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CALL TO ORDER

The Senate was called to order by President Simpson at 2:00 p.m. A quorum present—39:

Mr. President	Burgess	Perry
Albritton	Cruz	Pizzo
Ausley	Diaz	Polisky
Baxley	Farmer	Powell
Bean	Gainer	Rodrigues
Berman	Garcia	Rodriguez
Book	Gibson	Rouson
Boyd	Harrell	Stargel
Bracy	Hooper	Stewart
Bradley	Hutson	Taddeo
Brandes	Jones	Thurston
Brodeur	Mayfield	Torres
Broxson	Passidomo	Wright

Excused: Senator Gruters

PRAYER

The following prayer was offered by Pastor Addison K. Mitchell, Parker Memorial Missionary Baptist Church, Cocoa:

Almighty God, the creator and sustainer of all life, first and foremost, we want to thank you for a reasonable portion of life, health, and strength. We thank you for your many blessings you have bestowed upon each of us and our respective families down through the years.

We seek your divine blessings upon our Governor, the Honorable Ron DeSantis, and all of the men and women of the Florida State Senate who have devoted their time and talents to serving the needs of the people of our great state. We ask for your guidance as we assemble this afternoon to make decisions that will make our state the best state for living, loving, and laughing.

Grant our Senators the wisdom, knowledge, and understanding that will result in legislation, laws, and amendments that will be pleasing in your sight and best for our state as a whole. Help them to be with one accord. Unite them in love, dignity, and respect of various opinions. At the end of the day, may we all depart this place united as one, indivisible, promoting liberty and justice for all.

These and all blessings we ask for in the name and in the power of our God and creator. Amen.

PLEDGE

Senator Ausley led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

At the request of Senator Berman—

By Senator Berman—

SR 1056—A resolution recognizing August 2021 as “Amblyopia Awareness Month” in Florida.

WHEREAS, amblyopia is the most common cause of vision loss in children, and

WHEREAS, amblyopia can cause permanent vision loss if not detected and treated early in life, and

WHEREAS, the detection of amblyopia and other vision threatening disorders, including retinoblastoma tumors, cataracts, and strabismus, in early childhood increases the chances of successful treatment, especially if the disorder is detected before a child reaches 5 years of age, and

WHEREAS, many forms of amblyopia are difficult to detect and can be identified only through proper screening techniques, and

WHEREAS, the sooner children are identified as having amblyopia or other vision threatening disorders, the sooner treatment can commence, and

WHEREAS, millions of children in the United States are left with permanent vision loss due to undetected amblyopia and other childhood ocular disorders that could have been detected with proper screening and successfully treated, and

WHEREAS, less than 20 percent of preschool children are currently screened for vision problems, despite the fact that such screening is a covered service by many health insurance plans and health maintenance organizations, and

WHEREAS, parents should be encouraged to have their children screened for vision problems before admission to preschool, and

WHEREAS, the Florida Society of Ophthalmology and the For Eye Care Foundation, Inc., believe that it is of paramount importance to promote statewide preschool vision screening, with the goal of testing all children between 3 and 5 years of age, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That August 2021 is recognized as “Amblyopia Awareness Month” in Florida.

—was introduced, read, and adopted by publication.

At the request of Senator Berman—

By Senator Berman—

SR 1124—A resolution recognizing March 2021 as “Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month” in Florida.

WHEREAS, excluding skin cancers, colorectal cancer is the third most common cancer diagnosed in both men and women in the United States, and

WHEREAS, the American Cancer Society projects that, in 2021, there will be 140,500 new cases of colorectal cancer in the United States, and

WHEREAS, the American Cancer Society projects that, in 2021, there will be 11,220 new cases of colorectal cancer in Florida and that 4,360 Floridians will die from colorectal cancer, and

WHEREAS, the colorectal cancer survival rate could increase if adults older than 45 years of age were regularly screened to discover the cancer in its earliest stages, and

WHEREAS, increasing awareness of and education concerning colorectal cancer will lead to significant progress in both preventing and overcoming the disease, as the majority of cases have proven to be both treatable and survivable when discovered early, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That March 2021 is recognized as “Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month” in Florida.

—was introduced, read, and adopted by publication.

At the request of Senator Berman—

By Senator Berman—

SR 1376—A resolution recognizing May 3, 2021, and each May 3 thereafter, as “Promise Fund of Florida, Inc., Founders Day” in Florida.

WHEREAS, 2021 marks the 50th anniversary of the National Cancer Act of 1971, the landmark legislation that intensified support for cancer resources, and

WHEREAS, each year, breast and cervical cancer take the lives of more than 3,500 Floridians, and approximately 18,000 women in this state learn they have breast or cervical cancer, and

WHEREAS, when cancer is caught in its early stages, survival rates are nearly 99 percent for those diagnosed with breast cancer and nearly 95 percent for those diagnosed with cervical cancer, and

WHEREAS, in Florida, 31 percent of breast cancer cases and 50 percent of cervical cancer cases are diagnosed at an advanced stage, and

WHEREAS, breast and cervical cancer disproportionately affect women of color, with black women experiencing a mortality rate for breast cancer that is 40 percent higher than that of white women and the highest rates of death from cervical cancer, and

WHEREAS, Hispanic women are diagnosed with more late-stage breast cancer than white women and are the most likely to develop cervical cancer, and

WHEREAS, the Promise Fund of Florida, Inc., is committed to health equity and building a continuum of care that navigates women to quality screening, diagnostic, and cancer services, and

WHEREAS, in 2020, the Promise Fund of Florida, Inc., opened a Mammography Screening Center, accredited by the American College of Radiology, at a federally qualified health center in Palm Beach County to increase access for black and Hispanic women with limited resources to women’s health care screenings, and

WHEREAS, early diagnosis of breast and cervical cancer substantially increases the likelihood of survival, yet across the nation tens of millions of women are without health insurance and cannot afford such screening, and

WHEREAS, the Promise Fund of Florida, Inc., Mammography Screening Center provides screenings on a sliding-fee basis, with approximately 20 percent of those screenings leading to additional testing, and

WHEREAS, 44 percent of women in this state 40 years of age or older did not receive a mammogram in the past year, and 50 percent of women 18 years of age or older did not receive a Pap test, and

WHEREAS, women should be encouraged to access available, affordable preventive screenings, and the financial barriers and adverse social determinants of health which impede their ability to establish a medical home for well-woman health care exams must be addressed, and

WHEREAS, the Promise Fund of Florida, Inc., and its Patient Navigator Network in Palm Beach County, believe that it is of paramount importance to promote statewide breast and cervical cancer early detection screening, with the goal of reducing late-stage diagnoses, which may lead to death and suffering, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That May 3, 2021, and each May 3 thereafter, is recognized as “Promise Fund of Florida, Inc., Founders Day” in Florida.

—was introduced, read, and adopted by publication.

At the request of Senator Bean—

By Senator Bean—

SR 2018—A resolution recognizing the 30th anniversary of the founding of the Florida Healthy Kids Corporation.

WHEREAS, the Florida Healthy Kids Corporation, a nonprofit organization created by the Florida Legislature in 1990, has operated successfully for 30 years to ensure all children have access to affordable, comprehensive, and quality health and dental care, and

WHEREAS, Florida Healthy Kids existed before the national Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP), which was signed into law in 1997, and was grandfathered into the CHIP legislation by the United States Congress, and

WHEREAS, Florida Healthy Kids is governed by a dedicated board of directors composed of top officials of state agencies responsible for the welfare of children, as well as physicians, dentists, and other experts on children’s health policy and medical care, and

WHEREAS, Florida Healthy Kids has successfully fulfilled its statutory duties of managing children’s health and dental plans and associated administrative functions, including insurer procurement and management, eligibility determination and enrollment, compliance, fiscal administration, reporting, and related customer services, and

WHEREAS, Florida Healthy Kids is responsible for the marketing of Florida KidCare, the umbrella brand for the four government-sponsored health insurance programs serving children including Medicaid for children, MediKids, Florida Healthy Kids, and the Children’s Medical Services Managed Care Plan, and

WHEREAS, Florida Healthy Kids creates affordable subsidized and full-pay plans for children from 5 years of age through 18 years of age, with affordable subsidized premiums for children in lower-income families, and affordable unsubsidized coverage for any child in this state in a family with income that exceeds a certain income threshold, and

WHEREAS, Florida Healthy Kids successfully engages key stakeholders in this state, including community organizations, hospitals, health care clinics, and school districts, to consistently fulfill its mission to actively increase the number of insured kids by developing child-centered health plans and connecting families to coverage, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the Florida Healthy Kids Corporation is recognized for its 30 years of resolute dedication to increasing access to comprehensive, affordable, and quality health care services to improve the health of Florida's children and reduce the incidence and costs of childhood illnesses and disabilities among children in our state.

—was introduced, read, and adopted by publication.

BILLS ON THIRD READING

SB 306—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 2021 and designating the portions thereof that are to constitute the official law of the state; providing that the Florida Statutes 2021 shall be effective immediately upon publication; providing that general laws enacted during the 2020 regular session and prior thereto and not included in the Florida Statutes 2021 are repealed; providing that general laws enacted after the 2020 regular session are not repealed by this adoption act; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Passidomo, SB 306 was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Albritton, Ausley, Baxley, Bean, Berman, Book, Boyd, Bracy, Bradley, Brandes, Brodeur, Broxson, Burgess, Cruz, Diaz, Farmer, Gainer, Garcia, Gibson, Harrell, Hooper, Hutson, Jones, Mayfield, Passidomo, Perry, Pizzo, Polsky, Powell, Rodrigues, Rodriguez, Rouson, Stargel, Stewart, Taddeo, Thurston, Torres, Wright

Nays—None

MOMENT OF SILENCE

At the request of Senator Gibson, the Senate observed a moment of silence honoring the victims of recent race-related attacks on the Asian American community.

SB 308—A reviser's bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Statutes; amending ss. 20.058, 20.2551, 39.01, 39.302, 39.3065, 39.521, 39.6012, 45.035, 70.001, 215.555, 215.985, 220.03, 220.183, 252.355, 253.0341, 258.3991, 288.9619, 324.021, 364.336, 365.179, 373.41492, 379.2426, 381.925, 393.066, 400.462, 400.962, 401.45, 402.402, 403.726, 409.165, 409.973, 420.628, 420.9071, 420.9072, 420.9075, 420.9076, 429.02, 456.053, 481.203, 552.30, 556.102, 624.307, 624.5105, 625.091, 627.6387, 627.6648, 631.54, 641.31076, 647.02, 647.05, 723.079, 784.046, 943.059, 960.28, 1004.6499, 1007.33, 1009.24, 1009.50, 1009.51, 1009.52, 1009.65, 1009.986, and 1011.62, F.S.; reenacting s. 408.036, 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 cross-references and citations; correcting grammatical, typographical, and like errors; removing inconsistencies, redundancies, and unnecessary repetition in the statutes; improving the clarity of the statutes and facilitating their correct interpretation; and revising a statutory provision to conform to a directive of the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Passidomo, SB 308 was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Albritton, Ausley, Baxley, Bean, Berman, Book, Boyd, Bracy, Bradley, Brandes, Brodeur, Broxson, Burgess, Cruz, Diaz, Farmer, Gainer, Garcia, Gibson, Harrell, Hooper, Hutson, Jones, Mayfield, Passidomo, Perry, Pizzo, Polsky, Powell, Rodrigues, Rodriguez, Rouson, Stargel, Stewart, Taddeo, Thurston, Torres, Wright

Nays—None

SB 310—A reviser's bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Statutes; repealing ss. 119.071(5)(k), 216.181(11)(e), 267.0618, 311.101(7), 339.2818(8), 464.012(8), 466.00673, 1002.394(15), and 1003.4282(9), F.S., and amending ss. 316.306, 381.986, and 383.14, 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 2021 Florida Statutes only through a reviser's bill duly enacted by the Legislature; amending ss. 1002.3105 and 1003.5716, F.S., to conform to the repeal of s. 1003.4282(9), F.S., by this act; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Passidomo, SB 310 was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Albritton, Ausley, Baxley, Bean, Berman, Book, Boyd, Bracy, Bradley, Brandes, Brodeur, Broxson, Burgess, Cruz, Diaz, Farmer, Gainer, Garcia, Gibson, Harrell, Hooper, Hutson, Jones, Mayfield, Passidomo, Perry, Pizzo, Polsky, Powell, Rodrigues, Rodriguez, Rouson, Stargel, Stewart, Taddeo, Thurston, Torres, Wright

Nays—None

SB 312—A reviser's bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Statutes; amending ss. 335.066, 339.81, and 380.276, F.S., and repealing s. 338.065, 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 read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Passidomo, SB 312 was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Albritton, Ausley, Baxley, Bean, Berman, Book, Boyd, Bracy, Bradley, Brandes, Brodeur, Broxson, Burgess, Cruz

Diaz	Jones	Rodriguez
Farmer	Mayfield	Rouson
Gainer	Passidomo	Stargel
Garcia	Perry	Stewart
Gibson	Pizzo	Taddeo
Harrell	Polsky	Thurston
Hooper	Powell	Torres
Hutson	Rodriguez	Wright

Nays—None

CS for CS for CS for SB 88—A bill to be entitled An act relating to farming operations; amending s. 823.14, F.S.; revising legislative findings; defining and redefining terms; prohibiting farms from being held liable for nuisance except under certain circumstances; providing a burden of proof; prohibiting nuisance actions from being filed against farm operations unless specified conditions are met; providing requirements for and limitations on damages; providing that plaintiffs who bring nuisance actions against farm operations are liable for certain costs and expenses under certain conditions; amending ss. 193.4517, 316.5501, 633.202, and 812.015, F.S.; conforming cross-references; reenacting ss. 163.3162(2)(b), 163.3163(3)(b), 403.9337(4), and 570.86(4), F.S., relating to agricultural lands and practices, applications for development permits and disclosure and acknowledgment of contiguous sustainable agricultural land, Model Ordinance for Florida-Friendly Fertilizer Use on Urban Landscapes, and definitions relating to agritourism, respectively, to incorporate the amendments made by this act to s. 823.14, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—as amended March 11, was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Brodeur, **CS for CS for CS for SB 88**, as amended, was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—37

