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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Finance and Tax recommends the following pass: SB 406; CS for SB 830

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

The Committee on Agriculture recommends the following pass: SB 922

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 486

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends the following pass: SB 1400

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government under the original reference.

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 948

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 636

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 490; SB 802; SB 1048

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 912

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 806; SB 890

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 Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 788

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 978

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 914

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

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 1038

The bill was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Tourism under the original reference.

The Committee on Agriculture recommends the following pass: SB 1002

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 1058

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends the following pass: SB 1326

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 1420

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends the following pass: SB 512

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

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends the following pass: SB 896

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 934

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 264

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 520

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

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 1114

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

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 968

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends the following pass: SB 874

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

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends the following pass: SB 562

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

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends the following pass: CS for SB 566

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 222

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 148

The Committee on Finance and Tax recommends the following pass: SM 982

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 538

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 288

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends the following pass: SM 826

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends the following pass: SB 352

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 474

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

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 962

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

The Committee on Appropriations recommends the following pass: SB 98

The Committee on Rules recommends the following pass: SB 156; CS for SM 174; SM 302; SB 312; SB 846; SB 848; SB 850; SB 852; SB 854; SB 7000; SB 7002; SB 7004; SB 7006; SB 7008; SB 7010; SB 7014; SB 7016; SB 7018; SB 7020

The bills were placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Finance and Tax recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 228; SB 786

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 430

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 Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 954

The bill with committee substitute attached was 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 266; SB 760

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

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 554

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

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 478

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 988

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

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 438

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 926

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance under the original reference.

The Committee on Criminal Justice recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 668

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Agriculture recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1006

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 578

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 994; SB 996; SB 1024

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 Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 876

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

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 756

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 498

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

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 772

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 280

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 Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 466

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 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 444

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 736

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 590

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 Appropriations recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 96

The Committee on Reapportionment recommends committee substitutes for the following: SJR 100; SB 102

The Committee on Rules recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 254

The bills with committee substitute attached were placed on the Calendar.

REPORTS OF SUBCOMMITTEES

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government recommends the following pass: SB 350

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice recommends the following pass: SB 454

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

The Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 252; CS for SB 494; CS for SB 856

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES RELATING TO EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

The Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

	<i>For Term Ending</i>
<i>Office and Appointment</i>	
Governing Board of the St. Johns River Water Management District	
Appointees: Atwood, Ryan	03/01/2023
Burnett, Douglas	03/01/2025
Ghyabi-White, Maryam	03/01/2025

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

	<i>For Term Ending</i>
<i>Office and Appointment</i>	
Florida Public Service Commission	
Appointees: Fay, Andrew	01/01/2026
Graham, Art	01/01/2026

The Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointment made by the Governor and Cabinet:

	<i>For Term Ending</i>
<i>Office and Appointment</i>	
Executive Director of Department of Veterans' Affairs	
Appointee: Hartsell, James S.	Pleasure of Governor

The appointments were referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections under the original reference.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

FIRST READING

Senate Bills 2-48—Not used.

Senate Bills 50-102—Previously introduced.

Senate Bills 104-142—Not used.

By Senator Hutson—

SB 144—A bill to be entitled An act relating to identification cards; amending s. 322.051, F.S.; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to issue or renew identification cards at no charge to persons presenting a valid voter's registration card and attesting to financial hardship; prohibiting the department from requiring such persons to present certain evidence; requiring the department to issue identification cards at no charge to certain other persons; conforming

cross-references; amending ss. 322.18 and 322.21, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stargel—

SB 146—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fetal and infant mortality reduction; amending s. 381.84, F.S.; revising the purpose and requirements for the Comprehensive Statewide Tobacco Education and Use Prevention Program; revising a provision relating to a certain annual report to conform to changes made by the act; creating s. 383.21625, F.S.; defining the term “department”; requiring the Department of Health to contract with local healthy start coalitions for the creation of fetal and infant mortality review committees in all regions of this state; providing requirements for such committees; requiring local healthy start coalitions to report the findings and recommendations developed by the committees to the department annually; requiring the department to compile such findings and recommendations in a report and submit such report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date and annually thereafter; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 390.011, F.S.; defining the terms “fatal fetal abnormality” and “medical abortion”; revising the definition of the term “gestation”; amending s. 390.0111, F.S.; prohibiting a physician from performing a termination of pregnancy if the physician determines the gestational age of a fetus is more than a specified number of weeks, with exceptions; amending s. 390.0112, F.S.; requiring the directors of certain medical facilities and certain physicians to submit a certain report to the Agency for Health Care Administration monthly; requiring that such report be submitted electronically on a form adopted by the agency, the Board of Medicine, and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine; revising requirements for the report; creating s. 395.1054, F.S.; requiring that certain hospitals participate in a minimum number of quality improvement initiatives developed in collaboration with the Florida Perinatal Quality Collaborative within the University of South Florida College of Public Health; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SB 148—A bill to be entitled An act relating to individual freedom; amending s. 760.10, F.S.; providing that subjecting any individual, as a condition of employment, membership, certification, licensing, credentialing, or passing an examination, to training, instruction, or any other required activity that espouses, promotes, advances, inculcates, or compels such individual to believe specified concepts constitutes discrimination based on race, color, sex, or national origin; providing construction; providing severability; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; revising the requirements for required instruction on health education; requiring such instruction to comport with certain principles; requiring civic and character education instead of a character development program; providing the requirements of such education; providing Legislative findings; requiring instruction to be consistent with specified principles of individual freedom; authorizing instructional personnel to facilitate discussions and use curricula to address, in an age-appropriate manner, specified topics; prohibiting classroom instruction and curricula from being used to indoctrinate or persuade students in a manner inconsistent with certain principles or state academic standards; amending s. 1006.31, F.S.; prohibiting instructional materials reviewers from recommending instructional materials that contain any matter that contradicts certain principles; amending s. 1012.98, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education to review school district professional development systems for compliance with certain provisions of law; amending ss. 1002.20 and 1006.40, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Burgess and Rouson—

SB 150—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle insurance; repealing ss. 627.730, 627.731, 627.7311, 627.732, 627.733, 627.734, 627.736, 627.737, 627.739, 627.7401, 627.7403, and 627.7405, F.S., which comprise the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; repealing s. 627.7407, F.S., relating to application of the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; amending s. 316.2122, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 316.646, F.S.; revising a requirement for proof of security on a motor vehicle and the applicability of the requirement; amending s. 318.18, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.02, F.S.; revising the motor vehicle insurance coverages that an applicant must show to register certain vehicles with the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; revising construction; amending s. 320.0609, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.27, F.S.; defining the term “garage liability insurance”; revising garage liability insurance requirements for motor vehicle dealer license applicants; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 320.771, F.S.; revising garage liability insurance requirements for recreational vehicle dealer license applicants; amending ss. 322.251 and 322.34, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 324.011, F.S.; revising legislative intent; amending s. 324.021, F.S.; revising and providing definitions; revising minimum coverage requirements for proof of financial responsibility for specified motor vehicles; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 324.022, F.S.; revising minimum liability coverage requirements for motor vehicle owners or operators; revising authorized methods for meeting such requirements; deleting a provision relating to an insurer’s duty to defend certain claims; revising the vehicles that are excluded from the definition of the term “motor vehicle”; providing security requirements for certain excluded vehicles; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 324.0221, F.S.; revising coverages that subject a policy to certain insurer reporting and notice requirements; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 324.0222, F.S.; providing that driver license or motor vehicle registration suspensions for failure to maintain required security which are in effect before a specified date remain in full force and effect; providing that such suspended licenses or registrations may be reinstated as provided in a specified section; amending s. 324.023, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 324.031, F.S.; specifying a method of proving financial responsibility by owners or operators of motor vehicles other than for-hire passenger transportation vehicles; revising the amount of a certificate of deposit required to elect a certain method of proof of financial responsibility; revising liability coverage requirements for a person electing to use such method; amending s. 324.032, F.S.; revising financial responsibility requirements for owners or lessees of for-hire passenger transportation vehicles; amending s. 324.051, F.S.; making technical changes; specifying that motor vehicles include motorcycles for purposes of the section; amending ss. 324.071 and 324.091, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 324.151, F.S.; revising requirements for motor vehicle liability insurance policies relating to coverage, and exclusion from coverage, for certain drivers and vehicles; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; making technical changes; defining terms; amending s. 324.161, F.S.; revising requirements for a certificate of deposit that is required if a person elects a certain method of proving financial responsibility; amending s. 324.171, F.S.; revising the minimum net worth requirements to qualify certain persons as self-insurers; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 324.251, F.S.; revising the short title and an effective date; amending s. 400.9905, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “clinic”; amending ss. 400.991 and 400.9935, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.901, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “third-party benefit”; amending s. 409.910, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “medical coverage”; amending s. 456.057, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; revising specified grounds for discipline for certain health professions; defining the term “upcode”; amending s. 624.155, F.S.; providing an exception to the circumstances under which a person who is damaged may bring a civil action against an insurer; adding a cause of action against insurers in certain circumstances; providing that a person is not entitled to judgments under multiple bad faith remedies; creating s. 624.156, F.S.; providing that the section applies to bad faith failure to settle third-party claim actions against any insurer for a loss arising out of the ownership, maintenance, or use of a motor vehicle under specified circumstances; providing construction; providing that insurers have a

duty of good faith; providing construction; defining the term “bad faith failure to settle”; requiring insurers to meet best practices standards; providing circumstances under which a notice is not effective; providing that the burden is on the party bringing the bad faith claim; specifying best practices standards for insurers upon receiving actual notice of certain incidents or losses; specifying certain requirements for insurer communications to an insured; requiring an insurer to initiate settlement negotiations under certain circumstances; specifying requirements for the insurer when multiple claims arise out of a single occurrence under certain conditions; providing construction; requiring an insurer to attempt to settle a claim on behalf of certain insureds under certain circumstances; providing for a defense to bad faith actions; providing that insureds have a duty to cooperate; requiring an insured to take certain reasonable actions necessary to settle covered claims; providing requirements for disclosures by insureds; requiring insurers to provide certain notice to insureds within a specified timeframe; providing that insurers may terminate certain defenses under certain circumstances; providing construction; providing that a trier of fact may not attribute an insurer’s failure to settle certain claims to specified causes under certain circumstances; providing construction; specifying conditions precedent for claimants filing bad faith failure to settle third-party claim actions; providing that an insurer is entitled to a reasonable opportunity to investigate and evaluate claims under certain circumstances; providing construction; providing that insurers may not be held liable for the failure to accept a settlement offer within a certain timeframe if certain conditions are met; providing that an insurer is not required to automatically tender policy limits within a certain timeframe in every case; requiring the party bringing a bad faith failure to settle action to prove every element by the greater weight of the evidence; specifying burdens of proof for insurers relying on specified defenses; limiting damages under certain circumstances; providing construction; amending s. 626.9541, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; revising certain prohibited acts related to specified insurance coverage payment requirements; amending s. 626.989, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “fraudulent insurance act”; amending s. 627.06501, F.S.; revising coverages that may provide for a reduction in motor vehicle insurance policy premium charges under certain circumstances; amending s. 627.0651, F.S.; specifying requirements for rate filings for motor vehicle liability policies that implement requirements in effect on a specified date; requiring such filings to be approved through a certain process; amending s. 627.0652, F.S.; revising coverages that must provide a premium charge reduction under certain circumstances; amending s. 627.0653, F.S.; revising coverages that are subject to premium discounts for specified motor vehicle equipment; amending s. 627.4132, F.S.; revising coverages that are subject to a stacking prohibition; amending s. 627.4137, F.S.; requiring that insurers disclose certain information at the request of a claimant’s attorney; authorizing a claimant to file an action under certain circumstances; providing for the award of reasonable attorney fees and costs under certain circumstances; amending s. 627.7263, F.S.; revising coverages that are deemed primary, except under certain circumstances, for the lessor of a motor vehicle for lease or rent; revising a notice that is required if the lessee’s coverage is to be primary; creating s. 627.7265, F.S.; specifying persons whom medical payments coverage must protect; specifying the minimum medical expense limits; specifying coverage options that an insurer is required and authorized to offer; providing construction relating to limits on certain other coverages; requiring insurers, upon receiving certain notice of an accident, to hold a specified reserve for certain purposes for a certain timeframe; providing that the reserve requirement does not require insurers to establish a claim reserve for accounting purposes; prohibiting an insurer providing medical payments coverage benefits from seeking a lien on a certain recovery and bringing a certain cause of action; authorizing insurers to include policy provisions allowing for subrogation, under certain circumstances, for medical payments benefits paid; providing construction; specifying a requirement for an insured for repayment of medical payments benefits under certain circumstances; prohibiting insurers from including policy provisions allowing for subrogation for death benefits paid; amending s. 627.727, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising the legal liability of an uninsured motorist coverage insurer; amending s. 627.7275, F.S.; revising required coverages for a motor vehicle insurance policy; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 627.72761, F.S.; requiring motor vehicle insurance policies to provide death benefits; specifying requirements for such benefits; specifying persons to whom such benefits may and may not be paid; creating s. 627.7278, F.S.; defining the term “minimum security requirements”; providing a prohibition, require-

ments, applicability, and construction relating to motor vehicle insurance policies as of a certain date; requiring insurers to allow certain insureds to make certain coverage changes, subject to certain conditions; requiring an insurer to provide, by a specified date, a specified notice to policyholders relating to requirements under the act; amending s. 627.728, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.7295, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms “policy” and “binder”; revising the coverages of a motor vehicle insurance policy for which a licensed general lines agent may charge a specified fee; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.7415, F.S.; revising additional liability insurance requirements for commercial motor vehicles; amending s. 627.747, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.748, F.S.; revising insurance requirements for transportation network company drivers; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; conforming cross-references; amending s. 627.7483, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; conforming cross-references; amending s. 627.749, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.8405, F.S.; revising coverages in a policy sold in combination with an accidental death and dismemberment policy which a premium finance company may not finance; revising rulemaking authority of the Financial Services Commission; amending ss. 627.915, 628.909, 705.184, and 713.78, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 768.852, F.S.; providing for a setoff on certain damages that may be recovered by a person operating certain motor vehicles who is not in compliance with financial responsibility laws; providing exceptions; amending s. 817.234, F.S.; revising coverages that are the basis of specified prohibited false and fraudulent insurance claims; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; deleting provisions relating to prohibited changes in certain mental or physical reports; providing an appropriation; providing effective dates.

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

Senate Bills 152-1310—Previously introduced.

