel and administrators for failing to report known or suspected child abuse; amending s. 39.307, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 39.202, 39.301, 39.521, 39.6012, 322.09, 394.495, 627.746, 934.03, 934.255, and 960.065, F.S.: conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; and Rules.

SB 7002—Not referenced.

By the Committee on Finance and Tax-

**SB 7004**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 197.3225, F.S., relating to an exemption from public records requirements for taxpayer email addresses held by a tax collector for certain purposes; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By the Committee on Ethics and Elections-

**SB 7006**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to penalties for violations of the constitutional prohibition against abuse of public position;

reenacting s. 112.317, F.S., relating to penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules.

By the Committee on Education-

SB 7008—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 474.2167, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain animal medical records held by a state college of veterinary medicine that is accredited by the American Veterinary Medical Association Council on Education; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space-

SB 7010—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 119.071, F.S., which provides a public records exemption for the identification and location information of servicemembers and the spouses and dependents of servicemembers; expanding the exemption by removing the requirement that a servicemember submit a written statement that reasonable efforts have been made to protect the information in order to claim the exemption; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs-

SB 7012—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mental health; amending s. 14.2019, F.S.; providing additional duties for the Statewide Office for Suicide Prevention; amending s. 14.20195, F.S.; providing additional duties for the Suicide Prevention Coordinating Council; revising the composition of the council; amending s. 334.044, F.S.; requiring the Department of Transportation to work with the office in developing a plan relating to evidence-based suicide deterrents in certain locations; amending s. 394.455, F.S.; defining the term "first episode psychosis program"; amending s. 394.4573, F.S.; revising the requirements for the annual state behavioral health services assessment; revising the essential elements of a coordinated system of care; amending s. 394.463, F.S.; requiring that certain information be provided to the guardian or representative of a minor patient released from involuntary examination; creating s. 456.0342, F.S.; providing applicability; requiring specified persons to complete certain suicide prevention education courses by a specified date; requiring certain boards to include the hours for such courses in the total hours of continuing education required for the profession; amending s. 627.6675, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 627.668, F.S.; requiring certain entities issuing, delivering, or issuing for delivery certain health insurance policies to comply with specified federal provisions that prohibit the imposition of less favorable benefit limitations on mental health and substance use disorder benefits than on medical and surgical benefits; deleting provisions relating to optional coverage for mental and nervous disorders by such entities; revising the standard for defining substance use disorders; requiring such entities to submit an annual affidavit attesting to compliance with federal law; requiring the office to implement and enforce certain federal laws in a specified manner; authorizing the Financial Services Commission to adopt rules; repealing s. 627.669, F.S., relating to optional coverage required for substance abuse impaired persons; amending s. 627.6699, F.S.; providing applicability; amending s. 641.26, F.S.; requiring certain entities to submit an annual affidavit to the Office of Insurance Regulation attesting to compliance with certain requirements; authorizing the office to adopt rules; amending s. 641.31, F.S.; requiring that certain health maintenance contracts comply with certain requirements; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; creating s. 786.1516, F.S.; defining the terms "emergency care" and "suicide emergency"; providing that persons

providing certain emergency care are not liable for civil damages or penalties under certain circumstances; amending ss. 1002.33 and 1012.583, F.S.; requiring charter schools and public schools, respectively, to incorporate certain training on suicide prevention in continuing education and inservice training requirements; providing that such schools must require all instructional personnel to participate in the training; requiring such schools to have a specified minimum number of staff members who are certified or deemed competent in the use of suicide screening instruments; requiring such schools to have a policy for such instruments; requiring such schools to report certain compliance to the Department of Education; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 394.495, 394.496, 394.9085, 409.972, 464.012, and 744.2007, F.S.; conforming cross-references; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to perform a review of certain programs and efforts relating to suicide prevention programs in other states and make certain recommendations; requiring the office to submit a report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance-

**SB 7014**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 560.312, F.S., relating to an exemption from public records requirements for certain payment instrument transaction information held by the Office of Financial Regulation; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By the Committee on Infrastructure and Security-

SB 7016—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Statewide Office of Resiliency; creating s. 14.2031, F.S.; establishing the office within the Executive Office of the Governor; providing for appointment of the Chief Resilience Officer by the Governor; creating the Statewide Sea-Level Rise Task Force within the office; specifying the purpose of the task force; providing for the membership of the task force; providing timeframes for initial appointments and the task force's initial meeting; specifying duties of the task force; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to contract for specified services, upon request of the task force; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to serve as the task force's contract administrator and to provide administrative support; authorizing the designation of technical advisory groups for specified purposes; prescribing reporting requirements; requiring the Environmental Regulation Commission to take certain action on the task force's recommendations; specifying the function of the consensus baseline projections; providing for future repeal of the task force; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Infrastructure and Security—

SB 7018—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electric vehicle charging station infrastructure; creating s. 366.945, F.S.; providing legislative findings; requiring the Public Service Commission, in consultation with the Department of Transportation and the Office of Energy within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, to develop and recommend, by a specified date, to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives a plan for the development of electric vehicle charging station infrastructure along the State Highway System; authorizing the commission to consult with other agencies as the commission deems appropriate; requiring the plan to include recommendations for legislation; authorizing the plan to include other recommendations as determined by the commission; providing the goals and objectives of the plan; requiring the commission to file a status report with the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date containing any preliminary recommendations, including recommendations for legislation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Infrastructure and Security-

SB 7020—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency staging areas; creating s. 338.236, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation to plan, design, and construct staging areas as part of the turnpike system for the intended purpose of staging supplies for prompt provision of assistance to the public in a declared state of emergency; requiring the department, in consultation with the Division of Emergency Management, to select sites for such areas; providing factors to be considered by the department and division in selecting sites; requiring the department to give priority consideration to placement of such staging areas in specified counties; authorizing the department to acquire property necessary for such staging areas; authorizing the department to authorize certain other uses of staging areas; requiring staging area projects to be included in the department's work program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Infrastructure and Security-

**SB 7022**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 119.0712, F.S., which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain e-mail addresses collected by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; correcting a cross-reference; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

## **COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES**

## FIRST READING

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senators Book, Harrell, Stewart, and  $\operatorname{Cruz}$ —

CS for SB 58—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Prescription Drug Donation Repository Program; creating s. 465.1902, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; creating the Prescription Drug Donation Repository Program within the Department of Health; specifying the purpose of the program; authorizing the department to contract with a third-party vendor to administer the program; specifying entities that are eligible donors; providing criteria and procedures for eligible donations; prohibiting donations to specific patients; providing that certain prescription drugs eligible for return to stock must be credited to Medicaid and may not be donated under the program; prohibiting the donation of certain drugs; clarifying that a repository is not required to accept donations of prescription drugs or supplies; requiring inspection of donated prescription drugs and supplies by a licensed pharmacist; providing inspection, inventory, and storage requirements for centralized and local repositories; requiring a local repository to notify the centralized repository within a specified timeframe after receiving a donation of prescription drugs or supplies; authorizing the centralized repository to redistribute prescription drugs or supplies; authorizing a local repository to transfer prescription drugs or supplies to another local repository with authorization from the centralized repository; requiring a local repository to notify the department of its intent to participate in the program; providing notification requirements; providing a procedure for a local repository to withdraw from participation in the program; requiring the department to adopt rules regarding the disposition of prescription drugs and supplies of a withdrawing local repository; specifying conditions for dispensing donated prescription drugs and supplies to eligible patients; providing intake collection form requirements; requiring a local repository to issue an eligible patient who completes an intake collection form a program identification card; prohibiting the sale of donated prescription drugs and supplies under the program; authorizing a repository to charge the patient a nominal

handling fee for the preparation and dispensing of prescription drugs or supplies under the program; requiring repositories to establish a protocol for notifying recipients of a prescription drug recall; providing for destruction of donated prescription drugs under certain circumstances; providing recordkeeping requirements; requiring the centralized repository to submit annual reports to the department; requiring the department or contractor to establish, maintain, and publish a registry of participating local repositories and available donated prescription drugs and supplies; requiring the department to publish certain information and forms on its website; providing immunity from civil and criminal liability and from professional disciplinary action for participants under certain circumstances; providing immunity to pharmaceutical manufacturers, under certain circumstances, from any claim or injury arising from the donation of any prescription drug or supply under the program; requiring dispensers to provide certain notice to patients; authorizing the department to establish a direct-support organization to provide assistance, funding, and promotional support for program activities; providing organizational requirements for a directsupport organization; specifying direct-support organization purposes and objectives; prohibiting the direct-support organization from lobbying; specifying that the direct-support organization is not a lobbying firm; prohibiting the direct-support organization from possessing prescription drugs on behalf of the program; providing limitations on expenditures of such direct-support organizations; specifying that the direct-support organization must operate under contract with the department; specifying required contract terms; providing for the direct-support organization board of directors; specifying the board's membership requirements; specifying requirements for and requiring the department to adopt rules relating to a direct-support organization's use of department property; specifying requirements for the deposit and use of funds by the direct-support organization; providing for annual audits of a direct-support organization; providing for future legislative review and repeal of provisions relating to the direct-support organization; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 252.36, F.S.; authorizing the Governor to waive program patient eligibility requirements during a declared state of emergency; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Cruz-

CS for SB 66—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student loans and scholarship obligations of health care practitioners; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; establishing that a health care practitioner's failure to repay a student loan or to comply with service scholarship obligations does not constitute grounds for disciplinary action; removing a civil fine; amending s. 456.0721, F.S.; removing the requirement that the Department of Health investigate and prosecute health care practitioners for failing to repay a student loan or to comply with scholarship service obligations; removing the requirement that the department include specified information related to such investigations and prosecutions in an annual report; amending s. 456.074, F.S.; removing the requirement, and related provisions, that the department immediately suspend the licenses of certain health care practitioners for failing to provide within a specified timeframe proof of new payment terms for student loans in default; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Bean—

CS for SB 124—A bill to be entitled An act relating to custody of minor children by extended family; amending s. 751.01, F.S.; revising the purposes of ch. 751, F.S.; amending s. 751.011, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "extended family member"; amending s. 751.02, F.S.; revising the requirements for individuals seeking concurrent custody; amending s. 751.03, F.S.; allowing any other provisions related to the best interest of the child to be considered in a petition for temporary or concurrent custody; amending s. 751.05, F.S.; authorizing courts to include provisions requested in petitions for temporary or concurrent custody which relate to the best interest of the child; authorizing courts to require parties to comply with provisions approved in the order which relate to the best interest of the child; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Judiciary; and Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Bean—

CS for CS for SB 124—A bill to be entitled An act relating to custody of minor children by extended family; amending s. 751.01, F.S.; revising the purposes of ch. 751, F.S.; amending s. 751.011, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "extended family member"; amending s. 751.02, F.S.; revising the requirements for individuals seeking concurrent custody; amending s. 751.03, F.S.; allowing any other provisions related to the best interest of the child to be considered in a petition for temporary or concurrent custody; amending s. 751.05, F.S.; authorizing courts to include provisions requested in petitions for temporary or concurrent custody which relate to the best interest of the child; authorizing courts to require parties to comply with provisions approved in the order which relate to the best interest of the child; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Wright—

CS for SB 128—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain identifying and location information of current and former judicial assistants and their spouses and children; providing for retroactive application of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senators Hutson and Diaz-

CS for SB 130—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Job Growth Grant Fund; amending s. 288.101, F.S.; authorizing the Governor to approve workforce training grants to certain charter schools under the Florida Job Growth Grant Fund; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; authorizing certain public schools to apply for specified grant funds; requiring grant funds to be used toward specified expenses; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senators Hutson and Bradlev—

CS for SB 140—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fireworks; creating s. 791.08, F.S.; defining the term "designated holiday"; providing an exemption for the use of fireworks solely and exclusively during a designated holiday; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Banking and Insurance; and Community Affairs; and Senators Hutson and Bradley—

CS for CS for SB 140—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fireworks; creating s. 791.08, F.S.; defining the term "designated holiday"; providing an exemption for the use of fireworks solely and exclusively during a designated holiday; providing construction; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senator Brandes—

CS for SB 148—A bill to be entitled An act relating to limitations on homestead assessments; amending s. 193.155, F.S.; revising the time-frame during which the accrued benefit from specified limitations on homestead property tax assessments may be transferred from a prior homestead to a new homestead; deleting obsolete provisions; revising the timeframe during which an owner of homestead property significantly damaged or destroyed by a named tropical storm or hurricane must establish a new homestead to make a certain election; providing applicability; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senator Thurston-

CS for SB 154—A bill to be entitled An act relating to human trafficking education in schools; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; revising the required health education in public schools to include information regarding the dangers and signs of human trafficking; specifying the

minimum requirements of the human trafficking education portion of the comprehensive health education curriculum; providing an effective date

By the Committee on Education; and Senator Perry-

**CS for SB 156**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Early Childhood Music Education Incentive Pilot Program; amending s. 1003.481, F.S.; extending the scheduled expiration of the pilot program; revising an eligibility requirement; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senators Perry and Hooper-

CS for SB 160—A bill to be entitled An act relating to peer-to-peer support for first responders; creating s. 111.09, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting a first responder peer from testifying or divulging specified information under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; prohibiting liability and a cause of action under certain circumstances; providing construction; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senators Cruz, Pizzo, Berman, Gibson, Book, Stewart, Rader, Rouson, Taddeo, Torres, Farmer, and Rodriguez—

CS for SB 168—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drinking water in public schools; creating s. 1013.29, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining terms; subject to legislative appropriation, requiring district boards to coordinate with district school boards to identify certain schools and to provide funding to such schools; requiring certain school districts to install filters that meet certain specifications on drinking water sources; requiring such schools to post certain signage on certain water sources and school boards to publish specified information on school district websites; authorizing district boards to request additional funding to compensate school district staff for the installation or replacement of filters; limiting the additional funding to not more than the amount appropriated; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Stewart, Perry, and Harrell—  $\,$ 

CS for SB 170—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the time limitation on the prosecution of sexual battery cases; amending s. 775.15, F.S.; providing that a prosecution may be commenced at any time for specified sexual battery offenses against victims who were younger than a certain age at the time the offense was committed; providing applicability, providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Infrastructure and Security; and Senator Rodriguez—

CS for SB 178—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public financing of construction projects; creating s. 161.551, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting state-financed constructors from commencing construction of certain structures in coastal areas after a specified date without first taking certain steps regarding a sea level impact projection study; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to develop by rule a standard for such studies; requiring the department to publish such studies on its website, subject to certain conditions; requiring the department to enforce certain requirements and to adopt rules; providing for enforcement; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Taddeo-

CS for SB 194—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Correctional Education Program; amending s. 944.801, F.S.; requiring the Correctional Education Program under the Department of Corrections to develop and implement a plan, in coordination with the Department of Business and Professional Regulation or the applicable board, to

ensure an inmate receives credit for towards licensure if certain criteria is met; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Harrell-

CS for SB 218—A bill to be entitled An act relating to licensure requirements for osteopathic physicians; amending s. 459.0055, F.S.; revising licensure requirements for persons seeking licensure or certification as an osteopathic physician; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senators Cruz, Gibson, Rouson, and Book—

CS for SB 220-A bill to be entitled An act relating to abandoned cemeteries; creating the Task Force on Abandoned African-American Cemeteries; specifying the purpose of the task force; requiring the Department of State to provide administrative and staff support; specifying the composition of the task force; providing meeting requirements; prescribing duties of the task force; requiring the task force to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing for expiration of the task force; requiring the department to partner with specified entities to undertake an investigation of the former Zion Cemetery site; specifying custody of certain historical resources, records, archives, artifacts, research, and medical records; requiring the department to contract with the University of South Florida and the Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University for the identification and location of eligible next of kin; requiring the universities to provide certain information regarding descendants to the department by a specified date; directing the Division of Historical Resources of the department to ensure the listing of certain cemeteries in the Florida Master Site File; requiring the division to seek placement of historical markers at certain abandoned cemeteries, subject to certain limitations; authorizing certain persons and organizations to assist the division in researching the history of such cemeteries; specifying that costs associated with the creation and placement of such historical markers be borne by the division; providing appropriations; providing an effective

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Harrell—

CS for SB 226—A bill to be entitled An act relating to athletic trainers; amending s. 468.701, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "athletic trainer"; deleting a requirement that is relocated to another section; amending s. 468.707, F.S.; revising athletic trainer licensure requirements; amending s. 468.711, F.S.; requiring certain licensees to maintain certification in good standing without lapse as a condition of renewal of their athletic trainer licenses; amending s. 468.713, F.S.; requiring that an athletic trainer work within a specified scope of practice; relocating an existing requirement that was stricken from another section; amending s. 468.723, F.S.; requiring the direct supervision of an athletic training student to be in accordance with rules adopted by the Board of Athletic Training; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Harrell-