Mr. President	Burgess	Polsky
Albritton	Cruz	Powell
Ausley	Diaz	Rodriguez
Baxley	Gainer	Rodriguez
Bean	Garcia	Rouson
Berman	Harrell	Stargel
Book	Hooper	Stewart
Boyd	Hutson	Taddeo
Bracy	Jones	Thurston
Bradley	Mayfield	Torres
Brandes	Passidomo	Wright
Brodeur	Perry	
Broxson	Pizzo	

Nays—1

Farmer

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Gibson

CS for SB 70—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic violence centers; creating s. 39.9057, F.S.; prohibiting the unlawful disclosure of certain information about domestic violence centers; providing criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Garcia, **CS for SB 70** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Burgess	Perry
Albritton	Cruz	Pizzo
Ausley	Diaz	Polsky
Baxley	Farmer	Powell
Bean	Gainer	Rodriguez
Berman	Garcia	Rodriguez
Book	Gibson	Rouson
Boyd	Harrell	Stargel
Bracy	Hooper	Stewart
Bradley	Hutson	Taddeo
Brandes	Jones	Thurston
Brodeur	Mayfield	Torres
Broxson	Passidomo	Wright

Nays—None

CS for SB 68—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; exempting personal identifying and location information of current and former staff and domestic violence advocates of domestic violence centers certified by the Department of Children and Families under ch. 39, F.S., and personal identifying and location information of spouses and children of such personnel, from public records requirements; providing for retroactive application; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Garcia, **CS for SB 68** was passed by the required constitutional two-thirds vote of the members present and voting and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—35

Mr. President	Cruz	Polsky
Albritton	Diaz	Powell
Ausley	Farmer	Rodriguez
Baxley	Gainer	Rodriguez
Bean	Garcia	Rouson
Book	Harrell	Stargel
Boyd	Hooper	Stewart
Bracy	Hutson	Taddeo
Bradley	Mayfield	Thurston
Brodeur	Passidomo	Torres
Broxson	Perry	Wright
Burgess	Pizzo	

Nays—3

Berman Brandes Gibson

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Jones

CS for CS for SB 46—A bill to be entitled An act relating to craft distilleries; amending s. 565.02, F.S.; defining the term “destination entertainment venue”; authorizing craft distilleries to be licensed as specified vendors under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such licenses; providing requirements for craft distilleries for such licenses; prohibiting a licensee from taking certain actions; requiring certain alcoholic beverages to be obtained through a licensed distributor; amending s. 565.03, F.S.; redefining the terms “branded product” and “craft distillery”; prohibiting a distillery from operating as a craft distillery until certain requirements are met; authorizing persons to have common ownership in craft distilleries under certain circumstances; defining the term “common ownership”; requiring a minimum percentage of a craft distillery’s total finished branded products to be distilled in this state and contain one or more Florida agricultural products after a specified date; revising the requirements and prohibitions on the sale of branded products to consumers by a licensed craft distillery; revising the circumstances for which a craft distillery must report certain information about the production of distilled spirits to the

Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; revising prohibitions on the shipment of certain products by a craft distillery; revising prohibitions on the transfer of a craft distillery license or ownership interest in such license; revising prohibitions relating to affiliated ownership of craft distilleries; authorizing a craft distillery to transfer specified distilled spirits from certain locations to its souvenir gift shop and tasting room; making technical changes; requiring the keeping of records for alcoholic beverages received from specified persons; amending s. 565.17, F.S.; authorizing craft distilleries to conduct spirituous beverage tastings under certain circumstances; requiring the division to issue permits to craft distilleries to conduct tastings and sales at certain locations; specifying requirements for distilleries for such permits; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Hutson, **CS for CS for SB 46** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Burgess, Perry, Albritton, Cruz, Pizzo, Ausley, Diaz, Polsky, Baxley, Farmer, Powell, Bean, Gainer, Rodrigues, Berman, Garcia, Rodriguez, Book, Gibson, Rouson, Boyd, Harrell, Stargel, Bracy, Hooper, Stewart, Bradley, Hutson, Taddeo, Brandes, Jones, Thurston, Brodeur, Mayfield, Torres, Broxson, Passidomo, Wright

Nays—None

CS for SB 416—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the POW-MIA Vietnam Veterans Bracelet Memorial; creating s. 265.008, F.S.; providing legislative intent; establishing the POW-MIA Vietnam Veterans Bracelet Memorial; providing for the funding and administration of the memorial; directing the Department of Management Services to designate space for the memorial’s construction and placement by a specified date; requiring the department to consider recommendations of, and coordinate with, specified entities regarding the memorial’s placement and design; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Burgess, **CS for SB 416** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Burgess, Pizzo, Albritton, Cruz, Polsky, Ausley, Diaz, Powell, Baxley, Farmer, Rodrigues, Bean, Gainer, Rodriguez, Berman, Garcia, Rouson, Book, Gibson, Stargel, Boyd, Harrell, Stewart, Bracy, Hooper, Taddeo, Bradley, Hutson, Thurston, Brandes, Mayfield, Torres, Brodeur, Passidomo, Wright, Broxson, Perry

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Jones

SB 58—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hospitals’ community benefit reporting; repealing s. 193.019, F.S., relating to reporting of community benefit expenses for property tax exemption purposes; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

On motion by Senator Rodriguez, **SB 58** was passed and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Burgess, Perry, Albritton, Cruz, Pizzo, Ausley, Diaz, Polsky, Baxley, Farmer, Powell, Bean, Gainer, Rodriguez, Berman, Garcia, Rouson, Book, Gibson, Stargel, Boyd, Harrell, Stewart, Bracy, Hooper, Taddeo, Bradley, Hutson, Thurston, Brandes, Jones, Torres, Brodeur, Mayfield, Wright, Broxson, Passidomo

Nays—1

Rodriguez

SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR

On motion by Senator Brandes—

SJR 204—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 read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **SJR 204** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

CS for CS for SB 44—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, by a state agency or political subdivision, or by certified fire department personnel for specified purposes; reenacting s. 330.41(4)(c), F.S., relating to unmanned aircraft systems, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 934.50, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Wright, by two-thirds vote, **CS for CS for SB 44** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, Burgess, Perry, Albritton, Cruz, Pizzo, Ausley, Diaz, Polsky, Baxley, Farmer, Powell, Bean, Gainer, Rodriguez, Berman, Garcia, Rouson, Book, Gibson, Stargel, Boyd, Harrell, Stewart, Bracy, Hooper, Taddeo, Bradley, Hutson, Thurston, Brandes, Jones, Torres, Brodeur, Mayfield, Wright, Broxson, Passidomo

Nays—None

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Senator Pizzo recognized Senator Burgess for his outstanding effort in assisting with retired U.S. Marine Master Gunnery Sergeant Valentino Sanchez' safe return from the Dominican Republic to the Miami VA Hospital, where he is receiving care.

CS for CS for SB 234—A bill to be entitled An act relating to registration of sexual predators and sexual offenders; amending s. 775.21, F.S.; specifying how days are calculated for the purposes of determining permanent residence, temporary residence, and transient residence; authorizing reporting of certain registration information through the Department of Law Enforcement's online system; authorizing reporting of certain registration information through an authorized alternate method provided by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; requiring the reporting of certain vehicle information; clarifying a requirement relating to the timing of reporting of international travel or a change of residence to another state or jurisdiction; specifying that failure to report intended travel is punishable under certain provisions; providing legislative findings and intent regarding the construction of a provision in the definition of the term "sexual offender" relating to release from sanction; amending s. 943.0435, F.S.; redefining the term "sexual offender" to clarify a provision related to release from sanction; authorizing reporting of certain registration information through the Department of Law Enforcement's online system; authorizing reporting of certain registration information through an authorized alternate method provided by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; requiring the reporting of certain additional vehicle information; clarifying a requirement relating to the timing of reporting of international travel or a change of residence to another state or jurisdiction; specifying that failure to report intended travel is punishable under certain provisions; providing that certain sexual offenders seeking removal of the requirement to register as a sexual offender must comply with current registration-removal requirements; creating a process for a person to petition for relief from registration if the person's requirement to register is based solely upon a requirement to register in another state for an offense that is not similar to an offense requiring registration in this state and whose registration in that other state is held confidential, not for public release, and for criminal justice purposes only; reenacting ss. 943.0435(1)(f), 944.606(1)(d), 944.609(4), 985.481(1)(d), and 985.4815(1)(f), F.S., relating to sexual offenders required to register with the Department of Law Enforcement and penalties; sexual offenders and notification upon release; career offenders and notification upon release; sexual offenders adjudicated delinquent and notification upon release; and notification to the department of information on juvenile sexual offenders, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 775.21, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting ss. 61.13(9)(c), 68.07(3)(i), 98.0751(2)(b), 322.141(3), 394.9125(2), 397.487(10)(b), 435.07(4)(b), 775.0862(2), 775.13(4), 775.21(5)(d) and (10)(d), 775.24(2), 775.261(3)(b), 900.05(2)(cc), 903.046(2)(m), 903.133, 907.043(4)(b), 943.0436(2), 943.0584(2), 944.607(4)(a) and (10)(c), 948.06(4), 948.063, 948.31, 985.4815(9) and (10)(c), and 1012.467(2)(g), F.S., relating to support of children, parenting and time-sharing, and powers of court; change of name; restoration of voting rights and termination of ineligibility subsequent to a felony conviction; color or markings of certain licenses or identification cards; state attorneys and the authority to refer a person for civil commitment; voluntary certification of recovery residences; exemptions from disqualification; sexual offenses against students by authority figures and reclassification; registration of convicted felons, exemptions, and penalties; the Florida Sexual Predators Act; the duty of the court to uphold laws governing sexual predators and sexual offenders; the Florida Career Offender Registration Act; criminal justice data collection; the purpose of and criteria for bail determination; bail on appeal and it being prohibited for certain felony convictions; pretrial release and citizens' right to know; the duty of the court to uphold laws governing sexual predators and sexual offenders; criminal history records ineligible for court-ordered expunction or court-ordered sealing; notification to the department of information on sexual offenders; violation of probation or community control, revocation, modification, continuance, and failure to pay restitution or cost of supervision; violations of probation or community control by designated sexual offenders and sexual predators; evaluation and treatment of sexual predators and offenders on probation or community control; notification to the department of information on juvenile sexual offenders; and noninstructional contractors who are permitted access to school grounds when students are present and

background screening requirements, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 943.0435, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting ss. 68.07(6), 320.02(4), 322.19(1) and (2), 775.25, 794.056(1), 938.085, 938.10(1), 944.607(4)(a) and (9), and 985.04(6)(b), F.S., relating to change of name; registration required, application for registration, and forms; change of address or name; prosecutions for acts or omissions; the Rape Crisis Program Trust Fund; additional cost to fund rape crisis centers; additional court cost imposed in cases of certain crimes; notification to Department of Law Enforcement of information on sexual offenders; and oaths, records, and confidential information, respectively, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 775.21 and 943.0435, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Book, by two-thirds vote, **CS for CS for SB 234** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Burgess	Perry
Albritton	Cruz	Pizzo
Ausley	Diaz	Polsky
Baxley	Farmer	Powell
Bean	Gainer	Rodrigues
Berman	Garcia	Rodriguez
Book	Gibson	Rouson
Boyd	Harrell	Stargel
Bracy	Hooper	Stewart
Bradley	Hutson	Taddeo
Brandes	Jones	Thurston
Brodeur	Mayfield	Torres
Broxson	Passidomo	Wright

Nays—None

CS for SB 348—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Medicaid; amending s. 409.908, F.S.; revising the types of emergency transportation vehicle services provided to Medicare-eligible persons for which Medicaid shall pay deductibles and coinsurance; specifying that such payments must be made according to certain procedure codes; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

POINT OF ORDER

Senator Mayfield raised a point of order that pursuant to Rule 7.1(8)(c), **Amendment 899748** contained language of two bills that were still in committees of reference and was therefore out of order. The President referred the point of order to Senator Passidomo, Chair of the Committee on Rules, and further consideration of **CS for SB 348** with pending point of order was deferred.

SB 530—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonopioid alternatives; amending s. 456.44, F.S.; authorizing certain health care practitioners to provide a specified educational pamphlet to patients in an electronic format; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Senator Farmer moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 1 (951554) (with title amendment)—Between lines 40 and 41 insert:

Section 2. Subsection (2) of section 627.64195, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

627.64195 Requirements for opioid coverage.—

(2) COVERAGE REQUIREMENTS.—

(a) *A health insurance policy may not require that treatment with an opioid analgesic drug product or an abuse-deterrent opioid analgesic*

drug product be attempted and have failed before authorizing the use of a nonopioid-based analgesic drug product.

(b) A health insurance policy that provides coverage for abuse-deterrent opioid analgesic drug products:

1.(a) May impose a prior authorization requirement for an abuse-deterrent opioid analgesic drug product only if the policy imposes the same prior authorization requirement for each opioid analgesic drug product without an abuse-deterrence labeling claim.

2.(b) May not require use of an opioid analgesic drug product without an abuse-deterrence labeling claim before authorizing the use of an abuse-deterrent opioid analgesic drug product.