By Senator Albritton—

SB 1312—A bill to be entitled An act relating to unlawful activities under the Uniform Commercial Code-Sales; creating s. 672.617, F.S.; defining the terms “business relationship” and “person”; specifying that it is unlawful for a person to cause a breach or violation of, or the refusal or failure to perform, a lawful contract or intentionally and unjustly interfere with or disrupt a business relationship; authorizing an injured person to bring a civil cause of action; authorizing injunctive relief and specified damages; prohibiting causes of actions from being brought for specified contracts; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hooper—

SB 1314—A bill to be entitled An act relating to State Board of Administration alternative investments; amending s. 215.47, F.S.; increasing the percentage of certain funds the State Board of Administration may invest in alternative investments; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hooper—

SB 1316—A bill to be entitled An act relating to resale of tickets; amending s. 817.36, F.S.; providing that certain tickets may be sold as nontransferable tickets only under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; defining the term “nontransferable ticket”; prohibiting the original ticket seller from taking certain actions against a person who purchases or resells a ticket; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hutson—

SB 1318—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public deposits; amending s. 17.68, F.S.; providing requirements for credit unions that are qualified public depositories; requiring the Department of Financial Services to provide its brochures to such credit unions upon request; amending s. 280.02, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 280.03, F.S.; providing that public deposits in credit unions by specified trust departments or trust companies are exempt from certain requirements and protection; creating s. 280.042, F.S.; prohibiting the Chief Financial Officer from designating credit unions as qualified public depositories unless certain requirements are met; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to withdraw from specified collateral agreements under certain circumstances; prohibiting credit unions from being designated as qualified public depositories if the Chief Financial Officer withdraws from specified collateral agreements; requiring specified credit unions to return all public deposits held by the credit unions within a specified timeframe under certain circumstances; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to send a certain notice to specified credit unions by regular or e-mail; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to limit the amount of public deposits in credit unions for a specified purpose; amending s. 280.05, F.S.; revising the losses for which the Chief Financial Officer may sell securities to protect the integrity of the public deposits program; amending s. 280.052, F.S.; providing requirements for the suspension or disqualification of credit unions as qualified public depositories; amending s. 280.053, F.S.; authorizing credit unions to be reinstated, or to reapply for qualification, as qualified public depositories under specified circumstances; amending s. 280.055, F.S.; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to issue a cease and desist order and a corrective order to credit unions upon certain determinations; providing an administrative penalty; amending s. 280.07, F.S.; specifying the losses against which certain solvent banks, savings banks, savings associations, and credit unions must guarantee public depositors; amending s. 280.08, F.S.; revising the Chief Financial Officer's procedures upon a default or insolvency of a qualified public depository; amending s. 280.085, F.S.; revising the exemptions to the notice to claimants upon a default or insolvency of a qualified public depository; amending s. 280.09, F.S.; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to segregate and separately account for certain proceeds, assessments, and administrative penalties; revising the payment of any losses to public depositors; amending s. 280.10, F.S.; revising the duties and responsibilities of qualified public depositories as a result of specified mergers, acquisitions, or consolidations; amending s. 280.13, F.S.; providing that the limits imposed on specified securities apply to qualified public depositories, rather than to banks and savings associations; amending s. 280.17, F.S.; revising the evidence that public depositors must submit when a qualified public depository is in default or insolvent; reenacting ss. 17.57(7)(a), 24.114(1), 125.901(3)(e), 136.01, 159.608(11), 175.301, 175.401(8), 185.30, 185.50(8), 190.007(3), 191.006(16), 215.34(2), 218.415(16)(c), (17)(c), and (23)(a), 255.502(4)(h), 280.17(1)(a), 331.309(1) and (2), 373.553(2), 631.221, and 723.06115(3)(c), F.S., relating to deposits and investments of state money; bank deposits and control of lottery transactions; children's services and independent special districts; county depositories; powers of housing finance authorities; depositories for pension funds; retiree health insurance subsidies; depositories for retirement funds; retiree health insurance subsidies; boards of supervisors and general duties; general powers; state funds and noncollectible items; local government investment policies; definitions; requirements for public depositors, notice to public depositors and governmental units, and loss of protection; treasurers, depositories, and fiscal agents; treasurers of the board, payment of funds, and depositories; deposits of moneys collected; and the Florida Mobile Home Relocation Trust Fund, respectively, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 280.02, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1320—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the fair repair of agricultural equipment; providing a short title; creating s. 686.35, F.S.;

defining terms; requiring original equipment manufacturers of agricultural equipment to make certain manufacturing, diagnostic, and repair information available to independent repair providers and owners; prohibiting the original equipment manufacturers from excluding certain information concerning security-related functions; providing construction and applicability; providing civil liability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1322—A bill to be entitled An act relating to court records of eviction proceedings; creating s. 83.626, F.S.; authorizing tenants and mobile home owners who are defendants in certain eviction proceedings to file a motion with the court to have the records of such proceedings sealed and to have their names substituted on the progress docket under certain conditions; specifying that tenants and mobile home owners are entitled to such relief only once; requiring tenants and mobile home owners seeking such relief to serve a copy of the motion on parties to the proceeding and file a specified affidavit with the court; requiring the court to grant such motions if certain requirements are met; specifying that tenants and mobile home owners are entitled to have their name on the progress docket substituted under certain circumstances; prohibiting the court from charging certain fees; providing retroactive applicability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1324—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nursing home financial reporting; amending s. 408.061, F.S.; specifying that the audited actual experience of a nursing home or its home office is the actual financial experience for purposes of annual financial reporting to the Agency for Health Care Administration; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1326—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Comprehensive Review Study of the Central and Southern Florida Project; amending s. 373.1501, F.S.; requiring the South Florida Water Management District to prepare and submit a consolidated annual report regarding the status of the project to the Office of Economic and Demographic Research, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Governor, and the Legislature by a specified date; providing report requirements; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1328—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motorcycle specialty license plates; creating s. 320.0878, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to create a Blue Angels motorcycle specialty license plate; providing issuance requirements for the plate; providing for distribution and use of annual use fees received from the sale of the plate; providing for transfer of the plate to a replacement vehicle under certain circumstances; providing design requirements for the plate; authorizing the department to issue personalized prestige plates in accordance with certain provisions; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1330—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motorcycle specialty license plate taxes and fees; creating s. 320.08781, F.S.; establishing taxes and fees for a certain motorcycle specialty license plate; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1332—A bill to be entitled An act relating to temporary underground residential electric service; creating s. 366.98, F.S.; prohibiting local governmental entities from prohibiting electric utilities from using temporary underground residential services under certain conditions; authorizing electric utilities to install permanent electric service to the meter socket until a certificate of occupancy is obtained; defining the term “temporary underground residential service”; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1334—A bill to be entitled An act relating to representation by counsel in hearings on petitions for risk protection orders; amending s. 790.401, F.S.; authorizing a respondent to be represented by counsel in such a hearing; requiring the appointment of counsel for an indigent respondent; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Boyd—

SB 1336—A bill to be entitled An act relating to United States-produced iron and steel in public works projects; creating s. 255.0993, F.S.; defining terms; requiring governmental entities to include a requirement in certain contracts that certain iron or steel products be produced in the United States; providing exceptions; providing construction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SB 1338—A bill to be entitled An act relating to floating solar facilities; creating s. 163.32051, F.S.; providing legislative findings regarding floating solar facilities; defining the term “floating solar facility”; providing that a floating solar facility must be a permitted use in appropriate land use categories in each local government’s comprehensive plan; requiring each local government to amend its development regulations to promote the expanded use of floating solar facilities; authorizing a county to specify certain buffer and landscaping requirements for floating solar facilities; providing exceptions to the construction of floating solar facilities; requiring the Office of Energy within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to submit specified recommendations to the Legislature to provide a regulatory framework relating to floating solar facilities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SJR 1340—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article VII and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to authorize the Legislature, by general law, to provide for

the use of revenue from school district levies for the educational benefit of students who are not attending full time a school or program operated by the district school board, and to provide an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SB 1342—A bill to be entitled An act relating to civil actions for deprivation of rights, privileges, or immunities; creating s. 760.52, F.S.; providing a cause of action for the deprivation of certain rights, privileges, or immunities under the State Constitution; prohibiting injunctive relief under certain circumstances; providing that the plaintiff is considered the prevailing party under certain circumstances; providing for damages and reasonable attorney fees and costs, including contingency fees and expert witness fees; providing that interest accrues on a judgement beginning on a certain date; providing a waiver of sovereign immunity under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1344—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the federal drug pricing program; creating s. 627.4216, F.S.; defining the terms “340B entity” and “health insurer”; prohibiting health insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, or third parties from reimbursing 340B entities at certain rates or imposing specified adjustments, exclusions, or claim requirements upon such entities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1346—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicles; amending s. 319.23, F.S.; providing that motor vehicle dealers or mobile home dealers should apply for, rather than are required to obtain, certificates of title in the name of purchasers; providing that certain applications relating to transfers of motor vehicles or mobile homes should, rather than must, be filed within a certain timeframe; revising a condition under which the timeframe begins; deleting an authorization for certain penalties; amending s. 320.131, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 320.27, F.S.; revising grounds on which the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles may deny, suspend, or revoke a motor vehicle dealer license; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SB 1348—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational choice scholarships; amending s. 1002.394, F.S.; revising eligibility for the Family Empowerment Scholarship Program; deleting a requirement that the Department of Education cross-check before each distribution of funds the list of participating scholarship students with the public school enrollment lists; conforming a cross-reference; deleting limits on the number of students receiving scholarships; deleting a requirement that the department verify that a student is not prohibited from receiving a scholarship; deleting a requirement that a nonprofit scholarship-funding organization verify certain information before payments are made; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1002.395, F.S.; conforming cross-references; deleting a requirement that the department cross-check the list of participating Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program students with the public school enrollment lists to avoid duplication; deleting a requirement that a nonprofit scholarship-funding organization obtain verification from the private school of a student’s continued attendance at the school for each period covered by a scholarship payment; amending s. 1002.40, F.S.; deleting a requirement that the department cross-check the list of participating

Hope Scholarship Program students with the public school enrollment lists to avoid duplication; deleting a requirement that a nonprofit scholarship-funding organization obtain verification from the private school of a student's continued attendance at the school for each period covered by a scholarship payment; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SB 1350—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; creating s. 395.3027, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain confidential information held by in-hospital medical staff committees of public hospitals; providing an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of meetings held by such medical staff committees during which such confidential information is discussed; requiring the recording and transcription of exempt portions of such meetings; providing an exemption from public records requirements for such recordings and transcripts; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brodeur—

SB 1352—A bill to be entitled An act relating to limitations on political contributions; amending s. 106.08, F.S.; defining the term “foreign national”; providing that a foreign national may not make or offer to make certain contributions or expenditures; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1354—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary supplier diversity expenditure data; creating ss. 1004.281 and 1004.735, F.S.; requiring each state university and Florida College System institution to report supplier diversity expenditure data on their website; requiring each state university and Florida College System institution to submit such data to the Office of Supplier Diversity of the Department of Management Services; requiring the department to post such data on its website; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1356—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a military service option for certain criminal offenders; creating s. 921.00242, F.S.; providing that certain criminal offenders may enlist in the military in lieu of incarceration under certain circumstances; specifying requirements for the offender's military service; providing for resentencing if requirements are not met; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1358—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Task Force on the Monitoring of Children in Out-of-Home Care; creating s. 39.4093, F.S.; creating the task force adjunct to the Department of Law Enforcement; requiring the department to provide certain services; specifying the purpose of the task force; specifying the composition of the task force; providing requirements for member appointments, election of a chair, and meetings; specifying duties of the task force; requiring the Florida Institute for Child Welfare to conduct certain focus groups and submit its findings to the task force by a specified date; requiring the Depart-

ment of Children and Families to submit certain monthly reports to the task force through a specified date; requiring the task force to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; providing for future repeal; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1360—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Governor's Medal of Freedom; amending s. 14.35, F.S.; abrogating the repeal of provisions authorizing the Governor to present the Governor's Medal of Freedom to certain persons; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1362—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fines levied by a homeowners' association; amending s. 720.305, F.S.; providing that a fine levied against a member or the tenants, guests, or invitees of a member may not become a lien against a parcel; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1364—A bill to be entitled An act relating to levying of fines by homeowners' associations; amending s. 720.305, F.S.; removing the authority of a homeowners' association to levy fines; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 720.306 and 720.311, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1366—A bill to be entitled An act relating to anesthesiologist assistants; amending ss. 458.3475 and 459.023, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms “anesthesiologist” and “direct supervision”; revising requirements for the written protocol between an anesthesiologist assistant and a supervising anesthesiologist; revising provisions related to duties and functions anesthesiologist assistants may perform; providing that a certain applicant for clinical hospital privileges may not be denied such privileges if the applicant's supervising anesthesiologist is a staff member in good standing at that hospital, with an exception; revising licensure requirements for anesthesiologist assistants; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1368—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trusts; amending s. 689.225, F.S.; revising criteria for application of the rule against perpetuities to trusts created on or after a specified date; amending s. 736.0105, F.S.; specifying that the terms of a trust do not prevail over a trustee's duty to account to qualified beneficiaries upon termination of the trust; providing construction; amending s. 736.0109, F.S.; clarifying circumstances under which notice, or the sending of a document, to a person under the Florida Trust Code is deemed satisfied; amending s. 736.0303, F.S.; specifying circumstances under which a parent may represent and bind the unborn descendants of his or her unborn child or the minor or unborn descendants of his or her minor child; amending s. 736.0409, F.S.; revising the timeframe for which certain noncharitable