CS for SB 230—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Health; amending s. 381.0042, F.S.; revising the purpose of patient care networks from serving patients with acquired immune deficiency syndrome to serving those with human immunodeficiency virus; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; deleting obsolete language; amending s. 381.4018, F.S.; requiring the department to develop strategies to maximize federal-state partnerships that provide incentives for physicians to practice in medically underserved or rural areas; authorizing the department to adopt certain rules; amending s. 401.35, F.S.; clarifying applicability of certain ambulance rules to include emergency medical services vehicles; deleting the requirement that the department base rules governing medical supplies and equipment required in ambulances and emergency medical services vehicles on a certain association's standards; deleting the requirement that the department base rules governing ambulance or emergency medical services vehicle design and construction on a certain agency's standards and instead requiring the department to base such rules on national standards in effect on a certain date; amending s.456.013, F.S.; revising health care practitioner licensure application requirements;

authorizing the board or department to issue a temporary license to certain applicants which expires after 60 days; amending s. 458.3145, F.S.; revising the list of individuals who may be issued a medical faculty certificate without examination; amending s. 458.3312, F.S.; removing a prohibition against physicians representing themselves as board-certified specialists in dermatology unless the recognizing agency is reviewed and reauthorized on a specified basis by the Board of Medicine; amending s. 459.0055, F.S.; revising licensure requirements for a person seeking licensure or certification as an osteopathic physician; repealing s. 460.4166, F.S., relating to registered chiropractic assistants; amending s. 464.019, F.S.; extending through 2025 the Florida Center for Nursing's responsibility to study and issue an annual report on the implementation of nursing education programs; amending s. 464.202, F.S.; requiring the Board of Nursing to adopt rules that include disciplinary procedures and standards of practice for certified nursing assistants; amending s. 464.203, F.S.; revising certification requirements for nursing assistants; amending s. 464.204, F.S.; revising grounds for board-imposed disciplinary sanctions; amending s. 466.006, F.S.; revising certain examination requirements for applicants seeking dental licensure; reviving, reenacting, and amending s. 466.0067, F.S., relating to the application for a health access dental license; reviving, reenacting, and amending s. 466.00671, F.S., relating to the renewal of such a license; reviving and reenacting s. 466.00672, F.S., relating to the revocation of such a license; amending s. 466.007, F.S.; revising requirements for examinations of dental hygienists; amending s. 466.017, F.S.; requiring dentists and certified registered dental hygienists to report in writing certain adverse incidents to the department within a specified timeframe; providing for disciplinary action by the Board of Dentistry for violations; defining the term "adverse incident"; authorizing the board to adopt rules; amending s. 466.031, F.S.; making technical changes; authorizing an employee or an independent contractor of a dental laboratory, acting as an agent of that dental laboratory, to engage in onsite consultation with a licensed dentist during a dental procedure; amending s. 466.036, F.S.; revising the frequency of dental laboratory inspections during a specified period; amending s. 468.701, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "athletic trainer"; deleting a requirement that is relocated to another section; amending s. 468.707, F.S.; revising athletic trainer licensure requirements; amending s. 468.711, F.S.; requiring certain licensees to maintain certification in good standing without lapse as a condition of renewal of their athletic trainer licenses; amending s. 468.713, F.S.; requiring that an athletic trainer work within a specified scope of practice; relocating an existing requirement that was stricken from another section; amending s. 468.723, F.S.; requiring the direct supervision of an athletic training student to be in accordance with rules adopted by the Board of Athletic Training; amending s. 468.803, F.S.; revising orthotic, prosthetic, and pedorthic licensure, registration, and examination requirements; amending s. 480.033, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "apprentice"; amending s. 480.041, F.S.; revising qualifications for licensure as a massage therapist; specifying that massage apprentices licensed before a specified date may continue to perform massage therapy as authorized under their licenses; authorizing massage apprentices to apply for full licensure upon completion of their apprenticeships, under certain conditions; repealing s. 480.042, F.S., relating to examinations for licensure as a massage therapist; amending s. 490.003, F.S.; revising the definition of the terms "doctoral-level psychological education" and "doctoral degree in psychology"; amending s. 490.005, F.S.; revising requirements for licensure by examination of psychologists and school psychologists; amending s. 490.006, F.S.; revising requirements for licensure by endorsement of psychologists and school psychologists; amending s. 491.0045, F.S.; exempting clinical social worker interns, marriage and family therapist interns, and mental health counselor interns from registration requirements, under certain circumstances; amending s. 491.005, F.S.; revising requirements for the licensure by examination of marriage and family therapists; revising requirements for the licensure by examination of mental health counselors; amending s. 491.006, F.S.; revising requirements for licensure by endorsement or certification for specified professions; amending s. 491.007, F.S.; removing a biennial intern registration fee; amending s. 491.009, F.S.; authorizing the Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy, and Mental Health Counseling or, under certain circumstances, the department to enter an order denying licensure or imposing penalties against an applicant for licensure under certain circumstances; amending ss. 491.0046 and 945.42, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Book—  $\,$ 

CS for SB 232—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; expanding the list of incidents or injuries that constitute harm to a child's health or welfare; amending s. 39.303, F.S.; expanding the types of reports that the Department of Children and Families must refer to Child Protection Teams; providing an effective date

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senators Book and Montford—

CS for SB 236—A bill to be entitled An act relating to early childhood courts; creating s. 39.01304, F.S.; providing legislative intent; providing a purpose; authorizing circuit courts to create early childhood court programs; requiring that early childhood court programs have certain components; defining the term "therapeutic jurisprudence"; providing requirements and guidelines for the Office of the State Courts Administrator when hiring community coordinators and a statewide training specialist; authorizing the Trial Court Budget Commission to provide funding to circuit courts that choose to establish a coordination system in lieu of creating a community coordinator position; requiring the Department of Children and Families to contract with certain university-based centers; requiring the university-based centers to hire a clinical director; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Hooper—

CS for SB 246—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public construction; amending s. 218.735, F.S.; revising the amount of retainage that certain local governmental entities and contractors may withhold from progress payments for any construction services contract; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 255.05, F.S.; revising requirements for Department of Management Services rules governing certain contracts; amending s. 255.077, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 255.078, F.S.; revising the amounts of retainage that certain public entities and contractors may withhold from progress payments for any construction services contract; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Broxson—

CS for SB 292—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurance claims data; creating ss. 626.9202 and 627.444, F.S.; defining the terms "loss run statement" and "provide"; requiring surplus lines and authorized insurers, respectively, to provide insureds either a loss run statement or certain information within a certain timeframe after receipt of the insured's written request; providing construction; requiring insurers to provide notice to the agent of record after providing a loss run statement; specifying the required claims history in a loss run statement; providing that insurers are not required to provide loss reserve information; prohibiting insurers from charging a fee to prepare and provide one loss run statement annually; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources; and Senator Perry—

CS for SB 326—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental regulation; amending s. 403.706, F.S.; specifying requirements for contracts between residential recycling collectors or recovered materials processing facilities and counties or municipalities for the collection or processing of residential recycling material; providing that a residential recycling collector or recovered materials processing facility is not required to collect, transport, or process contaminated recyclable material except pursuant to specified contractual requirements after a contract is executed; defining the term "residential recycling collector"; providing applicability; amending s. 403.813, F.S.; prohibiting local governments from requiring further verification from the Department of Environmental Protection for certain projects; revising the types of dock and

pier replacements and repairs that are exempt from such verification and certain permitting requirements; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Bradley-

CS for SB 344—A bill to be entitled An act relating to courts; amending s. 28.345, F.S.; specifying that certain exemptions from court-related fees and charges apply to certain entities; amending s. 744.2008, F.S.; requiring the court to waive any court costs or filing fees for certain proceedings involving public guardians; amending s. 744.3675, F.S.; providing that certain examinations may be performed and reports prepared by a physician assistant or an advanced practice registered nurse under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Bradley, Brandes, Perry, Diaz, Gruters, Bracy, Rouson, Berman, Taddeo, and Stewart—

CS for SB 346-A bill to be entitled An act relating to criminal justice; amending s. 893.13, F.S.; prohibiting the imprisonment for longer than a certain time for persons who possess, purchase, or possess with the intent to purchase less than a specified amount of a controlled substance; providing exceptions; amending s. 893.135, F.S.; authorizing a court to impose a sentence other than a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment and mandatory fine for a person convicted of trafficking if the court makes certain findings on the record; creating s. 900.06, F.S.; defining terms and specifying covered offenses; requiring that a custodial interrogation conducted at a place of detention in connection with certain offenses be electronically recorded in its entirety; requiring law enforcement officers who do not comply with the electronic recording requirement or who conduct custodial interrogations at a location other than a place of detention to prepare a specified report; providing exceptions to the electronic recording requirement; requiring a court to consider a law enforcement officer's failure to comply with the electronic recording requirement in determining the admissibility of a statement, unless an exception applies; requiring a court, upon the request of a defendant, to give certain cautionary instructions to a jury under certain circumstances; providing immunity from civil liability to law enforcement agencies that enforce certain rules; providing that a cause of action is not created against a law enforcement officer; amending s. 961.03, F.S.; revising the circumstances under which a wrongfully incarcerated person must file a petition with the court to determine eligibility for compensation; authorizing certain persons to petition the court to determine eligibility for compensation within a specified timeframe; amending s. 961.04, F.S.; revising the circumstances under which a wrongfully incarcerated person is eligible for compensation; amending s. 893.03, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; reenacting ss. 961.02(4) and 961.03(1)(a), (2), (3), and (4), F.S., all relating to eligibility for compensation for wrongfully incarcerated persons; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Senators Hutson and Diaz—

CS for SB 356—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Keep Our Graduates Working Act; creating s. 120.82, F.S.; providing a short title; providing a purpose; defining terms; prohibiting a state authority from suspending or revoking a person's professional license, certificate, registration, or permit solely on the basis of a delinquency or default in the payment of his or her student loan; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 456.0721, F.S., relating to health care practitioners in default on student loan or scholarship obligations; amending ss. 456.074 and 1009.95, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Berman-

CS for SB 358—A bill to be entitled An act relating to estates and trusts; creating s. 731.1065, F.S.; specifying that precious metals are tangible personal property for the purposes of the Florida Probate Code; providing for retroactive application; amending s. 731.201, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "property"; amending s. 731.301, F.S.; specifying that formal notice is not sufficient to invoke a court's perso-

nal jurisdiction over a person receiving such formal notice; providing applicability; amending s. 733.212, F.S.; revising the required contents of a notice of administration; amending s. 733.610, F.S.; expanding the list of sales or encumbrances that are voidable by interested persons under certain circumstances; amending s. 733.612, F.S.; revising the types of claims and proceedings a personal representative may properly prosecute or defend; amending s. 733.617, F.S.; specifying that certain attorneys and persons are not entitled to compensation for serving as a personal representative unless the attorney or person is related to the testator or unless certain disclosures are made before a will is executed; requiring the testator to execute a written statement that acknowledges that certain disclosures were made; providing requirements for the written statement; specifying when an attorney is deemed to have prepared or supervised the execution of a will; specifying how a person may be related to an individual; specifying when an attorney or a person related to the attorney is deemed to have been nominated in a will; providing construction; providing applicability; amending s. 736.0708, F.S.; specifying that certain attorneys and persons are not entitled to compensation for serving as a trustee unless the attorney or person is related to the settlor or unless certain disclosures are made before the trust instrument is executed; requiring a settlor to execute a written statement that acknowledges that certain disclosures were made; providing requirements for the written statement; specifying when an attorney is deemed to have prepared or supervised the execution of a trust instrument; specifying how a person may be related to an individual; specifying when an attorney or a person related to the attorney is deemed appointed in a trust instrument; providing construction; providing applicability; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senators Rader, Torres, and Pizzo—

CS for SB 364—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Independent Living Task Force; creating s. 420.5075, F.S.; establishing the Independent Living Task Force within the Florida Housing Finance Corporation; defining the term "disability"; providing for duties, membership, and meetings of the task force; requiring the task force to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing for expiration of the task force; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senators Lee, Cruz, Harrell, and Broxson—

CS for SB 372—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary education for certain military personnel; amending s. 1004.096, F.S.; requiring the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education, in consultation with the Department of Veterans' Affairs, to create a process for the uniform award of postsecondary credit or career education clock hours to certain servicemembers and veterans of the United States Armed Forces; requiring the Articulation Coordinating Committee to convene a workgroup by a specified date; providing for membership and duties of the workgroup; providing administrative support for the workgroup; requiring the workgroup to provide recommendations to the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education by a specified date; requiring the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education to approve the recommendations; requiring the Articulation Coordinating Committee to facilitate the review of courses taken and occupations held by individuals during their service in the military for postsecondary credit and career education clock hours; requiring the Articulation Coordinating Committee to approve and the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education to adopt a specified list within a specified timeframe; requiring delineation of credit and career education clock hours in the statewide articulation agreement; requiring certain postsecondary institutions to award uniform postsecondary credit or career education clock hours for specified courses taken and occupations held by individuals during their service in the military; authorizing the award of additional credits or career education clock hours; requiring certain credits and career education clock hours to transfer between specified postsecondary institutions; amending s. 1009.26, F.S.; requiring specified postsecondary institutions to waive the transcript fee for active duty members of the United States Armed Forces, certain veterans, and their spouses and dependents; providing reporting requirements for such fee waivers; requiring the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education to adopt regulations and rules, respectively; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senator Lee-

CS for SB 376—A bill to be entitled An act relating to English language learners; amending s. 1003.4282, F.S.; exempting certain English language learners from a specified graduation requirement; requiring such English language learners to meet other criteria to earn a standard high school diploma; amending s. 1008.22, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1008.34, F.S.; revising school grade components to include certain English language learners who meet specified criteria; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Harrell-

CS for SB 402—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assisted living facilities; amending s. 429.02, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; amending s. 429.07, F.S.; clarifying that an assisted living facility licensed to provide extended congregate care services or limited nursing services must maintain a written progress report on each person receiving services from the facility's staff; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 429.11, F.S.; prohibiting a county or municipality from issuing a business tax receipt, rather than an occupational license, to a facility under certain circumstances; amending s. 429.176, F.S.; amending educational requirements for an administrator who is replacing another administrator; amending s. 429.23, F.S.; removing restrictions on the method by which a facility may send a report to the Agency for Health Care Administration; requiring the agency to send a reminder to the facility 3 business days prior to the deadline for submission of the full report; removing a requirement that each facility file reports of liability claims; amending s. 429.255, F.S.; clarifying that the absence of an order not to resuscitate does not preclude a physician from withholding or withdrawing cardiopulmonary resuscitation or use of an automated external defibrillator; amending s. 429.256, F.S.; requiring a person assisting with a resident's self-administration of medication to confirm that the medication is intended for that resident and to orally advise the resident of the medication name and purpose; amending s. 429.26, F.S.; including medical examinations within criteria used for admission to an assisted living facility; providing specified criteria for determination of appropriateness for admission and continued residency at an assisted living facility; defining the term "bedridden"; requiring that a resident receive a medical examination within a specified timeframe after admission to a facility; requiring that such examination be recorded on a specified form; providing limitations on the use of such form; providing minimum requirements for such form; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; eliminating the role of the Department of Elderly Affairs in certain provisions relating to the placement of residents in assisted living facilities; requiring a facility to notify a resident's representative or designee of the need for health care services and to assist in making appointments for such care and services under certain circumstances; requiring the facility to arrange for necessary care and services if no resident representative or designee is available or responsive; removing provisions relating to the retention of certain residents in a facility; amending s. 429.28, F.S.; revising residents' rights relating to a safe and secure living environment; amending s. 429.41, F.S.; revising legislative intent; removing a provision to conform to changes made by the act; removing a redundant provision authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt certain rules; removing provisions relating to firesafety requirements, which are relocated to another section; requiring county emergency management agencies, rather than local emergency management agencies, to review and approve or disapprove of a facility's comprehensive emergency management plan; requiring a facility to submit a comprehensive emergency management plan to the county emergency management agency within a specified timeframe after its licensure; revising the criteria under which a facility must be fully inspected; revising standards for the care of residents provided by a facility; prohibiting the use of geriatric chairs and Posey restraints in facilities; authorizing other physical restraints to be used under certain conditions and in accordance with certain rules; requiring the agency to establish resident elopement drill requirements; requiring that elopement drills include a review of a facility's procedures to address elopement; revising the criteria under which a facility must be fully inspected; revising provisions requiring the agency to adopt by rule key quality-ofcare standards; creating s. 429.435, F.S.; revising uniform firesafety standards for assisted living facilities, which are relocated to this section; amending s. 429.52, F.S.; revising provisions relating to facility staff training and educational requirements; requiring the agency, in conjunction with providers, to establish core training requirements for facility administrators; revising continuing education requirements for facility staff who assist residents with the self-administration of medications; revising the training requirements for facility staff; revising provisions relating to the training responsibilities of the agency; requiring the agency to contract with another entity to administer a certain competency test; requiring the department to adopt a curriculum outline to be used by core trainers; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senators Stargel, Hutson, Harrell, Gruters, Mayfield, Baxley, Diaz, and Albritton—