And the title is amended as follows:

Between lines 5 and 6 insert: amending s. 627.64195, F.S.; prohibiting health insurance policies from requiring that treatment with an opioid analgesic drug product or abuse-deterrent opioid analgesic drug product be attempted and have failed before authorizing the use of a nonopioid-based analgesic drug product;

On motion by Senator Perry, by two-thirds vote, **SB 530**, as amended, was read the third time by title, passed, ordered engrossed, and then certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Burgess	Perry
Albritton	Cruz	Pizzo
Ausley	Diaz	Polsky
Baxley	Farmer	Powell
Bean	Gainer	Rodrigues
Berman	Garcia	Rodriguez
Book	Gibson	Rouson
Boyd	Harrell	Stargel
Bracy	Hooper	Stewart
Bradley	Hutson	Taddeo
Brandes	Jones	Thurston
Brodeur	Mayfield	Torres
Broxson	Passidomo	Wright

Nays—None

On motion by Senator Rodrigues—

CS for CS for SB 52—A bill to be entitled An act relating to post-secondary education; amending s. 1004.6495, F.S.; revising grant specifications; requiring funds appropriated for the Florida Postsecondary Comprehensive Transition Program to only be used for certain grants as specifically authorized in the General Appropriations Act; removing a cap on grant awards; amending s. 1007.273, F.S.; renaming collegiate high school programs as early college programs; defining the term “early college program”; requiring early college programs to prioritize certain courses; deleting obsolete language; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; authorizing charter schools to execute contracts with certain institutions to establish an early college program; amending s. 1009.25, F.S.; clarifying fee exemptions for the Department of Children and Families; creating s. 1009.30, 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 specified minimum eligibility requirements in order for institutions to receive reimbursements; requiring participating institutions to annually report specified information to the Department of Education by certain dates; providing a reimbursement schedule for tuition and instructional materials costs; requiring the Department of Education 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; creating s. 1012.978, F.S.; authorizing state university boards of trustees to implement a bonus scheme for state university system employees based on awards for work performance or employee recruitment and reten-

tion; requiring a board of trustees to submit the bonus scheme to the Board of Governors; requiring the Board of Governors to approve such bonus scheme before its implementation; amending ss. 1002.20 and 1003.4282, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Senator Diaz moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 1 (214312) (with title amendment)—Between lines 325 and 326 insert:

Section 8. Subsection (6) of section 1012.98, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

1012.98 School Community Professional Development Act.—

(6) An organization of private schools or consortium of charter schools which has no fewer than 10 member schools in this state, which publishes and files with the Department of Education copies of its standards, and the member schools of which comply with the provisions of part II of chapter 1003, relating to compulsory school attendance, or a public or private college or university with a teacher preparation program approved pursuant to s. 1004.04, may also develop a professional development system that includes a master plan for inservice activities. The system and inservice plan must be submitted to the commissioner for approval pursuant to state board rules.

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 45 and insert: to changes made by the act; amending s. 1012.98, F.S.; authorizing certain colleges and universities to develop professional development systems; providing an effective

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for CS for SB 52**, as amended, was ordered engrossed and then placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

CS for CS for SB 272—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Rare Disease Advisory Council; creating s. 381.99, F.S.; creating the advisory council adjunct to the Department of Health; specifying the purpose of the advisory council; providing for staff and administrative support; defining the term “rare disease”; specifying application of state law governing the establishment of advisory councils; prescribing the composition of the advisory council; providing for initial appointments to the advisory council by a specified date; providing organizational and other meeting requirements for the advisory council; prescribing duties and responsibilities of the advisory council; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Baxley, by two-thirds vote, **CS for CS for SB 272** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Burgess	Perry
Albritton	Cruz	Pizzo
Ausley	Diaz	Polsky
Baxley	Farmer	Powell
Bean	Gainer	Rodrigues
Berman	Garcia	Rodriguez
Book	Gibson	Rouson
Boyd	Harrell	Stargel
Bracy	Hooper	Stewart
Bradley	Hutson	Taddeo
Brandes	Jones	Thurston
Brodeur	Mayfield	Torres
Broxson	Passidomo	Wright

Nays—None

CS for SB 64—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reclaimed water; amending s. 403.064, F.S.; requiring certain domestic wastewater utilities to submit to the Department of Environmental Protec-

tion by a specified date a plan for eliminating nonbeneficial surface water discharge within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for the plan; requiring the department to approve plans that meet certain requirements; requiring the department to make a determination regarding a plan within a specified timeframe; requiring the utilities to implement approved plans by specified dates; providing for administrative and civil penalties; requiring certain utilities to submit updated annual plans until certain conditions are met; requiring domestic wastewater utilities applying for permits for new or expanded surface water discharges to prepare a specified plan for eliminating nonbeneficial discharges as part of its permit application; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing applicability; providing construction; authorizing the department to convene and lead one or more technical advisory groups; providing that potable reuse is an alternative water supply and that projects relating to such reuse are eligible for alternative water supply funding; requiring the department and the water management districts to develop and execute, by a specified date, a memorandum of agreement for the coordinated review of specified permits; providing that potable reuse projects are eligible for certain expedited permitting and priority funding; providing construction; creating s. 403.892, F.S.; defining terms; requiring counties, municipalities, and special districts to authorize graywater technologies under certain circumstances and to provide incentives for the implementation of such technologies; providing requirements for the use of graywater technologies; providing that the installation of residential graywater systems meets certain public utility water conservation measure requirements; providing for the applicability of specified reclaimed water aquifer storage and recovery well requirements; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Albritton, by two-thirds vote, **CS for SB 64** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Burgess	Perry
Albritton	Cruz	Pizzo
Ausley	Diaz	Polsky
Baxley	Farmer	Powell
Bean	Gainer	Rodrigues
Berman	Garcia	Rodriguez
Book	Gibson	Rouson
Boyd	Harrell	Stargel
Bracy	Hooper	Stewart
Bradley	Hutson	Taddeo
Brandes	Jones	Thurston
Brodeur	Mayfield	Torres
Broxson	Passidomo	Wright

Nays—None

CS for SB 72—A bill to be entitled An act relating to civil liability for damages relating to COVID-19; creating s. 768.38, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; defining terms; specifying requirements for civil actions based on COVID-19-related claims; requiring the court to make certain determinations in such actions; providing that plaintiffs have the burden of proof in such actions; requiring plaintiffs to commence COVID-19-related claims within specified timeframes; creating s. 768.381, F.S.; defining terms; providing preliminary procedures for civil actions based on COVID-19-related claims; providing the standard of proof required at trial for such claims; providing affirmative defenses; requiring COVID-19-related claims to commence within specified timeframes; providing construction; providing that the act provides the exclusive cause of action for COVID-19-related claims against health care providers; providing applicability; providing severability; providing applicability and for retroactive application; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Senator Berman moved the following amendment which failed:

Amendment 1 (273472)—Delete lines 212-220 and insert: *includes evidence tending to demonstrate whether the defendant made*

such a good faith effort and evidence tending to demonstrate that the plaintiff's damages, injury, or death was caused by the defendant's acts or omissions.

b. Considering all evidence submitted at this stage, if the court determines that the defendant made such a good faith effort, and the defendant's acts or omissions were reasonable, given the circumstances, the defendant is immune from civil liability. If more than one source or set of standards or guidance was authoritative or controlling at the time the cause of action accrued, the defendant's good faith effort to substantially comply with any one of those sources or sets of standards or guidance is admissible.

Senator Torres moved the following amendment which failed:

Amendment 2 (433794) (with title amendment)—Between lines 232 and 233 insert:

(5) Any business that is insured under an insurance policy providing coverage for premises liability shall receive a rebate of any insurance premiums paid or accrued from an insurance carrier or insurance provider for the period of any loss of use of the business premises due to authoritative or controlling government-issued health standards or guidance.

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 10 and insert: *related claims within specified timeframes; requiring certain businesses impacted by specified government-issued measures to receive a rebate of insurance premiums if certain conditions are met; creating*

The vote was:

Yeas—17

Ausley	Gainer	Rouson
Berman	Gibson	Stewart
Book	Jones	Taddeo
Bracy	Pizzo	Thurston
Cruz	Polsky	Torres
Farmer	Powell	

Nays—21

Mr. President	Brodeur	Hutson
Albritton	Broxson	Mayfield
Baxley	Burgess	Passidomo
Bean	Diaz	Perry
Boyd	Garcia	Rodrigues
Bradley	Harrell	Stargel
Brandes	Hooper	Wright

Vote after roll call:

Nay—Rodriguez

Senator Brandes moved the following amendment which was adopted:

Amendment 3 (549168) (with title amendment)—Delete lines 328-375 and insert:

(b) Substantial compliance with government-issued health standards specific to infectious diseases in the absence of standards specifically applicable to COVID-19;

(c) Substantial compliance with government-issued health standards relating to COVID-19 or other relevant standards was not possible due to the widespread shortages of necessary supplies, materials, equipment, or personnel;

(d) Substantial compliance with any applicable government-issued health standards relating to COVID-19 or other relevant standards if the applicable standards were in conflict; or

(e) *Substantial compliance with government-issued health standards relating to COVID-19 or other relevant standards was not possible because there was insufficient time to implement the standards.*

(5) **LIMITATIONS PERIOD.**—

(a) *An action for a COVID-19-related claim against a health care provider which arises out of the transmission, diagnosis, or treatment of COVID-19 must commence within 1 year after the later of the date of death due to COVID-19, hospitalization related to COVID-19, or the first diagnosis of COVID-19 which forms the basis of the action.*

(b) *An action for a COVID-19-related claim against a health care provider which does not arise out of the transmission, diagnosis, or treatment of COVID-19, such as a claim arising out of a delayed or canceled procedure, must commence within 1 year after the cause of action accrues.*

(c) *Notwithstanding paragraph (a) or paragraph (b), an action for a COVID-19-related claim that accrued before the effective date of this act must commence within 1 year after the effective date of this act.*

(6) **APPLICATION PERIOD.**—*This section applies to claims that have accrued before the effective date of this act and within 1 year after the effective date of this act.*

(7) **INTERACTION WITH OTHER LAWS.**—

(a) *This section does not create a new cause of action but instead applies in addition to any other applicable provisions of law, including, but not limited to, chapters 400, 429, 766, and 768. This section controls over any conflicting provision of law, but only to the extent of the conflict.*

(b) *This section does not apply to claims governed by chapter 440.*

Section 3. *If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are severable.*

Section 4. *This act applies retroactively and prospectively. However, this act does not apply in a civil*

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete lines 17-20 and insert: providing applicability; providing construction; providing severability;

Senator Thurston moved the following amendment:

Amendment 4 (645490) (with title amendment)—Delete lines 365-366 and insert:

(c) *For COVID-19-related claims governed by chapter 112 or chapter 440 and any other claims for benefits provided by law to individuals suffering injury or illness in the course and scope of employment, the following individuals are presumed to have contracted COVID-19 in the course and scope of their employment:*

1. *A person licensed under chapter 458, chapter 459, chapter 461, chapter 463, chapter 464, chapter 465, chapter 466, or chapter 483;*

2. *An employee of a:*

a. *Facility licensed, certified, or approved by any state agency and for which chapter 395, chapter 400, chapter 429, or chapter 766 applies;*

b. *Federally qualified health center as defined in 42 U.S.C. s. 1396d(l)(2)(B); or*

c. *Sole proprietorship, group practice, partnership, or corporation that provides health care services by physicians covered by s. 627.419, that is directly supervised by one or more of such physicians, and that is wholly owned by one or more of those physicians or by a physician and the spouse, parent, child, or sibling of that physician;*

3. *An emergency medical technician as defined in s. 401.23(11);*

4. *A paramedic as defined in 401.23(17);*

5. *A law enforcement officer as defined in s. 112.531(2); or*

6. *A firefighter as defined in s. 112.81(1).*

(d) *The presumption in paragraph (c) may be rebutted if the defendant proves by clear and convincing evidence that the individual's infection did not arise out of the course and scope of his or her employment.*

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 20 and insert: creating a certain presumption for COVID-19-related claims of certain employees which are governed by certain other provisions; providing that such presumption may be rebutted under certain circumstances; providing severability;

Senator Thurston moved the following substitute amendment which failed:

Substitute Amendment 5 (735608) (with title amendment)—Delete lines 365-366 and insert:

(c) *For COVID-19-related claims governed by chapter 112 or chapter 440 and any other claims for benefits provided by law to individuals suffering injury or illness in the course and scope of employment, the following individuals are presumed to have contracted COVID-19 in the course and scope of their employment:*

1. *A person licensed under chapter 458, chapter 459, chapter 461, chapter 463, chapter 464, chapter 465, chapter 466, or chapter 483;*

2. *An employee of a:*

a. *Facility licensed, certified, or approved by any state agency and for which chapter 395, chapter 400, chapter 429, or chapter 766 applies;*

b. *Federally qualified health center as defined in 42 U.S.C. s. 1396d(l)(2)(B); or*

c. *Sole proprietorship, group practice, partnership, or corporation that provides health care services by physicians covered by s. 627.419, that is directly supervised by one or more of such physicians, and that is wholly owned by one or more of those physicians or by a physician and the spouse, parent, child, or sibling of that physician;*

3. *An emergency medical technician as defined in s. 401.23(11);*

4. *A paramedic as defined in 401.23(17);*

5. *A law enforcement officer as defined in s. 112.531(2);*

6. *First responders as defined in s. 112.1815(1);*

7. *Correctional officers as defined in s. 943.10(2) and other individuals whose official duties require a physical presence in a detention facility;*

8. *Educational personnel working at least 30 hours a week in person at a K-12 educational institution, including both instructional and administrative personnel; or*

9. *A firefighter as defined in s. 112.81(1).*

(d) *The presumption in paragraph (c) may be rebutted if the defendant proves by clear and convincing evidence that the individual's infection did not arise out of the course and scope of his or her employment.*

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 20 and insert: creating a certain presumption for COVID-19-related claims of certain employees which are governed by certain other provisions; providing that such presumption may be rebutted under certain circumstances; providing severability;

The vote was:

Yeas—18

Ausley	Gibson	Powell
Berman	Harrell	Rouson
Book	Hooper	Stewart
Bracy	Jones	Taddeo
Cruz	Mayfield	Thurston
Farmer	Polsky	Torres

Nays—18

Mr. President	Brandes	Hutson
Albritton	Brodeur	Passidomo
Baxley	Broxson	Perry
Bean	Burgess	Rodriguez
Boyd	Diaz	Stargel
Bradley	Garcia	Wright

Vote after roll call:

Yea to Nay—Harrell, Hooper, Mayfield

The question recurred on **Amendment 4 (645490)** which failed.