trusts may be enforced; amending s. 736.08135, F.S.; providing an alternate procedure for trust accountings for trustees under certain circumstances; specifying requirements and applicability; amending s. 736.08145, F.S.; clarifying the application of law governing grantor trust reimbursement; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1370—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact; creating s. 490.0075, F.S.; creating the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact; providing purposes and objectives; defining terms; providing for recognition of psychologist licenses in compact states; authorizing a compact state to require licensure under certain circumstances; requiring compact states to meet certain criteria for psychologists to participate in the compact; requiring compact states to recognize the right of psychologists to practice telepsychology and practice temporarily in compact states under the compact; specifying criteria that a psychologist must satisfy to exercise the authority to practice interjurisdictional telepsychology in a receiving state or the temporary authorization to practice in a distant state under the compact; providing that, while authority over a psychologist's license remains with the home state, receiving states and distant states may define the scope of and act on a psychologist's authority to practice in the compact state under the compact; requiring a psychologist's e-passport or interjurisdictional practice certificate, as applicable, and right to practice under the compact to be revoked under certain circumstances; specifying conditions for the practice of telepsychology in receiving states; providing for adverse actions against psychologists under the compact; requiring compact states to report adverse actions they take against psychologists to the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission; authorizing the psychology regulatory authorities of compact states to take specified actions; prohibiting psychologists from changing their home state licensure under the compact during a disciplinary investigation; providing requirements for changing home state licensure after the investigation is complete; providing for the confidential exchange of certain information between compact states under certain circumstances; requiring the commission to develop and maintain a coordinated licensure information system; requiring compact states to submit specified information to the system; requiring the coordinated database administrator to notify compact states of specified information submitted to the system; authorizing compact states to designate reported information as exempt from public disclosure; providing for the removal of submitted information from the system under certain circumstances; establishing the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission; providing for the jurisdiction and venue for court proceedings by or against the commission; providing construction; providing for commission membership, voting, and meetings; requiring the commission to prescribe bylaws; specifying powers of the commission; providing for membership and duties of the executive board of the commission; providing for financing; providing for qualified immunity, defense, and indemnification; providing for rulemaking; providing for state enforcement of the compact; providing for the default and termination of compact membership; providing for appeals and costs; providing procedures for the resolution of certain disputes; providing for enforcement against a defaulting state; providing for implementation and administration of the compact; providing that compact states that join after initial adoption of the commission's rules are subject to such rules; specifying procedures for compact states to withdraw from the compact; providing construction; providing for amendment of the compact; providing construction and severability; amending s. 456.073, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to report certain investigative information to the coordinated licensure information system; amending s. 456.076, F.S.; requiring monitoring contracts for impaired practitioners participating in treatment programs to contain specified terms; amending s. 490.004, F.S.; requiring the Board of Psychology to appoint an individual to serve as the state's commissioner on the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission; amending s. 490.005, F.S.; exempting certain persons from licensure requirements; amending s. 490.006, F.S.; exempting certain persons from requirements for licensure by endorsement; amending s. 490.009, F.S.; authorizing certain disciplinary action under the compact for certain prohibited acts; amending s. 768.28, F.S.; designating the state commissioner and other members or employees of the commission as state

agents for the purpose of applying sovereign immunity and waivers of sovereign immunity; requiring the commission to pay certain judgments or claims; authorizing the commission to maintain insurance coverage to pay such claims or judgments; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1372—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; creating s. 490.0076, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by the Department of Health or the Board of Psychology pursuant to the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact; authorizing disclosure of the information under certain circumstances; providing an exemption from public meeting requirements for certain meetings of the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission; providing an exemption from public records requirements for recordings, minutes, and records generated during the closed portion of such meetings; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1374—A bill to be entitled An act relating to clinical laboratory testing; amending s. 483.801, F.S.; exempting certain persons from clinical laboratory personnel licensure requirements under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1376—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Teachers Classroom Supply Assistance Program; amending s. 1012.71, F.S.; authorizing Florida Teachers Classroom Supply Assistance Program funds to be used to purchase certain classroom equipment and personal protective equipment; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Perry—

SB 1378—A bill to be entitled An act relating to terms and conditions of probation; amending s. 948.03, F.S.; authorizing remote reporting to probation officers in certain circumstances; deleting an order to remain in a specified place as a standard condition of probation; specifying that noncriminal moving violations are not considered probation violations; revising what may be considered association with persons engaged in criminal activities; providing requirements in order for a court to add additional terms and conditions of probation; creating s. 948.051, F.S.; providing definitions; providing for the award of probation credits by the Department of Corrections; specifying circumstances in which such credits may be awarded; providing for periodic accountings of such credits; providing for rulemaking; requiring a report; amending s. 948.04, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 948.09, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1380—A bill to be entitled An act relating to real property rights; amending s. 712.03, F.S.; revising rights that are not affected or ex-

tinguished by marketable record titles; amending s. 712.04, F.S.; revising the types of interests extinguished by marketable record titles; providing construction; amending s. 712.12, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “covenant or restriction”; creating s. 715.075, F.S.; authorizing owners or operators of private property used for motor vehicle parking to establish rules, rates, and fines governing private persons parking on the property; prohibiting counties and municipalities from enacting any ordinance or regulation attempting to restrict or prohibit the owner or operator from adopting such rules, rates, or fines; providing that any ordinance or regulation making such attempt is a violation of this act and is null and void; providing applicability; requiring persons with certain interests in land which may be extinguished by the act to file a specified notice to preserve such interests; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1382—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax administration; amending s. 72.011, F.S.; prohibiting taxpayers from submitting certain records in tax proceedings under certain circumstances; amending s. 120.80, F.S.; prohibiting taxpayers from submitting certain records in tax proceedings under certain circumstances; specifying procedures relating to challenges to certain agency statements; amending s. 201.02, F.S.; clarifying existing law relating to establishing consideration before the transfer of real property; requiring the Department of Revenue to adopt rules; amending s. 202.34, F.S.; authorizing the department to respond to contact initiated by taxpayers to discuss audits; authorizing taxpayers to provide records and other information to the department; authorizing the department to examine documentation and other information; providing construction; requiring taxpayers to object to premature audits within a certain timeframe; providing that a tolling period is considered lifted under certain circumstances; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 202.36, F.S.; creating a presumption regarding proposed final agency action by the department; authorizing the department to create estimates for purposes of assessment under certain circumstances; providing construction; amending ss. 206.14, 211.125, 212.14, and 220.735, F.S.; creating presumptions regarding proposed final agency action by the department; authorizing the department to create estimates for purposes of assessment under certain circumstances; amending s. 206.9931, F.S.; deleting obsolete language; amending s. 212.05, F.S.; clarifying conditions for application of an exemption for sales taxes for certain nonresident purchasers of boats or aircraft; revising requirements for an affidavit; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; deleting a tax exemption for building materials used in the rehabilitation of real property located in an enterprise zone; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 212.13, F.S.; requiring certain dealers to maintain specified records; providing construction; requiring the department to notify the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation and dealers upon dealers’ failure to comply with department requests for records; authorizing the department to suspend resale certificates issued to dealers under certain circumstances; authorizing dealers to apply for administrative hearings under certain circumstances; authorizing the department to respond to contact initiated by taxpayers to discuss audits; authorizing taxpayers to provide records and other information; authorizing the department to examine documentation and other information; providing construction; requiring taxpayers to object to premature audits within a certain timeframe; providing that a tolling period is considered lifted under certain circumstances; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 213.051, F.S.; authorizing the department to serve subpoenas on businesses registered with the department; providing construction; amending s. 213.06, F.S.; revising the period in which, and conditions under which, the executive director of the department may adopt emergency rules; providing for an exemption from the Administrative Procedure Act for any such emergency rules; specifying conditions regarding the effectiveness and the renewal of emergency rules; providing construction; amending s. 213.21, F.S.; providing for tolling of the statute of limitations upon the issuance of assessments, rather than final assessments; authorizing a taxpayer’s liability to be settled or compromised under certain circumstances; creating a rebuttable presumption; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; specifying the conditions for the department to consider requests to settle or compro-

mise any tax, interest, penalty, or other liability; providing construction; amending s. 213.34, F.S.; revising audit procedures of the department; authorizing the department to adopt rules; requiring the department to refund any overpayments; amending s. 213.345, F.S.; specifying conditions under which a period is tolled during an audit; providing construction; amending s. 213.67, F.S.; authorizing the executive director of the department or his or her designee to include additional daily accrued interest, costs, and fees in a garnishment levy notice; revising methods for delivery of levy notices; amending s. 220.42, F.S.; deleting obsolete language; amending s. 443.131, F.S.; excluding certain benefit charges from the employer reemployment assistance contribution rate calculation; amending s. 443.171, F.S.; requiring the department and its tax collection service provider to comply with requirements of the federal Treasury Offset Program; authorizing the department or the tax collection service provider to adopt rules; amending s. 624.515, F.S.; requiring the department to make available percentages of fire insurance; specifying requirements for insurers choosing not to use percentages of fire insurance calculated by the department; amending ss. 220.183, 288.0001, 290.0056, 290.007, 377.809, 624.5105, and 1011.94, F.S.; conforming provisions and cross-references to changes made by the act; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SB 1384—A bill to be entitled An act relating to late or delinquent medical account reporting; providing a short title; creating s. 501.0081, F.S.; requiring consumer reporting agencies to provide a specified grace period before reporting late or delinquent medical accounts; prohibiting consumer reporting agencies from including late or delinquent medical accounts in consumer credit score calculations for a certain period after such accounts are reported; providing penalties; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SB 1386—A bill to be entitled An act relating to background screenings for school personnel; amending s. 1012.32, F.S.; requiring each employing entity that employs instructional and noninstructional personnel who have direct contact with students to submit certain individuals’ fingerprints to the Department of Law Enforcement; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing that an employing entity has the sole authority for determining the employment eligibility of certain personnel; providing an exception; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to report the results from background screenings to the employing entity; defining the term “employing entity”; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1388—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parental leave; amending s. 110.121, F.S.; requiring, rather than authorizing, certain departments or agencies of the state to adopt rules to establish a plan for a sick leave pool; providing that eligible employees may use a sick leave pool for parental leave; providing for priority of application in case of conflict; defining the term “parental leave”; providing requirements for parental leave; providing the amount of parental leave authorized; providing requirements for use of leave after exhaustion of maximum parental leave hours; providing that parental leave runs concurrently with the Family Medical Leave Act; making technical and conforming changes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1390—A bill to be entitled An act relating to release of adoption information; amending s. 63.162, F.S.; revising requirements related to the disclosure of certain adoption-related records without a court order; deleting the ability for certain adoption-related records to be disclosed without a court order; deleting a required fee for certain services and expenses; amending s. 382.015, F.S.; authorizing a court to break the seal of specified birth records upon the request of the person whose birth is the subject of such records under certain circumstances; amending s. 63.085, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1392—A bill to be entitled An act relating to patient identification and health care decisions; creating s. 395.1013, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Law Enforcement and other law enforcement agencies to assist hospitals in identifying otherwise unidentifiable patients; requiring such agencies to provide the hospital with specified information, upon a hospital's request; amending s. 765.401, F.S.; authorizing certain clinical social workers to make specified health care decisions and applications for public and private benefits for the continued care of certain patients; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1394—A bill to be entitled An act relating to toxic mold protections; providing a short title; creating s. 83.252, F.S.; requiring commercial and industrial real property landlords to provide certain written disclosures to tenants under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such disclosure; providing an exception; providing that such landlords are not required to conduct certain tests of dwelling units or buildings; requiring tenants of commercial and industrial real property to provide certain written notice to landlords under certain circumstances; requiring tenants to make the property available to certain persons for assessment or remediation; providing requirements for landlords; providing applicability; creating s. 83.253, F.S.; requiring certain public entities to provide written disclosure to occupants and prospective tenants of buildings owned, leased, or operated by such public entities; providing requirements for such disclosure; providing an exception; creating s. 83.501, F.S.; requiring residential landlords to provide certain written disclosures to prospective and current tenants under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such disclosures; providing an exception; providing that such landlords are not required to conduct certain tests of dwelling units or buildings; providing construction; creating s. 381.0073, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 381.00731, F.S.; creating the Toxic Mold Protection Advisory Council adjunct to the Department of Health; providing a purpose; providing for membership, meetings, and duties of the advisory council; requiring the advisory council to submit a report to the State Surgeon General, Governor, and Legislature by a specified date; creating s. 381.00732, F.S.; requiring the department to develop and adopt, in consultation with the advisory council, permissible exposure limits to molds for indoor environments; requiring the department to consider certain criteria when developing and adopting such limits; authorizing the department to develop alternative permissible exposure limits to molds applicable to certain facilities; requiring the department to post a certain notice on its public website; providing requirements for such notice; authorizing the department to review and consider adopting by reference information prepared by or on behalf of certain authoritative bodies for a specified purpose; requiring the department to review the adopted permissible exposure limits to molds periodically and amend such limits under certain circumstances; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; requiring the department to adopt rules; creating s. 381.00733, F.S.; requiring the department to develop and adopt, in consultation with the advisory council, standards for assessing the health threat from exposure to molds in indoor environments; requiring the department to consider certain criteria when developing and adopting such standards; authorizing the department to develop alternative mold assessment

standards applicable to certain facilities; requiring the department to post a certain notice on its public website; providing requirements for such notice; authorizing the department to review and consider adopting by reference information prepared by or on behalf of certain authoritative bodies for a specified purpose; requiring the department to review the adopted mold assessment standards periodically and amend such standards under certain circumstances; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; requiring the department to adopt rules; creating s. 381.00734, F.S.; requiring the department to develop and adopt, in consultation with the advisory council, guidelines for identifying molds in indoor environments; providing requirements for such guidelines; requiring the department to consider certain criteria when developing and adopting such guidelines; prohibiting the department from requiring a commercial and industrial real property landlord, residential landlord, or public entity to conduct certain tests of dwelling units or buildings for a specified purpose; requiring the department to post a certain notice on its public website; providing requirements for such notice; authorizing the department to review and consider adopting by reference information prepared by or on behalf of certain authoritative bodies for a specified purpose; requiring the department to review the adopted mold identification guidelines periodically and amend the guidelines under certain circumstances; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; requiring the department to adopt rules; creating s. 381.00735, F.S.; requiring the department to develop and adopt, in consultation with the advisory council, guidelines for remediating molds in indoor environments; providing requirements for such guidelines; requiring the department to consider certain criteria when developing and adopting such guidelines; prohibiting the department from requiring a commercial and industrial real property landlord, residential landlord, or public entity to conduct certain tests of dwelling units or buildings for a specified purpose; requiring the department, in consultation with the Florida Building Commission, to develop a reporting form for building inspections; requiring the department to post a certain notice on its public website; providing requirements for such notice; authorizing the department to review and consider adopting by reference information prepared by or on behalf of certain authoritative bodies for a specified purpose; requiring the department to review the adopted mold remediation guidelines periodically and amend such guidelines under certain circumstances; requiring the department to make specified information available to the public upon request and on its public website; requiring the department to develop and disseminate certain educational materials and resources; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; requiring the department to adopt rules; creating s. 381.00736, F.S.; providing for enforcement of the permissible exposure limits to molds, the mold assessment standards, and certain disclosure requirements; requiring the department, in consultation with the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, to develop forms for the required disclosures and establish penalties; prohibiting a penalty from being assessed against a residential landlord under certain circumstances; requiring the Department of Health to adopt rules; creating s. 689.302, F.S.; requiring a seller or transferor of commercial and industrial real property to provide a written disclosure to prospective buyers within a specified timeframe under certain circumstances; providing an exception; providing construction; providing that a transferor to a real estate contract or a listing or selling agent is not liable under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Cruz—