CS for SB 404-A bill to be entitled An act relating to parental consent for abortion; creating s. 390.01117, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; prohibiting a physician from performing an abortion on a minor unless the physician has been presented with consent from the minor's parent or guardian, as appropriate; providing an exception for a medical emergency; requiring a monthly report to be filed by certain physicians with the Department of Health on a form adopted by department rule; requiring the department to compile data collected from such forms and make it available on its website; authorizing a minor to petition any circuit court in which the minor resides for a waiver of consent required to obtain an abortion; requiring a specified statement to be included in the petition; providing for court-appointed counsel and confidentiality; requiring the court to give preference to waiver of consent proceedings and requiring a court to rule within a specified timeframe; providing for an extension of time at the request of the minor; authorizing a minor to petition for a hearing upon the expiration of the time allowed and requiring the chief judge of the circuit to ensure that a hearing is held and that an order is entered within specified timeframes; providing for appeals within a specified timeframe; requiring the court to dismiss the petition if it does not make specified findings; requiring the court to consider undue influence on the minor's decision and specified factors; requiring the court to report any findings of evidence of child abuse or sexual abuse of the petitioner; requiring a court to provide for a written transcript of waiver of consent proceedings and include certain findings and conclusions in its order; prohibiting filing fees or costs for a minor who petitions the court for a waiver of consent; specifying that a county is not required to pay the salaries, costs, or expenses of certain court-appointed counsel; requesting the Supreme Court to adopt certain rules and forms relating to waiver of consent proceedings; providing criminal penalties and disciplinary action; providing construction and severability; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Stargel-

CS for SB 406—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 390.01118, F.S.; providing a public records exemption for information that could identify a minor which is contained in a record held by the court relating to the minor's petition to waive consent requirements to obtain an abortion; providing for future legislative review and repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senator Diaz-

**CS for SB 418**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workforce education; amending s. 1011.80, F.S.; revising the workforce education programs that school district career centers are authorized to conduct; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senator Montford-

**CS for SB 434**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to designation of school grades; amending s. 1008.34, F.S.; revising the components on which a school's grade is based; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Wright-

CS for SB 464—A bill to be entitled An act relating to certain defendants with mental illness; amending s. 394.658, F.S.; exempting certain fiscally constrained counties from local match requirements for specified grants; amending s. 916.105, F.S.; providing legislative intent; creating s. 916.135, F.S.; defining the terms "misdemeanor court" and "misdemeanor defendant"; encouraging communities to apply for specified grants to establish misdemeanor mental health jail diversion programs; outlining a suggested process for such programs; authorizing the court to refer a misdemeanor defendant charged with a misdemeanor crime for certain evaluation or assessment if a party or the court raises a concern regarding the misdemeanor defendant's competency to proceed due to a mental disorder; requiring the tolling of speedy trial periods and the following of certain provisions if a professional certificate is issued; authorizing the court to hold an evidentiary hearing to make a certain determination by clear and convincing evidence; authorizing the court to execute certain orders to require the misdemeanor defendant to complete a mental health assessment under certain circumstances; authorizing the state attorney to consider dismissal of the charges upon a misdemeanor defendant's successful completion of all treatment recommendations from a mental health assessment; authorizing the court to exhaust therapeutic intervention before a misdemeanor defendant is returned to jail; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Brandes and Bracy—

CS for SB 470-A bill to be entitled An act relating to searches of cellular phones and other electronic devices; amending s. 933.02, F.S.; expanding the grounds for issuance of a search warrant to include content held within a cellular phone, portable electronic communication device, or microphone-enabled household device when such content constitutes evidence relevant to proving that a felony has been committed; amending s. 933.04, F.S.; adopting the constitutional protection against unreasonable interception of private communications by any means for purposes of obtaining a search warrant; amending s. 934.01, F.S.; revising and providing legislative findings; amending s. 934.02, F.S.; redefining the terms "oral communication" and "electronic communication"; defining the terms "microphone-enabled household device" and "portable electronic communication device"; amending s. 934.03, F.S.; authorizing specified persons to provide information, facilities, or technical assistance to a person authorized by law to intercept wire, oral, or electronic communications if such person has been provided with a search warrant issued by a court of competent jurisdiction; prohibiting specified persons from disclosing the existence of any interception of a wire, oral, or electronic communication with respect to which the person has been served with a search warrant, rather than a court order; amending s. 934.06, F.S.; prohibiting the use of certain communication content in any trial, hearing or other proceeding which was obtained without a specified warrant; providing an exception; amending s. 934.07, F.S.; authorizing a judge to issue a search warrant, rather than grant a court order, in conformity with specified provisions; authorizing the Department of Law Enforcement to request a law enforcement agency that provided certain information to join the department in seeking a new search warrant; amending s. 934.09, F.S.; requiring that each application for a search warrant, rather than an order, authorizing or approving the interception of wire, oral, or electronic communications be made in writing and state the applicant's authority; authorizing a judge to authorize a search warrant ex parte, rather than an ex parte order, based on the application under certain circumstances; specifying requirements for search warrants, rather than orders, issued under certain circumstances; authorizing an aggrieved person to move to suppress the contents of certain wire, oral, or electronic communications before, as well as during, a trial, hearing, or proceeding; providing for inadmissibility of certain evidence if a certain motion is granted; authorizing a judge of competent jurisdiction to authorize interception of wire, oral, or electronic communications within this state under specified circumstances; amending s. 934.10, F.S.; providing that a good faith reliance on a search warrant, rather than a court order, subpoena, or legislative authorization, issued under certain provisions constitutes a complete defense against specified actions; amending s. 934.21, F.S.; revising the exceptions to conduct that constitutes unlawful access to stored communications; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 934.42, F.S.; defining the terms "mobile tracking device," "real-time location tracking," and "historical location data"; authorizing an investigative or law enforcement officer to apply to a judge of competent jurisdiction for a search warrant, rather than an order, authorizing real-time location tracking or acquisition of historical location data; requiring an application for a search warrant to include a statement setting forth a reasonable period of time the mobile tracking device may be used or the location data may be obtained in real time, not to exceed a specified limit; authorizing a court to grant extensions, for good cause, that do not individually exceed a specified limit; requiring an applicant seeking historical location data to specify a date range for the data sought; deleting a provision requiring a certification to be included in the application; requiring the court, if it finds probable cause and that the application contains the required statements, to grant a search warrant; specifying that the search warrant may authorize real-time location tracking or acquisition of historical location data; providing that the search warrant may authorize the tracking as specified; requiring the search warrant to command the investigative or law enforcement officer to complete any initiation of the location tracking or execution of the search warrant for historical location data authorized by the search warrant within a certain timeframe; providing requirements for the return of the search warrant to the judge and for service of a copy of the search warrant on the person who was tracked or whose property was tracked; providing requirements for returning and serving a search warrant authorizing the acquisition of historical location data; authorizing a court, for good cause, to postpone the notice requirement for a specified time period; requiring that the standards established by Florida courts for the installation, use, or monitoring of mobile tracking devices and the acquisition of location data apply to the installation, use, or monitoring of any devices and the acquisition of location data as authorized by certain provisions; deleting the definition of "tracking device"; authorizing any investigative or law enforcement officer who is specially designated by certain persons and who makes specified determinations to engage in real-time location tracking if a search warrant is obtained, as specified, after the tracking has occurred or begins to occur; providing requirements for engaging in real-time location tracking; specifying when realtime location tracking must terminate; reenacting s. 934.22(2)(b), F.S., relating to voluntary disclosure of customer communications or records, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 934.03 and 934.07, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 934.27(1) and (4), F.S., relating to relief, damages, and defenses for certain civil actions, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 934.09 and 934.21, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting ss. 934.23(6), 934.24(6) and (7), 934.25(5), and 934.28, F.S., relating to required disclosures of customer communications or records, a subscriber or customer filing a motion for certain relief and customer notification, delayed notice, and the exclusivity of remedies and sanctions for certain violations, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 934.21, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective

By the Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Senator Hooper—

CS for SB 476—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement vehicles; creating ss. 718.129, 719.131, and 720.318, F.S.; providing that condominium, cooperative, and homeowners' associations, respectively, may not prohibit a law enforcement officer from parking his or her assigned law enforcement vehicle in certain areas; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senator Baxley-

CS for SB 498—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consumer protection; creating s. 501.0195, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; defining the term "unlicensed vendor"; requiring an unlicensed vendor to take certain actions within a specified timeframe after receiving payment; providing an exception; providing that the unlicensed vendor has the burden to prove just cause; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 501.022, F.S.; removing an exemption from permitting requirements for certain solicitors, salespersons, and agents; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Perry—

CS for SB 506—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the public procurement of services; amending s. 255.103, F.S.; revising the maximum dollar amount for continuing contracts for construction projects; amending s. 287.055, F.S.; revising the term "continuing contract" to increase certain maximum dollar amounts for professional architectural, engineering, landscape architectural, and surveying and mapping services; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Gruters and Taddeo—  $\,$ 

**CS for SB 522**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cruelty to dogs; amending s. 828.12, F.S.; prohibiting a person from restraining a dog outside and unattended during a natural disaster; providing a criminal penalty; providing a fine; defining terms; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senators Gruters, Flores, Farmer, Stewart, Rouson, Cruz, Berman, Harrell, Gibson, Bracy, Pizzo, Hooper, and Torres—

CS for SB 530-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the entertainment industry; creating the Film, Television, and Digital Media Targeted Rebate Program within the Department of Economic Opportunity under the supervision of the Commissioner of Film and Entertainment; providing purposes for the program; defining terms; requiring that film, television, and digital media projects being produced in this state meet specified criteria for rebate eligibility; authorizing applicants to receive rebates up to a specified amount, including bonuses; requiring an applicant that receives funding to make a good faith effort to use existing providers of infrastructure or equipment in this state and to employ residents of this state; requiring the commissioner to set application windows for the rebate; providing requirements for the department relating to earmarking and setting aside rebate funds; providing procedures and requirements for applicants applying for the rebate; requiring the commissioner to take specified action within a reasonable period of time; requiring the Florida Film and Entertainment Advisory Council to determine a score for each qualified project using specified criteria; requiring the commissioner to determine the priority order and scoring system of the specified criteria with assistance from the council and certain other persons; requiring the council to use certain criteria; requiring the commissioner to take certain actions relating to the certification or rejection of qualified projects in a timely manner; requiring the department to earmark and set aside funding necessary to fund the total maximum that may be awarded to the certified projects, if funds are available; requiring the commissioner to develop a process to verify the actual qualified expenditures and rebate bonus eligibility of a certified project after the project's work in this state is complete; providing requirements for the verification process; requiring that the rebate be issued within a reasonable period of time upon approval of the final rebate amount by the department; requiring that certain marketing be included with a project; requiring certified projects to allow certain persons to visit the production site upon request of the commissioner and after providing the commissioner with reasonable notice; specifying that the commissioner or his or her affiliate is not required to visit the production site; requiring the department to disqualify a project under certain circumstances; providing for liability and imposing civil penalties for an applicant that submits fraudulent information; providing for rulemaking; requiring the commissioner to provide an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature on a specified date; providing that certain appropriated funds are not subject to reversion; providing for the expiration of the program; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senators Diaz and Baxley-

CS for SB 534—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 1001.10, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education to maintain a disqualification list that includes the identities of certain persons; providing requirements for the disqualification list; authorizing the department to remove a person from the disqualification list if certain conditions are met; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; requiring the department to provide certain staff with ac-

cess to information from such disqualification list; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; requiring district school boards to investigate certain complaints and report certain results of such investigations to the department; requiring the department to place a person who is terminated, or resigns in lieu of termination, for a certain reason on the disqualification list; requiring district school boards to adopt policies establishing standards of ethical conduct for educational support employees; requiring district school boards to disqualify educational support employees from employment in certain circumstances; requiring district school boards to report a disqualified person to the department for inclusion on the disqualification list; revising the circumstances for which a school board official shall forfeit his or her salary for 1 year; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; prohibiting an individual who is on the disqualification list from being employed by a charter school or serving as a member of a charter school governing board; requiring a charter school to disqualify certain persons and make a report to the department for inclusion of the person on the disqualification list; requiring charter school governing boards to adopt policies establishing standards of ethical conduct for certain employees; requiring charter schools to perform a certain screening before employing a person in any position that requires direct contact with students; requiring charter schools to comply with a specified provision; assigning duties to certain charter school administrative personnel and a charter school governing board; amending s. 1002.421, F.S.; requiring certain private schools to adopt policies establishing standards of ethical conduct for certain employees; revising requirements for certain private schools relating to employment; requiring certain private schools to disqualify certain persons and make a report to the department for the inclusion of the person on the disqualification list; authorizing the Commissioner of Education to deny or revoke the authority of an owner or operator of a certain private school to establish or operate a private school under certain conditions; requiring the commissioner to include such person on the disqualification list; amending s. 1002.45, F.S.; revising virtual instruction program provider qualifications for department approval; expanding the screening requirements for employees and personnel of an approved virtual instruction program provider; requiring an approved virtual instruction program provider to disqualify certain persons and make a report to the department for inclusion of the person on the disqualification list; requiring an approved virtual instruction program provider to comply with a specified provision; requiring an approved virtual instruction program provider to inform the district school board of a certain complaint; amending s. 1006.061, F.S.; requiring certain schools to include information related to certain employees in a required posting; amending s. 1012.31, F.S.; clarifying a school district reporting requirement; amending s. 1012.315, F.S.; expanding ineligibility for educator certification or employment to persons who are on the disqualification list; amending s. 1012.32, F.S.; expanding requirements for screening of certain personnel of a virtual instruction program; prohibiting district school boards from requiring additional background screening of certain employees and personnel; amending s. 1012.795, F.S.; expanding the authority of the Education Practices Commission to discipline certain employees and personnel; amending s. 1012.796, F.S.; requiring the department to complete an investigation before issuing a new educator certificate to certain persons; clarifying the duty of a district school board to perform certain investigations; requiring certain entities to report certain arrests and allegations of misconduct of certain employees, personnel, and administrators to the department; requiring district school boards to adopt certain policies and procedures regarding educational support employees; requiring school superintendents to report certain misconduct of educational support employees to the department; requiring the department to include certain employees, personnel, and administrators on the disqualification list; requiring the department to maintain certain reports of misconduct; clarifying the department's duty to investigate certificated personnel; requiring a district school superintendent to suspend and reassign educational support employees for a certain allegation of misconduct; expanding penalties that may be imposed by the commission; authorizing the commission to direct the department to include a certain person on the disqualification list for certain conduct; prohibiting persons on the disqualification list from serving or applying to serve as employees or contract personnel at certain institutions; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 1012.797, F.S.; expanding the list of entities that law enforcement agencies must notify of certain charges; requiring law enforcement agencies to notify certain institutions of certain charges against employees or contractors; providing an effective

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senator Perry-

CS for SB 542—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a back-to-school sales tax holiday; providing exemptions from the sales and use tax on the retail sale of certain clothing, wallets, bags, school supplies, personal computers, and personal computer-related accessories during a specified timeframe; defining terms; specifying locations where the exemptions do not apply; authorizing certain dealers to opt out of participating in the tax holiday, subject to certain requirements; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Brandes and Perry—

CS for SB 552—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; amending s. 775.082, F.S.; revising the threshold of total sentence points below which a court must sentence nonviolent felony offenders who commit certain offenses and are sentenced on or after a specified date to a nonstate prison sanction; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Brandes and Perry—  $\,$ 

CS for SB 554—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sentencing; amending s. 921.0026, F.S.; revising the mitigating circumstances under which a departure from the lowest permissible sentence is reasonably justified; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; reenacting ss. 775.08435(1)(b), (c), and (d), 921.002(3), and 921.00265(1), F.S., all relating to mitigating circumstances, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 921.0026, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Brandes, Perry, and Bracy—