The vote was:

Yeas—16

Ausley	Gibson	Stewart
Berman	Jones	Taddeo
Book	Pizzo	Thurston
Bracy	Polsky	Torres
Cruz	Powell	
Farmer	Rouson	

Nays—22

Mr. President	Burgess	Passidomo
Albritton	Diaz	Perry
Bean	Gainer	Rodriguez
Boyd	Garcia	Rodriguez
Bradley	Harrell	Stargel
Brandes	Hooper	Wright
Brodeur	Hutson	
Broxson	Mayfield	

RECONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENT

On motion by Senator Passidomo, the Senate reconsidered the vote by which **Amendment 3 (549168)** was previously adopted this day.

Senator Thurston moved the following amendments to **Amendment 3 (549168)** which failed:

Amendment 3A (504394) (with title amendment)—Delete lines 44-45 and insert:

(b) For COVID-19-related claims governed by chapter 112 or chapter 440 and any other claims for benefits provided by law to individuals suffering injury or illness in the course and scope of employment, the following individuals are presumed to have contracted COVID-19 in the course and scope of their employment:

1. First responders as defined in s. 112.1815(1).
2. Correctional officers as defined in s. 943.10(2) and other individuals whose official duties require a physical presence in a detention facility.
3. Educational personnel working at least 30 hours a week in person at a K-12 educational institution, including both instructional and administrative personnel.

(c) The presumption in paragraph (b) may be rebutted if the defendant proves by clear and convincing evidence that the individual's infection did not arise out of the course and scope of his or her employment.

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 59 and insert: providing applicability; creating a certain presumption for COVID-19-related claims of specified employees which are governed by certain other provisions; providing that such presumption may be rebutted under certain circumstances; providing construction;

Amendment 3B (930780) (with title amendment)—Delete lines 44-45 and insert:

(b) For COVID-19-related claims governed by chapter 112 or chapter 440 and any other claims for benefits provided by law to individuals suffering injury or illness in the course and scope of employment, the following individuals are presumed to have contracted COVID-19 in the course and scope of their employment:

1. A person licensed under chapter 458, chapter 459, chapter 461, chapter 463, chapter 464, chapter 465, chapter 466, or chapter 483;
2. An employee of a:
 - a. Facility licensed, certified, or approved by any state agency and for which chapter 395, chapter 400, chapter 429, or chapter 766 applies;
 - b. Federally qualified health center as defined in 42 U.S.C. s. 1396d(l)(2)(B); or
 - c. Sole proprietorship, group practice, partnership, or corporation that provides health care services by physicians covered by s. 627.419, that is directly supervised by one or more of such physicians, and that is wholly owned by one or more of those physicians or by a physician and the spouse, parent, child, or sibling of that physician;
3. An emergency medical technician as defined in s. 401.23(11); or
4. A paramedic as defined in 401.23(17).

(c) The presumption in paragraph (b) may be rebutted if the defendant proves by clear and convincing evidence that the individual's infection did not arise out of the course and scope of his or her employment.

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 59 and insert: providing applicability; creating a certain presumption for COVID-19-related claims of specified employees which are governed by certain other provisions; providing that such presumption may be rebutted under certain circumstances; providing construction;

Amendment 3C (261298)—Delete line 45 and insert:

chapter 440 or to claims brought against a facility that was cited for a deficiency pursuant to s. 400.23(8)(a), (b), or (c) during the 3 years preceding the date of the State Surgeon General's declaration of the state public health emergency relating to COVID-19.

The vote was:

Yeas—13

Ausley	Farmer	Taddeo
Berman	Gibson	Thurston
Book	Pizzo	Torres
Bracy	Powell	
Cruz	Rouson	

Nays—23

Mr. President	Baxley	Boyd
Albritton	Bean	Bradley

Brandes	Garcia	Perry
Brodeur	Harrell	Rodrigues
Broxson	Hooper	Rodriguez
Burgess	Hutson	Stargel
Diaz	Mayfield	Wright
Gainer	Passidomo	

Nays—23

Mr. President	Broxson	Mayfield
Albritton	Burgess	Passidomo
Baxley	Diaz	Perry
Bean	Gainer	Rodrigues
Boyd	Garcia	Rodriguez
Bradley	Harrell	Stargel
Brandes	Hooper	Wright
Brodeur	Hutson	

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Polsky

The question recurred on **Amendment 3 (549168)** which was adopted.

On motion by Senator Brandes, by two-thirds vote, **CS for SB 72**, as amended, was read the third time by title, passed, ordered engrossed, and then certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—24

Mr. President	Broxson	Mayfield
Albritton	Burgess	Passidomo
Baxley	Diaz	Perry
Bean	Gainer	Rodrigues
Boyd	Garcia	Rodriguez
Bradley	Harrell	Stargel
Brandes	Hooper	Stewart
Brodeur	Hutson	Wright

Nays—15

Ausley	Farmer	Powell
Berman	Gibson	Rouson
Book	Jones	Taddeo
Bracy	Pizzo	Thurston
Cruz	Polsky	Torres

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Burgess	Perry
Albritton	Cruz	Pizzo
Ausley	Diaz	Polsky
Baxley	Farmer	Powell
Bean	Gainer	Rodrigues
Berman	Garcia	Rodriguez
Book	Gibson	Rouson
Boyd	Harrell	Stargel
Bracy	Hooper	Stewart
Bradley	Hutson	Taddeo
Brandes	Jones	Thurston
Brodeur	Mayfield	Torres
Broxson	Passidomo	Wright

Nays—None

The Senate resumed consideration of—

CS for SB 348—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Medicaid; amending s. 409.908, F.S.; revising the types of emergency transportation vehicle services provided to Medicare-eligible persons for which Medicaid shall pay deductibles and coinsurance; specifying that such payments must be made according to certain procedure codes; providing an effective date.

—which was previously considered this day.

RULING ON POINT OF ORDER

On recommendation by Senator Passidomo, Chair of the Committee on Rules, **Amendment 899748** was determined to be out of order due to containing the principal substance of **SB 556** and **SB 698** which were currently in the Committee on Health Policy. Pursuant to Rule 7.1(8)(c), an amendment that incorporates the substance of a bill that has not yet been reported favorably by all committees of reference is out of order. The President ruled the point well taken, and the amendment was ruled out of order.

MOTION

Senator Thurston moved that the rules be waived and the Senate consider **Amendment 899748**. The motion failed.

The vote was:

Yeas—15

Ausley	Farmer	Rouson
Berman	Jones	Stewart
Book	Pizzo	Taddeo
Bracy	Polsky	Thurston
Cruz	Powell	Torres

CS for CS for SB 80—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; creating s. 39.00146, F.S.; defining terms; requiring the case record of every child under the supervision or in the custody of the Department of Children and Families, the department’s agents, or providers contracting with the department to include a case record face sheet; specifying information required to be included in the case record face sheet; requiring the department, the department’s agents, and providers contracting with the department to update the case record face sheet monthly; providing requirements for the case record face sheet; authorizing the department to develop, or contract with a third party to develop, a case record face sheet; requiring community-based care lead agencies to use such face sheets; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 39.401, F.S.; requiring the department to determine out-of-home placement based on priority of placements and other factors; amending s. 39.402, F.S.; requiring the department to make reasonable efforts to place a child in out-of-home care based on priority of placements; providing exceptions and other criteria; creating s. 39.4021, F.S.; providing legislative findings; establishing certain placement priorities for out-of-home placements; requiring the department or lead agency to place sibling groups together when possible if in the best interest of each child after considering specified factors; providing an exception; providing construction; creating s. 39.4022, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining terms; requiring that multidisciplinary teams be established for certain purposes; providing goals for such teams; providing for membership of multidisciplinary team staffings; authorizing the department or lead agency to invite other participants to attend a team staffing under certain circumstances; providing requirements for multidisciplinary team staffings; requiring that team staffings be held when specified decisions regarding a child must be made; providing applicability; requiring team staffing participants to gather and consider data and information on the child before formulating a decision; providing for the use of an evidence-based assessment instrument or tool; requiring multidisciplinary teams to conduct supplemental assessments for certain children; requiring team

participants to gather certain information related to the child for such supplemental assessments; requiring that a unanimous consensus decision reached by the team becomes the official position and that specified parties are bound by such consensus decision; providing procedures for when the team does not reach a consensus decision; requiring that the department determine a suitable placement if the team cannot come to a consensus decision; requiring the formation of a team within specified timeframes; requiring the facilitator to file a report with the court within a specified timeframe if the team does not reach a consensus decision; providing requirements for the report; authorizing specified parties to discuss confidential information during a team staffing in the presence of participating individuals; providing that information collected by any agency or entity that participates in a staffing which is confidential and exempt upon collection remains confidential and exempt when discussed in staffings; requiring individuals who participate in a staffing to maintain the confidentiality of all information shared; providing construction; requiring the department to adopt rules; creating s. 39.4023, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; defining terms; providing for the creation of transition plans for specified changes in placement; providing conditions under which a child may be removed from a caregiver's home; requiring community-based care lead agencies to provide services to prevent a change in placement; requiring the department and a community-based care lead agency to convene a multidisciplinary team staffing to develop a transition plan under certain circumstances; requiring the department or community-based care lead agency to provide written notice of a planned placement change; providing requirements for the notice; providing applicability; requiring additional considerations for placement changes for infants and young children; providing findings; requiring the department or community-based care lead agency to create and implement individualized transition plans; specifying factors that must be considered when selecting a new school for a child; requiring children who enter out-of-home care or undergo changes in placement to remain with familiar child care providers or early education programs, if possible; providing requirements for transition plans for transitions between K-12 schools; requiring the department, in collaboration with the Quality Parenting Initiative, to develop a form for a specified purpose; specifying requirements for the form; requiring the department and community-based care lead agencies to document multidisciplinary team staffings and placement transition decisions in the Florida Safe Families Network and include such information in the social study report for judicial review; providing an exemption; requiring the department to adopt rules; creating s. 39.4024, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining terms; requiring the department or lead agency to make reasonable efforts to place siblings in the same foster, kinship, adoptive, or guardianship home when certain conditions are met; requiring the department or lead agency and multidisciplinary team to take certain actions when siblings are not placed together; specifying that the department and court are not required to make a placement or change in placement to develop certain sibling relationships; requiring the department or the lead agency to convene a multidisciplinary team staffing to determine and assess sibling relationships when a child is removed from a home; providing for the placement of sibling groups in certain circumstances; specifying factors for the multidisciplinary team to consider when determining placement or change of placement for children in sibling groups who do not have an existing relationship with siblings; requiring that a child's transition to a new home be carried out gradually when it is determined that the child would benefit from being placed with siblings; requiring the department, in collaboration with the Quality Parenting Initiative, to develop standard protocols for the department and lead agency for use in making specified decisions about child placement; providing considerations for maintaining contact between siblings when separated; providing duties for caregivers; authorizing the court to limit and restrict communication and visitation upon a finding of clear and convincing evidence that such communication or visitation is harmful to the child; requiring the department and community-based care lead agencies to periodically reassess certain sibling placements in certain instances; requiring the department to provide certain services to prevent disruption in a placement when a child does not adjust to such placement; requiring that a multidisciplinary team staffing is convened when one child does not adjust to placement as a sibling group under certain conditions; requiring the team to review such placement and choose a plan least detrimental to

each child; requiring that a multidisciplinary team be convened in certain circumstances where the department or child subsequently identifies a sibling; requiring the department to provide children with specified information relating to their siblings; requiring the department to make reasonable efforts to ascertain such information if it is not known; providing that a child has a right to continued communication with a sibling under certain circumstances; requiring the department and lead agencies to document in writing decisions to separate siblings in case files and the Florida Safe Families Network; specifying requirements for such documentation; providing an exemption; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 39.522, F.S.; deleting and relocating criteria for the court to consider when determining whether a legal change of custody is in the best interest of the child; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; defining the term "change in physical custody"; providing a rebuttable presumption that the best interest of a child is to remain in a current placement; providing applicability for such presumption; establishing the manner in which to rebut the presumption; requiring the department or lead agency to notify certain caregivers within a specified timeframe of the intent to change the physical custody of a child; requiring that a multidisciplinary team staffing be held within a specified timeframe before the intended date for the child's change in physical custody; requiring that the department's official position be provided to the parties under certain circumstances; requiring the caregiver to provide written notice of objection to such change in physical custody within a specified timeframe; requiring the court to conduct an initial case status hearing within a specified timeframe upon receiving specified written notice from a caregiver; providing procedures for when a caregiver objects to the child's change in physical custody; requiring the court to conduct an initial case status hearing; requiring the court to conduct an evidentiary hearing; requiring the department or lead agency to implement an appropriate transition plan if the court orders a change in physical custody of the child; amending s. 39.523, F.S.; requiring the department or lead agency to coordinate a multidisciplinary team staffing for specified purposes; requiring, rather than authorizing, the department to create rules; amending s. 39.806, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Brodeur, by two-thirds vote, **CS for CS for SB 80** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Burgess	Perry
Albritton	Cruz	Pizzo
Ausley	Diaz	Polsky
Baxley	Farmer	Powell
Bean	Gainer	Rodriguez
Berman	Garcia	Rodriguez
Book	Gibson	Rouson
Boyd	Harrell	Stargel
Bracy	Hooper	Stewart
Bradley	Hutson	Taddeo
Brandes	Jones	Thurston
Brodeur	Mayfield	Torres
Broxson	Passidomo	Wright