SB 1396—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Educational Dollars for Duty program; amending s. 250.10, F.S.; revising eligibility for the Educational Dollars for Duty program (EDD) to include members of the Florida National Guard who enroll in an accredited or licensed online degree program provided by a public or nonpublic post-secondary institution or technical center in this state or another state; conforming requirements for online courses included in the EDD; conforming requirements for adoption of tuition payment guidelines by the Adjutant General; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on

Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Berman—

SB 1398—A bill to be entitled An act relating to required instruction in the history of the Holocaust and the history of African Americans; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; requiring the Department of Education to prepare and offer standards and curriculum related to the history of African Americans; authorizing the department to seek input from certain entities for specified purposes; authorizing the department to seek input from or contract with specified entities to develop specified training and resources; creating s. 1003.4551, F.S.; requiring the department to annually verify that school districts, charter schools, and specified private schools implement certain instruction relating to the history of the Holocaust and the history of African Americans and providing requirements therefor; requiring district school superintendents, charter school principals, and private school directors or similar administrators to annually provide specified evidence to the department by a certain date; providing penalties for failure to provide such evidence; authorizing the State Board of Education to adopt rules; amending s. 1008.22, F.S.; requiring certain statewide, standardized assessments to include curricula content from the history of the Holocaust and the history of African Americans; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1400—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Land Acquisition Trust Fund; providing legislative findings; amending s. 375.041, F.S.; providing an annual appropriation to the Department of Environmental Protection to implement the Heartland Headwaters Protection and Sustainability Act; requiring the funds to be used and distributed for specified purposes; removing an obsolete provision; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1402—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic surplus lines insurance; amending s. 626.914, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “eligible surplus lines insurer”; defining the term “domestic surplus lines insurer”; creating s. 626.9182, F.S.; providing for the eligibility of domestic surplus lines insurers; subjecting and exempting surplus lines insurers and surplus lines policies from certain requirements; providing construction; reenacting ss. 458.320(1)(b) and (2)(b), 459.0085 (1)(b) and (2)(b), and 464.0123(2)(a), F.S., relating to financial responsibility for the practice of medicine, financial responsibility for the practice of osteopathic medicine, and autonomous practice by an advanced practice registered nurse, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 626.914, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1404—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school counselors; providing a short title; amending s. 1006.025, F.S.; requiring certified school counselors to provide services within the context of a program developed by the Department of Education using a specified framework; authorizing certified school counselors to deliver specified services; authorizing certified school counselors to perform additional duties required of all instructional personnel during the school year; authorizing certified school counselors to oversee classes only under certain circumstances; prohibiting certified school counselors from performing certain tasks; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Perry—

SB 1406—A bill to be entitled An act relating to delayed arraignment; amending s. 901.28, F.S.; defining the term “notice to appear”; requiring a law enforcement officer to issue a notice to appear when there are reasonable grounds to believe that a person is committing or has committed a misdemeanor offense or a violation of a municipal or county ordinance; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Perry—

SB 1408—A bill to be entitled An act relating to grandparent rights in dependency proceedings; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “party”; amending s. 39.509, F.S.; creating a presumption for granting a maternal or paternal grandparent or step-grandparent reasonable visitation of a dependent child under certain circumstances; providing a burden for overcoming such presumption; authorizing the maternal or paternal grandparent or stepgrandparent of a dependent child to file a motion to intervene in a dependency proceeding under certain circumstances; requiring the court to automatically grant standing in a dependency proceeding to the maternal or paternal grandparent or stepgrandparent under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1410—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop a Down Syndrome Awareness license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of the plate; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brodeur—

SJR 1412—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 3 of Article XI of the State Constitution to limit revisions or amendments of the State Constitution by citizen initiative to matters relating to procedural subjects or to the structure of the government or of the State Constitution.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1414—A bill to be entitled An act relating to driving over the speed limit; amending s. 316.192, F.S.; providing that any person who drives any vehicle at or above a specified speed commits reckless driving; amending s. 316.1926, F.S.; revising the threshold above the posted speed limit at which a person in violation of certain provisions must be cited for a moving violation; reenacting s. 318.14(13), F.S., relating to noncriminal traffic infractions, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 316.1926, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting ss. 318.17, 318.18(20), 322.0261(4)(a) and (b), 322.61(1), and 337.195(1), F.S., relating to offenses excepted, the amount of penalties, driver improvement courses, disqualification from operating a motor vehicle, and limits on liability, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 316.192, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1416—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mangrove replanting and restoration; amending s. 403.9324, F.S.; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to adopt rules for mangrove replanting and restoration; providing rule requirements; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Albritton—

SB 1418—A bill to be entitled An act relating to soil and groundwater contamination; creating s. 376.91, F.S.; defining terms; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to adopt rules for statewide cleanup target levels for perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances in soil and groundwater; prohibiting such rules from taking effect until ratified by the Legislature; providing that certain persons are not subject to administrative or judicial action under certain circumstances; providing that certain statutes of limitation are tolled from a specified date; providing construction; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to conduct a specified analysis of certain assessment and cleanup programs and submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1420—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current and former county attorneys, assistant county attorneys, city attorneys, and assistant city attorneys, and the names and personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such attorneys; providing applicability; providing for retroactive application; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Perry—

SB 1422—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Florida Kidcare program eligibility; amending s. 409.8132, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.814, F.S.; increasing the income eligibility threshold for coverage under the Florida Kidcare program; requiring an applicant seeking coverage under the program to provide certain documentation if eligibility cannot be verified using reliable data sources; amending s. 409.816, F.S.; requiring that premiums for certain enrollees under the program be based on a tiered system of uniform premiums; amending s. 624.91, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1424—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited practices when collecting consumer debts; amending s. 559.72, F.S.; prohibiting persons from contacting debtors when collecting a consumer debt if the debt arises from specified circumstances relating to domestic abuse, elder abuse, human trafficking, identify theft, exploitation of a vulnerable adult, or sexual abuse and certain requirements are met; providing applicability; reenacting ss. 559.565(2), 559.725(2), 559.77(1) and

(2), and 648.44(1)(o), F.S., relating to enforcement actions against out-of-state consumer debt collectors, consumer complaints, civil remedies relating to debt collection, and prohibitions relating to bail bond agents, respectively, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 559.72, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1426—A bill to be entitled An act relating to water quality enhancement areas; creating s. 373.4134, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; defining terms; providing for water quality enhancement areas, enhancement service areas, and enhancement credits; providing requirements for water quality enhancement area permits, enhancement service areas, and enhancement credits; directing the Department of Environmental Protection and water management districts to authorize the sale and use of enhancement credits to offset certain adverse water quality impacts and to meet certain water quality requirements; providing construction; directing the department to maintain enhancement credit ledgers and adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hutson—

SB 1428—A bill to be entitled An act relating to intercollegiate athlete compensation and rights; amending s. 1006.74, F.S.; defining the term “mark”; deleting a requirement that compensation to an intercollegiate athlete be provided by certain third parties; authorizing certain entities and persons to cause compensation to be directed to a current intercollegiate athlete; prohibiting entities and persons who provide specified services to a postsecondary educational institution from causing compensation to be directed to a current or prospective intercollegiate athlete; prohibiting an intercollegiate athlete from entering into a compensation contract that conflicts with her or his athletic program or postsecondary educational institution, rather than team, contract; prohibiting certain parties from using a postsecondary educational institution’s mark without written consent of the institution or its designee; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1430—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insolvent insurers; amending s. 627.072, F.S.; providing required factors to be used in the determination and fixing of rates for premiums paid to insolvent insurers for specified coverages; amending s. 631.57, F.S.; authorizing insurers remitting assessments to the Florida Insurance Guaranty Association, Incorporated, to elect not to recoup advances; revising a requirement for information regarding assessment percentages which must be specified by the Office of Insurance Regulation in orders levying assessments; authorizing the association to request that orders levying assessments issued by the office authorize a certain installment frequency for the remittance of advance payments by insurers; revising the requirement that certain insurers make payments, rather than initial payments, on a certain basis; revising insurer reconciliation reporting requirements; providing reconciliation requirements for surcharges collected from policyholders; requiring insurers to treat the failure of an insured to pay a surcharge, rather than a recoupment charge, as a failure to pay the premium; revising construction; amending s. 631.914, F.S.; revising provisions relating to insurers’ collection of surcharges and payments of assessments to the Florida Workers’ Compensation Insurance Guaranty Association, Incorporated; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1432—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vessel anchoring; amending s. 253.0346, F.S.; providing tenancy and lease conditions for approved and permitted mooring and mooring fields in Monroe County; amending s. 327.4108, F.S.; requiring certain anchored vessels in Monroe County to be re-anchored in a new location that meets certain requirements according to a specified timeframe; requiring the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, in consultation with certain entities, to establish designated anchoring areas within the county by rule; providing requirements for the designated anchoring areas; providing an exception for certain domiciled vessels; removing provisions requiring the county to approve a specified number of moorings at specified locations; requiring certain vessels equipped with marine sanitation devices to maintain specified records of such devices; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1434—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public financing of potentially at-risk structures and infrastructure; amending s. 161.551, F.S.; defining and revising terms; providing that certain areas are at risk due to sea-level rise and structures and infrastructure within those areas are potentially at risk; providing an additional requirement for the standard for conducting a SLIP study; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1436—A bill to be entitled An act relating to training on human trafficking; amending s. 16.618, F.S.; deleting an obsolete provision; requiring the Florida Forensic Institute for Research, Security, and Tactics to develop specified training for firesafety inspectors; providing that such training is eligible for continuing education credits; amending s. 409.175, F.S.; requiring foster parents and agency staff to complete preservice and inservice training related to human trafficking; reenacting s. 63.092(3)(e), F.S., relating to reports to the court of intended placement by an adoption entity, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 409.175, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1438—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida's Potential Grant Program; creating s. 445.11, F.S.; establishing the Florida's Potential Grant Program within the Department of Education; providing purposes for the program; authorizing Florida College System institutions to apply to the department to receive a grant under the program for certain purposes; authorizing the department to award grants to applicants; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to partner with each institution receiving a grant under the program to provide specified insight; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

SCR 1440—Previously introduced.

By Senator Jones—

SB 1442—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Medical Education Reimbursement and Loan Repayment Program; amending s.

1009.65, F.S.; revising the purpose of the program; expanding eligibility criteria for the program to include certain practice areas; requiring practitioners to provide specified proof of eligibility to receive payments under the program; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brodeur—

SB 1444—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dental care services; amending s. 409.906, F.S.; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to provide Medicaid reimbursements for dental services provided by a mobile dental unit owned by, operated by, or having a contractual agreement with a health access setting or a similar setting or program under certain circumstances; authorizing the agency to reimburse a licensed dental hygienist for certain remediable tasks; amending s. 466.007, F.S.; deleting the requirement that applicants for dental hygienist licensure demonstrate specified skills on a live patient; amending s. 466.023, F.S.; revising specified tasks that may be delegated only to a licensed dental hygienist; amending s. 466.024, F.S.; revising specified remediable tasks licensed dental hygienists may perform in health access settings without the physical presence, prior examination, or authorization of a dentist; deleting a requirement that a licensed dentist or physician provide medical clearance before a licensed dental hygienist may perform certain tasks on a patient; deleting a requirement that a licensed dentist perform a dental examination of the patient within a specified timeframe after a dental hygienist performs such tasks; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1446—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community-based care lead agency funding; amending s. 409.991, F.S.; providing and revising definitions; revising provisions relating to the allocation of funding for community-based care lead agencies; requiring that certain factors be considered in allocating core services funds to community-based care lead agencies; providing for the calculation of such allocation of core services funds; requiring the Department of Children and Families to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ausley—

SB 1448—A bill to be entitled An act relating to licensure for tree care services; providing directives to the Division of Law Revision; creating s. 468.851, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 468.8511, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; creating s. 468.8512, F.S.; exempting certain individuals, entities, and activities from certain requirements; creating s. 468.8513, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 468.8514, F.S.; establishing the Florida Board of Tree Experts within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing for the membership, appointment, and duties of the board; creating s. 468.8515, F.S.; requiring the board to develop or designate a licensure examination for licensed Florida arborists; providing for the administration of the examination; authorizing an applicant to retake the exam, as necessary, after a specified timeframe; creating s. 468.8516, F.S.; providing requirements for licensure as a licensed Florida arborist and a licensed tree care practitioner; authorizing certain individuals licensed by the International Society of Arboriculture to receive a Florida license within a specified timeframe after the initial adoption of rules by the board; requiring the board to renew licenses biennially; providing a process for license renewal; creating s. 468.8517, F.S.; providing requirements for licensure applications; prohibiting the board from issuing licenses in the name of certain business organizations; requiring the board to maintain certain records regarding licensure applicants and licensees; authorizing the board to issue licenses to out-of-state individuals who have a substantially equivalent license or certification; providing that the board's decision on an applicant's qualifications for

examination constitutes final agency action; creating s. 468.8518, F.S.; requiring licensees to meet certain continuing education requirements; authorizing the board to waive the requirements for good cause; requiring the board to accept certain education courses for continuing education credit; creating s. 468.8519, F.S.; requiring licensees to comply with applicable laws and rules and to protect the safety, health, property, and welfare of the public; prohibiting individuals from presenting themselves as licensees or using a license designation without being so licensed by the board; creating s. 468.852, F.S.; providing grounds for the board to suspend, revoke, or refuse to issue or renew a license or admit a person to a licensing examination; requiring notice and a hearing before the board takes any such action; requiring the board to provide such notice at least a specified number of days before the hearing and to render its judgment within a specified number of days after the hearing; providing fines for a first violation and graduated fines for a second and subsequent violation; providing that each day a violation continues constitutes an additional, separate, and distinct offense; creating s. 468.8521, F.S.; requiring a business engaged in tree care services to biennially register with the board by providing the board with certain information; requiring each tree care business to provide specified instruction and training for its employees after rules are adopted by the board; creating s. 468.8522, F.S.; providing grounds for the board to suspend or revoke a business's registration; requiring notice and a hearing before the board takes any such action; requiring the board to provide such notice at least a specified number of days before the hearing and to render its judgment within a specified number of days after the hearing; creating s. 468.8523, F.S.; requiring licensees and businesses to cooperate with any department or board investigation; providing for a court proceeding for a violation; authorizing the board or department to require certain individuals to provide a written statement under oath under certain circumstances; creating s. 468.8524, F.S.; authorizing individuals to appeal an order or a finding by the board or Commissioner of Agriculture; creating s. 468.8525, F.S.; authorizing the commissioner or his or her designee to temporarily waive licensure requirements if a state of emergency has been declared in response to a hurricane, tropical storm, or other act of God; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1450—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Healthy Food Financing Initiative program; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 500.81, F.S.; redefining the term “underserved community”; revising requirements for the administration of and participation in the Healthy Food Financing Initiative program; providing program eligibility requirements for nonprofit organizations and revising eligibility requirements for community development financial institutions; revising requirements for program applicants and projects; revising the purposes for which project funding may be used; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to review the program and collected data and provide the Legislature with a specified report; specifying that program funding is subject to and provided from certain appropriations; deleting a prohibition limiting the amount the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services may distribute among program recipients; amending ss. 595.401, 595.402, 595.404, 595.408, and 595.501, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Book—