CS for SB 556-A bill to be entitled An act relating to inmate conditional medical release; creating s. 945.0911, F.S.; establishing the conditional medical release program within the Department of Corrections; establishing a panel to consider specified matters; defining terms; providing for program eligibility; requiring any inmate who meets certain criteria to be considered for conditional medical release; providing that the inmate does not have a right to release or to a certain medical evaluation; requiring the department to identify eligible inmates; requiring the department to refer an inmate to the panel for consideration; providing for victim notification in certain circumstances; requiring the panel to conduct a hearing within a specified timeframe; specifying requirements for the hearing; providing a review process for an inmate who is denied release; providing conditions for release; providing that an inmate who is approved for conditional medical release must be released from the department in a reasonable amount of time; providing that an inmate is considered a medical releasee upon release from the department into the community; providing that a medical releasee remains in the care, custody, supervision, and control of the department and is eligible to earn or lose gain-time; prohibiting a medical releasee or his or her community-based housing from being counted in the prison system population and the prison capacity figures, respectively; providing for the revocation of a medical releasee's conditional medical release; authorizing the medical releasee to be returned to the department's custody if his or her medical or physical condition improves; requiring a majority of the panel members to agree on the appropriateness of revocation; providing that gain-time is not forfeited for revocation based on improvement in the medical releasee's condition; providing a review process for a medical releasee who has his or her release revoked; authorizing the medical releasee to be recommitted if he or she violates any conditions of the release; requiring that the medical releasee be detained if a violation is based on certain circumstances; requiring that a majority of the panel members agree on the appropriateness of revocation; requiring specified medical releasees to be recommitted to the department upon the revocation of the conditional medical release; authorizing the forfeiture of gain-time if the revocation is based on certain violations; providing a review process for a medical releasee who has his or her release revoked; requiring that the medical releasee be given specified information in certain instances; requiring the department to notify certain persons within a specified

time frame of an inmate's diagnosis of a terminal medical condition; requiring the department to allow a visit between an inmate and certain persons within 7 days of a diagnosis of a terminal medical condition; requiring the department to initiate the conditional medical release review process immediately upon an inmate's diagnosis of a terminal medical condition; requiring the inmate to consent to release of information in certain circumstances; providing rulemaking authority; repealing s. 947.149, F.S., relating to conditional medical release; amending ss. 316.1935, 775.084, 775.087, 784.07, 790.235, 794.0115, 893.135, 921.0024, 944.605, 944.70, 947.13, and 947.141, F.S.; conforming cross-references to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Brandes and Perry—

 ${f CS}$  for  ${f SB}$  572—A bill to be entitled An act relating to release from imprisonment; amending s. 921.002, F.S.; revising a principle of the Criminal Punishment Code relating to a prisoner's required minimum term of imprisonment; amending s. 944.275, F.S.; revising the incentive gain-time that the Department of Corrections may grant a prisoner; providing exceptions; providing that an inmate is considered in the care, custody, supervision, or control of the Department of Corrections when participating in specified programs and may receive credit towards specified portions of a sentence for such participation; amending s. 945.091, F.S.; authorizing the department to extend the limits of confinement to allow an inmate to participate in supervised community release, subject to certain requirements, as prescribed by the department by rule; providing that an inmate participating in such supervised community release is considered to be in the custody, care, supervision, and control of the department; authorizing the department to terminate the inmate's supervised community release under certain circumstances; providing that an inmate participating in supervised community release is eligible to earn or lose gain-time, subject to certain restrictions; prohibiting the inmate from being counted in the population of the prison system; prohibiting the inmate's approved communitybased housing location from being counted in the capacity figures for the prison system; reenacting ss. 775.084(4)(k) and 921.002(1)(e), F.S., relating to violent criminals and habitual offenders and the Criminal Punishment Code, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 944.275, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 946.503(2), F.S., relating to the definition of the term "correctional work program" to incorporate the amendment made to s. 945.091, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Brandes and Perry—

CS for SB 574—A bill to be entitled An act relating to conditional aging inmate release; creating s. 945.0912, F.S.; establishing the conditional aging inmate release program within the Department of Corrections; establishing a panel to consider specified matters; providing for program eligibility; requiring that an inmate who meets certain criteria be considered for conditional aging inmate release; providing that the inmate does not have a right to release; requiring the department to identify eligible inmates; requiring the department to refer an inmate to the panel for consideration; providing victim notification requirements under certain circumstances; requiring the panel to conduct a hearing within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for the hearing; providing that an inmate who is approved for conditional aging inmate release must be released from the department's custody within a reasonable amount of time; providing that an inmate is considered an aging releasee upon release from the department into the community; providing a review process for an inmate who is denied release; providing conditions for release; prohibiting an aging releasee or his or her community-based housing from being counted in the prison system population and the prison capacity figures, respectively; providing for the revocation of conditional aging inmate release; requiring the aging releasee to be detained if a violation is based on certain circumstances; authorizing the aging releasee to be returned to the department if he or she violates any conditions of the release; requiring a majority of the panel to agree on the appropriateness of revocation; authorizing the forfeiture of gain-time if the revocation is based on certain violations; providing a review process for an aging releasee who has his or her released revoked; requiring the aging releasee to be given specified information in certain instances; providing rulemaking authority; amending ss. 316.1935, 775.084, 775.087, 784.07, 790.235, 794.0115, 893.135, 921.0024, 944.605, and 944.70, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Bracy-

CS for SB 580—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Uniform Partition of Heirs Property Act; designating part I of ch. 64, F.S., entitled "General Provisions"; creating part II of ch. 64, F.S., entitled "Uniform Partition of Heirs Property Act"; creating s. 64.201, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 64.202, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 64.203, F.S.; providing applicability; providing requirements relating to the court determination of heirs property; specifying the relation of the act to other law; creating s. 64.204, F.S.; providing construction; providing for service and notice; creating s. 64.205, F.S.; providing for appointment and qualifications of commissioners; creating s. 64.206, F.S.; providing for the determination of property value; creating s. 64.207, F.S.; providing for buyout of cotenants; creating s. 64.208, F.S.; providing for alternatives to partition; creating s. 64.209, F.S.; providing factors to be considered in determining whether partition in kind may be ordered; creating s. 64.210, F.S.; providing for sale of property through open-market sale, sealed bids, or auction; creating s. 64.211, F.S.; providing requirements for reporting of an open-market sale of property; creating s. 64.212, F.S.; providing for uniformity of application and construction; creating s. 64.213, F.S.; specifying the relation of the act to the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act; creating s. 64.214, F.S.; authorizing certain cotenants to agree to certain partitions of real property; requiring such cotenants to jointly notify the court of such agreement; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senators Montford and Cruz-

CS for SB 602—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Open Educational Resources Grant Program; creating s. 1004.086, F.S.; establishing the Open Educational Resources Grant Program; requiring the Department of Education, the Board of Governors, and the State Board of Education to administer the program; providing the purpose of the program; defining the term "open educational resources"; authorizing state universities and Florida College System institutions to submit applications for grant awards under the program; requiring the department, in coordination with specified entities, to consider all applications; authorizing the department in coordination with the boards to make awards; requiring participating state universities and Florida College System institutions to use grant funds for a specified purpose and, in curating and adopting open educational resources, to give priority to certain courses; requiring the state board to adopt rules; authorizing the Board of Governors to adopt regulations; specifying that implementation of the program is subject to legislative appropriation; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Book—  $\,$ 

CS for SB 668—A bill to be entitled An act relating to government-sponsored recreation programs; amending s. 402.302, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "child care facility" to exclude government-sponsored recreation programs; defining the term "government-sponsored recreation program"; amending ss. 39.201, 402.305, and 1002.82,F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senators Gruters and Mayfield—  $\,$ 

CS for SB 670—A bill to be entitled An act relating to smoking on public beaches and in public parks; revising the title of part II of ch. 386, F.S.; amending s. 386.201, F.S.; revising a short title; amending s. 386.209, F.S.; authorizing counties and municipalities to further restrict smoking within the boundaries of public beaches and public parks under certain circumstances; creating s. 386.2095, F.S.; prohibiting smoking within the boundaries of a state park; amending ss. 381.84 and 386.211, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Pizzo, Taddeo, Book, Perry, Bracy, Brandes, and Berman—

CS for SB 684—A bill to be entitled An act relating to expunction of criminal history records; reenacting and amending s. 943.0585, F.S.; expanding an exception to an eligibility requirement for expunction of a criminal history record to allow a prior expunction of a criminal history record granted for offenses committed when the person was a minor; providing applicability, providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senator Mayfield-

CS for SB 712—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water quality improvements; providing a short title; requiring the Department Health to provide a specified report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; requiring the Department of Health and the Department of Environmental Protection to submit to the Governor and the Legislature, by a specified date, certain recommendations relating to the transfer of the Onsite Sewage Program; requiring the departments to enter into an interagency agreement that meets certain requirements by a specified date; transferring the Onsite Sewage Program within the Department of Health to the Department of Environmental Protection by a type two transfer by a specified date; providing that certain employees retain and transfer certain types of leave upon the transfer; amending s. 373.4131, F.S.; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to include stormwater structural controls inspections as part of its regular staff training; requiring the department and the water management districts to adopt rules regarding stormwater design and operation by a specified date; amending s. 381.0065, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; requiring the department to adopt rules for the location of onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems and complete such rulemaking by a specified date; requiring the department to evaluate certain data relating to the selfcertification program and provide the Legislature with recommendations by a specified date; providing that certain provisions relating to existing setback requirements are applicable to permits only until the adoption of certain rules by the department; creating s. 381.00652, F.S.; creating an onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems technical advisory committee within the department; providing the duties and membership of the committee; requiring the committee to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing for the expiration of the committee; repealing s. 381.0068, F.S., relating to a technical review and advisory panel; amending s. 403.061, F.S.; requiring the department to adopt rules relating to the underground pipes of wastewater collection systems; requiring public utilities or their affiliated companies that hold or are seeking a wastewater discharge permit to file certain reports and data with the department; creating s. 403.0616, F.S.; requiring the department, subject to legislative appropriation, to establish a real-time water quality monitoring program; encouraging the formation of public-private partnerships; amending s. 403.067, F.S.; requiring basin management action plans for nutrient total maximum daily loads to include wastewater treatment and onsite sewage treatment and disposal system remediation plans that meet certain requirements; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to collect fertilization and nutrient records from certain agricultural producers and provide the information to the department annually by a specified date; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to perform onsite inspections of the agricultural producers at specified intervals; authorizing certain entities to develop research plans and legislative budget requests relating to best management practices by a specified date; creating s. 403.0673, F.S.; establishing a wastewater grant program within the Department of Environmental Protection; authorizing the department to distribute appropriated funds for certain projects; providing requirements for the distribution; requiring the department to coordinate with each water management district to identify grant recipients; requiring an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; creating s. 403.0855, F.S.; providing legislative findings regarding the regulation of biosolids management in this state; requiring the department to adopt rules for biosolids management; exempting the rules from a specified statutory requirement; amending s. 403.086, F.S.; prohibiting facilities for sanitary sewage disposal from disposing of any waste in the Indian River Lagoon beginning on a specified date without first providing advanced waste treatment; requiring facilities for sanitary sewage disposal to have a power outage contingency plan; requiring the facilities to take steps to prevent overflows and leaks and ensure that

the water reaches the appropriate facility for treatment; requiring the facilities to provide the Department of Environmental Protection with certain information; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 403.087, F.S.; requiring the department to issue operation permits for domestic wastewater treatment facilities to certain facilities under certain circumstances; amending s. 403.088, F.S.; revising the permit conditions for a water pollution operation permit; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date identifying all wastewater utilities that experienced sanitary sewer overflows within a specified timeframe; amending s. 403.0891, F.S.; requiring model stormwater management programs to contain model ordinances for nutrient reduction practices and green infrastructure; amending s. 403.121, F.S.; providing civil penalties; amending s. 403.885, F.S.; requiring the department to give certain domestic wastewater utilities funding priority within the Water Projects Grant Program; providing a declaration of important state interest; amending ss. 153.54, 153.73, 163.3180, 180.03, 311.105, 327.46,  $373.250, \ 373.414, \ 373.705, \ 373.707, \ 373.709, \ 376.307, \ 380.0552,$ 381.0061, 381.0064, 381.00651, 403.08601, 403.0872, 403.1835, 403.707, 403.861, 489.551, and 590.02, F.S.; conforming cross-references and provisions to changes made by the act; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision upon the adoption of certain rules by the Department of Environmental Protection; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources; and Senator Albritton—

CS for SB 724—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government recycling programs; amending s. 403.706, F.S.; creating the Florida Recycling Working Group; providing the duties and membership of the working group; requiring the working group to submit a report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an expiration date for the working group; providing an exemption for fiscally constrained counties from recycling requirements; providing an expiration date for the exemption; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senators Perry, Montford, and Hutson—

CS for SB 802-A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Marketable Record Title Act; amending s. 712.03, F.S.; revising rights that are not affected or extinguished by marketable record titles; amending s. 712.04, F.S.; revising what types of interests are extinguished by a marketable record title; providing construction; creating s. 712.065, F.S.; defining the term "discriminatory restriction"; providing that discriminatory restrictions are unlawful, unenforceable, and declared null and void; providing that certain discriminatory restrictions are extinguished and severed from recorded title transactions; specifying that the recording of certain notices does not reimpose or preserve a discriminatory restriction; providing requirements for a parcel owner to remove a discriminatory restriction from a covenant or restriction; amending s. 712.12, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "covenant or restriction"; providing applicability; requiring persons with certain interests in land which may be extinguished by this act to file a specified notice to preserve such interests; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources; and Senator Hutson—

CS for SB 812—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 379.1026, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the site-specific location information of certain endangered and threatened species; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Senator Hooper—

CS for SB 818—A bill to be entitled An act relating to manufactured housing; amending s. 212.05, F.S.; reducing the percentage of the sales price of certain mobile homes which is subject to sales tax; providing a

sales tax exemption for certain mobile homes; amending s. 212.06, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "fixtures" to include certain mobile homes; amending s. 320.77, F.S.; revising a certification requirement for mobile home dealer applicants relating to the applicant's business location; amending s. 320.771, F.S.; exempting certain recreational vehicle dealer applicants from a garage liability insurance requirement; amending s. 320.822, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "code"; amending s. 320.8232, F.S.; revising applicable standards for the repair and remodeling of mobile and manufactured homes; amending s. 367.022, F.S.; revising an exemption for certain water service resellers from regulation by the Florida Public Service Commission relating to water and wastewater systems; exempting certain mobile home park and mobile home subdivision owners from such regulation; amending s. 723.011, F.S.; providing construction relating to rental agreements and tenancies; providing that a mobile home owner, to become an approved tenant, may be required to install permanent improvements as disclosed in the mobile home park owner's prospectus; amending s. 723.012, F.S.; authorizing mobile home park owners to make certain prospectus amendments; providing that certain improvements and changes may be, but are not required to be, disclosed by amendment to the prospectus; authorizing park owners to amend prospectuses to provide certain additional facilities and services to the mobile home park under certain circumstances; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 723.023, F.S.; adding general obligations for mobile home owners; amending s. 723.031, F.S.; specifying a requirement for disclosing and agreeing to a mobile home lot rental increase; revising construction relating to a park owner's disclosure of certain taxes and assessments; amending s. 723.037, F.S.; authorizing mobile home park owners to give notice of lot rental increases for multiple anniversary dates in one notice; providing construction; specifying the composition of a certain negotiating committee; specifying the lot rental amount increases the committee must address in meetings with the park owner or subdivision developer; amending s. 723.041, F.S.; providing that a mobile home park damaged or destroyed due to natural forces may be rebuilt with the same density as previously approved, permitted, or built; providing construction; amending s. 723.042, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 723.059, F.S.; deleting certain purchasers' rights to assume the remainder of a rental agreement term; requiring certain purchasers to enter into a new lot rental agreement with the park owner; revising requirements for the disclosure of lot rental amounts for new tenancies; amending s. 723.061, F.S.; revising a requirement for mailing eviction notices; specifying the waiver and nonwaiver of certain rights of the park owner under certain circumstances; requiring the accounting at final hearing of rents received; requiring a tenant defending certain actions by a landlord to comply with certain requirements; amending s. 723.063, F.S.; revising procedures and requirements for mobile home owners, and revising construction, relating to actions for rent or possession; revising conditions under which a park owner may apply to a court for disbursement of certain funds; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Diaz—

CS for SB 1050—A bill to be entitled An act relating to disaster volunteer leave for state employees; amending s. 110.120, F.S.; reordering, revising, and providing definitions; revising conditions under which an employee may be granted leave under the Florida Disaster Volunteer Leave Act; specifying requirements and limitations; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Senator Thurston—

CS for SB 1060—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain documents that depict the structural elements of certain 911 or E911 communication system infrastructure, structures, or facilities; providing an exemption from public records requirements for geographical maps indicating the actual or proposed locations of certain 911 or E911 communication system infrastructure, structures, or facilities; providing for retroactive application; authorizing disclosure under certain circumstances; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; amending s. 286.0113, F.S.; providing an exemption from public meetings require-

ments for portions of meetings which would reveal certain documents depicting the structural elements of 911 or E911 communication system infrastructure, structures, or facilities, or geographic maps indicating the actual or proposed locations of 911 or E911 communication system infrastructure, structures, or facilities; requiring the recording and transcription of exempt portions of such meetings; providing an exemption from public records requirements for such recordings and transcripts; providing an exception; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Military and Veterans Affairs and Space—

CS for SB 7010—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 119.071, F.S., which provides a public records exemption for the identification and location information of servicemembers and the spouses and dependents of servicemembers; expanding the exemption by removing the requirement that a servicemember submit a written statement that reasonable efforts have been made to protect the information in order to claim the exemption; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

## REFERENCE CHANGES PURSUANT TO RULE 4.7(2)

By the Committee on Education; and Senators Cruz, Pizzo, Berman, Gibson, Book, Stewart, Rader, Rouson, Taddeo, Torres, Farmer, and Rodriguez—

CS for SB 168—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drinking water in public schools; creating s. 1013.29, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining terms; subject to legislative appropriation, requiring district boards to coordinate with district school boards to identify certain schools and to provide funding to such schools; requiring certain school districts to install filters that meet certain specifications on drinking water sources; requiring such schools to post certain signage on certain water sources and school boards to publish specified information on school district websites; authorizing district boards to request additional funding to compensate school district staff for the installation or replacement of filters; limiting the additional funding to not more than the amount appropriated; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 104

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: CS for SB 246

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: CS for SB 154

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends the following pass: SB 7016

The Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology recommends the following pass: SB  $426\,$ 

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 400

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 540

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends the following pass: SB 332; SB 638; SB 640; SB 648

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government under the original reference.