Nays—None

On motion by Senator Rodriguez—

CS for CS for SB 56—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community association assessment notices; amending s. 718.111, F.S.; requiring condominium associations to maintain specified affirmative acknowledgments as official records of the association; specifying that such acknowledgments are not accessible to unit owners; amending s. 718.116, F.S.; revising timeframes for foreclosure judgments; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 718.121, F.S.; requiring condominium associations to deliver certain invoices for assessments or statements of account to unit owners in a specified manner; requiring condominium associations to give notice to unit owners before changing the method of delivery for the invoices for assessments

or statements of account; providing requirements for the notice; requiring unit owners to affirmatively acknowledge the changes in delivery methods; prohibiting condominium associations from requiring the payment of attorney fees relating to past due assessments without first providing a specified notice to unit owners; providing requirements for the notice; establishing a rebuttable presumption relating to mailing the notice if a certain requirement is met; revising the timeframe for condominium associations to file liens against condominium units; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 719.104, F.S.; requiring cooperative associations to maintain specified affirmative acknowledgments as official records of the association; specifying that such acknowledgments are not accessible to unit owners; amending s. 719.108, F.S.; requiring cooperative associations to deliver certain invoices for assessments or statements of account to unit owners in a specified manner; requiring cooperative associations to give notice to unit owners before changing the method of delivery for the invoices for assessments or statements of account; providing requirements for the notice; requiring unit owners to affirmatively acknowledge the changes in delivery methods; prohibiting cooperative associations from requiring the payment of attorney fees relating to past due assessments without first providing specified notice to unit owners; providing requirements for the notice; establishing a rebuttable presumption relating to mailing the notice if a certain requirement is met; revising the timeframe for cooperative associations to file liens against cooperative parcels; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 720.303, F.S.; requiring homeowners' associations to maintain specified affirmative acknowledgments as official records of the association; specifying that such acknowledgments are not accessible to parcel owners; amending s. 720.3085, F.S.; requiring homeowners' associations to deliver certain invoices for assessments or statements of account to parcel owners in a specified manner; requiring homeowners' associations to give notice to parcel owners before changing the method of delivery for the invoices for assessments or statements of account; providing requirements for the notice; requiring parcel owners to affirmatively acknowledge the changes in delivery methods; prohibiting homeowners' associations from requiring the payment of attorney fees relating to past due assessments without first providing specified notice to parcel owners; providing requirements for the notice; establishing a rebuttable presumption relating to mailing the notice if a certain requirement is met; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Senator Rodriguez moved the following amendments which were adopted:

Amendment 1 (327230)—Delete line 307 and insert:
718.111(12)(a)11.b., the invoice for assessments or the unit's statement

Amendment 2 (755118)—Delete line 328 and insert:
delivering an invoice for assessments or the statement of account. The unit owner may make

Amendment 3 (236280)—Delete line 932 and insert:
delivering an invoice for assessments or the statement of account. The parcel owner may

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for CS for SB 56**, as amended, was ordered engrossed and then placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

SB 146—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 school districts accept nonpartisan civic literacy practicum activities and hours in requirements for certain awards; requiring the State Board of Education to designate certain high schools as Freedom Schools; requiring the state board to establish criteria for such designation; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Brandes, by two-thirds vote, **SB 146** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Mr. President	Burgess	Perry
Albritton	Cruz	Pizzo
Ausley	Diaz	Polsky
Baxley	Farmer	Powell
Bean	Gainer	Rodrigues
Berman	Garcia	Rodriguez
Book	Gibson	Rouson
Boyd	Harrell	Stargel
Bracy	Hooper	Stewart
Bradley	Hutson	Taddeo
Brandes	Jones	Thurston
Brodeur	Mayfield	Torres
Broxson	Passidomo	Wright

Nays—None

On motion by Senator Bradley—

CS for SB 60—A bill to be entitled An act relating to county and municipal code enforcement; amending s. 125.69, F.S.; prohibiting code inspectors designated by boards of county commissioners from initiating investigations of potential violations of codes and ordinances by way of anonymous complaints; requiring persons who report potential violations of codes and ordinances to provide specified information to the board before an investigation occurs; providing applicability; providing construction; amending s. 162.06, F.S.; prohibiting code inspectors from initiating enforcement proceedings for potential violations of codes and ordinances by way of anonymous complaints; requiring persons who report potential violations of codes and ordinances to provide specified information to the respective local government before an investigation occurs; providing applicability; amending s. 162.13, F.S.; providing construction; amending s. 162.21, F.S.; prohibiting code enforcement officers from initiating investigations of potential violations of codes and ordinances by way of anonymous complaints; requiring persons who report potential violations of codes and ordinances to provide specified information to the respective local government before an investigation occurs; providing applicability; providing construction; amending s. 166.0415, F.S.; prohibiting code inspectors designated by governing bodies of municipalities from initiating investigations of potential violations of codes and ordinances by way of anonymous complaints; requiring persons who report potential violations of codes and ordinances to provide specified information to the governing body before an investigation occurs; providing applicability; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Pursuant to Rule 4.19, **CS for SB 60** was placed on the calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

SB 380—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 read the second time by title. On motion by Senator Perry, by two-thirds vote, **SB 380** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—38

Mr. President	Bean	Bracy
Albritton	Berman	Brandes
Ausley	Book	Brodeur
Baxley	Boyd	Broxson

Burgess	Hutson	Rodriguez
Cruz	Jones	Rouson
Diaz	Mayfield	Stargel
Farmer	Passidomo	Stewart
Gainer	Perry	Taddeo
Garcia	Pizzo	Thurston
Gibson	Polsky	Torres
Harrell	Powell	Wright
Hooper	Rodrigues	

Nays—None

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Bradley

Consideration of **CS for CS for SB 50** was deferred.

MOTIONS RELATING TO COMMITTEE REFERENCE

On motion by Senator Powell, by two-thirds vote, **SB 1766** was withdrawn from the committees of reference and further consideration.

MOTIONS

On motion by Senator Passidomo, by two-thirds vote, the following bills were immediately certified to the House: **CS for CS for SB 44, CS for CS for SB 234, CS for SB 348, SB 530, CS for CS for SB 272, CS for SB 64, CS for SB 72, CS for CS for SB 80, SB 146, and SB 380.**

On motion by Senator Passidomo, the rules were waived and the following bill temporarily postponed on the Special Order Calendar this day was retained on the Special Order Calendar: **CS for CS for SB 50.**

BILLS ON SPECIAL ORDERS

Pursuant to Rule 4.17(1), the Rules Chair, Majority Leader, and Minority Leader submit the following bills to be placed on the Special Order Calendar for Thursday, March 18, 2021: **SJR 204, CS for CS for SB 44, CS for CS for SB 234, CS for SB 348, SB 530, CS for CS for SB 52, CS for CS for SB 272, CS for SB 64, CS for SB 72, CS for CS for SB 80, CS for CS for SB 56, SB 146, CS for SB 60, SB 380.**

Respectfully submitted,
Kathleen Passidomo, Rules Chair
Debbie Mayfield, Majority Leader
Gary M. Farmer, Jr., Minority Leader

REPORTS OF SPECIAL MASTER ON CLAIM BILLS

The Special Master on Claim Bills recommends the following pass: **SB 26; SB 398**

The bills were referred to the Committee on Judiciary under the original reference.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: **CS for SB 574**

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: **CS for SB 936**

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends the following pass: **CS for SB 938; SB 2006**

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 1470**

The bill was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: **SB 1372; SB 1898**

The bills were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: **SB 606; SB 900; SB 948; SB 1582; SB 1686**

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: **SB 852; SB 874; SB 1442**

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 Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: **SB 1758**

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends the following pass: **SB 1176**

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Commerce and Tourism under the original reference.

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends the following pass: **SB 872; SB 998; SB 1490; SB 1944**

The bills were referred to the Committee on Community Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: **SB 1826**

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: **SB 818; SB 1934**

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: **SB 794**

The bill was referred to the Committee on Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: **SB 224**

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: **SB 1444**

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Finance and Tax under the original reference.

The Committee on Ethics and Elections recommends the following pass: **SB 1488; SB 1704**

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends the following pass: **SB 1760**

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 1786

The bill was referred to the Committee on Health Policy under the original reference.

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends the following pass: SB 1796

The bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary under the original reference.

The Committee on Appropriations recommends the following pass: CS for SB 170

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: CS for SB 1288
The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends the following pass: SB 572; SB 616; SB 644

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: CS for SB 932; SB 1850

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends the following pass: CS for SB 622; SB 1134; SB 7000; SB 7012

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: CS for SB 532; CS for SB 614

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: CS for SB 430

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Rules under the original reference.

The Committee on Appropriations recommends the following pass: SB 524; SB 866; SB 1716

The Committee on Rules recommends the following pass: CS for SB 776

The bills were placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1948

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 758

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1818

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1954

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 344; SB 490; SB 506

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 368

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 Banking and Insurance recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 390; SB 1574; SB 1598

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1152

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 Criminal Justice recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 640; SB 1908; SB 1970

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 86

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 864; SB 1142

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1560

The Committee on Transportation recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 676; SB 1034; SB 1466

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1132

The bill with committee substitute attached was 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 1478

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 954

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Commerce and Tourism under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 2004

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1752

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 268

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 Judiciary recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 468; SB 470

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 764

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 896

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources under the original reference.

The Committee on Agriculture recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1768

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 302

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1256

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 Banking and Insurance recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1950

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1608

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 Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1924

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 284

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Regulated Industries under the original reference.

The Committee on Agriculture recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 1370

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1046

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends committee substitutes for the following: CS for SB 856; CS for SB 1128

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 626

The Committee on Judiciary recommends committee substitutes for the following: CS for SB 496; SB 1378

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 1060

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 Rules recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 890

The bill with committee substitute attached was placed on the Calendar.

REPORTS OF SUBCOMMITTEES

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice recommends the following pass: CS for SB 1192

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 1450

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services recommends the following pass: CS for SB 404

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Education recommends committee substitutes for the following: CS for SB 726; SB 1484

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 130

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

Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
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Secretary of Business and Professional Regulation	Pleasure of Governor
Appointee: Brown, Julie I.	

Secretary of the Department of the Lottery	Pleasure of Governor
Appointee: Davis, John F.	

The appointments were referred to the Committee on Regulated Industries under the original reference.

Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
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Secretary of Health Care Administration	Pleasure of Governor
Appointee: Marsteller, Simone	

The appointment was referred to the Committee on Health Policy under the original reference.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

FIRST READING

Senate Bills 7000-7058—Previously introduced.

By the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources—

SB 7060—A bill to be entitled An act relating to biosolids; ratifying specified rules relating to biosolids management for the sole and exclusive purpose of satisfying any condition on effectiveness pursuant to s. 120.541(3), F.S., which requires ratification of any rule exceeding any specified thresholds for likely adverse impact or increase in regulatory

costs; exempting the rules from certain review and approval by the Environmental Regulation Commission; providing applicability; providing construction; providing a declaration of important state interest; amending s. 403.0855, F.S.; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to provide notice to and receive consent from private property owners before entering onto private property for specified biosolids testing; providing an effective date.

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

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

FIRST READING

By the Committee on Education; and Senator Baxley—

CS for SB 86—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student financial aid; creating s. 1006.75, F.S.; requiring the Board of Governors of the State University System to create an online dashboard; specifying minimum information to be included in the dashboard; requiring the dashboard to be available by a specified date; requiring each state university office of admissions website to contain a link to the dashboard; requiring each state university board of trustees to adopt certain procedures; requiring the procedures to include placing a hold on certain students' registration; specifying the requirements for students to lift the hold; requiring the Board of Governors to approve such procedures by a specified date; amending s. 1009.25, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 1009.40, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising eligibility for an award under the Bright Futures Scholarship Program or the Benacquisto Scholarship Program; specifying funding award levels for students initially funded in a certain academic year; requiring postsecondary educational institutions to verify funding levels before award disbursement; creating s. 1009.46, F.S.; specifying the duties of certain postsecondary educational institutions with regard to financial aid and tuition assistance programs; specifying penalties for noncompliance; requiring the Board of Governors, the State Board of Education, and the Independent Colleges and Universities of Florida to each approve, by a specified date, a list of career certificate and undergraduate and graduate degree programs that they determine do not lead directly to employment; requiring that each list include specified information; requiring that the state board list include programs at independent colleges and universities licensed by the Commission for Independent Education; requiring each entity to publish the methodology used in determining whether programs are included on the list; requiring that the lists be updated annually, by a specified date, to be effective the next academic year; amending s. 1009.50, F.S.; revising the formula for calculating how Florida Public Student Assistance Grant Program funds are distributed; deleting a provision authorizing Florida Public Student Assistance Grant Program funds to be deposited in the State Student Financial Assistance Trust Fund; deleting a provision requiring any balance in the trust fund which was allocated to the Florida Public Student Assistance Grant Program at the end of the fiscal year to remain therein; amending s. 1009.505, F.S.; deleting a provision authorizing Florida Public Postsecondary Career Education Student Assistance Grant Program funds to be deposited in the trust fund; deleting a provision requiring any balance in the trust fund which was allocated to the Florida Public Postsecondary Career Education Student Assistance Grant Program at the end of the fiscal year to remain therein; amending s. 1009.51, F.S.; revising the formula for calculating how Florida Private Student Assistance Grant Program funds are distributed; deleting a provision authorizing Florida Private Student Assistance Grant Program funds to be deposited in the trust fund; deleting a provision requiring any balance in the trust fund which was allocated to the Florida Private Student Assistance Grant Program at the end of the fiscal year to remain therein; amending s. 1009.52, F.S.; revising the formula for how Florida Postsecondary Student Assistance Grant Program funds are distributed; deleting a provision authorizing Florida Postsecondary Student Assistance Grant Program funds to be deposited in the trust fund; deleting a provision requiring any balance in the trust fund which was allocated to the Florida Postsecondary Student Assistance Grant Program at the end of the fiscal year to remain therein; amending s. 1009.53, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education to advertise the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program to specified persons no later than a specified date of each year; deleting a provision authorizing