SB 1452—A bill to be entitled An act relating to funding for sheriffs providing child protective investigative services; amending s. 39.3065, F.S.; authorizing sheriffs who provide child protective investigative services to carry forward a certain percentage of unexpended state funds each fiscal year; requiring certain funds to be returned to the Department of Children and Families; prohibiting funds carried forward from being used in certain ways; requiring that certain ex-

penditures be reported to the department; authorizing unexpended funds to be retained through contract or grant agreement renewals under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ausley—

SB 1454—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Office of the Blue Economy; amending s. 20.60, F.S.; establishing the office within the Department of Economic Opportunity; creating s. 288.93, F.S.; defining the term “blue economy”; providing duties of the office; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 403.928, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 403.9303, F.S.; requiring the Office of Economic and Demographic Research to conduct a biennial evaluation of the blue economy for inclusion in a certain assessment; providing requirements for the evaluation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1456—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state group insurance program; ratifying specified rules relating to health maintenance organization plans regions established by rule by the Department of Management Services for the sole and exclusive purpose of satisfying any condition on effectiveness pursuant to s. 110.123(3)(h) 2.d., F.S., which requires ratification of the rules in order for them to take effect; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1458—A bill to be entitled An act relating to employee organizations; amending s. 447.301, F.S.; requiring employee organizations to provide a notice of employees' rights form to specified employees; requiring that such form include a specified statement; requiring an employee organization to revoke an employee's membership upon receipt of the employee's written request for revocation; prohibiting an employee organization from requiring an employee to state a reason for the revocation; providing nonapplicability with respect to certain employee organizations; amending s. 447.303, F.S.; prohibiting certain employee organizations from having dues and uniform assessments deducted by the employer from certain employees' salaries; providing an exception; authorizing public employees to pay their dues and uniform assessments directly to the employee organization; amending s. 447.305, F.S.; revising requirements for applications for renewal of registration of an employee organization; specifying that an incomplete application is not eligible for consideration by the Public Employees Relations Commission; providing requirements and procedures for incomplete applications; requiring certain employee organizations to petition the commission for recertification as a bargaining agent; authorizing a public employer or a bargaining unit employee to challenge an employee organization's application for renewal of registration; requiring the commission or its designated agent to review the application; requiring the commission to revoke the registration and certification under certain circumstances; providing nonapplicability with respect to certain employee organizations; amending s. 1012.2315, F.S.; revising requirements for applications for renewals of registration for employee organizations certified as bargaining agents for units of instructional personnel; requiring the commission to conduct investigations and hold hearings under certain circumstances; authorizing certain representatives to participate in the commission's hearings; requiring the commission to immediately revoke an employee organization's certification as a bargaining agent if a specified determination is made; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; reenacting s. 110.114(3), F.S., relating to employee wage deductions, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 447.303, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing severability; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1460—A bill to be entitled An act relating to informed consent for mammograms; creating s. 381.934, F.S.; requiring certain facilities to provide each patient with an informed consent form before performing a mammogram; requiring the form to be signed by the patient; requiring facilities to notify patients of the form at a specified time; requiring facilities to post the form on their websites; providing requirements for the form; requiring the Department of Health to develop the form; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1462—A bill to be entitled An act relating to withholding funds from the return of cash bonds; amending s. 903.286, F.S.; requiring a clerk of the court to withhold from the return of a cash bond posted by a criminal defendant on his or her own behalf, rather than to withhold from the return of a cash bond posted on behalf of the criminal defendant by a person other than a bail bond agent, sufficient funds to pay specified unpaid costs, fees, and penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1464—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cultural and historical grant programs; amending s. 265.701, F.S.; requiring the annual appropriation of a specified amount to the Division of Arts and Culture to fund grants to acquire, renovate, or construct cultural facilities; amending s. 267.0617, F.S.; requiring an annual appropriation of a specified amount to the Historical Preservation Grant Program to fund grants to assist with the preservation of historic properties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1466—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aerospace commerce; creating s. 315.032, F.S.; exempting certain spaceport users from certain fees or charges while transporting a space vehicle or certain equipment; providing for expiration of the exemption; amending s. 331.303, F.S.; defining the term “space vehicle”; creating s. 331.3545, F.S.; providing a short title; creating the Zero G, Zero Fee program for the purpose of granting certain tax exemptions to spaceport users; requiring Space Florida to adopt rules determining application and eligibility requirements; exempting spaceflight vehicles and certain components from any state tax or fee; providing for expiration; amending s. 338.155, F.S.; exempting certain spaceport users from payment of tolls on toll facilities while transporting a space vehicle or certain equipment; providing for expiration of the exemption; requiring the Secretary of Business and Professional Regulation to recommend to the Executive Office of the Governor the repeal of certain rules; requiring a report to the Governor, Legislature, and board of directors of Space Florida by a specified date; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1468—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the human immunodeficiency virus; amending s. 775.0877, F.S.; excluding saliva from the offenses involving the transmission of body fluids for which certain

offenders must undergo HIV testing; deleting offenses relating to prostitution from the offenses under which certain offenders must undergo HIV testing; reducing criminal penalties for the commission of criminal transmission of HIV; amending s. 796.08, F.S.; deleting requirements relating to the screening, treatment, and counseling for sexually transmissible diseases of certain offenders; deleting criminal penalties for related violations; making technical changes; amending s. 960.003, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending ss. 98.0751 and 381.004, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1470—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxation of fees for the use of real property; amending s. 212.031, F.S.; specifying tax rates for certain businesses on rental or license fees for the use of real property during a specified tax year; specifying the types of personal property not subject to the tax; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1472—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.07, F.S.; requiring an agency or a public body that receives a request to inspect or copy a record to make, within a specified timeframe, such record available, deny the request, or provide a certain statement in writing; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1474—A bill to be entitled An act relating to online training for private security officers; amending ss. 493.6105 and 493.6303, F.S.; authorizing certain Class “G” and Class “D” license training to be conducted in person or online; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to adopt rules; providing reporting requirements relating to the completion of such training; creating s. 493.6132, F.S.; providing requirements for online training courses for Class “D” and Class “G” licenses; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1476—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; amending s. 624.490, F.S.; providing a penalty for failure to register as a pharmacy benefit manager under certain circumstances; 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 specified violations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1478—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child safety; providing a short title; creating s. 316.2226, F.S.; defining the term “motor vehicle”; requiring, by a specified date, that motor vehicles be equipped with an alarm system that prompts the driver to inspect the motor vehicle for unattended occupants before exiting; providing penalties; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to adopt by rule minimum standards for such systems and to maintain a list of approved alarm manufacturers and alarm systems; amending s. 402.305, F.S.; revising transportation safety minimum standards for the licensure of child care facilities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1480—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health insurance cost sharing; creating s. 627.6383, F.S.; defining the term “cost-sharing requirement”; requiring specified individual health insurers and their pharmacy benefits managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the total contributions of the insureds’ cost-sharing requirements; providing applicability; amending s. 627.6385, F.S.; requiring specified individual health insurers to disclose on their websites and in their policies their applications of payments by or on behalf of policyholders toward the policyholders’ total contributions to cost-sharing requirements; providing applicability; amending s. 627.64741, F.S.; requiring that contracts require pharmacy benefits managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the insureds’ total contributions to cost-sharing requirements; providing applicability; providing disclosure requirements; creating s. 627.65715, F.S.; defining the term “cost-sharing requirement”; requiring specified group health insurers and their pharmacy benefits managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the total contributions of the insureds’ cost-sharing requirements; providing disclosure requirements; providing applicability; amending s. 627.6572, F.S.; requiring that contracts require pharmacy benefits managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the insureds’ total contributions to cost-sharing requirements; providing applicability; providing disclosure requirements; amending s. 627.6699, F.S.; providing contribution to cost-sharing requirements for small employer carriers; amending s. 641.31, F.S.; defining the term “cost-sharing requirement”; requiring specified health maintenance organizations and their pharmacy benefits managers to apply payments by or on behalf of subscribers toward the total contributions of the subscribers’ cost-sharing requirements; providing disclosure requirements; providing applicability; amending s. 641.314, F.S.; requiring that contracts require pharmacy benefits managers to apply payments by or on behalf of subscribers toward the subscribers’ total contributions to cost-sharing requirements; providing applicability; providing disclosure requirements; amending s. 409.967, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 641.185, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1482—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a statewide police misconduct registry; creating s. 943.6873, F.S.; defining the term “discriminatory profiling”; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to establish by a certain date and maintain a statewide police misconduct registry; specifying information that the registry must contain on all state and local law enforcement officers; requiring the head of each state and local law enforcement agency to periodically submit specified information to the department beginning on a specified date; requiring the department to publish the information on its website by a specified date; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1484—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reemployment assistance; amending s. 443.111, F.S.; increasing the maximum weekly and yearly benefit amounts for reemployment assistance; increasing the duration of such benefits; reenacting ss. 443.041(2)(b) and 443.1116(7) and (8)(a), F.S., relating to attorney fees and short-time compensation, respectively, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 443.111, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1486—A bill to be entitled An act relating to gain-time; amending s. 921.002, F.S.; revising a principle of the Criminal Punishment Code relating to a prisoner’s required minimum term of imprisonment; amending s. 944.275, F.S.; revising the incentive gain-time that the Department of Corrections may grant a prisoner; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1488—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 for expunction; requiring a petitioner to obtain a certificate of eligibility for expunction from the Department of Law Enforcement; requiring the department to adopt rules; requiring the department to issue a certificate of eligibility for expunction if a person meets specified criteria; providing that such certificates are valid for a specified timeframe; providing requirements for a petition for expunction; providing criminal penalties; providing court procedures for expunction; providing for the processing of a petition or an order for expunction; authorizing the person who is the subject of an expunction order to 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 prevent the petitioner from applying to seal or expunge other criminal arrests; providing construction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1490—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.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1492—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 court jurisdiction until an indictment is returned; prohibiting the transfer of a child to adult court for

criminal prosecution of an indictable offense until the child's competency has been restored, in certain circumstances; 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; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1494—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement officer body cameras and vehicle dash cameras; amending s. 943.1718, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining the term “vehicle dash camera”; requiring each law enforcement agency in this state to mandate that its law enforcement officers wear body cameras and use vehicle dash cameras; requiring law enforcement agencies to establish specified policies and procedures; deleting a provision relating to applicability; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1496—A bill to be entitled An act relating to murder; amending s. 782.04, F.S.; revising the elements that constitute murder in the first degree and murder in the second degree; revising the elements that constitute felony murder, for murder in the second degree; deleting provisions relating to felony murder, for murder in the third degree; creating s. 782.041, F.S.; authorizing a person convicted under certain murder provisions to file a petition with the sentencing court to have his or her murder conviction vacated or to be resentenced, as applicable, on or after a specified date; amending ss. 27.401, 394.912, 775.0823, 782.065, 921.0022, 944.275, 947.146, and 948.012, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 921.0024, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Powell—

SB 1498—A bill to be entitled An act relating to direct filing of an information; amending s. 985.265, F.S.; prohibiting a jail or other facility intended or used for the detention of adults from holding a child who has been transferred to adult court for criminal prosecution before a specified hearing to determine if the child should be prosecuted as an adult, unless the child waives his or her right to such hearing; amending s. 985.557, F.S.; deleting references to the state attorney's discretion to direct file a juvenile; revising discretionary direct file criteria; requiring a court to advise a child and his or her parent or guardian of the child's right to a certain due process evidentiary hearing upon a state attorney filing an information transferring a child to adult court; authorizing the child or the child's parent or guardian to request an evidentiary hearing; requiring the judge to conduct the hearing within a certain timeframe; requiring a judge to consider specified information and factors; authorizing a judge to consider certain reports; providing for continued jurisdiction with regard to the child; providing an exception; requiring the adult court to render an order that includes certain findings; authorizing review of the order; reenacting s. 985.556(3), F.S., relating to involuntary mandatory waivers, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 985.557, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1500—A bill to be entitled An act relating to special days of observance; creating s. 683.20, F.S.; designating “Emancipation Day” to officially commemorate the freeing of enslaved African Americans in Florida; authorizing the Governor to issue an annual proclamation honoring the significance of Emancipation Day; amending s. 683.21, F.S.; specifying that Juneteenth Day officially commemorates the freeing of all remaining enslaved African Americans in the United States; amending s. 1003.4282, F.S.; requiring high school students enrolled in a United States History course to receive specified instruction on the significance of Emancipation Day and Juneteenth Day; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Powell—

SB 1502—A bill to be entitled An act relating to estates and trusts; amending s. 733.705, F.S.; providing that the requirement for a claimant to file an independent action is satisfied if specified actions are taken; specifying that claimants, not creditors, are given certain priority of claims; amending s. 736.0705, F.S.; providing that a trustee may resign by specified procedure and with notice to certain parties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1504—A bill to be entitled An act relating to eligibility for medical assistance and related services; amending s. 409.904, F.S.; extending Medicaid eligibility to specified adults; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Polsky—

SB 1506—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pediatric cardiopulmonary resuscitation; creating s. 383.147, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to develop and annually update educational materials relating to pediatric cardiopulmonary resuscitation; providing requirements for such materials; requiring the department to post the materials on its website in a specified format; requiring hospitals, birth centers, and other state-licensed birthing facilities to provide the educational materials to parents of newborns before they are discharged; requiring such entities to post a link to such materials on their websites, if any; providing that attending health care providers at home births are responsible for providing the educational materials to the parents within a specified timeframe; amending s. 383.2163, F.S.; revising the list of telehealth services and education to be provided under telehealth minority maternity care pilot programs to include education on pediatric cardiopulmonary resuscitation; amending ss. 383.311 and 383.318, F.S.; requiring birth centers to educate their clients in pediatric cardiopulmonary resuscitation before and after each birth; amending s. 395.1053, F.S.; requiring hospitals to provide the department-developed educational materials on pediatric cardiopulmonary resuscitation as part of their postpartum instruction on the care of newborns; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1508—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tethering domestic dogs and cats; providing a short title; creating s. 828.132, F.S.; defining the term “tether”; specifying requirements for tethering domestic dogs and cats; providing applicability; providing civil penalties; providing for enforcement; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Powell—