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 436; SB 550; SB 560

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 118; SB 468; SB 590; SB 790

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 486

The bill was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 68; SB 136; SB 354; SB 496

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 100; SB 348

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: SB 362

The bill was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development under the original reference.

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space recommends the following pass: SB 104

The bill was referred to the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology recommends the following pass: SB 1128

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 660; SB 886

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Commerce and Tourism under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 364

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends the following pass: SB 384; SB 388

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Community Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 544

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space recommends the following pass: SB 294

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice under the original refer-

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: SB 130

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 738

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space recommends the following pass: SB 372

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SJR 176; SJR 396

The bills were referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 192

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: SB 126; SB 508; SB 524; SB 576; SB 654

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SJR 146; SB 484

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Finance and Tax under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 504; SB 620

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends the following pass: SB 822

The Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology recommends the following pass: SB 1170

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 128; SJR 142; SB 248; SB 374

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 120

The bill was referred to the Committee on Health Policy under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 88; SB 158

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 520

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends the following pass: SB 178

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Infrastructure and Security under the original reference.

The Committee on Agriculture recommends the following pass: SB 366

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: SB 426

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 172; SB 630

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 356

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends the following pass: SB 200

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends the following pass: SB 444

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 160; SB 400  $\,$ 

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 510

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends the following pass: SB 150

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends the following pass: SB 162; SB 726; SM 976; SM 978

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Judiciary under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends the following pass: SB 936

The bill was referred to the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: CS for SB 344; CS for SB 358; SB 828

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: CS for SB 292

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: CS for SB 326; SB 384

The Committee on Ethics and Elections recommends the following pass: SJR 176; SJR 396

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends the following pass: SJR 142; SB 248; SB 374; CS for SB 406; CS for SB 476; SB 830; SB 7004; SB 7008

The Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology recommends the following pass: SB 172; CS for SB 802

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 150; SB 162; SB 510; SR 546

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs and Space recommends the following pass: SM 420

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Rules under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 130; SB 372; SB 534

The Committee on Health Policy recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 218; SB 226; SB 230

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 712

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 506

The Committee on Infrastructure and Security recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 178

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 236

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 170; SB 194; SB 346; SB 464; SB 552; SB 554; SB 556; SB 572; SB 574

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 156; SB 168; SB 376; SB 418; SB 434; SB 602

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 66

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 58; SB 402  $\,$ 

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 220

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 140

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 344; SB 358

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs under the original reference. The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 292

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Tourism under the original reference.

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 326; SB 724

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 246

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 580

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Community Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 154

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 542

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 148

The Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 818

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Finance and Tax under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 668

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 812

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 406

The Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 476; SB 1060

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1050

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Infrastructure and Security under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 498; SB 530

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 670

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 802

June 21, 2019

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 124; SB 232

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 470; SB 522; SB 684

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 404

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Judiciary under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 140

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 364

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 128; SB 7010

The Committee on Innovation, Industry, and Technology recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 356

The Committee on Judiciary recommends committee substitutes for the following: CS for SB 124; SB 160

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Rules under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following not pass: SB 312

The bill was laid on the table.

## REPORTS OF SUBCOMMITTEES

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services recommends the following pass: SB 100; SB 348

The bills were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 346

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 136

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES RELATING TO EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

Office and Appointment For Term
Ending

Governing Board of the Northwest Florida Water Management District

Appointee: Roberts, George A. 03/01/2022

Office and Appointment For Term
Ending

Governing Board of the Suwannee River Water Management District

Appointees: Keith, Charles G. 03/01/2022 Schwab, Richard 03/01/2023

The appointments were referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections under the original reference.

## MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR AND OTHER EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

### **VETOED BILLS 2019 REGULAR SESSION**

Secretary Laurel Lee Secretary of State R.A. Gray Building 500 South Bronough Street Tallahassee, FL 32399-0250

Dear Secretary Lee:

The fiscal year 2019-2020 budget that I have signed reduces taxes, maintains more than \$5 billion in reserves, and addresses key needs of the state in areas such as education, environment and water quality, public safety and economic development. When I took office, I promised a bold vision for a brighter future for the state of Florida and I am pleased that this budget delivers on that pledge.

Maintaining a low-tax environment and a fiscally responsible budget is key to Florida's future economic success. This year's budget produced historic support for a variety of the state's priorities, yet we were still able to secure nearly \$400 million in tax relief for Florida families, including a property tax reduction and sales tax holidays for school supplies and hurricane preparedness, and keep more than \$5.4 billion in reserves. By taxing lightly and spending prudently, we better position our state to attract investment, expand our economic base and create good jobs.

Given some of the persistent problems Florida has faced with water quality, I made protection of our water resources and restoration of the Everglades top priorities, requesting \$625 million to meet these challenges. I am happy to report that we received more than this amount, including: over \$400 million for Everglades restoration, the highest amount ever; \$100 million for springs restoration; \$50 million for targeted water quality improvements; \$40 million for alternative water supply; and \$25 million to combat blue-green algae and red tide. This funding will go a long way to addressing Florida's key environmental needs and preserving our natural resources as the foundation for the state's continued success.

I also recommended a bold plan for education and am gratified that we have expanded opportunities for Florida students. The budget provides record funding to recruit, retain and reward great teachers and principals through a revised Best and Brightest program, which eliminated the use of SAT/ ACT scores as a factor in determining eligibility. It also makes a major down payment on my goal to improve workforce education by appropriating \$10 million to promote industry certifications and establish apprenticeships in high-demand fields, as well as by providing the nation's largest commitment to computer science education and permitting computer sciences courses to count as a math or science credit needed for high school graduation. All told, per pupil spending at Florida public schools is at the highest level in history; this year's year-over-year increase is the largest since 2013-2014.

Students from low-income families especially benefitted from our reforms. The landmark Family Empowerment Scholarship program will rescue the thousands of poor students from the waitlist for the successful but oversubscribed Tax Credit Scholarship program and provide low-income parents with the ability to choose the best school for their children. The budget also cleared the waitlist for the Gardiner Scholarship program, which benefits students with special needs; continued support for the Schools of Hope program and expanded the locations

where the program can operate; and maintained equitable treatment of capital outlay funding for public charter schools.

Florida must foster a safe and secure learning environment, and, to that end, the budget prioritizes funding for school safety with \$180 million for the Safe Schools Allocation for school resource officers and other school safety initiatives, \$50 million for school hardening grants, the expansion of the Coach Aaron Feis Guardian Program, and a record \$2.5 million for security funding for Jewish day schools amid rising threats of anti-Semitic violence.

Florida has faced a string of hurricanes in recent years, including one of the most devastating in recent memory, Hurricane Michael. Early in my administration, I was able to secure significant federal assistance from the Trump administration to help the communities in Northwest Florida recover. We are also dedicating over \$100 million to repair and replace housing in these hurricane-ravaged areas and have achieved meaningful assignment of benefits reform to fight insurance fraud and its impact on rising insurance costs for Floridians. The resilience of the people of Northwest Florida has been inspiring and I am glad that both the state and federal governments have taken action to assist in the recovery and rebuilding efforts.

The 2019 Legislative Session was very productive. I look forward to building off this year's success when the Legislature reconvenes in January.

By the authority vested in me as Governor of Florida, under the provisions of Article III, Section 8, of the Constitution of Florida, I do hereby withhold my approval of portions of Senate Bill 2500, enacted during the 51st Regular Session of the Legislature convened under the Constitution of 1968, and entitled:

An act making appropriations; providing moneys for the annual period beginning July 1, 2019, and ending June 30, 2020, and supplemental appropriations for the period ending June 30, 2019, to pay salaries, and other expenses, capital outlay - buildings, and other improvements, and for other specified purposes of the various agencies of state government; providing effective dates.

While there are a lot of good projects in this budget, it is important to recognize that we should prepare for economic declines and build reserves to higher levels. We expect hurricane reimbursements to return to the state which will help build reserves. I also recognize that there are certain projects in the budget that government simply should not do, projects that are not a state responsibility and should be handled at the local or federal level, projects that did not follow established statutory review processes, and projects for which sufficient funding wasn't appropriated to support the intended effort. I have carefully reviewed issues in the budget and do hereby veto such projects, which will further increase reserve funds for the state.

For these reasons, I do hereby withhold my approval of the following line items in the Fiscal Year 2019-20 General Appropriations Act:

## SECTION 2 — EDUCATION (ALL OTHER FUNDS)

OUTLAY AND DEBT SERVICE TRUST FUND......1,000,000 Funds in Specific Appropriation 27A shall be allocated as follows:

1.	HE SENAIE 155
	HERNANDO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT Hernando Schools Vocational Program (Senate Form 1654) (HB 4289)
	Specific Appropriation 66 Pages 14 and 15
	"Keiser University/MS in Women's Health & Midwifery (Senate Form 2097) (HB 2677)
	"St. Thomas University Trade and Logistics Program (Senate Form 1015) (HB 4513)
	Specific Appropriation 67A Page 15
	"67A SPECIAL CATEGORIES GRANTS AND AIDS - LECOM / FLORIDA - HEALTH PROGRAMS FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND
	From the funds in Specific Appropriation 67A, \$1,691,010 in recurring funds and \$425,897 in nonrecurring appropriations funds are appropriated for the Lake Eric College of Osteopathic Medicine (LECOM)/Bradenton (Senate Form 1359) (HB 4455). The funds shall support Florida residents enrolled in the Osteopathic Medicine or the Pharmacy Program at LECOM. The college shall submit enrollment information for Florida residents prior to January 1, 2020."
	Specific Appropriation 67B Page 15
	"67B GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY FACILITY REPAIRS MAINTENANCE AND CONSTRUCTION FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND
	The nonrecurring funds in Specific Appropriation 67B are provided for Flagler College Hotel Ponce de Leon Resiliency, an appropriations project (Senate Form 1197) (HB 4023)."
	Specific Appropriation 85 Pages 18 and 19
	"Brain Bag Early Literacy Program (Senate Form 2154) (HB 2601)
	(Senate Form 1020) (HB 2285)
	"Little Havana Activities and Nutrition Center (Senate Form 1748) (HB 3999)
	Specific Appropriation 92A Page 21
	"92A GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL

OUTLAY FACILITY REPAIRS MAINTENANCE

FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND ..... 100,000

AND CONSTRUCTION

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 92A, \$100,000 in non-recurring funds is provided for Jack and Jill Children's Center (Senate Form 1021) (HB 2287)."

Specific Appropriation 108 Pages 27 and 28

Specific Appropriation 109 Page 28

"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 109, \$2,000,000 in nonrecurring funds is provided for the Department of Education to competitively procure a 3-year Spanish to English literacy and language reading platform for grades PK-5 that any school district may apply for and access on a first-come first-served basis. The selected program must be computer-delivered in both Spanish and English, and it must include a computer-adaptive assessment that students can access during and after school, or at home. The on-line program must have authentic Spanish and English instruction with no translations or trans-adaptations and automatically place students into an individualized on-line curriculum and instruction; provide teachers and administrators with immediate and on-line reports; provide recommendations for interventions and teacher lessons; and provide small group instruction lessons. The program must provide Lexile levels in Spanish and English. The program must also make available to parents information and resources regarding student achievement via a home portal in both languages. The Department of Education shall issue a procurement prior to the start of the 2019 school year.

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 109, \$350,000 in nonrecurring funds is provided for Advancement Via Individual Determination Performance (AVID)(Senate Form 2020) (HB 3725). Funds shall be used to implement a program that rewards school districts based on the success of students in need of assistance to become college ready and enrolled in the AVID elective class during the 2018-20 19 school year and were reported during the October student membership survey. Each school district shall be awarded \$325 per full-time equivalent student enrolled in the AVID elective who received a score of 4 or higher on an International Baccalaureate subject examination; score of 3 or higher on the College Board Advanced Placement Examination score of E or higher on an Advanced International Certificate of Education subject examination; or, for students in grades 6-8, who receive a passing score on the algebra end of course examination; or, for students in grades 6-9, who receive a passing score on the geometry end of course examination. Each school district shall allocate the funds received from this program to the school whose students generate the funds. Funds shall be expended solely for the payment of costs associated with the school's AVID system which include annual membership fees; professional development and training for program coordinators, teachers, and tutors; college and university site visits for prospective students; and compensation for tutors. Funds shall be awarded to the school districts no later than January 1, 2020. If the total program amount is greater than the funds provided in this appropriation, then each district's amount shall be prorated based on the number of students who earned qualifying scores in each district."

Specific Appropriation 112A Page 29

"Funds provided in Specific Appropriation 112A include \$255,000 from nonrecurring funds for Community Partnership Schools - Orange Park High School (Senate Form 2432)."

Specific Appropriation 113 Pages 29 and 30

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"Audio Video Film and Technology Gran (Senate Form 2187) (HB 4899) Be Safe! Be Successful! (HB 4729)	250,000
"Common Threads Obesity Prevention & Education (Senate Form 1778) (HB 4507 Communities in Schools of Florida (Senate Form 2021) (HB 9057) Destination Graduation (Senate Form 16 Elementary School Substance Abuse Pre Program (Senate Form 1264) (HB 3323)	7)
"First Robotics Teams Grant - Florida (Senate Form 2222) (HB 9253)	200,000"
"Florida Charter Support Unit (HB 3243	3)
"Hands of Mercy Everywhere, IncBelle Hospitality Program (Senate Form 1746 Hernando County School District, Schoo (Senate Form 1509) (HB 4165) Jefferson County School District/Somers Transportation (Senate Form 2138) (HB	) (HB 3275) 100,000 l Hardening 1,000,000 et
"Junior Achievement Workforce Readine Expansion (Senate Form 2018) (HB 209' Kindness Matters Program (Senate Form 1467) (HB 2571)	7) 100,000
"Leader in Me Foundation (HB $3345$ )	
"Life Changing Experiences (Senate Form 1476) (HB 2179)	450,000"
"New World School of the Arts as provid section 1002. 35, Florida Statutes Next Generation Agriculture Education in Florida (Senate Form 2462) (HB 4991 Next Generation Agriculture Education (Senate Form 2463) (HB 3167)	
"STEM2Hub Florida High Demand Care (Senate Form 1769) (HB 3659) Teacher's Law Symposium (Senate Form	500,000
"Volusia County Schools - STEM in Elen Schools (Senate Form 1628) (HB 2251).	mentary 88,000"
"Youth Crime Prevention Program (Senate Form 1379) (HB 4731)	100,000"
Specific Appropriation 116A Page 32	
"Academy at the Farm School Growth as Infrastructure Expansion (Senate Form 1341) (HB 2473)	
"Clay County Coppergate School of the Arts (Senate Form 2459) Lake Wales Charter Schools - Hurricane Relief Funding (Senate Form 1969) (HB	•
Specific Appropriation 125B Pages 36 and 37	
"125B AID TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS GRANTS AND AIDS - WORKFORCE D PROGRAM FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND .	IPLOMA

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 125B, \$1,250,000 in recurring funds is provided to the Department of Education for the development of a two year workforce diploma program to assist adults 22 years of age and older to obtain a high school diploma and develop employability and career technical skills . By August 30, 2019, the department shall issue a Request for Qualifications and contract with eligible program providers to participate in the workforce diploma program. An eligible qualified provider must have experience providing dropout re-engagement services to

adults 22 years of age and older; a course catalog that includes all courses necessary to meet Florida high school graduation requirements; the ability to provide career pathways coursework; the ability to provide preparation for industry-recognized credentials; the ability to provide career placement services; and be accredited by a recognized regional accrediting body.