unused Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program funds to be carried forward; deleting a provision authorizing certain students to receive specified loans; amending s. 1009.532, F.S.; requiring, beginning with a specified academic year, that the maximum number of credit hours which can be awarded under the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program be reduced by the number of postsecondary credit hours the student has earned from certain articulated acceleration mechanisms which are applied toward certificate, diploma, or specified degree requirements or to general education requirements; amending s. 1009.534, F.S.; revising and expanding eligibility requirements of the Florida Academic Scholars award; providing that a Florida Academic Scholar is eligible for an award equal to the amount specified in the General Appropriations Act; amending s. 1009.5341, F.S.; authorizing a Florida Bright Futures Scholarship recipient to apply the unused portion of a Florida Academic Scholars award or Florida Medallion Scholars award toward graduate study for a specified academic year; authorizing a Florida Bright Futures Scholarship recipient to apply the unused portion of a Florida Academic Scholars award or Florida Medallion Scholars award toward graduate study in a specified degree field, paid at the undergraduate rate, beginning with a specified academic year; amending s. 1009.535, F.S.; revising and expanding eligibility for a Florida Medallion Scholars award; providing a Florida Medallion Scholar is eligible for an award equal to the amount specified in the General Appropriations Act; creating s. 1009.71, F.S.; establishing the Florida Bright Opportunities Grant Program; requiring the program to be administered by the participating institutions subject to state board rules; providing the purpose of the program; specifying eligibility requirements for the program; prohibiting institutions from imposing additional eligibility requirements on students; requiring the program to cover remaining tuition and fees for eligible students after the application of all other federal and state financial aid, with a stipend for books as specified in the General Appropriations Act; requiring program awards to be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis; requiring returning students to receive priority over new students; providing the duration of the award; requiring funds to be distributed to eligible institutions based on a formula approved by the state board; requiring the formula to take into account specified criteria; requiring grants to be transmitted to institutions in advance of the registration period; requiring institutions to notify students of award amounts; requiring institutions to determine the eligibility status of each student at a specified time; prohibiting institutions from being required to reevaluate student eligibility after the specified time; requiring institutions to report specified information to the department; requiring institutions to remit to the department any undisbursed advances within a specified timeframe; requiring the state board to adopt rules; creating s. 1009.711, F.S.; establishing the Florida Endeavor Scholarship Program; requiring the award to cover tuition, registration, and testing fees for eligible students at a Florida College System institution, a career center, or a charter technical career center; providing that students who earned a high school credential before enrolling at the institution are not eligible for the program; requiring enrollment in specified programs; requiring that students meet specified statutory requirements; requiring that students demonstrate readiness for enrollment in a postsecondary clock hour program by meeting a specified requirement, demonstrating specified literacy and numeracy skills, or by enrolling in an Integrated Education and Training program; specifying criteria for continuing eligibility and for a renewal award; prohibiting institutions from imposing additional criteria to determine a student's initial eligibility; providing that students are eligible to receive award amounts equal to certain tuition and registration fees; requiring program awards to be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, with returning students given priority over new students; requiring funds to be distributed to eligible institutions based on a formula approved by the state board; requiring that the formula take into account specified criteria; requiring that grants be transmitted to institutions in advance of the registration period; requiring institutions to notify students of award amounts; requiring institutions to determine the eligibility status of each student at a specified time; prohibiting institutions from being required to reevaluate student eligibility after the specified time; requiring institutions to report specified information to the department; requiring institutions to remit to the department any undisbursed advances within a specified timeframe; requiring the state board to adopt rules; amending s. 1009.893, F.S.; requiring a student who enrolls in a baccalaureate degree program in specified academic years to comply with certain requirements to attain a Benacquisto Scholarship; pro-

viding that the amount awarded under the program will be as specified in the General Appropriations Act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senator Perry—

CS for SB 268—A bill to be entitled An act relating to preemption of local occupational licensing; creating s. 163.211, 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.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senators Perry and Hutson—

CS for SB 284—A bill to be entitled An act relating to building design; amending s. 163.3202, F.S.; prohibiting certain regulations relating to building design elements from being applied to certain dwellings; providing exceptions; defining terms; providing construction; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senator Taddeo—

CS for SB 302—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 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 effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Diaz—

CS for SB 344—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 an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Baxley—

CS for SB 368—A bill to be entitled An act relating to an elder-focused dispute resolution process; creating s. 44.407, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining terms; authorizing the courts to appoint an eldercaring coordinator and refer certain parties and elders to eldercaring coordination; prohibiting the courts from referring certain parties to eldercaring coordination without the consent of the elder and other parties to the action; specifying the duration of eldercaring coordinator appointments; requiring the courts to conduct intermittent review hearings regarding the conclusion or extension of such appointments; providing qualifications and disqualifications for eldercaring coordinators; requiring the applicant to meet certain qualifications for background screening, unless otherwise exempt; requiring prospective eldercaring coordinators to submit fingerprints for purposes of criminal history background screening; providing for the payment and cost of fingerprint processing; providing for the removal and suspension of authority of certain eldercaring coordinators; requiring that notice of hearing on removal of a coordinator be timely served; authorizing the courts to award certain fees and costs under certain circumstances; requiring the court to appoint successor eldercaring coordinators under certain circumstances; authorizing the courts to make certain determinations based on the fees and costs of eldercaring coordination; providing that certain communications between the parties, partici-

pants, and eldercaring coordinators are confidential; providing exceptions to confidentiality; providing requirements for emergency reporting to courts under certain circumstances; providing immunity from liability for eldercaring coordinators under specified circumstances; requiring the Florida Supreme Court to establish certain minimum standards and procedures for eldercaring coordinators; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Wright—

CS for SB 390—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 the 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; amending ss. 627.64741 and 627.6572, F.S.; authorizing the office to require health insurers to submit to the office certain contracts or contract amendments entered into with pharmacy benefit managers; authorizing the office to order health insurers to cancel such contracts under certain circumstances; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; revising applicability; amending s. 627.6699, F.S.; requiring certain health benefit plans covering small employers to comply with certain provisions; amending s. 641.314, F.S.; authorizing the office to require health maintenance organizations to submit to the office certain contracts or contract amendments entered into with pharmacy benefit managers; authorizing the office to order health maintenance organizations to cancel such contracts under certain circumstances; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; revising applicability; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Bracy—

CS for SB 468—A bill to be entitled An act relating to expunction of criminal history records relating to certain cannabis offenses; creating s. 943.0586, F.S.; providing for eligibility; requiring a petitioner to obtain a certificate of eligibility from the Department of Law Enforcement; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing application requirements and contents of a certificate of eligibility for expunction; requiring the department to issue a certificate of eligibility for expunction if a person meets specified criteria; providing contents of a petition; providing court procedures for expungement; providing that the subject of an expungement order may lawfully deny or fail to acknowledge the arrest and notice to appear; providing exceptions; providing that a petition for expunction of certain cannabis offenses does not foreclose the petitioner from applying to seal or expunge other criminal arrests; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Bracy—

CS for SB 470—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 943.0586, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for specified expunged criminal history records; providing exceptions; providing criminal penalties; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senators Bracy and Stewart—

CS for SB 490—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Juneteenth Day; amending s. 683.01, F.S.; designating Juneteenth Day as a legal holiday; repealing s. 683.21, F.S., relating to Juneteenth Day; deleting provisions designating Juneteenth Day as a special observance, to conform to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Judiciary; and Community Affairs; and Senator Perry—

CS for CS for SB 496—A bill to be entitled An act relating to growth management; amending s. 163.3167, F.S.; specifying requirements for certain comprehensive plans effective, rather than adopted, after a specified date and for associated land development regulations; amending s. 163.3177, F.S.; requiring local governments to include a property rights element in their comprehensive plans; providing a statement of rights which a local government may use; requiring a local government to adopt a property rights element by the earlier of its adoption of its next proposed plan amendment initiated after a certain date or the next scheduled evaluation and appraisal of its comprehensive plan; prohibiting a local government's property rights element from conflicting with the statement of rights contained in the act; amending s. 163.3237, F.S.; providing that the consent of certain property owners is not required for development agreement changes under certain circumstances; providing an exception; amending s. 380.06, F.S.; authorizing certain developments of regional impact agreements to be amended under certain circumstances; providing retroactive applicability; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Garcia—

CS for SB 506—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transparency in government spending; amending s. 215.985, F.S.; defining terms; requiring nongovernmental entities that have received a specified amount of state funds to submit an annual report detailing certain compensation data to the Department of Management Services; requiring such reports to be verified under penalty of perjury; requiring the department to post the information received through such reports on a specified website; requiring a nongovernmental entity to post the reported compensation information on its website; requiring a nongovernmental entity to take certain actions before receiving funds from a governmental entity; prohibiting a governmental entity from expending, transferring, or distributing funds to a nongovernmental entity if compliance with reporting requirements is not met; specifying applicability; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Criminal Justice; and Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senators Bracy and Torres—

CS for CS for SB 626—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile justice; creating s. 985.031, F.S.; providing a short title; prohibiting a child younger than a certain age from being taken into custody, arrested, charged, or adjudicated delinquent for a delinquent act or violation of law; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Powell and Farmer—

CS for SB 640—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 must either request a court to transfer and certify children of certain ages who commit specified crimes for prosecution as adults or provide written reasons to the court for not making such a request, or must 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 of a child to adult court for criminal prosecution of an indictable offense until the child's competency has been restored, if the child has a pending competency hearing or previously has been found incompetent and has not been restored to competency by a court; providing for the tolling of certain time limits; authorizing, rather than requiring, a child who is found to have committed specified crimes to be sentenced according to certain provisions; amending s. 985.565, F.S.; authorizing, rather than requiring, a child to be sentenced as an adult if the child is found to have committed an offense punishable by death or life imprisonment; conforming provisions to changes made by the act;

amending s. 985.03, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; reenacting s. 985.265(5), F.S., relating to detention transfer and release, education, and adult jails, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 985.556 and 985.557, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 985.15(1), F.S., relating to filing decisions, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 985.556 and 985.557, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 985.26(2)(c), F.S., relating to the length of detention, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 985.557 and 985.56, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senators Baxley, Pizzo, and Harrell—

CS for SB 676—A bill to be entitled An act relating to special and specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; providing an exception to the requirement that specialty license plate annual use fees and interest earned from those fees be expended only in this state; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; revising legislative intent; revising distribution and application of annual fees from the sale of Florida Indian River Lagoon license plates; revising distribution of annual use fees from the sale of Wildlife Foundation of Florida license plates; revising distribution of annual use fees from the sale of Divine Nine license plates; providing eligibility requirements for issuance of such plates; authorizing such plates to be personalized and to be displayed on certain vehicles; prohibiting the transfer of such plates between vehicle owners; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop certain specialty license plates; providing for the distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of such plates; amending s. 320.0807, F.S.; revising requirements for the issuance of certain special license plates; amending s. 320.089, F.S.; authorizing the department to issue Army of Occupation license plates; specifying qualifications and requirements for the license plates; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senator Diaz—

CS for SB 758—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 a training program 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 exceptions 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.

By the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; and Senator Burgess—

CS for SB 764—A bill to be entitled An act relating to veterans treatment courts; amending s. 394.47891, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining terms; authorizing certain courts to create and administer veterans treatment courts for specified purposes; providing standards for admission to a veterans treatment court program; specifying program implementation procedures, components, and policies; specifying eligibility requirements for participation in the program; providing construction; specifying that the act does not create a right to participate in the program; deleting provisions relating to the Military Veterans and Servicemembers Court Program, to conform to changes made by the act; amending ss. 43.51, 910.035, and 948.06, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 948.08 and 948.16, F.S.; revising eligibility for certain pretrial programs to include certain individuals eligible to participate in a veterans treatment court program; amending s. 948.21, F.S.; authorizing a court to impose a condition requiring a probationer or community controllee eligible to participate in a veterans treatment court program to participate in certain treatment programs under certain circumstances; specifying

applicability of the act to participants in certain court programs in existence as of a specified date; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Community Affairs; and Regulated Industries; and Senator Hutson—

CS for CS for SB 856—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the express preemption of fuel retailers and related transportation infrastructure; creating s. 377.707, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting a municipality, county, special district, or political subdivision from taking certain actions to prohibit the siting, development, or redevelopment of fuel retailers and the related transportation infrastructure and from requiring fuel retailers to install or invest in a particular fueling infrastructure; providing construction; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Brodeur—

CS for SB 864—A bill to be entitled An act relating to telehealth; amending s. 456.47, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “telehealth”; revising an exemption from telehealth registration requirements; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Rules; and Criminal Justice; and Senator Hooper—

CS for CS for SB 890—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the use of electronic databases; amending s. 119.0712, F.S.; prohibiting the use or release, not authorized by law, of any information contained in the Driver and Vehicle Information Database; providing a noncriminal infraction; amending s. 943.125, F.S.; requiring the law enforcement accreditation program to address access to and use of personal identification information contained in electronic databases; creating s. 943.1719, F.S.; requiring the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission to incorporate into the course curriculum required for initial certification of law enforcement officers instruction on the authorized access to and use of personal identification information contained in electronic databases; providing training requirements; creating s. 943.17191, F.S.; requiring the commission to adopt rules requiring that each law enforcement officer receive instruction on the authorized access to and use of personal identification information contained in electronic databases for continued employment or appointment as an officer; providing training requirements; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senator Brodeur—

CS for SB 896—A bill to be entitled An act relating to renewable natural gas; amending s. 366.91, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; authorizing the Florida Public Service Commission to approve cost recovery by a gas public utility for certain contracts for the purchase of renewable natural gas; amending ss. 366.92, 373.236, and 403.973, F.S.; conforming cross-references; reenacting s. 288.9606(7), F.S., relating to the issuance of revenue bonds, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 366.91, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Bean—