SB 1510—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the mental health of minors; amending s. 394.462, F.S.; requiring that transportation plans include options for transporting minors which do not involve marked police vehicles or uniformed law enforcement officers; creating s. 394.4635, F.S.; defining the terms “immediately” and “serious bodily harm”; specifying the conditions that must be met for a minor to be taken to a receiving facility for involuntary examination; specifying requirements for initiating a minor’s involuntary examination and his or her transportation; specifying requirements for receiving facilities relating to such minors; requiring that court orders for involuntary examinations be made a part of the minor’s clinical record; prohibiting a fee from being charged for filing such orders; requiring facilities receiving minors for involuntary examination to provide certain orders and reports to the Department of Children and Families; providing for the validity of such orders; providing requirements for law enforcement officers initiating involuntary examinations of minors or transporting minors to such examinations; prohibiting minors undergoing involuntary examinations initiated by law enforcement officers from being held at medical facilities for longer than a specified period; providing an exception; requiring law enforcement officers who initiate an involuntary examination for a minor to execute a written report containing specified information; requiring facilities to send such reports to the department; requiring the law enforcement officer’s agency to retain such report and to provide a copy of the report to a minor’s parent or guardian upon request; requiring that certain reports and certificates be made part of a minor’s clinical records; requiring facilities receiving minors for involuntary examinations to create specified records; requiring facilities to submit such records and copies of certain reports to the department in a sworn report; authorizing the department to adopt rules; requiring facilities to notify minors and their parents or guardians of the minor’s right to counsel and to provide minors with the opportunity to immediately consult and be represented by counsel; providing requirements for the transportation of minors to facilities for involuntary examination; requiring specified examinations of minors admitted to a receiving facility after an involuntary examination is initiated by certain persons; requiring minors to be released from receiving facilities as soon as a specified determination is made; requiring facilities to have at least one staff member with the authority to make such determinations at the facility at all times; authorizing emergency treatment of minors under certain circumstances; requiring minors to be immediately released if a parent or guardian revokes consent for the minor’s admission; prohibiting an examination period for lasting longer than a specified amount of time; requiring that certain actions be taken within the examination period; requiring that a petition for involuntary services be filed in specified circumstances; prohibiting students from being removed from schools and transported to a receiving facility for involuntary examination unless certain requirements are met; requiring facilities to contact schools for specified information under certain circumstances; requiring facilities to notify the department if schools fail to provide such information; requiring the department, in consultation with the Department of Education, to take certain actions relating to such schools; prohibiting minors receiving treatment for mental illness from being deprived of specified privacy rights; providing construction; requiring minors to be provided with parental or guardian contact; providing an exception; providing construction; requiring receiving facility staff to consult with certain persons to ensure continuity of care and prevent disruption to existing medication regimens; requiring that certain conditions be met before giving or prescribing a minor certain psychotropic medication; providing remedies for minors for specified violations; providing immunity for certain persons acting in good faith; providing an exception; requiring facilities examining minors on a voluntary basis to provide the department with a report containing specified information and copies of certain other reports within a specified timeframe; requiring the department to annually publish specified data relating to such reports; providing construction; requiring the department to contract with a consultancy on crisis services to review the provision of crisis services for minors; providing requirements for such review; providing construction; amending s. 394.467, F.S.; revising requirements for minors to be ordered for involuntary inpatient placement; defining the term “serious bodily harm”; conforming provisions to changes made by the act;

amending s. 409.996, F.S.; revising duties of the department relating to evaluations of lead agencies and monitoring out-of-home placements; amending s. 1001.212, F.S.; revising data that must be provided by the Office of Safe Schools to support the evaluation of specified mental health services; requiring the department to adopt certain rules and provide school districts with certain standards before a specified date; defining the term “mandatory mental health treatment”; requiring school districts, charter school sponsors, and other entities operating a public school to develop, implement, and submit to the office specified policies and procedures by a specified date; requiring the office to monitor the effectiveness of such policies and procedures; requiring the department to adopt rules implementing the most effective policies and procedures on a statewide basis; creating the Telehealth Pilot Program within the Department of Children and Families; providing a purpose for the program; requiring certain persons transporting minors to receiving facilities to first obtain specified advice through telehealth services; prohibiting the telehealth services from being provided by an entity that provides involuntary examination services; requiring the department to analyze and compare specified data and prepare a report summarizing the impact of the program; requiring the department to submit the report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; requiring the Legislature to appropriate funds necessary for the creation and administration of the pilot program; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing for future expiration; amending s. 394.463, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Powell—

SB 1512—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Summer Youth Service Learning Program; providing a short title; creating s. 446.046, F.S.; creating the program within the Department of Education; providing the purpose of the program; providing eligibility requirements for students and employers to participate in the program; requiring and authorizing specified entities to participate in the program; requiring the department to create a statewide employment hub for the program; requiring participating employers to post employment opportunities to the employment hub; requiring school districts and public postsecondary institutions to notify students of the employment hub; providing requirements for the employment hub; authorizing employers to provide students with a bus pass for a specified time period under certain circumstances; requiring participating employers to provide participating students with an accurate letter of recommendation; providing for implementation of the program; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Berman—

SB 1514—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Energy SMART Schools; creating s. 1013.415, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining the term “Energy SMART School”; requiring the Department of Education and the Department of Environmental Protection to consult with specified entities to coordinate to develop a program to jointly designate public schools as Energy SMART Schools; requiring the program to include an application process that meets specified requirements; requiring that awards, recognition, and designations be jointly granted annually; requiring the Office of Educational Facilities, in consultation with the Office of Energy within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, to provide, upon request, specified technical assistance and consultation with public schools and school districts; authorizing electric utilities to propose certain programs; requiring the Florida Public Service Commission to review certain programs for approval; providing the criteria for commission review; authorizing the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1516—A bill to be entitled An act relating to required instruction in the history of African Americans; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; providing that instructional staff of public schools are encouraged to include the history of local African-American cemeteries in the study of the history of African Americans when practicable; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Berman—

SB 1518—A bill to be entitled An act relating to lactation space; creating s. 29.24, F.S.; requiring at least one lactation space to be provided in each county courthouse; providing requirements for the lactation space; authorizing the use of state or private funds to provide lactation space in appellate courthouses; providing exceptions; declaring that this act fulfills an important state interest; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1520—A bill to be entitled An act relating to acquisition of professional services; amending s. 287.055, F.S.; removing language requiring that an agency, when determining whether a firm is qualified to perform certain services, operate with the object of effecting an equitable distribution of contracts among qualified firms; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ausley—

SB 1522—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sparsity supplement funds within the Florida Education Finance Program; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; prohibiting a school district with a specified student population from receiving a sparsity wealth adjustment; providing an appropriation; specifying the purpose of the allocation made from the appropriation to certain school districts; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Boyd—

SB 1524—A bill to be entitled An act relating to recreation districts; amending s. 418.21, F.S.; providing that a recreation district may choose to have a governing body elected by the property owners of the district; requiring a municipality or county ordinance to specify who may vote in the governing body election; amending s. 418.22, F.S.; removing limitations on the authority of a recreation district to negotiate for the sale of certain bonds; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Boyd—

SB 1526—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.0714, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for personal identifying information and annuity contract numbers of a payee of a structured settlement and the names of family members, dependents, and beneficiaries of such payee; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1528—A bill to be entitled An act relating to restrictions on firearms and ammunition during emergencies; repealing s. 870.044, F.S., relating to specified automatic restrictions on firearms and ammunition during certain declared emergencies; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1530—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state contracting; amending s. 287.057, F.S.; requiring an agency subject to ch. 287, F.S., to require any vendor awarded a competitively solicited contract for commodities or contractual services to use certified minority, woman-owned, or veteran-owned business enterprises as subcontractors or subvendors for at least a specified minimum percentage of the contract value; requiring a vendor to identify subcontractors or subvendors when bidding for such a contract; requiring the vendor to report certain information regarding subcontractors or subvendors upon performance or completion of the contract; requiring the Office of Supplier Diversity to commission a disparity study to review and evaluate the use of minority, woman-owned, and veteran-owned business enterprises within this state by a specified date; requiring the study results to be presented to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ausley—

SB 1532—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nursing home facility quality assessments; amending s. 409.9082, F.S.; exempting certain nursing home facility providers from quality assessments; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Boyd, Diaz, and Garcia—

SB 1534—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retail theft; amending s. 812.015, F.S.; prohibiting certain retail theft at multiple locations within a specified timeframe; providing exceptions; providing criminal penalties; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; ranking offenses for purposes of the offense severity ranking chart of the Criminal Punishment Code; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Boyd—

SB 1536—A bill to be entitled An act relating to money services businesses; amending s. 560.103, F.S.; defining the terms “control person” and “publicly traded”; revising and deleting definitions; amending s. 560.105, F.S.; authorizing the Financial Services Commission to adopt rules; specifying requirements and authorized procedures for such rules; providing construction; prohibiting the Office of Insurance Regulation from issuing licenses unless certain criteria are met; providing applicability; amending s. 560.114, F.S., and reenacting paragraph (2)(c), relating to license applications; authorizing the office to bar persons from holding a license or acting as control persons of money services businesses under certain circumstances; authorizing the office to suspend the license of a money services business under certain circumstances; specifying requirements for orders of suspension; providing construction; amending s. 560.118, F.S.; providing that a rule may re-

quire reports to contain declarations by control persons, rather than officers or other responsible persons; amending s. 560.123, F.S.; providing that control persons, rather than officers, are not liable for loss or damages under certain circumstances; amending s. 560.126, F.S.; requiring licensees to report changes in control persons, rather than certain other entities or persons; deleting a requirement for certain persons to submit a licensure application under certain circumstances; deleting the definition of the term “controlling interest”; providing that the addition of a control person, rather than certain other entities or persons, is subject to certain requirements; deleting a requirement for the commission to adopt rules; repealing s. 560.127, F.S., relating to control of a money services business; amending s. 560.141, F.S.; revising requirements for applications for licensure as a money services business; amending s. 560.143, F.S.; revising a limitation for certain fees to apply to a change in control, rather than in a controlling interest; reenacting s. 559.952(4)(a), F.S., relating to the Financial Technology Sandbox, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 560.118 and 560.141, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1538—A bill to be entitled An act relating to distilled spirits; creating s. 565.21, F.S.; prohibiting distributors or officers, agents, or other representatives of a distributor from taking specified actions; authorizing courts to grant certain injunctive relief; prohibiting courts from requiring bond to be posted under certain circumstances; providing a cause of action for violations of the act; authorizing persons to bring class actions under certain circumstances; authorizing courts to award punitive damages under certain circumstances; providing construction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1540—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Medicaid managed care; amending s. 409.908, F.S.; requiring that the rental and purchase of durable medical equipment and complex rehabilitation technology by providers of home health care services or medical supplies and appliances be reimbursed by the Agency for Health Care Administration, managed care plans, and subcontractors at a specified amount; amending s. 409.967, F.S.; requiring that Medicaid enrollees be allowed their choice of certain qualified Medicaid providers; requiring the agency to adopt rules; prohibiting a managed care plan from referring its members to, or entering into a contract or an arrangement to provide services with, a subcontractor under certain circumstances; requiring that a subcontractor of a managed care plan provide all services in compliance with such contract or arrangement and applicable federal waivers; prohibiting a managed care plan from referring its members to a subcontractor for covered services if the subcontractor has an ownership interest or a profit-sharing arrangement with certain entities; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gainer—

SB 1542—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tourist development taxes; amending s. 125.0104, F.S.; authorizing certain coastal counties to use up to a specified percentage of tourist development tax revenue to reimburse tourism training program expenses; revising the percentage of tourist development tax revenue which such counties may use to reimburse public safety services expenses; authorizing certain fiscally constrained counties to use tourist development tax revenue for such purposes without meeting certain criteria; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1544—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation facility designations; providing an honorary designation of a certain transportation facility in a specified county; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1546—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vessel safety flags; amending s. 327.391, F.S.; removing the requirement that airboats be equipped with masts or flagpoles bearing certain safety flags; amending s. 327.50, F.S.; prohibiting the operation and anchoring of vessels without masts or flagpoles bearing certain safety flags under specified conditions; providing applicability; providing penalties; amending s. 327.73, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Perry—

SB 1548—A bill to be entitled An act relating to occupational licensing; amending s. 455.213, F.S.; prohibiting boards within the Division of Certified Public Accounting, the Division of Professions, or the Division of Real Estate of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation from inquiring into or considering a license applicant’s criminal history until after the board determines the applicant is otherwise qualified for a license; prohibiting the state, its agents, and political subdivisions from using, distributing, or disseminating certain criminal history information in connection with applications for licensure; prohibiting such boards from denying an applicant’s license application due to the applicant’s criminal history unless the applicant was convicted of a felony that directly relates to the profession; requiring such boards to consider specified factors when determining whether a felony is directly related to a profession; requiring such boards to provide specified notification to applicants who are determined to be ineligible for licensure because of a felony conviction; prohibiting such applicants from being denied a license if they provide specified evidence; providing a timeframe for an applicant to take specified actions relating to a board’s notice; requiring such boards to provide written notification of specified information to applicants after denying their license applications; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Perry—

SB 1550—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 406.135, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “medical examiner”; defining the term “minor”; creating an exemption from public records requirements for autopsy reports of minors whose deaths were related to acts of domestic violence; providing an exception; providing additional exceptions to the exemption; providing that any viewing, copying, or handling of such autopsy reports be under the direct supervision of the custodian of records or his or her designee; requiring that certain surviving parents of a minor child whose death was related to domestic violence be given notice of petitions to view or copy the minor child’s autopsy report and of the opportunity to be present and heard at the related hearings under certain circumstances; providing penalties; 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 referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1552—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the direct-support organization for the Florida Prepaid College Board; amending s. 1009.983, F.S.; removing the scheduled repeal of the Florida Prepaid College Board's authority to establish a direct-support organization; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SB 1554—A bill to be entitled An act relating to municipal incorporation; amending s. 165.041, F.S.; requiring that a charter for incorporation of a municipality be approved in a specified nonbinding referendum before the contemplated special act or proposed bill is introduced in the Legislature; requiring that the certified results of the referendum be attached to the bill when introduced; revising the date when a required feasibility study of a proposed municipal incorporation must be completed and submitted to the Legislature; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1556—A bill to be entitled An act relating to golf course best management practices certification; creating s. 403.9339, F.S.; directing the Department of Environmental Protection to work and cooperate with the turfgrass science program at the University of Florida Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences to administer a certification for golf course best management practices and provide and approve certification training and testing programs; providing certification and recertification requirements; providing that such certification exempts persons from certain local testing and local ordinance regulations; providing an exception; authorizing the department to share certification information with local and state governmental entities; encouraging the department to create an online certification registry; directing the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1558—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax on the rental or lease of real property; repealing s. 212.031, F.S., relating to the tax on the rental or license fee for use of real property; repealing s. 212.099, F.S., relating to tax credits for contributions to eligible nonprofit scholarship-funding organizations; amending ss. 212.0598, 212.0602, 212.08, 288.1258, 338.234, 341.840, and 1002.395, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting ss. 1002.394(11)(a) and 1002.40(11)(g), F.S., relating to the Family Empowerment Scholarship Program and the Hope Scholarship Program, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 1002.395, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bean—