The Department of Education shall reimburse qualified providers for the completion of the following milestones for each pupil: \$250 for the completion of each half credit; \$250 for the completion of an employability skills certification program equal to at least one Carnegie unit; \$250 for the attainment of an industry-recognized credential requiring up to 50 hours of training; \$500 for the attainment of an industry-recognized credential requiring between 51 and 100 hours of training; \$750 for the attainment of an industryrecognized credential requiring more than 100 hours of training; and \$1,000 for the attainment of an accredited high school diploma. By August 1, 2020 each provider shall report the following metrics to the department: (a) the total number of students funded through the program; (b) the total number of credits earned; (c) the total number of employability skills certifications issued; (d) the total number of industry-recognized credentials earned for each tier of funding; and (e) the total number of graduates. A provider who does not achieve a minimum 50 percent graduation rate, defined as total graduates for the state fiscal year divided by all the students for the state fiscal year for whom the approved program provider has received funding calculated on the state fiscal year in arrears, and a cost per graduate of \$7,000 or less shall be removed from the eligible provider list."

Specific Appropriation 127 Page 37

Specific Appropriation 149

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"Florida Automobile Dealers Association - Stimulating Jobs in the Automotive Industry (Senate Form 2456) (HB 2965)
Specific Appropriation 130 Pages 39 through 41
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"Manatee Educational Television (Senate Form 1967) (HB 3785)
Specific Appropriation 147 Pages 46 through 48
"Florida Gulf Coast University Academic and Career Attainment Funding
"College of Law Scholarships/Faculty
"Florida Downtown Presence
University of Florida

"Center for Landscape Ecology 1,000,000"
"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 149, \$750,000 in non-recurring funds is provided for the STEM, Workforce, and Student 4H Programs appropriations project (Senate Form 1156) (HB 4779)."
Specific Appropriation 150 Page 48
"Quality Medical School Education, Asset Inventory Management System Initiative (AIMS) 1,715,360"
Specific Appropriation 166A Page 51
"Washington Intern Study Experience (Senate Form 2246) (HB 2453)

#### **SECTION 3 - HUMAN SERVICES**

Specific Appropriation 191 Pages 55 and 56

"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 191, \$50,000 in non-recurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided to the Leesburg Regional Medical Center to establish a Graduate Medical Education program (Senate Form 1051) (HB 2627)."

Specific Appropriation 314A Page 77

"Florida Network of Youth and Family Services - Stop Now and Plan (Senate Form 1071) (HB 4337)
"Miami Bridge - Host Homes for Youth (Senate Form 1182)
Specific Appropriation 335 Pages 81 and 82
"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 335, the recurring sum of

"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 335, the recurring sum of \$4,141,343 from the General Revenue Fund is provided as a cost of living increase for the contract agencies that operate the following mental health treatment facilities:

South	Florida	State Hosp	ital .			 :	3,357,623
South	Florida	Evaluation	and	Treatment	${\bf Center}$	 	783,720"

Specific Appropriation 348 Page 83

"CESC, Inc Homeless Services	
(Senate Form 1996) (HB 4367)	1.000.000

Specific Appropriation 362A Page 84

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 362A, the nonrecurring sum of \$30,000 from the General Revenue Fund is provided to the Sheltering Tree for the construction of shower and laundry facilities (HB 3927)."

Specific Appropriation 380 Page 89

"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 380, the nonrecurring sum of \$200,000 from the General Revenue Fund is provided for the Lutheran Services Managing Entity for administrative workload increases (Senate Form 2617)."

Specific Appropriation 381B Page 89
"381B GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY STARTING POINT BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE REHABILITATION PROGRAM FACILITY - WEST NASSAU COUNTY
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND
From the funds in Specific Appropriation 3818, the nonrecurring sum of \$500,000 is provided for the renovation of the Starting Point Behavioral Healthcare facility in west Nassau County (Senate Form 1956) (HB 2641)."
Specific Appropriation 398 Pages 92 and 93
"Little Havana Activities and Nutrition Center - Adult Day Care (Senate Form 1612) (HB 3371)
"Federation Transportation Services, Inc. (Senate Form 1452) (HB 2445)
Specific Appropriation 404A Page 93
"404A GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY GRANTS AND AIDS - ALZHEIMER'S COMMUNITY CARE AND SERVICES
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND
From the funds in Specific Appropriation 404A, $$650,000$ in non-recurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided to Easter Seals of South Florida - Kendall (Senate Form 1420) (HB 3379)."
Specific Appropriation 404B Pages 93 and 94
"City of Hialeah Gardens - Therapy Pool for the Physically Challenged (HB 4567)
Specific Appropriation 450 Pages 99 and 100
"Common Threads - Health Nutrition Education (Senate Form 1834) (HB 3933)
"Alachua County Organization for Rural Needs (ACORN) (Senate Form 1082) (HB 3289)
Specific Appropriation 467 Page 103
"From the funds in Specific Appropriations 467, 469, 472, and 480, \$81,059 from the General Revenue Fund, of which \$3,187 is non-recurring, and \$438,204 from the Planning and Evaluation Trust Fund, of which \$45,560 is nonrecurring, is provided for the Department of Health to test for pulmonary nontuberculosis mycobacterial (PNTM) disease, implement antimicrobial susceptibility testing for PNTM isolates at the Florida Public Health Laboratory,
and conduct epidemiological research to further elucidate the

public health risks of PNTM. Rate provided exclusively for the 3.0 full-time equivalents to implement this initiative shall be established in an amount not less than 140,266. The department shall use the results of the PNTM epidemiological research to facilitate its decision-making process related to the inclusion of PNTM as a reportable condition of public health significance."

## **SECTION 4 - CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND CORRECTIONS**

Specific Appropriation 612 Page 124

"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 612, \$340,948 in nonrecurring general revenue funds are provided for Inmate Mental

Health Services Compliance at contracted facilities (Senate Form 2406) (HB 4801)."
Specific Appropriation 745 Pages 135 through 137
"Fort Myers Reentry Initiative (FMRI) (Senate Form 1366) (HB 3411)
Specific Appropriation 1222 Pages 192 and 193
"AMIkids Credit Recovery Program (Senate Form 1784) (HB 3897)
"KinderVision Foundation - The Greatest Save Teen PSA Program (Senate Form 2386) (HB 4995)
"North Miami Beach Police Athletic League STEM/Robotics Leadership Academy (Senate Form 1620) (HB 2941)
"Reichert House Youth Academy (Senate Form 2280) 100,000
Tallahassee TEMPO Workforce Training for Disconnected Youth (Senate Form 2142) (HB 2451) 150,000"
Specific Appropriation 1229A Pages 193 and 194
"Seminole County Juvenile Detention Center (Senate Form 2179) (HB 2135)
Specific Appropriation 1278 Page 199
"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1278, \$150,000 in non-recurring general revenue funds are provided for an incident command vehicle for West Palm Beach (Senate Form 1533) (HB 2217)."
Specific Appropriation 1281 Pages 199 and 200
"City of Opa-Locka Crime Prevention Technologies (Senate Form 1683) (HB 2029)
"Orlando Police Department Rapid DNA (Senate Form 1408) (HB 2607)
"D/S Gentry Regional Public Safety Training Center (Senate Form 1297) (HB 3603) 400,000"
Specific Appropriation 1286A Page 200
"Cape Coral - Public Safety Gun Range (Senate Form 1541) (HB 3957)
"Real Time Crime Center Expansion (Senate Form 2211) (HB 2369)

### SECTION 5 - NATURAL RESOURCES/ENVIRONMENT/ GROWTH MANAGEMENT/TRANSPORTATION

Specific Appropriation 1499 Page 225

Public Safety Training Facility

"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1499, \$98,850 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided to the Miami International Agriculture Horse and Cattle Show for promotional activities (Senate Form 1431) (HB 4049)."

Specific Appropriation 1502A Page 225

"1502A SPECIAL CATEGORIES URBAN AQUAPONICS FARMING FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND ..... 150,000 From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1502A, \$150,000 is provided for the Native Fresh Urban Aquaponics Farming project (Senate Form 1391) (HB 2475)." Specific Appropriation 1505C Page 226 "4Roots Farm and Agriculture Center "Putnam County Fair Association "Washington County Agriculture Center Specific Appropriation 1534 Page 229 "From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1534, \$150,000 in nonrecurring funds from the Agricultural Emergency Eradication Trust Fund is provided to fund the voluntary testing of avocado trees for laurel wilt and the destruction of infected trees (Senate Form 2425) (HB 2549)." Specific Appropriation 1552A Page 231 "1552A GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY TREASURE COAST FOOD BANK From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1552A, \$700,000 in nonrecurring funds is provided for the Treasure Coast Food Bank (Senate Form 1655) (HB 2219).' Specific Appropriation 1552B Page 231 "1552B GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY FEEDING TAMPA BAY FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND ...... 193,000 From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1552B, \$193,000 in nonrecurring funds is provided to Feeding Tampa Bay (Senate Form 2589) (HB 9103)." Specific Appropriation 1606B Page 236 "1606B FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY CONSERVATION AND RURAL LAND PROTECTION EASEMENTS AND AGREEMENTS The nonrecurring funds in Specific Appropriation 1606B are provided for the Hillsborough County - Two Rivers Ranch Conservation Easement (HB 9183) (Senate Form 2275).' Specific Appropriation 1638A Pages 240 and 241 "1638A GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY GRANTS AND AIDS - PORT MANATEE SEAGRASS MITIGATION AT PERICO FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND ......1,500,000 The nonrecurring funds in Specific Appropriation 1638A are provided for the Port Manatee Seagrass Mitigation at Perico project

(HB 4973) (Senate Form 2088).'

Specific Appropriation 1657B

Page 246

Specific Appropriation 1661 Page 247

"From the nonrecurring funds in Specific Appropriation 1661, \$2,000,000 is provided to publicly owned utilities to remove sand and grit from wastewater treatment plants with daily flow less than 3 MGD and associated collection systems that must remain in operation during cleaning to avoid the discharge of untreated wastewater. The department shall coordinate the selection and administration of projects. Funds shall be distributed on a firstcome, first-serve basis and require a local match of at least 50 percent, with the exception that the local match shall be waived by the department if: 1) the public utility is located in a Rural Area of Opportunity pursuant to section 288.0656, Florida Statutes; 2) the public utility is located in a county that has a poverty level equal to or greater than 20 percent as defined by the most recent federal census; or, 3) the public utility is located in and wholly serves a municipality that has a poverty level equal to or greater than 25 percent as qualified by the municipality and such qualification is accepted by the department (HB 4885) (Senate Form 2135)."

Specific Appropriation 1689 Page 250

"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1689, \$200,000 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided to the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for a study of Deltona Water, a division of the City of Deltona's Public Works Department. The study shall be competitively procured pursuant to chapter 287, Florida Statutes. The study should focus primarily on the Administration and Customer Service and Billing units, including operations (equipment maintenance and meter reading), billing and payment practices (late fees, billing cycle and billing spikes, and online payments), and customer service (process for bill dispute resolution and process for unclaimed funds such as deposits and overpayments). The study also should identify best practices that could be used to enhance operations and customer service and explore options for improving service delivery. DEP shall submit the study to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by December 31, 2019.

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1689, \$202,500 in non-recurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided for the ShoreLock Coastal Erosion Pilot (HB 4549)."

Specific Appropriation 1695C Page 251

"1695C GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS
AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL
OUTLAY GRANTS AND AIDS - TAMPA BAY
WATCH - SHELL KEY ACCESS AND WATER
QUALITY
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . . . . . . . . 1,000,000

The nonrecurring funds in Specific Appropriation 1695C are provided for the Tampa Bay Watch - Shell Key Access & Water Quality project (HB 3181) (Senate Form 2091)."

Specific Appropriation 1701A Page 252

The nonrecurring funds in Specific Appropriation 1701A are provided for the Fort Meade Nutrient Recovery project (HB 4257)	Miami Shores Village-Wide Traffic Calming (Senate Form 1243) (HB 2333)410,500
(Senate Form 1727)."	Palmetto Roadway and Drainage Improvements (Senate Form 1811) (HB 4045)
Specific Appropriation 1724A Page 254	Jacob Bus Shelter (Senate Form 1576)
"1724A GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	Altamonte Springs P3 AV Smart Corridor Project (Senate Form 2178) (HB 4043)
AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY GRANTS AND AIDS - ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECTS	W. Cervantes Street Pedestrian Safety Improvements (Senate Form 2201) (HB 2611)
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND 220,000	Land O' Lakes US 41 Landscape Rehabilitation (Senate Form 1450) (HB 2033)
From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1724A, \$220,000 in non- recurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided for the	"Millers Bayou Working Waterfront Enhancements
Coral Gables Water and Energy Efficiency Master Plan (HB 4003) (Senate Form 2644)."	(Senate Form 1618) (HB 2025)
Specific Appropriation 1747A	"I-395 Underdeck Open-Space and Heritage Trail (Senate 2368) (HB 2715)
Page 256	
"Apopka Birding Park	"Northwest Florida I-10 Industrial Park Improvements (Senate Form 2389) (HB 4393)
(HB 4595) (Senate Form 1308)	CR 437 Realignment from Central Avenue to SR 46 (Senate Form 1048) (HB 4591)
"Cape Coral Sirenia Vista Park (HB 4301) (Senate Form 1328)	"US 331/CR 30A Improvements - Walton County
"Leon County Orchard Pond Greenway Trail, Phase II	(HB 4861)
(HB 2077) (Senate Form 2119)	(Senate Form 2212) (HB 9165)
(HB 3277) (Senate Form 2439)	SECTION 6 - GENERAL GOVERNMENT
(HB 2507) (Senate Form 1139)	
Specific Appropriation 1989A Pages 279 through 281	Specific Appropriation 2238 Page 305
	"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 2238, \$100,000 in non-
"Amelia Island, An Environmental Branding Initiative (Senate Form 2325) (HB 3247)817,702	recurring funds from the Citrus Advertising Trust Fund shall be allocated for the Orlando Citrus Parade (Senate Form 2025) (HB
Pembroke Pines Senior Transportation Program (Senate Form 1631) (HB 2921)	4889)."
"AVE Banyan Project at Opa Locka Executive	Specific Appropriation 2273A
Airport	Page 310
	Hadra A Grant A GARAGORIA
(Senate Form 2297) (HB 3515)	"2273A SPECIAL CATEGORIES GRANTS AND AIDS - BUSINESS PARTNERSHIPS/
Woodbine Road (CR 197) 4 Lane Expansion (Senate Form 2208) (HB 4391)250,000	GRANTS AND AIDS - BUSINESS PARTNERSHIPS/ SKILL ASSESSMENT AND TRAINING
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Woodbine Road (CR 197) 4 Lane Expansion (Senate Form 2208) (HB 4391)	GRANTS AND AIDS - BUSINESS PARTNERSHIPS/ SKILL ASSESSMENT AND TRAINING FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND 2,000,000"  Specific Appropriation 2307A Pages 313 and 314
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(Senate Form 2140) (HB 2593).....1,500,000