CS for SB 954—A bill to be entitled An act relating to attorney compensation; amending s. 733.6171, F.S.; requiring an attorney who accepts certain engagements to obtain a fee disclosure statement signed by the person responsible for administering an estate; requiring that such disclosure statement contain certain statements; deleting provisions relating to the determination of reasonable compensation for attorneys of personal representatives; deleting provisions relating to petitions to increase or decrease compensation for such attorneys; amending s. 736.1007, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to the determination of reasonable compensation for attorneys of trustees; deleting provisions relating to petitions to increase or decrease compensation for such attorneys; amending ss. 733.106 and 736.1005, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senator Hooper—

CS for SB 1034—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation-related 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.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senators Bean, Baxley, and Bradley—

CS for SB 1046—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arrest booking photographs; amending s. 901.43, F.S.; expanding the applicability of provisions relating to the dissemination of arrest booking photographs to include a person or an entity whose primary business model is the publication or dissemination of such photographs for a commercial purpose or pecuniary gain; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Regulated Industries; and Judiciary; and Senator Bradley—

CS for CS for SB 1060—A bill to be entitled An act relating to limitation of liability for voluntary engineering or architectural services; creating s. 768.38, F.S.; defining the term “structures specialist”; exempting engineers, architects, and structures specialists from liability for certain voluntary engineering or architectural services under certain circumstances; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Community Affairs; and Regulated Industries; and Senator Hutson—

CS for CS for SB 1128—A bill to be entitled An act relating to preemption over restriction of utility services; creating s. 366.032, F.S.; prohibiting municipalities, counties, special districts, or other political subdivisions from restricting or prohibiting the types or fuel sources of energy production used, delivered, converted, or supplied by certain entities to customers; providing construction; voiding existing specified documents and policies that are preempted by this act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Bean—

CS for SB 1132—A bill to be entitled An act relating to personal care attendants; amending s. 400.141, F.S.; authorizing nursing home facilities to employ personal care attendants if they are participating in a certain training program developed by the Agency for Health Care Administration, in consultation with the Board of Nursing; providing minimum requirements for such program; providing limitations on such personal care attendants’ practice; authorizing the agency to adopt rules; authorizing certain personal care attendant programs to continue operating during the agency’s rulemaking process under certain circumstances; requiring the agency to notify the Division of Law Revision of the date certain rules take effect; providing for future repeal; amending s. 400.211, F.S.; authorizing certain persons to be employed by a nursing home facility as personal care attendants for a specified period if a certain training requirement is met; defining the term “personal care attendants”; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Rodrigues—

CS for SB 1142—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited acts by health care practitioners; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; subjecting health care practitioners to discipline for making misleading, deceptive, or fraudulent representations related to their specialty designations; specifying that only certain licensed health care practitioners may use the terms “anesthesiologist” or “dermatologist”; subjecting health care practitioners to discipline for failing to provide written or oral notice to patients of their specialty designation; requiring the department, instead of applicable health care practitioner boards, to enforce the written or oral notice requirement; requiring the department to issue emergency cease and desist orders to certain persons under certain circumstances; providing requirements for the notice of such emergency

orders; requiring the department to impose certain administrative penalties if such persons do not immediately comply with the emergency orders; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Brandes—

CS for SB 1152—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fleet management; requiring the Department of Management Services to prepare an inventory of state-owned motor vehicles, maintenance facilities, and fuel depots; requiring the department to submit the inventory to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; specifying requirements for the inventory; requiring state agencies and state universities to provide certain information requested by the department; requiring the department to create, administer, and maintain a centralized management system for the motor vehicle fleet, maintenance facilities, and fuel depots; requiring the department to consolidate the management of existing motor vehicles, maintenance facilities, fuel depots, and certain full-time equivalent and other personal services positions; requiring state agencies and state universities to provide certain information requested by the department; requiring the department to contract with a vendor or contractor for a specified purpose; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senator Polsky—

CS for SB 1256—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead exemption for seniors 65 and older; amending s. 196.075, F.S.; revising provisions to require certain taxpayers to submit a claim for homestead exemption only one time if certain conditions are met; requiring the property appraiser to provide specified information related to income limitations on an annual basis; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Agriculture; and Regulated Industries; and Senator Rodriguez—

CS for CS for SB 1370—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the medical treatment of animals; amending s. 474.202, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “veterinarian/client/patient relationship”; defining the term “veterinary telemedicine”; creating s. 474.2021, F.S.; authorizing veterinarians to practice veterinary telemedicine; specifying the services a veterinarian may provide without first establishing a veterinarian/client/patient relationship by a physical examination; prohibiting veterinarians from prescribing controlled substances under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; providing licensure requirements to practice veterinary telemedicine; providing jurisdiction of the Florida Board of Veterinary Medicine; providing construction; amending s. 474.203, F.S.; revising exceptions to who may immunize or treat an animal for certain diseases; amending s. 474.214, F.S.; revising grounds for disciplinary action against a veterinarian; amending s. 828.30, F.S.; authorizing employees, agents, or contractors of animal control authorities to administer rabies vaccinations under certain circumstances; providing that a supervising veterinarian assumes responsibility for any person working at his or her discretion or under his or her supervision; defining the term “indirect supervision”; providing requirements; authorizing a veterinarian who indirectly supervises the administration of the rabies vaccination to affix his or her signature stamp on a rabies vaccination certificate; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Bradley—

CS for SB 1378—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporate espionage; providing a short title; amending s. 812.081, F.S.; revising definitions; prohibiting theft of a trade secret; prohibiting trafficking in trade secrets; providing criminal penalties; reclassifying the criminal penalty and increasing the offense severity ranking for an offense committed with specified intent; requiring a court to order specified restitution for a violation; providing for civil actions for violations; providing an exception to criminal and civil liability for certain disclosures; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; ranking the severity of offenses; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senator Hutson—

CS for SB 1466—A bill to be entitled An act relating to airports; amending s. 332.007, F.S.; revising the types of airports to which funds for master planning and eligible aviation development projects are limited; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Gibson—

CS for SB 1478—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consumer finance loans; amending s. 516.03, F.S.; authorizing an applicant for a license to make and collect loans under the Florida Consumer Finance Act to provide certain documents in lieu of evidence of liquid assets; amending s. 516.031, F.S.; prohibiting a person licensed to make and collect consumer finance loans from charging prepayment penalties for loans; amending s. 516.05, F.S.; authorizing an applicant for a license to make and collect consumer finance loans or a licensee to provide a surety bond, certificate of deposit, or letter of credit in lieu of evidence of liquid assets; providing requirements for such bonds, certificates of deposit, and letters of credit; providing rulemaking authority; amending s. 516.07, F.S.; amending grounds for denial of license or disciplinary action; amending s. 516.36, F.S.; providing requirements for loan terms; amending s. 559.952, F.S.; revising exceptions for a licensee during the Financial Technology Sandbox period; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senator Ausley—

CS for SB 1560—A bill to be entitled An act relating to broadband Internet service; amending s. 364.0135, F.S.; revising legislative findings; defining terms; revising the duties of the Florida Office of Broadband within the Department of Economic Opportunity; requiring local technology planning teams or partnerships to work with rural communities for specified purposes; requiring the office to develop geographic information system maps in collaboration with specified entities and consistent with certain federal reporting standards by a specified date; specifying required contents of the maps; requiring the department to annually update such maps and establish a mechanism to receive and verify governmental and public input related to broadband Internet service; authorizing the department to work collaboratively with specified entities in developing the mechanism; requiring the office to develop a broadband infrastructure asset map by a specified date; specifying required contents of the map; establishing the Broadband Deployment Task Force within the office for a specified purpose; requiring the department to provide administrative and technical assistance to the task force; providing for the membership and duties of the task force; requiring the task force to submit annual progress reports to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing that certain information provided to the department from broadband service providers retains its exemption from public disclosure; creating s. 364.0136, F.S.; creating the Broadband Opportunity Program within the office; providing for administration of the program; providing requirements for grant awards; providing eligibility requirements; providing application requirements; requiring the office to publish certain information related to grant applications and grant awards on its website; authorizing grant applications to be challenged under certain circumstances; specifying contents of a challenge; providing procedures to be used by the office in evaluating challenges; providing direction for prioritizing grant funding; specifying conditions for the award of grants; requiring the office to enter into an agreement containing specified information with each grant recipient; requiring the office to publish specified information annually on its website and provide the information to the Governor and Legislature; creating s. 364.0137, F.S.; defining terms; requiring the office to establish a process to identify eligible households to receive federal Emergency Broadband Benefit Program funds under certain circumstances; providing for direct subsidy payments; providing for household participation in the program; requiring the office to provide certain information to potentially eligible households; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Brandes—

CS for SB 1574—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; amending s. 627.021, F.S.; revising applicability; amending s. 627.351, F.S.; revising the method for determining the amounts of potential surcharges to be levied against

policyholders under certain circumstances; requiring the corporation to levy an annual legal expenses surcharge; revising conditions for eligibility for coverage with the corporation to require a certain minimum premium; specifying a limit for agent commission rates; revising the application of annual rate increase limits to certain policies issued by the corporation; providing that eligible surplus lines insurers may participate, in the same manner and on the same terms as an authorized insurer, in depopulation, take-out, or keep-out programs relating to policies removed from Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; providing certain exceptions, conditions, and requirements relating to such participation by a surplus lines insurer in the corporation's depopulation, take-out, or keep-out programs; providing thresholds for eligibility for coverage by the corporation for risks offered coverage from qualified surplus lines insurers; authorizing information from underwriting files and confidential claims files to be released by the corporation to specified entities considering writing or underwriting risks insured by the corporation under certain circumstances; specifying that only the corporation's transfer of a policy file to an insurer, as opposed to the transfer of any file, changes the file's public record status; making technical changes; amending s. 627.3517, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 627.3518, F.S., and reenacting subsections (6) and (7), relating to the Citizens Property Insurance Corporation policyholder eligibility clearinghouse program, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 627.351, F.S., in references thereto; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Gruters—

CS for SB 1598—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 persons 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; amending s. 624.501, F.S.; deleting a fee for adjusting firm licenses; amending s. 626.015, F.S.; defining the term "claims adjusting"; amending s. 626.112, F.S.; deleting an obsolete provision; 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; 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 for a certain period; providing for expiration of certain licenses on a certain date; 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 s. 626.7315, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; 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; amending s. 626.7845, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; repealing s. 626.796, F.S., relating to the representation of multiple insurers in the same industrial debit territory; amending s. 626.8305, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 626.854, F.S.; revising the timeframes in which an insured or a claimant may cancel a public adjuster's contract to adjust a claim without penalty or obligation; requiring that public adjuster's contracts include a specified disclosure; specifying requirements for written estimates of loss provided by public adjusters to claimants or insureds; prohibiting certain contractors from soliciting insureds to file insurance claims under certain circumstances; revising services a person is prohibited from performing unless the person meets specified requirements; authorizing the department to take administrative actions and impose fines against persons performing specified activities without licensure; amending s. 626.916, F.S.; revising disclosure requirements for certain classes of insurance 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 s. 626.9953, F.S.; correcting a cross-reference; amending ss. 626.9957 and 627.062, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 627.502, F.S.; prohibiting life insurers from writing new policies of industrial life insurance beginning on a certain date; making technical changes; amending s. 627.70131, F.S.; providing that a communication made to or by an insurer's representative, rather than to or by an insurer's agent, con-

stitutes communication to or by the insurer; revising the timeframe for insurers to begin certain investigations; requiring an insurer-assigned licensed adjuster to provide the policyholder with certain information in certain investigations; requiring insurers to maintain certain records and provide certain lists upon request; requiring insurers to include specified notices when providing preliminary or partial damage estimates or claim payments; 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 obligation of the Florida Insurance Guaranty Association, Incorporated, as to certain covered claims; amending s. 631.904, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "covered claim"; deleting a requirement that a policy be in force on the date of the final order of liquidation; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Bean—

CS for SB 1608—A bill to be entitled An act relating to protecting consumers against pandemic-related fraud; creating s. 817.418, F.S.; defining the term "personal protective equipment"; prohibiting dissemination of false or misleading information relating to personal protective equipment under certain circumstances with specified intent; providing criminal penalties; authorizing a state attorney or the statewide prosecutor to prosecute a violation; authorizing the Attorney General to seek civil remedies; creating s. 817.504, F.S.; prohibiting dissemination of false or misleading vaccine information under certain circumstances with specified intent; providing criminal penalties; authorizing a state attorney or the statewide prosecutor to prosecute a violation; authorizing the Attorney General to seek civil remedies; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; ranking offenses created by the act on the offense severity ranking chart of the Criminal Punishment Code; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources; and Senator Rodriguez—

CS for SB 1752—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction and maintenance of water supply and sewage disposal systems by counties and independent special districts; amending s. 153.04, F.S.; providing requirements for independent special districts that choose to exercise certain powers granted under ch. 153, F.S.; providing an exception for certain entities to construct water supply systems; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Agriculture; and Senator Rouson—

CS for SB 1768—A bill to be entitled An act relating to agriculture and nutrition; amending s. 287.082, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 287.0823, F.S.; declaring that it is a state goal that by a specified date, a percentage of food commodities purchased by state agencies, Florida College System institutions, and state universities will be grown or produced in this state; requiring such agencies, institutions, and universities to give preference to food commodities grown or produced in this state in certain purchasing agreements, state term contracts, or contracts for the purchase of food commodities; providing conditions for such preference; defining the term "food commodities"; requiring certain of such agencies, institutions, and universities to cooperate with the Department of Management Services in establishing a reporting system; requiring such agencies, institutions, and universities to report compliance to the Governor, Cabinet, and Legislature by a specified date each year; specifying report requirements; amending s. 595.405, F.S.; providing sponsor reimbursements for certain school breakfast meals; requiring certain schools to implement a program for special assistance certification and reimbursement alternatives to provide universal free school breakfast and lunch meals; providing an exception; requiring sponsors or designated sponsor entities to consider certain public testimony before declining to implement the program; directing the Department of Education to use specified data and methodologies to establish income levels for schools implementing the program; requiring a specified multiplier to be applied when using certain data; creating s. 595.421, F.S.; establishing the Agricultural Surplus Purchase Program within the Department of