SB 1560—A bill to be entitled An act relating to voluntary admissions for mental illness; amending s. 394.4625, F.S.; revising voluntary admission requirements for minors; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ausley—

SB 1562—A bill to be entitled An act relating to solar photovoltaic facility development; providing a short title; directing the Department of Environmental Protection, in coordination with the Office of Energy within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, to conduct a study of brownfield sites and closed landfill sites to determine viable locations for redevelopment as solar photovoltaic facilities; providing study requirements; directing the department to submit a report to the Governor, Legislature, Florida Public Service Commission, and regional planning council chairs by a specified date; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hutson—

SB 1564—A bill to be entitled An act relating to telephone solicitation; amending s. 501.059, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms “prior express written consent” and “unsolicited telephonic sales call”; revising the limitations on making unsolicited telephonic sales calls; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1566—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school nutrition program requirements; amending s. 595.405, F.S.; requiring district school boards to provide the parent or guardian of a student who is eligible for free or reduced-priced meals with information on the Florida Kidcare program; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1568—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reemployment assistance; amending s. 443.036, F.S.; defining terms and revising definitions; amending s. 443.091, F.S.; revising requirements for reemployment assistance benefits eligibility; requiring an alternative base period to be used under certain circumstances when calculating wages in determining eligibility for such benefits; creating s. 443.092, F.S.; prohibiting the Department of Economic Opportunity from denying a person reemployment assistance solely on the basis of pregnancy; amending s. 443.111, F.S.; requiring an alternative base period to be used under certain circumstances when calculating wages in determining qualification for reemployment assistance benefits; requiring the department to contact an individual's employer if certain wage information is unavailable from specified reports; specifying that wages that fall within an alternative base period are not available for reuse in subsequent benefit years; requiring the department to adopt rules; revising the weekly benefit amounts an individual may receive; replacing the term “Florida average unemployment rate” with “most recent monthly unemployment rate”; defining the term “most recent monthly unemployment rate”; increasing the cap on the total benefit amount an individual is entitled to receive during a benefit year; increasing the duration of benefits; amending ss. 215.425, 443.1216, and 443.131, F.S.; conforming cross-references; reenacting ss. 443.041(2)(b) and 443.1116(6), (7), and (8)(a), F.S., relating to fees and short-time compensation, respectively, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 443.111, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1570—A bill to be entitled An act relating to economic assistance to new businesses; amending s. 287.042, F.S.; requiring the Department of Management Services to encourage agencies to allocate a certain percentage of specified funds to purchase commodities and contractual services from certain businesses; amending s. 288.006, F.S.; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to award a specified minimum amount of funds to certain businesses; creating s. 288.102, F.S.; providing a short title; defining the term “eligible new business”; prohibiting agencies from requiring eligible new businesses or persons establishing an eligible new business from paying fees relating to licenses or registrations for the business for a specified amount of time; prohibiting agencies from requiring home-based businesses to pay any fees relating to licenses or registrations; requiring Enterprise Florida, Inc., to develop and post a specified annual report on its website and to serve as the primary point of contact to assist eligible new businesses seeking certain information; decreasing the tax rate for certain income of eligible new businesses under certain circumstances; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt rules; creating s. 443.31, F.S.; creating the Self-Employment Assistance Program within the Department of Economic Opportunity; providing a purpose for the program; authorizing individuals meeting certain criteria relating to reemployment assistance benefits to apply to the department for participation in the program; providing application and eligibility requirements; specifying requirements for individuals approved to participate in the program; defining the term “full-time basis”; exempting individuals participating in the program from specified requirements relating to reemployment assistance benefits; specifying that individuals participating in the program are disqualified from the program if the individuals become ineligible for reemployment assistance benefits; requiring the department to adopt rules; repealing s. 542.335, F.S., relating to valid restraints of trade or commerce; amending s. 445.004, F.S.; requiring that a specified percentage of workforce development funding go to certain individuals and businesses; creating s. 687.21, F.S.; prohibiting lenders from requiring small businesses to sign confessions of judgment; defining the term “small business”; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1572—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dementia-related staff training; providing a short title; creating s. 430.5025, F.S.; defining terms; requiring the Department of Elderly Affairs or its designee to develop or approve certain dementia-related education and training; requiring such education and training to be offered in a variety of formats; authorizing the department or its designee to approve existing training courses and curricula if they meet certain requirements; requiring the department or its designee to offer certain education to the public; providing requirements for such education; requiring the department or its designee to develop or approve certain dementia-related training for covered provider employees; providing requirements for the training; requiring the department or its designee to make such training available at no cost and accessible in online formats; requiring the department or its designee to provide for certificates of completion for such training; providing requirements for such certificates; requiring covered providers to provide specified information and dementia-related training to new employees within a specified timeframe; requiring covered providers to maintain copies of employees’ certificates of completion; providing that employees who complete such training do not need to repeat the training upon change of employment to another covered provider; requiring certain employees to receive additional dementia-related training under certain circumstances within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for the training; authorizing certain employees hired before a specified date to count completed training toward such training requirements; extending the timeframe in which certain employees must complete such training; requiring certain employees to complete continuing education in specified topics each year; providing that the dementia-related training counts toward a certified nursing assistant’s annual training requirements; authorizing certain health care practitioners to count certain continuing education and training hours toward the dementia-related training requirements under certain circumstances; requiring the department to approve such continuing education hours to satisfy the dementia-related training requirements; authorizing the department to adopt rules; creating s.

400.511, F.S.; requiring individuals employed, contracted, or referred by a nurse registry and individuals registered as companion or homemaker services providers to complete specified dementia-related training; amending ss. 400.1755, 400.4785, 429.178, 429.52, 429.75, 429.83, 429.917, and 429.918, F.S.; revising dementia-related staff training requirements for nursing homes, home health agencies, facilities that provide special care for persons with Alzheimer’s disease or related dementia, assisted living facilities, adult family-care homes, adult day care centers, and specialized Alzheimer’s services adult day care centers, respectively, to conform to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Cruz—

SB 1574—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prescription drug price transparency; amending s. 499.012, F.S.; prohibiting permits for prescription drug manufacturers and nonresident prescription drug manufacturers and for certain wholesale distributors of prescription drugs from being renewed unless specified requirements are met; authorizing the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to suspend or revoke manufacturer permits and wholesale distributor permits under specified circumstances; amending s. 499.0121, F.S.; defining the term “price”; providing reporting requirements for certain entities that engage in wholesale distributions of prescription drugs; authorizing the department to request certain documentation and information; requiring the department to prescribe by rule specified timeframes; authorizing the department to extend specified timeframes; specifying what constitutes violations of specified laws; providing penalties and fines for violations; providing disposition of such fines; creating s. 499.026, F.S.; providing definitions; providing requirements for notifications by manufacturers of prescription drug price increases under certain circumstances; providing reporting requirements; requiring the department to compile a list of specified drugs; authorizing the department to request certain documentation and information; requiring the department to prescribe by rule specified timeframes; authorizing the department to extend specified timeframes; specifying what constitutes violations of specified laws; prohibiting certain prescription drugs from being included in specified drug formularies; providing an exception; providing penalties and fines for violations; providing disposition of such fines; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 499.05, F.S.; requiring the department to adopt rules; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 624.490, F.S.; providing definitions; providing reporting requirements for registered pharmacy benefit managers; authorizing the Office of Insurance Regulation to request certain documentation and information; requiring the Financial Services Commission to prescribe by rule specified timeframes; authorizing the office to extend specified timeframes; requiring registered pharmacy benefit managers to maintain a website for a specified purpose and to update the information on the website under certain circumstances; specifying what constitutes violations of specified laws; providing penalties and fines for violations; providing disposition of such fines; creating ss. 627.42384 and 641.3131, F.S.; requiring certain health insurers and health maintenance organizations, respectively, to submit and update contact information for single points of contact for a specified use; requiring the office to maintain and publish such points of contact; requiring such health insurers and health maintenance organizations to notify certain insureds and subscribers, respectively, within a specified timeframe of drug formulary changes; providing applicability; amending ss. 627.64741, 627.6572, and 641.314, F.S.; defining the term “net price”; providing additional requirements for contracts between pharmacy benefit managers and individual health insurers, group health insurers, and health maintenance organizations, respectively; providing applicability; amending ss. 110.12315, 409.815, 409.91195, 409.912, and 499.067, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Regulated Industries; and Appropriations.

By Senator Polsky—

SB 1576—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational support staff; creating s. 1012.08, F.S.; providing that a staff support position that has over a specified amount of positions vacant constitutes a critical shortage area; requiring each district superintendent to compile specified information by a specified date each year; requiring districts to fund certain incentives; requiring district superintendents to file a report with the Legislature documenting certain information by a specified date each year; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1578—A bill to be entitled An act relating to instructional personnel; amending s. 1012.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “instructional personnel” to include specified prekindergarten instructors; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1580—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the management of single-use plastic products; amending s. 403.7033, F.S.; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to update its 2010 retail bag report at specified intervals; providing requirements for the updated reports; creating s. 403.7034, F.S.; defining the term “coastal community”; authorizing certain coastal communities to establish pilot programs to regulate the use of single-use plastic products; providing for the adoption and expiration of the ordinances required to establish the pilot programs; directing participating municipalities to collect data and submit reports to the municipal governing bodies and the department; providing for expiration of the pilot programs; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1582—A bill to be entitled An act relating to commercial motor vehicle registration; amending s. 320.06, F.S.; providing for future expiration of a provision relating to vehicles with apportioned registrations; providing, beginning on a specified date, license plate and cab card requirements for vehicles registered in accordance with the International Registration Plan; specifying the fee for an original or renewal cab card and the trust fund where the fee is deposited; providing for the replacement at no charge of damaged or worn license plates; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1584—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Outstanding Florida Springs; amending s. 373.802, F.S.; designating additional springs as Outstanding Florida Springs; making technical changes; reenacting s. 373.042(2)(d), F.S., relating to minimum flows and minimum water levels, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 373.802, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Polsky—

SB 1586—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending s. 97.052, F.S.; requiring the uniform statewide voter registration application to be accepted for the purpose of vote-by-mail ballot requests; requiring the uniform statewide voter registration application to elicit whether an applicant requests a vote-by-mail ballot; specifying requirements for a certain statement of the applicant’s intent; amending s. 97.0525, F.S.; requiring the online voter registration system to permit an applicant to request a vote-by-mail ballot; amending s. 100.111, F.S.; requiring the Governor to consult with supervisors of elections of affected counties in fixing the dates for special elections; requiring the Governor, in the event of a vacancy in a state legislative office, to limit the duration of a vacancy during a regular legislative session to the greatest extent possible in fixing special election dates; requiring the Governor to fix the date for a special election to be held within a certain timeframe; revising the minimum time between a special primary election and a special election; amending s. 100.141, F.S.; requiring the Governor to issue an order calling for a special election within a certain timeframe; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 101.62, F.S.; requiring a supervisor of elections to accept certain requests for vote-by-mail ballots; providing that a request made on a vote-by-mail ballot return mailing envelope does not require specified identifying information and is sufficient if such ballot is counted; amending s. 101.64, F.S.; requiring a vote-by-mail ballot return mailing envelope to bear a statement and a checkbox that allows an absent elector to request a vote-by-mail ballot for all elections taking place during a specified timeframe; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Cruz—

SB 1588—A bill to be entitled An act relating to abandoned and historic cemeteries; creating s. 267.21, F.S.; creating the Historic Cemeteries Program within the Division of Historical Resources of the Department of State; designating the State Historic Preservation Officer as the program’s director and requiring him or her to hire employees, subject to legislative appropriation; providing the duties and responsibilities of the program; requiring the program to provide grants, subject to legislative appropriation, to certain entities for certain purposes; authorizing the division to adopt rules; creating s. 267.22, F.S.; creating the Historic Cemeteries Program Advisory Council within the division; providing for membership, terms, and duties of the council; providing that members shall serve without compensation but may receive per diem and reimbursement for travel expenses; amending s. 497.005, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “legally authorized person” to include a member of a representative community organization; amending s. 704.06, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “conservation easement” to include a right or interest in real property which is appropriate to retaining the structural integrity or physical appearance of certain cemeteries; authorizing certain entities to acquire conservation easements to preserve certain cemeteries; amending s. 704.08, F.S.; providing an easement to the state for certain purposes; providing for an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1590—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electrocardiograms for student athletes; amending s. 1002.20, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1006.20, F.S.; requiring certain students to receive an electrocardiogram to participate in athletics; providing an exemption from such requirement; providing parental requirements for receiving the exemption; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Berman—

SB 1592—A bill to be entitled An act relating to contracts for instructional personnel; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; deleting a prohibition on the awarding of certain annual contracts by district school boards on the basis of unauthorized contingencies or conditions; amending s. 1012.335, F.S.; requiring that the annual contract of instructional personnel who meet certain criteria be renewed; providing an exception; providing responsibilities for district school superintendents who exercise certain authority; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1594—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and public meetings; amending s. 415.1103, F.S.; specifying that information obtained by an elder abuse fatality review team which is exempt or confidential and exempt from public records requirements retains its protected status; providing an exemption from public records requirements for personal identifying information of an elder abuse victim in records created by a review team; providing an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of review team meetings at which exempt or confidential and exempt information or the identity of an elder abuse victim is discussed; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing statements of public necessity; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1596—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nursing home accountability; amending s. 400.141, F.S.; requiring licensed nursing home facilities to comply with certain rules adopted by the Agency for Health Care Administration; requiring the agency to adopt rules establishing a medical loss ratio for the disposition of Medicaid revenue in excess of expenses for nursing home facilities; providing the method of calculating the medical loss ratio; requiring nursing home facilities to pay any excess Medicaid revenue to the agency by a specified date under certain circumstances; providing for the collection of such payments; requiring the agency to use refunds of excess Medicaid revenue to fund certain initiatives; requiring nursing home facilities to limit their use of excess Medicaid revenue for management salaries and limit rates paid for contracted staffing and services; prohibiting nursing home facilities from using more than a specified percentage of Medicaid funding on executive and managerial salaries; prohibiting nursing home facilities from contracting with certain management companies for staffing or services at a rate exceeding a specified percentage; providing an exception; requiring each nursing home facility to post certain maximum rates charged at the facility on its Internet website and update the rates annually; requiring each nursing home facility to post a list of its owners on its Internet website and submit such list to the agency, to be posted on the agency's website; requiring nursing home facilities to update the list within a specified timeframe; requiring each nursing home facility to post summaries of certain contracts and agreements on its Internet website within a specified timeframe; requiring the agency to adopt rules; amending s. 408.061, F.S.; specifying that a nursing home's or its home office's actual financial experience is its audited actual experience for purposes of financial reporting; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1598—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Domestic Violence Task Force; creating s. 39.909, F.S.; creating the Domestic Violence Task Force adjunct to the Department of Children and Families; requiring the department to provide certain services to the task force; providing purposes of the task force; specifying the composition of the

task force; providing for the appointment of task force members and requirements for meetings; specifying duties of the task force; requiring state departments and agencies to provide requested assistance to the task force; requiring the task force to submit reports to the Governor and the Legislature by certain dates; providing for dissolution of the task force; providing for future repeal, unless saved by the Legislature through reenactment; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1600—A bill to be entitled An act relating to treatment of defendants adjudicated incompetent to stand trial; amending s. 916.13, F.S.; providing that a forensic client who is being held in a jail awaiting admission to a Department of Children and Families facility and who is likely to regain competence to proceed may receive treatment at any facility designated by the department; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ausley—