Government Communications Network Digital Upgrade (Senate Form 1657)	Ocean City - Wright Fire Department/Northwest Florida State
"SPCA Tampa Bay Shelter Expansion (Senate Form 2454) (HB 3651)	(Senate Form 2268) (HB 2017)       500,000         Pembroke Pines Fire Station 69 Project       500,000"         (Senate Form 2604) (HB 2355)       500,000"
Tournament (Senate Form 1851) (HB 3393)	Specific Appropriation 2649 Page 350
Belle Glade Community and Recreation Center (Senate Form 1806) (HB 2629)	"Margate Mobile Command Vehicle (Senate Form 1068) (HB 2897)
(Senate form 1234) (HB 4947)	Update - NEFRC/RPC (Senate Form 1513) (HB 3235)
"Doctors' Memorial Hospital - Critical Rural Health Clinic	Specific Appropriation 2669 Page 352
(Senate form 1659) (HB 4853) 1,000,000"	"City of LaBelle Civic Center Emergency Generator (Senate Form 1072) (HB 2753)
Specific Appropriation 2315 Page 316	City of LaBelle City Hall Emergency Generator (Senate Form 1073) (HB 2757)
"From the funds in Specific Appropriation 2315, \$8,000,000 of nonrecurring funds from the State Housing Trust Fund shall allo-	Improvement (Senate Form 1183) (HB 3747) 1,072,000"
cated for the Jacksonville Urban Core Workforce Housing Project (Senate Form 2071) (HB 4303)."	"City of Hollywood Disaster Recovery Center Generator (Senate Form 2371) (HB 2101)
Specific Appropriation 2322A Page 318	Specific Appropriation 2942A Page 380
"2322A SPECIAL CATEGORIES GRANTS AND AIDS - ADVOCATING INTERNATIONAL RELATIONSHIPS FROM FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND PROMOTION	"2942A SPECIAL CATEGORIES LEE COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND
TRUST FUND	The funds provided in Specific Appropriation 2942A are provided for funding a nonrecurring appropriations project related to HB 3813."  Specific Appropriation 3109A
Specific Appropriation 2322B	Page 395
Page 318	"3109A SPECIAL CATEGORIES CHILD SUPPORT EMPLOYMENT AND
"Marine Research Hub of South Florida (Senate Form 2235) (HB 3685)	VERIFICATION TOOL FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND
(Senate Form 2219) (HB 4517)	From the funds in Specific Appropriation 3109A, \$750,000 in non-recurring general revenue funds is provided to the Department of
Specific Appropriation 2449A Page 331	Revenue to contract with a third party vendor that provides asset information such as income, payment history, loans, and location of individuals for the purpose of collecting delinquent child support
"BRIDG - Fire Safety Program (Senate Form 2282) 250,000 Brooksville Replacement of Fire Trucks and Equipment (Senate Form 1500) (HB 4161) 325,000"	funds. The contract shall be awarded based upon a competitive solicitation process pursuant to section 287.057, Florida Statutes (Senate Form 2414) (HB 4761)."
"Jacksonville Fire Gear Extractors and Dryers (Senate Form 1954) (HB 2103)278,621 North River Fire District DHS/FEMA PSGP Grant	Specific Appropriation 3174 Page 401
(Senate Form 1858) (HB 2413)	"Schooner Western Union State Flagship Restoration (Senate Form 1436) (HB 3675)
Specific Appropriation 2456A Page 332	Specific Appropriation 3207A Page 405
"Apopka Fire Station 6 (Senate Form 1247) (HB 2185)	"Ruth Eckerd Hall Expanding the Experience Campaign (Senate Form 2265) (HB 2567)500,000
"Cedar Hammock Fire Control District Regional Training Tower	Camp Blanding Museum Expansion Project (Senate Form 2228) (HB 4141)
(Senate Form 1343) (HB 2417)	"Carter G. Woodson African American Museum (Senate Form 2411) (HB 4599)
(Senate Form 1271) (HB 2261)	SECTION 7 - JUDICIAL BRANCH

Specific Appropriation 3229B Page 408

 (Senate Form 1262) (HB 3581)
 500,000

 Midway Fire District (HB 2605)
 500,000

Funds in Specific Appropriation 3229B are provided for the Santa Rosa County Judicial Center Master Site Planning (Senate Form 2206) (HB 4389)."

### OTHER SECTIONS

Section 9 Page 424

"SECTION 9. From the unexpended balance of funds appropriated in Specific Appropriation Section 34, Chapter 2017-233, Laws of Florida, for the renovation of the University of Florida Music Building, \$5,927,338 shall revert immediately and is appropriated in the same category to the planning and construction of the new Music Building at the University of Florida. (Senate Form 1812) (HB 3033)."

The portions of Senate Bill 2500 which are set forth herein with my objections are hereby vetoed, and all other portions of Senate Bill 2500 are hereby approved.

Sincerely, Ron DeSantis Governor

The bill, together with the Governor's objections thereto, was referred to the Committee on Rules.

### **EXECUTIVE BUSINESS**

## SUSPENSION REPORTS

## **EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 19-13**

(Executive Order of Suspension)

WHEREAS, Article IV, Section 7 of the Florida Constitution provides in relevant part that, "the Governor may suspend from office ... any county officer for ... neglect of duty ... [or] incompetence"; and

WHEREAS, Mary Beth Jackson is presently serving as the Superintendent of Schools for Okaloosa County, Florida, having been reelected by the voters of Okaloosa County in 2016 for a four-year term; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Florida Statute § 1001.32, the school district superintendent is responsible for the "administration and management of the schools and for the supervision of instruction in the district"; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Florida Statute § 1001.33, the school district superintendent serves as the executive officer of all public schools within the school district; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Florida Statute § 1001.42, the district school board, under the executive direction of the superintendent shall exercise power and perform the following duties: (1) recruiting and hiring personnel; (2) training, promoting, suspending and dismissing personnel; and (3) adopting policies for ethical conduct of personnel and school administrators; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Florida Statute § 1001.42(6), the school district superintendent is required to "report to law enforcement misconduct by instructional personnel or school administrators that would result in disqualification from educator certification or employment"; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Florida Statute § 1001.49, the school district superintendent shall exercise the following powers: general oversight over the entire school district and recommend policies, rules and minimum standards; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Florida Statute § 1001.51, the school district superintendent shall exercise the following powers and perform the following duties: recommend the organization and operation of the schools to provide adequate educational opportunities for all children in the district; be responsible for directing the work of personnel of the school district; prepare all reports required by law or the rules of the State Board of Education; visit schools within the district to observe management and instruction to provide suggestions for improvement; and recommend procedures for implementing and maintaining a system of school improvement; and

WHEREAS, on January 9, 2018, Commissioner of Education, Richard Corcoran wrote a letter addressed to me in my official capacity as Governor of the State of Florida presenting two Okaloosa County Grand Jury Reports, dated February 20, 2018 and June 13, 2018; and

WHEREAS, based on the contents of the two Okaloosa County Grand Jury Reports, Commissioner Corcoran provided the following in his January 9, 2018, letter: "Based on the Grand Jury's findings, which are within the appropriate scope of grand jury review, the investigation of this matter conducted by my General Counsel's Office, and the grave and serious nature of these failures, I strongly recommend you exercise your authority under Article IV, Section 7(a) of the Florida Constitution and immediately suspend Superintendent Mary Beth Jackson from office."; and

WHEREAS, according to the abovementioned reports during the 2015-2016 school year in Okaloosa County, there were numerous allegations and complaints made against Marlynn Stillions, a teacher at Kenwood Elementary School, involving inappropriate physical conduct with special needs students, including that Ms. Stillions kicked, tripped and grabbed students, withheld food and sprayed students with vinegar solution as punishment; and

WHEREAS, personnel in charge of reviewing complaints and human resources for Okaloosa County School District confirmed the allegations but failed to take any disciplinary action against Ms. Stillions and failed report Ms. Stillions to the Department of Children and Families, as required by Florida law; and

WHEREAS, personnel in charge of reviewing the allegations and complaints made against Ms. Stillions failed to report the conduct to the Office of Professional Practices of the Department of Education; and

WHEREAS, personnel within the Okaloosa County School District failed to report the allegations to the parents of the child involved in the investigation; and

WHEREAS, a subsequent investigation conducted by Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office and the State Attorney's Office led to Ms. Stillions being charged with four counts of child abuse; and

WHEREAS, a subsequent investigation conducted by Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office and the State Attorney's Office led to three other Okaloosa County School District employees being charged with failure to report suspected child abuse; and

WHEREAS, the Grand Jury found that Superintendent Jackson failed to implement proper procedures for record management and mandatory reporting to both the Department of Children and Families and the Department of Education; and

WHEREAS, the Grand Jury found that Superintendent Jackson failed to implement a proper procedure for removing any teacher who faces allegations that involve the health or safety of a student; and

WHEREAS, the Grand Jury found that Superintendent Jackson failed to provide adequate, necessary and frequent trainings for school district personnel, especially in the areas of ethics, child abuse and mandatory reporting obligations; and

WHEREAS, Superintendent Jackson is responsible for the conduct of school personnel and the safety and well-being of the students; and

WHEREAS, Superintendent Jackson has failed her responsibilities and duties to the parents and students of the Okaloosa County School District due to her failure to provide adequate, necessary and frequent training, a lack of supervision of school district personnel, and a failure

to implement adequate safe-guards, policies, and reporting requirements to protect the safety and well-being of the students; and

WHEREAS, Superintendent Jackson has contravened her oath of office as set forth in Article II, section 5, of the Florida Constitution, to "...faithfully perform the duties" of Superintendent of Schools for Okaloosa County, Florida; and

WHEREAS, due to her clear neglect of duty and incompetence, Superintendent Jackson can no longer demonstrate the qualifications necessary to meet her duties in office; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the residents and students of Okaloosa County, and the citizens of the State of Florida, that Superintendent Jackson be immediately suspended from the public office, which she now holds:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RON DESANTIS, Governor of Florida, pursuant to the Constitution and the laws of the State of Florida, do hereby find, determine, and for the purposes of Article IV, section 7, of the Florida Constitution, allege as follows:

- A. Mary Beth Jackson is, and at all times material was, the Superintendent of Schools for Okaloosa County, Florida.
- B. The office of Superintendent is within the purview of the suspension powers of the Governor, pursuant to Article IV, section 7, of the Florida Constitution.
- C. The actions and omissions of Mary Beth Jackson as referenced constitute neglect of duty and incompetence for the purposes of Article IV, section 7, of the Florida Constitution.
- D. If, after execution of this suspension, additional facts are discovered that illustrate further neglect of duty and incompetence—or other constitutional grounds for suspension of Mary Beth Jackson—this Executive Order may be amended to allege those additional facts.

BEING FULLY ADVISED in the premises, and in accordance with the Constitution and the laws of the State of Florida, this Executive Order is issued, effective immediately:

Section 1. Mary Beth Jackson is hereby suspended from the public office that she now holds, to wit: Superintendent of Schools for Okaloosa County, Florida.

Section 2. Mary Beth Jackson is hereby prohibited from performing any official act, duty, or function of public office; from receiving any pay or allowance; and from being entitled to any of the emoluments or privileges of public office during the period of this suspension, which period shall be from the effective date hereof, until a further executive order is issued, or as otherwise provided by law.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed, at Tallahassee, this 11th day of January, 2019.

Ron DeSantis GOVERNOR

ATTEST:
Michael Ertel
SECRETARY OF STATE

[Referred to the Senate Special Master on March 5, 2019.]

## MEMORANDUM

To: Debbie Brown, Secretary From: Bill Galvano, President

Subject: Executive Order of Suspension 19-13,

In re Mary Beth Jackson

Date: March 4, 2019

On Friday, March 1, 2019, Executive Order of Suspension 19-13 was challenged by way of a Petition for Writ of Quo Warranto in the Florida

Supreme Court. Subsequent to filing the Writ, Ms. Jackson requested the matter be held in abeyance and the Governor had no objection.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 12.9(2), the proceedings regarding EO 19-13 are held in abeyance.

#### **EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 19-166**

WHEREAS, on January 11, 2019, I, Governor Ron DeSantis, issued Executive Order 19-13 suspending Mary Beth Jackson from the office of Superintendent of Schools for Okaloosa County, Florida; and

WHEREAS, Mary Beth Jackson is challenging the suspension in front of the Florida Senate pursuant to Article IV, section 7(b) of the Florida Constitution; and

WHEREAS, Article IV, section 7(a), Florida Constitution provides that a suspended officer may be reinstated by the Governor at any time prior to removal;

WHEREAS, in expectation of Mary Beth Jackson's imminent resignation, our efforts should be focused on ensuring a safe learning environment, protecting the students of Okaloosa County, and allowing the school district to move forward with new leadership;

NOW THEREFORE, I, RON DESANTIS, Governor of Florida, pursuant to Article IV, Section 7(a), Florida Constitution, issue this Executive Order:

<u>Section 1</u>. Effective immediately, Mary Beth Jackson is reinstated to the public office she held at the time of the above-mentioned suspension, to wit: Superintendent of Schools for Okaloosa County, Florida.

<u>Section 2.</u> Effective immediately, Executive Order 19-13 is revoked and the suspension of Mary Beth Jackson is terminated.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed, at Tallahassee, this 17th day of July, 2019.

 $\begin{array}{c} Ron\ DeSantis\\ GOVERNOR \end{array}$ 

ATTEST: Laurel M. Lee SECRETARY OF STATE

Governor Ron DeSantis State of Florida The Capitol 400 S. Monroe Street Tallahassee, FL 32399-0001

Governor DeSantis,

Following my reinstatement and with gratitude to the students and citizens of Okaloosa County, I hereby resign from my position as Superintendent of the Okaloosa County School District effective July 17, 2019 at 1:43 p.m.

I was born and raised in Okaloosa County, a product of its award-winning school system, and began my own career as an educator with the Okaloosa County School District more than thirty years ago. Since the start of my career, my service to this District has been a point of tremendous pride and joy, rivaled only by my family and my faith. After many rewarding years as a teacher, guidance counselor, and administrator, I was twice elected as Superintendent of Schools, thanks to the abiding support and vision of the voters of Okaloosa County.

As Superintendent, my singular focus has been to ensure that all students have the same opportunity to learn in a safe and positive setting from teachers who are knowledgeable, motivated, and engaged.

July 17, 2019

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With the unwavering support of a remarkable team of educators, administrators, and staff, the District has seen improvements across the board during my tenure, including restoration and increases of funding for arts and Exceptional Student Education (ESE) programs, enhancements to student safety and campus security measures, improved graduation rates, and more. With grandchildren in this District, including one in the ESE program, these initiatives are near and dear to my heart.

When my dedication to the District and its pupils came under fire in recent months, I was moved to tell the students, parents, educators, and all others with a stake in the integrity and well-being of our District the unvarnished truth of the claims lodged against me. I thank you, Governor DeSantis, for your receptive ear and resulting decision to reinstate me to my rightful position as Superintendent of the Okaloosa County School District.

Notwithstanding my gratitude, and that of my supporters, for my position having been restored, a solemn commitment to the values that have guided me throughout my career—placing the needs and betterment of students above all else—compels me to relinquish my role. To do its best work, a school district requires not only wise and humble leadership, but stability. With a new school year upon us, and an elections cycle shortly after promising further change, added interruptions to the continuity of District leadership would not be in the best interests of the children whom I, as Superintendent, am duty-bound to serve.

Thus, upon somber deliberation, I resign my position as Superintendent and look thoughtfully forward to a new chapter, retiring in the place that has shaped my life from the start, Okaloosa County, Florida.

Sincerely,
Mary Beth Jackson

#### MEMORANDUM

To: Debbie Brown, Secretary From: Bill Galvano, President

Subject: Executive Order of Suspension 19-13,

In Re Mary Beth Jackson

Date: July 17, 2019

On January 11, 2019, Ms. Mary Beth Jackson was suspended from office as superintendent of Okaloosa County Schools by way of Executive Order of Suspension 19-13.

Pursuant to Senate Rules, I appointed Dudley Goodlette to serve as Special Master to hold a hearing and provide an advisory report. Special Master Goodlette held the hearing May 28-29, 2019, and instructed the parties to submit proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law by August 1, 2019.

Today, Special Master Goodlette received notice of Executive Order 19-166 revoking Executive Order of Suspension 19-13 and reinstating Ms. Mary Beth Jackson as the Superintendent of Schools for Okaloosa County. The Special Master also received Ms. Mary Beth Jackson's letter of resignation.

Given this information, the referral to Special Master Dudley Goodlette is withdrawn and no further action is required by Special Master Goodlette, the parties, or the Senate.

[This matter having been resolved was closed.]