Agriculture and Consumer Services for a specified purpose; authorizing the department to consult with specified entities; directing the department to purchase, donate, and distribute certain agricultural commodities to specified organizations and communities and to adopt specified rules; creating s. 595.422, F.S.; establishing the Local Food Pantry Infrastructure Assistance Grant Program within the department for a specified purpose; defining the term “food pantry”; requiring the department to adopt specified rules and to promote and market the program; creating s. 595.802, F.S.; establishing the Healthy Food Access Pilot Program within the department for a specified purpose; requiring the department to adopt rules; authorizing the department to enter into agreements with third-party vendors; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Governor and Legislature; providing that the program is repealed by a specified date unless reenacted by the Legislature; providing appropriations; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Burgess—

CS for SB 1818—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement officer training; creating s. 943.1719, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission to incorporate instruction on use of force, deescalation techniques, and suicide awareness and prevention techniques into the course curriculum required for law enforcement officers obtaining initial certification; providing training authorizations; creating s. 943.17191, F.S.; authorizing the commission to adopt rules authorizing each officer to receive instruction on use of force, deescalation techniques, and suicide awareness and prevention techniques as part of required instruction for continued employment or appointment as an officer; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Pizzo—

CS for SB 1908—A bill to be entitled An act relating to gain-time for certain women prisoners; creating s. 944.243, F.S.; defining the term “violent felony”; specifying that a pregnant prisoner or a prisoner who is the mother of a child of a certain age sentenced to a state correctional institution is eligible under certain circumstances to earn or receive gain-time in an amount that would cause her sentence to expire, end, or terminate after serving 65 percent of the sentence imposed; providing that a pregnant prisoner or a prisoner who is the mother of a child of a certain age is ineligible under certain circumstances to earn or receive gain-time in an amount that would cause her sentence to expire, end, or terminate after serving 65 percent of the sentence imposed; amending ss. 921.002 and 944.275, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senator Diaz—

CS for SB 1924—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency management powers of political subdivisions; amending s. 252.38, F.S.; specifying that a political subdivision has the burden of proving the proper exercise of its police power in the issuance of certain emergency orders; authorizing the Governor or the Legislature to invalidate emergency measures issued by a political subdivision under specified conditions; amending s. 252.46, F.S.; providing for the automatic expiration of emergency orders issued by a political subdivision; authorizing the extension of such orders if certain conditions are met; prohibiting a political subdivision from issuing a subsequent order for the same emergency that is substantially similar to the expired order; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senators Bean and Bradley—

CS for SB 1948—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Economic Opportunity; amending s. 20.60, F.S.; renaming the executive director of the Department of Economic Opportunity as the Secretary of Economic Opportunity; authorizing the secretary to appoint deputy and assistant secretaries for a specified purpose; establishing the Office of the Secretary and the Office of Economic Accountability and Transparency; providing duties for the Office of Economic Accountability and Transparency; authorizing the secretary to

create offices within the Office of the Secretary and within the divisions; requiring the secretary to appoint division directors; providing duties for the division directors; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 288.901, F.S.; revising the membership of the board of directors of Enterprise Florida, Inc.; amending s. 290.042, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “administrative costs” relating to the Florida Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Program Act; amending s. 290.044, F.S.; revising the application process and funding for the Florida Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Program Fund; amending s. 290.046, F.S.; revising the application process and funding for development grants awarded by the department to local governments; amending s. 331.3081, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 435.02, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “specified agency” to include certain regional workforce boards for the purposes of labor laws; amending s. 443.091, F.S.; revising the reporting requirements for reemployment assistance benefit eligibility; defining the term “address”; amending s. 443.101, F.S.; deleting a provision providing that individuals who voluntarily leave work as a direct result of circumstances relating to domestic violence are ineligible for benefits under certain circumstances; amending s. 443.1113, F.S.; requiring the department to maintain an effective and efficient system relating to the reemployment assistance program; revising the functions and objectives of the Reemployment Assistance Claims and Benefits Information System; requiring the department to perform an annual review of the system; requiring the department to seek input from certain state entities when performing such review; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature beginning on a specified date; providing requirements for such report; deleting obsolete language; requiring the department take actions to modernize the system in the 2021-2022 fiscal year as directed in the General Appropriations Act; amending s. 443.151, F.S.; revising the timeline for employers’ responses to notices of benefits claims sent by the department; authorizing claimants to request the department to reconsider a monetary determination; providing requirements for such request; providing that monetary determinations and redeterminations are final after a specified period of time; providing exceptions; deleting a requirement that appeals referees be attorneys in good standing with The Florida Bar or be admitted to The Florida Bar within 8 months after the date of employment; prohibiting appeals from being filed after a specified time; amending s. 445.004, F.S.; revising the membership of the state board, which directs CareerSource Florida, Inc.; amending s. 553.79, F.S.; requiring specified building permit applications applied for by licensed contractors for property owners under certain programs administered by the department to be issued within a reduced time-frame; amending ss. 14.20195, 16.615, 20.04, 213.053, 220.194, 288.005, 288.061, 288.0656, 288.106, 288.1089, 288.1251, 288.8014, 288.955, 288.9604, 288.987, 290.0065, 311.09, 311.105, 334.065, 373.4149, 380.045, 403.0752, 420.0005, 420.0006, 420.101, 420.503, 420.504, 420.506, 420.507, 420.511, 420.602, 420.609, 420.622, 427.012, 443.1116, 446.53, 450.261, 624.5105, and 1004.015, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Gruters—

CS for SB 1950—A bill to be entitled An act relating to financial institutions; amending s. 120.80, F.S.; providing that the failure of foreign nationals to appear through video conference at certain hearings is grounds for denial of certain applications; amending s. 475.01, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; creating s. 501.2076, F.S.; providing that the imposition of fees or charges upon consumers for online audit verifications of financial institution accounts is a violation of the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; amending s. 518.117, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 655.045, F.S.; revising the interval for the Office of Financial Regulation to conduct certain examinations; authorizing the Office of Financial Regulation to delay examinations of financial institutions under certain circumstances; specifying that examination requirements are deemed met under certain circumstances; requiring copies of certain examination reports to be furnished to financial institutions; requiring certain directors to review and acknowledge receipt of such reports; amending s. 655.414, F.S.; revising the entities that may assume liabilities, and the liabilities that may be assumed, according to certain procedures, conditions, and limitations; specifying the basis for calculating percentages of assets or liabilities; amending s. 655.50, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “financial institution”; amending s. 657.021, F.S.; requiring credit unions to submit specified information to the office after certain meetings;

amending s. 657.042, F.S.; revising certain limitations on credit union investments; amending s. 658.12, F.S.; defining the term “target market”; amending s. 658.20, F.S.; requiring the office, upon receiving applications for authority to organize a bank or trust company, to investigate the need for new bank facilities in a primary service area or target market and the ability of such service area or target market to support new and existing bank facilities; amending s. 658.21, F.S.; deleting a requirement that certain proposed financial institution presidents or chief executive officers have certain experience within a specified timeframe; creating s. 658.265, F.S.; defining the term “trust representative office”; authorizing a trust representative office to engage in certain activities; prohibiting a trust representative office from engaging in fiduciary activities; amending s. 658.28, F.S.; requiring a person or group to notify the office upon acquiring a controlling interest in a bank or trust company in this state; amending s. 658.2953, F.S.; defining the term “de novo branch”; amending s. 662.1225, F.S.; revising the type of institution with which certain family trust companies are required to maintain a deposit account; amending s. 662.128, F.S.; revising the timeframe for filing renewal applications for certain family trust companies; amending s. 663.07, F.S.; revising the banks with which international bank agencies or branches shall maintain certain deposits; amending s. 663.532, F.S.; requiring limited service affiliates to suspend certain permissible activities under certain circumstances; specifying that such suspensions remain in effect until certain conditions are met; amending s. 736.0802, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources; and Senators Rodrigues and Garcia—

CS for SB 1954—A bill to be entitled An act relating to statewide flooding and sea-level rise resilience; creating s. 380.093, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining terms; establishing the Resilient Florida Grant Program within the Department of Environmental Protection; authorizing the department to provide grants to local governments to fund the costs of community resilience planning, subject to appropriation; providing requirements for certain local government vulnerability assessments; requiring the department to notify the Legislature when specifically referenced sources or standards are updated or replaced; requiring the department to complete a comprehensive statewide flood vulnerability and sea-level rise data set and assessment by specified dates; specifying requirements for such data set and assessment; requiring the department to develop a Statewide Flooding and Sea-Level Rise Resilience Plan and annually submit the plan to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; specifying requirements for the plan; requiring water management districts to annually submit proposed projects to the department for inclusion in the plan; specifying requirements for such projects; specifying projects that are ineligible for inclusion in the plan; requiring the department to implement a scoring system for assessing projects submitted by water management districts; limiting the total amount of funding that may be proposed in the plan; requiring the Legislature, upon review and subject to appropriation, to approve funding for projects as specified in the plan; authorizing local governments to create regional resilience coalitions for a specified purpose; authorizing the department to provide funding to the coalitions, subject to appropriation; creating s. 380.0933, F.S.; establishing the Florida Flood Hub for Applied Research and Innovation within the University of South Florida College of Marine Science for a specified purpose; providing duties of the hub; providing for an executive director; requiring the hub to submit an annual report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; amending s. 403.928, F.S.; requiring the Office of Economic and Demographic Research to include specified information relating to inland and coastal flood control in certain assessments; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senators Pizzo and Rodriguez—

CS for SB 1970—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement reform; providing a declaration of important state interest; amending s. 943.10, F.S.; defining terms; amending s. 943.12, F.S.; requiring the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission to adopt rules prohibiting law enforcement officers, correctional officers, or correctional probation officers from using specified techniques; providing an exception; requiring the commission to adopt rules requiring employing agencies to report information related to the use of such techniques; requiring that the commission cause to be investigated certain officers who use the prohibited techniques; requiring the com-

mission to provide specified data regarding final commission orders to the National Decertification Index; creating s. 943.121, F.S.; requiring the commission to establish and maintain standards for the instruction of officers in specified subjects in order to build upon and improve police-community relations; providing minimum required standards for deescalation training; requiring that by a specified date the commission provide certain guidance to law enforcement agencies; requiring the commission to create and publish on its website a model written policy; requiring that by a specified date each law enforcement agency adopt a certain written policy; requiring the commission to collect certain data and annually, by a specified date, submit a report to the Legislature; amending s. 943.125, F.S.; revising the minimum aspects of law enforcement that the law enforcement accreditation program must address; amending s. 943.1715, F.S.; requiring every basic skills course required for officers to obtain initial certification to include a minimum number of hours of deescalation training; amending s. 943.1716, F.S.; requiring the commission to adopt rules requiring that every officer receive a minimum number of hours of deescalation training; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senator Burgess—

CS for SB 2004—A bill to be entitled An act relating to broadband Internet; amending s. 364.0135, F.S.; requiring the Florida Office of Broadband’s strategic plan to include short-term and long-term goals for increasing the availability of and access to broadband Internet service in this state; providing requirements for the development of the plan; requiring the updated plan to be submitted to the Governor, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and the Legislature by a specified date; requiring the plan to be updated biennially; requiring the office to provide technical and planning assistance related to broadband infrastructure to rural communities; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

REFERENCE CHANGES PURSUANT TO RULE 4.7(2)

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—was referred to the Committee on Rules.

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

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION BY THE SENATE:

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

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Greater Orlando Aviation Authority Appointee: Mateer, Craig C., Orlando	04/16/2024
Florida Commission on Community Service Appointee: Ancora-Brown, Tajiana, Winter Garden	09/14/2021
Board of Trustees of College of Central Florida Appointee: Bullaro, II, Gabriel, Ocala	05/31/2023
Board of Trustees of Palm Beach State College Appointee: Soto-Jimenez, Omar, Boynton Beach	05/31/2022
Board of Trustees of Pasco-Hernando State College Appointee: Maggard, Lee, Zephyrhills	05/31/2022
Education Practices Commission Appointee: Tompkins, Jordan, Naples	02/17/2024
Board of Psychology Appointee: Broz, Madiley, Miami	10/31/2021
Referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections.	

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Board of Trustees, Florida International University Appointee: Hrinak, Donna J., Miami	01/06/2025
Board of Trustees, University of Florida Appointees: Heavener, James W., Winter Park Patel, Rahul, Atlanta Ridley, Fred, Tampa	01/06/2026 01/06/2025 01/06/2026
Board of Trustees, University of South Florida Appointee: Patel, Shilen, Tampa	01/06/2026
Referred to the Committees on Education; and Ethics and Elections.	

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

The Journals of March 11 and March 16 were corrected and approved.

CO-INTRODUCERS

Senators Berman—SB 594, SB 1348; Book—CS for SB 130; Bracy—CS for SB 838; Cruz—SB 1348; Diaz—SB 1468, SB 1484; Farmer—SB 594, SB 1348; Garcia—SB 1140, SB 1954; Gibson—CS for CS for SB 234; Hooper—CS for SB 130; Hutson—SB 1606; Perry—SB 874; Rodrigues—SB 1606

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Senator Passidomo, the Senate adjourned at 3:56 p.m. for the purpose of holding committee meetings and conducting other Senate business to reconvene at 1:00 p.m., Thursday, March 25 or upon call of the President.

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