## 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:

Office and	Appointment	For Term Ending				
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Barbers' Board Appointees:	Mayer, Russell Shane, Casselberry Stewart, Edwin A., Jr., Pensacola	10/31/2022 10/31/2022				
Florida Building ( Appointee:	Commission Fischer, Charles W., Jr., Lighthouse Point	01/30/2023				
Florida Citrus Co. Appointees:	mmission Hancock, Jonathan Ned, Sebring Johnson, Steve Allen, Bowling	05/31/2022				
	Green Martinez, Carlos H., Orlando Poulton, William Scott, Lakewood	05/31/2021 05/31/2021				
	Ranch Schirard, John Patrick, Vero Beach	05/31/2021 05/31/2022				
Board of Trustees	of Daytona State College					
Appointees:	Dye, Randall W., Deland	05/31/2023				
	Freckleton, Lloyd J., Flagler Beach Holness, Betty Jean, Ormond Beach Howard, Randall B., New Smyrna	05/31/2023 05/31/2023				
	Beach	05/31/2022				
	Lloyd, Robert W., Port Orange Lubi, Garry R., Palm Coast	05/31/2023 05/31/2022				
Board of Trustees Appointees:	of Florida SouthWestern State College Ciccarello, David, Fort Myers	05/31/2021				
	Martin, Jonathan, Confidential pur-	05/21/0000				
	suant to s. 119.071(4), F.S. Nix, Danny Gene, Jr., Punta Gorda	05/31/2022 05/31/2022				
Board of Trustees ville	of Florida State College at Jackson-					
Appointees:	Brown, Jennifer, Jacksonville	05/31/2022				
	DiBella, Laura, Fernandina Beach Hawkins, David Hunt, Jacksonville McGehee, Thomas R., Jr., Jackson-	05/31/2023 05/31/2023				
	ville	05/31/2023				
	Odom, Roderick "Rod" D., Yulee Young, Orrin Wayne, Jacksonville	05/31/2022 05/31/2021				
Board of Trustees Appointees:	of Miami-Dade College Abraham, Anay Marie, Confidential					
••	pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.	05/31/2023				
	Bileca, Michael, Miami	05/31/2021				
	Felipe, Marcell, Miami	05/31/2022				
	Leon, Benjamin, III, Coral Gables Washington, T. Nicole, Miami Beach	05/31/2022 05/31/2023				
	of St. Johns River State College	0.7/0.4/0.000				
Appointees:	Conrad, Jan, St. Johns Garrison, Samuel P., Fleming Island	05/31/2022 05/31/2022				
Board of Trustees	of St. Petersburg College					
Appointees:	Gibbons, Deveron M., St. Petersburg Kidwell, Thomas, St. Petersburg	05/31/2022 05/31/2023				
Board of Trustees Appointee:	of Seminole State College Cortes, Robert, Altamonte Springs	05/31/2023				
Board of Trustees	of Tallahassee Community College					
Appointees:	Grant, William Eric, Tallahassee	05/31/2021				
••	Lamb, Eugene, Jr., Midway	05/31/2022				
	Moore, Karen B., Tallahassee	05/31/2022				
Board of Trustees	of Valencia College					
Appointees:	Davis, John F., Orlando	05/31/2022				
	Lopez-Cid, Daisy, Kissimmee Sasso, Michael Adam, Confidential	05/31/2020				
	pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.	05/31/2021				
	Construction Industry Licensing Board					
Appointees:	Cesarone, Donald M., Jr., Lake Worth	10/31/2019				

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Board of Trustees for the Florida School for the Deaf and		Executive Director of South Florida Water Management			
the Blind Appointees:	Kramer, Matthew, St. Augustine Siguler, Pamela M., Ponte Vedra	02/07/2023	District Appointee:	Bartlett, Andrew "Drew," Lake Worth Beach	Pleasure of the Board
Florida Elections (	Beach	11/14/2022	Executive Director agement Distric	of Southwest Florida Water Man-	
Appointees:	Allen, Jason, Tallahassee Hayes, John Martin, Tallahassee	12/31/2019 12/31/2020	Appointee:	Armstrong, Brian J., San Antonio	Pleasure of the Board
Commission on Ethics Appointees: Gilzean, Glenton, Jr., Ocoee 06/3		06/30/2020	Executive Director ment District	of Suwannee River Water Manage-	
пррописсы.	Grant, John A., Jr., Tampa Meggs, William N., Tallahassee	06/30/2021 06/30/2021	Appointee:	Thomas, Hugh L., Bell	Pleasure of the Board
Central Florida Expressway Authority Appointee: Madara, Jay, Windermere 06/20/20		06/20/2022	Referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Environment and Natural Resources; and Ethics and Elections.		
Florida Housing Factorial Appointee:	inance Corporation Benson, Ryan, Fort Myers	11/13/2022			For Term
Governor's Mansio	n Commission		Office and I	Appointment	Ending
Appointees:	Payne, Danielle Holm, Winter Park Stoch, Linda, Palm Beach Gardens	09/30/2022 09/30/2020	Secretary of the D Appointee:	epartment of the Lottery Hunt, Randall, Lake Mary	Pleasure of Governor
Board of Medicine Appointees: Ackerman, Scot N., Jacksonville Cairns, Kevin, Fort Lauderdale Diamond, David A., Winter Park Gupta, Shailesh, Pompano Beach Vila, Hector, Jr., Tampa		10/31/2022 10/31/2022 10/31/2021 10/31/2020 10/31/2022	Referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Innovation, Industry, and Technology; and Ethics and Elec- tions.		nment; and
	Zachariah, Zachariah P., Sea Ranch Lakes	10/31/2022	Office and 2	Appointment	For Term Ending
Board of Pilot Com		10/01/2022	State Surgeon Ger		8
Appointee:	Russo, Edward, Key West	10/31/2022	Appointee:	Rivkees, Scott A., Tallahassee	Pleasure of Governor
Tampa Port Authority Appointees: Allman, Patrick H., III, Tampa Conner, William Theodore, Tampa Harrod, Chadwick William, Con- fidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4),		02/06/2022 11/25/2021	Referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Health Policy; and Ethics and Elections.		
	F.S. Mai, Hung T., Lutz	11/14/2022 11/15/2019	Office and I	Appointment	For Term Ending
	Mai, Hung T., Lutz Swindal, Stephen W., Tampa	11/15/2023 02/06/2020	Board of Directors Appointee:	, Enterprise Florida, Inc. San Pedro, Katherine, Miami	09/30/2019
Jacksonville Port Authority Appointees: Bean, Daniel K., Jacksonville Fleming, Edward J., Jr., Jackson-		09/30/2023	Referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; ar Ethics and Elections.		ourism; and
	ville	09/30/2023	O.C.		For Term
Board of Profession Appointees:	nal Surveyors and Mappers Fountain, Keith R., DeLand	10/31/2021	,,	Appointment Regional Counsel - Middle Region	Ending
	Hall, Iarelis Diaz, Apopka Zoltek, Michael John, Cape Coral	10/31/2023 10/31/2022	Appointee:	Pinkard, Eric, Plant City	09/30/2021
Jacksonville Trans Appointees:	portation Authority Buckland, Deborah H., Atlantic		Referred to th and Elections.	e Committees on Criminal Justice;	and Ethics
	Beach Driver, G. Ray, Jr., Jacksonville Jolly, Arezou C., Jacksonville	05/31/2023 05/31/2023 05/31/2022	Office and I	Appointment	For Term Ending
Referred to the	e Committee on Ethics and Election	ıs.	Board of Governor Appointees:	s of the State University System Lamb, Brian D., Mason	01/06/2026
Office and Appointment		For Term Ending		Lydecker, Charles Harvey, Ormond Beach	01/01/2020
Executive Director agement District	of Northwest Florida Water Man-			Scott, Steven M., Boca Raton Silagy, Eric E., Palm Beach Gardens Stermon, Kent, Jacksonville	01/06/2026 01/06/2026 01/06/2026
Appointee:	Cyphers, Brett J., Tallahassee	Pleasure of the Board	Board of Trustees, Appointees:	Florida Atlantic University Dennis, Michael T.B., Palm Beach	01/06/2025
Executive Director of St. Johns River Water Management District			F P 0 M 10 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	Morris, Elycia, Boca Raton	01/06/2025
Appointee:	Shortelle, Ann B., Gainesville	Pleasure of the Board	Board of Trustees, Appointees:	University of Central Florida McAlpin, Caryl C., Orlando	01/06/2025

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Office and Appointment Mills, Harold F., Windermere		For Term Ending 01/06/2021	Referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; and Ethics and Elections.		
	Okaty, Michael A., Maitland	01/06/2021	For Term Office and Appointment Ending		
Board of Trustees Appointees:	, Florida State University Sasser, Bobby L., Virginia Beach	01/06/2025	Director and Chief Judge, Division of Administrative		
D 1 4 m	Thiel, John William, Clearwater	01/06/2025	Hearings Appointee: MacIver, John, Confidential pur-Pleasure of		
Board of Trustees Appointees:	, Florida Gulf Coast University Coone, Ashley, Arcadia Morton, Edward Allen, Naples Semrod, Jaye, Naples	01/06/2021 01/06/2025 01/06/2025	suant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.  Admin Commission  Investment Advisory Council Appointee: Jones, J. Robert, Jr., Winter Park 02/01/2023		
Board of Trustees Appointees:	, New College of Florida Christaldi, Ronald A., Tampa	01/06/2025	Appointee: Jones, J. Robert, Jr., Winter Park 02/01/2023  Referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Ethics and Elections.		
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Appointee:	s, Florida Polytechnic University Sasser, W. Earl, Jr., Winter Park	07/15/2024	Office and Appointment Ending		
Board of Trustees Appointees:	, University of Florida Brandon, David Lee, Palm Harbor Zucker, Anita G., Charleston	01/06/2025 01/06/2025	Florida Transportation Commission Appointees: Burke, Richard, Ponte Vedra Beach Burke, Richard, Ponte Vedra Beach 09/30/2019 09/30/2023		
Board of Trustees Appointees:	, University of North Florida Davis, Jill Smith, Jacksonville	01/06/2025	Referred to the Committees on Infrastructure and Security; and Ethics and Elections.		
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Board of Trustees Appointees:	, University of South Florida Callahan, Sandra W., St. Petersburg Griffin, Michael E., Tampa	01/06/2025 01/06/2025	Adjutant General of Florida National Guard Appointee: Eifert, James O., Confidential pursuant to s. 119.071(4), F.S. Pleasure of Governor		
Board of Trustees Appointees:	Scott, Alonzie, III, Philadelphia Singer, Jill Anne, Reston	01/06/2023 01/06/2025 01/06/2025	Referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affair and Space; and Ethics and Elections.		
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suant to s. 119.071(4), F.S.

Schwab, Richard, Perry

Appointees:

tified by each chief judge reflect local differences in support of their requests for more judgeships or in support of their requests for this Court not to decertify judgeships in situations where the objective case weights alone would indicate excess judicial capacity. Applying the criteria in this two-step methodology, we conclude that the First, Ninth, and Fourteenth circuits have a demonstrable need for additional circuit judges. Using the same criteria, this Court determines that the secondary factor analysis, coupled with recent statutory amendments and other relevant circumstances further explained below, warrants a more restrained approach to the decertification of trial court judgeships than the raw numbers alone would indicate.

Our evaluation of these matters takes into account developments in the way our courts perform their duties that are not currently captured by the weighted case load methodology. We also consider not only recently adopted legislation but also potential legislation and rule changes that could have a significant impact.

Chapter 2019-58, Laws of Florida, increased the maximum dollar amount in controversy of cases under the jurisdiction of county courts.<sup>3</sup> The Legislature took a phased approach to the implementation of this amendment. Effective January 1, 2020, county court jurisdiction increases from a current upper limit of \$15,000 to \$30,000 and is scheduled for a second upward adjustment to \$50,000 on January 1, 2023. Although these changes necessarily will alter workload in the county and circuit courts, precise estimates of the impact of these statutory revisions are not possible at this time.

At the beginning of 2019, this Court established the Judicial Management Council Workgroup on Appellate Review of County Court Decisions.4 We directed the workgroup to study whether the circuit courts should be uniformly required to hear appeals in panels, to review a previous recommendation with regard to allowing intra- and intercircuit conflicts in circuit court appellate decisions to be certified to the district courts of appeal, and to consider whether other changes to the process for appellate review of county court decisions would improve the administration of justice. The Court has considered the report of that workgroup, submitted in October of this year, and accepted its recommendations, with some slight modifications. The Supreme Court supports the Legislature's consideration of legislation during the 2020 Regular Session to transfer to the district courts of appeal the circuit courts' appellate and related extraordinary writ authority in county civil cases including non-criminal violations, county criminal cases, and administrative cases. Further, we have expressed our support for an effective date for the legislation that is no earlier than January 1, 2021, to allow adequate time for judicial branch implementation. If the various statutes are amended by the Legislature to implement these changes, the judicial workload in the circuit courts and district courts will necessarily be affected.

Trial court judges have expressed concerns about a need to review and possibly refine the method for reporting on the increased number and types of problem-solving courts throughout the state and the increased number of cases handled by those problem-solving courts. It is important for this Court, in its assessment of judicial need, to evaluate the impact on judicial workload the problem-solving courts create and, if necessary, update the associated case weights. While problem-solving courts show positive results in reduced recidivism and better outcomes in many cases, they also require significantly more judicial time.

Finally, this Court is awaiting the results of an important review it has ordered, which may lead to revision of the rules we employ to determine judicial need. Specifically, this Court has directed the Commission on Trial Court Performance and Accountability to review secondary factors impacting judicial certification to determine if there are areas of inconsistency between the case weights and current judicial assignments. The Commission is reviewing rules 2.240(b)(1)(B) and 2.240(c), Florida Rules of Judicial Administration, to determine if there is a need to recommend any suggested modifications.

Having conducted a quantitative assessment of trial and appellate court judicial workload and, as noted above, having also considered the various qualitative factors, workload trends, legislatively enacted jurisdictional changes and other relevant circumstances, we certify the need for ten additional trial court judgeships in Florida, consisting of four circuit court judgeships and six county court judgeships, as set

forth in the appendix to this opinion. We also recommend the decertification of four county court judgeships, also identified in the appendix, and we certify no need for additional judgeships in the district courts of appeal.

It is so ordered.

CANADY, C.J., and POLSTON, LABARGA, LAWSON, LAGOA, and MUNIZ, JJ., concur.

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### **APPENDIX**

#### **Trial Court Need**

Circuit	Circuit Court Certified Judges	County	County Court Certified Judges	County Court Decertified Judges
1	1	N/A	0	0
2	0	N/A	0	0
3	0	N/A	0	0
4	0	N/A	0	0
5	0	N/A	0	0
6	0	N/A	0	0
7	0	N/A	0	0
8	0	N/A	0	0
9	2	Orange	1	0
10	0	N/A	0	0
11	0	N/A	0	0
12	0	N/A	0	0
13	0	Hillsborough	4	0
14	1	N/A	0	0
15	0	N/A	0	0
16	0	Monroe	0	1
17	0	N/A	0	0
18	0	Brevard	0	2
19	0	N/A	0	0
20	0	Collier	0	1
		Lee	1	0
Total	4	Total	6	4

<sup>1</sup>Article V, section 9 of the Florida Constitution provides in pertinent part:

**Determination of number of judges.**—The supreme court shall establish by rule uniform criteria for the determination of the need for additional judges except supreme court justices, the necessity for decreasing the number of judges and for increasing, decreasing or redefining appellate districts and judicial circuits. If the supreme court finds that a need exists for increasing or decreasing the number of judges or increasing, decreasing or redefining appellate districts and judicial circuits, it shall, prior to the next regular session of the legislature, certify to the legislature its findings and recommendations concerning such need.

<sup>2</sup>Our certification methodology relies primarily on case weights and calculations of available judge time to determine the need for additional trial court judges. *See* Fla. R. Jud. Admin. 2.240.

<sup>3</sup>Section 34.01(1)(c), Florida Statutes (2019), states that county courts shall have original jurisdiction:

Of all actions at law, except those within the exclusive jurisdiction of the circuit courts, in which the matter in controversy does not exceed, exclusive of interest, costs, and attorney fees:

- 1. If filed on or before December 31, 2019, the sum of \$15,000.
- 2. If filed on or after January 1, 2020, the sum of  $\$30\,000$
- 3. If filed on or after January 1, 2023, the sum of \$50,000.

<sup>4</sup>See In re Workgroup on Appellate Review of County Court Decisions, Fla. Admin. Order No. AOSC19-3 (Jan. 4, 2019).

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(As revised December 14, 2018)

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## Reapportionment

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# MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## RETURNING MESSAGES — FINAL ACTION

The Honorable Bill Galvano, President

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted SCR 1180.

Jeff Takacs, Clerk

The bill contained in the foregoing message was ordered enrolled.

## ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to the motion by Senator Benacquisto previously adopted, upon dissolution of the joint session at 11:58 a.m., the Senate adjourned

for the purpose of holding committee meetings and conducting other Senate business to reconvene at 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, January 22 or upon call of the President.

### SENATE PAGES

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