SB 1602—A bill to be entitled An act relating to district school board employment contracts; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; deleting prohibitions on district school boards from awarding annual contracts on the basis of unauthorized contingencies or conditions and from altering or limiting their authority to award or not award an annual contract; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Perry—

SB 1604—A bill to be entitled An act relating to powers of the Florida Building Commission; amending s. 553.77, F.S.; requiring the commission to develop certain uniform standards for existing building structures and facilities; providing requirements for such standards; authorizing the commission to adopt certain rules for programs that deviate from the statewide standards; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Polsky—

SB 1606—A bill to be entitled An act relating to protections for public employees who use medical marijuana as qualified patients; creating s. 112.219, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting a public employer from taking adverse personnel action against an employee or a job applicant who is a qualified patient for his or her use of medical marijuana; providing exceptions; requiring a public employer to provide written notice of an employee's or a job applicant's right to explain a positive marijuana test result within a specified timeframe; providing procedures that apply when a public employee or job applicant tests positive for marijuana; providing a cause of action and damages; providing construction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1608—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited discrimination based on hairstyle; providing a short title; amending s. 1000.05, F.S.; defining the term "protected hairstyle"; prohibiting discrimination based on protected hairstyle in the K-20 public education system; amending s. 1002.20, F.S.; defining the terms "race" and "pro-

protective hairstyles” for purposes of public K-12 nondiscrimination requirements; amending s. 1002.421, F.S.; defining the terms “race” and “protective hairstyles” for purposes of antidiscrimination requirements for private schools participating in the state school choice scholarship program; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1610—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem tax abatement; amending s. 194.032, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; creating s. 197.319, F.S.; defining terms; providing for the abatement of ad valorem taxes for residential improvements destroyed following certain events; providing procedures and requirements for filing applications for the abatement; specifying requirements for property appraisers, tax collectors, and the Department of Revenue; providing for retroactive application; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ausley—

SB 1612—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending s. 377.601, F.S.; providing that it is the policy of this state to promote certain alternative fuels and vehicle technologies; amending s. 377.703, F.S.; revising duties of the department; deleting a requirement that the department prepare an annual assessment of the renewable energy production credit; repealing s. 377.810, F.S., relating to a natural gas fuel fleet vehicle rebate program; amending s. 487.021, F.S.; defining the term “raw agricultural commodities fumigation”; amending s. 487.0435, F.S.; authorizing the department to consider the use of a fumigant as a pesticide for raw agricultural commodities fumigation when specifying certain license classifications; amending s. 500.03, F.S.; redefining and revising terms; providing construction regarding hemp extract; amending s. 500.032, F.S.; requiring the department to administer and enforce certain provisions relating to the storage of food; amending s. 500.033, F.S.; revising the membership of the Florida Food Safety and Food Defense Advisory Council; amending s. 500.12, F.S.; revising the types of minor food outlets required to obtain food permits from the department; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing construction; requiring food permits to be annually renewed in accordance with department rule beginning on a specified date; requiring late fees for applications not received on or before the date set by department rule; amending s. 500.121, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 500.147, F.S.; requiring bottled water to be processed in conformance with department rule; amending s. 500.148, F.S.; deleting provisions authorizing food establishments to request from the department a report certifying compliance with certain sanitation and permitting requirements and rules; amending s. 501.603, F.S.; defining the term “substance abuse marketing service provider”; amending s. 501.604, F.S.; providing that substance abuse marketing service providers are subject to the Florida Telemarketing Act; amending s. 501.605, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 501.6055, F.S.; providing licensure requirements for substance abuse marketing service providers; amending s. 501.606, F.S.; requiring substance abuse marketing service providers to disclose specified information; amending s. 501.608, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 501.609, F.S.; requiring substance abuse marketing service providers to submit new or revised material to the department within a specified timeframe; amending s. 501.612, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 501.616, F.S.; specifying unlawful acts and practices for substance abuse marketing service providers; amending s. 501.618, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 502.012, F.S.; revising and redefining terms; amending s. 502.013, F.S.; revising the purpose of certain provisions regarding milk and milk products; amending s. 502.014, F.S.; revising the authority of the department to permit and collect samples of products for testing at certain facilities; amending s. 502.042, F.S.; deleting a provision requiring the department to periodically conduct certain shelf-life studies and to sample certain milk products; making technical changes; amending s. 502.053, F.S.; revising the milk facilities required to apply for a permit

to operate; requiring operating permits for manufacturing plants that wholesale frozen dessert products; deleting a requirement that frozen dessert plant permit holders submit specified reports to the department; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 502.181, F.S.; deleting prohibitions against certain testing for milkfat content and for repasteurizing milk; amending s. 502.231, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; repealing s. 502.301, F.S., relating to the Dairy Industry Technical Council; amending s. 507.07, F.S.; providing violations for storing a shipper’s goods under certain circumstances; amending ss. 531.38, 531.40, and 531.41, F.S.; clarifying references to certain national weights and measures organizations regarding certain standards used for commercial purposes; amending s. 559.935, F.S.; revising provisions of which a seller of travel is exempt; creating s. 570.161, F.S.; authorizing the department to require applicants and licensees to submit active e-mail addresses for specified purposes; providing that service by electronic or regular mail constitutes adequate and sufficient notice; authorizing the department to achieve service by publishing notice on the department’s website or in the Florida Administrative Register under certain circumstances; amending s. 576.011, F.S.; defining the term “controlled release fertilizer”; redefining the term “slow or controlled release fertilizer”; amending s. 576.045, F.S.; extending the scheduled expiration of certain provisions; amending s. 576.071, F.S.; requiring the department to adopt rules regarding the commercial value used in assessing deficient fertilizer penalties; amending s. 580.031, F.S.; defining the term “dosage form animal product”; amending s. 580.051, F.S.; providing label requirements for dosage form animal products; amending s. 581.217, F.S.; revising and redefining terms; deleting provisions relating to the certification of hemp seeds and cultivars; revising distribution and sale requirements for hemp extract; revising rulemaking requirements for the department; amending s. 586.045, F.S.; revising the timeframe during which the department is required to provide written notice and forms to beekeepers for annual certificate of registration renewals; repealing part I of ch. 593, F.S., relating to the Florida Boll Weevil Eradication Law; amending s. 595.404, F.S.; requiring the department to adopt and implement an exemption waiver process by rule for sponsors of certain school food and other nutrition programs; amending s. 597.004, F.S.; providing that certain aquaculture products are conditional freshwater and marine species for the purpose of certain Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission rules; exempting the culture, possession, transport, and sale of such products from certain provisions and rules; amending s. 570.321, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting ss. 373.016(4)(a), 373.223(3), and 373.701(2)(a), F.S., relating to declarations of water policy and certain conditions for a permit, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 500.03, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting ss. 559.927(2), 559.9335(1) and (2), and 559.9355(1)(f), F.S., relating to the definition of the term “certifying party,” violations, and administrative remedies, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 559.935, F.S., in references thereto; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1614—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 316.066, F.S.; revising an exemption from public records requirements for written reports of motor vehicle crashes; revising the agencies holding records to which the exemption applies; removing a time limit for the exemption; providing retroactive applicability; revising entities to which records may be made available; requiring certain entities to enter into a memorandum of understanding; revising conditions precedent to accessing a crash report; exempting certain computerized crash report data held by an agency from public records requirements; providing retroactive applicability; providing construction; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; revising applicability of penalties; amending s. 316.650, F.S.; defining the term “driver information”; providing an exemption from public records requirements for driver information contained in a uniform traffic citation; providing retroactive applicability; authorizing the release of driver information under certain circumstances; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; revising a prohibition against the use of driver information for commercial solicitation purposes; providing statements of public necessity; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1616—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student access to Internet connections and technology; creating s. 1000.09, F.S.; establishing the Digital Inclusion Technology Development Initiative; providing the purpose and goal of the initiative; providing for funding; requiring the initiative to submit an annual report by a specified date to the Governor, the Legislature, and the Commissioner of Education; establishing the Initiative Educational Technology Advisory Council; providing for the meetings, membership, terms of office, and compensation of the council; providing for expiration of the initiative; providing appropriations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1618—A bill to be entitled An act relating to restrictions on employment; amending s. 542.335, F.S.; providing that restrictive covenants are only enforceable against a former employee, agent, or independent contractor who voluntarily resigned or was terminated because of misconduct; defining the term “misconduct”; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1620—A bill to be entitled An act relating to residential tenancies; creating s. 83.455, F.S.; providing requirements for rental agreements; defining the term “emergency declaration period”; amending s. 83.46, F.S.; requiring a landlord to provide written notice of a rent increase to a tenant by a specified time; requiring such notice to include an option for mediation under certain circumstances; amending s. 83.47, F.S.; providing that certain provisions in a rental agreement are void and unenforceable; amending s. 83.48, F.S.; providing that a tenant has a cause of action for actual and punitive damages under certain circumstances; providing that certain persons can bring a cause of action on behalf of a tenant; amending s. 83.49, F.S.; deleting the option for a landlord to deposit certain money into a non-interest-bearing account; revising written notice requirements to tenants; providing for damages if a landlord fails to meet certain requirements; making technical changes; amending s. 83.51, F.S.; requiring a landlord to inspect a dwelling unit at a specified time to ensure compliance with applicable codes; amending s. 83.54, F.S.; requiring a court to dismiss eviction complaints in certain actions under specified circumstances; requiring a landlord to assist a tenant in having certain records removed from the tenant’s credit report under certain circumstances; amending s. 83.56, F.S.; revising and providing grounds for termination of a rental agreement; adjusting the number of days a tenant has to vacate the premises after a certain notice is delivered; revising when a landlord may terminate a rental agreement if the tenant fails to pay rent; amending s. 83.60, F.S.; removing a provision that waives a tenant’s defenses other than payment and entitles a landlord to an immediate default judgment for removal of a tenant if the tenant fails to take certain actions in an action by the landlord for possession of a dwelling unit; amending s. 83.67, F.S.; prohibiting a landlord from engaging in certain conduct; defining terms; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; creating s. 83.675, F.S.; defining terms; requiring a landlord to give tenants a specified amount of time to purchase a dwelling unit or premises under certain circumstances; providing requirements for an offer of sale; authorizing a tenant to challenge an offer of sale; creating s. 83.676, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting a landlord from terminating a rental agreement or evicting a tenant because the tenant or the tenant’s minor child is a victim of actual or threatened domestic violence, dating violence, sexual violence, or stalking; specifying that a rental agreement may not contain certain provisions; authorizing a victim of such actual or threatened violence or stalking to terminate a rental agreement under certain circumstances; requiring certain documentation and written notice to the landlord; providing an exception; specifying that a

tenant does not forfeit certain money paid to the landlord for terminating the rental agreement under certain circumstances; providing for liability for rent for both the tenant and the perpetrator, if applicable; requiring a landlord to change the locks of the dwelling unit within a specified period under certain circumstances; authorizing the tenant to change the locks of the dwelling unit under certain circumstances; prohibiting certain actions by a landlord under certain circumstances; providing an exception; specifying that certain information a landlord receives is confidential; prohibiting the landlord from using the confidential information in a specified manner; providing exceptions; providing a civil remedy for a tenant and the award of certain damages, costs, and fees under certain circumstances; specifying that certain provisions may not be waived or modified by a rental agreement; amending s. 83.681, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 83.684, F.S.; tolling specified time periods for certain evictions; requiring a court to stay certain eviction proceedings; defining the term “emergency declaration period”; prohibiting a landlord from evicting a tenant or removing personal property under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1622—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workforce retention; creating s. 559.953, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 559.9531, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 559.9532, F.S.; requiring certain employers that intend to relocate out of state or cease operation to notify the Department of Business and Professional Regulation within a specified timeframe; requiring the department to compile and publish a semiannual list of employers that relocate out of state or cease operation; creating s. 559.9533, F.S.; providing that such employers are ineligible for state grants, loans, or tax benefits for a specified timeframe; requiring such employers to remit certain funds to the department under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; creating s. 559.9534, F.S.; requiring the head of each state agency to ensure that certain services are performed by state contractors within the state; requiring compliance by certain contractors by a specified date; requiring certain customer service employees to immediately be employed within the state; creating s. 559.9535, F.S.; providing construction; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1624—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 566.036, F.S.; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to establish by rule specified initial license fees and annual license renewal fees for specified marijuana establishments; authorizing the department to charge an application fee, which may not exceed the cost of processing the application; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1626—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 566.015, F.S.; creating the Division of Cannabis Trust Fund within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing the purpose and for the funding source of the trust fund; requiring a distribution of specified funds to the Department of Health until a specified date; providing for future review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1628—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency management; amending s. 252.36, F.S.; authorizing the Legislature, by concurrent resolution, to declare a state of emergency if certain conditions exist; requiring the Governor to comply with specified provisions of ch. 252, F.S., upon a legislatively declared state of emergency; providing that the state of emergency continues for a specified timeframe if specified conditions exist; providing a limit on the duration of the state of emergency unless renewed by the Legislature; providing requirements for the concurrent resolution; requiring the Legislature to disseminate such concurrent resolution to the general public; requiring the concurrent resolution to be filed with specified entities; providing an exception; authorizing the Governor or any member of the Cabinet to petition the Supreme Court to review such concurrent resolution for compliance with the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Rules.

By Senator Farmer—

SJR 1630—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the State Constitution to provide a process for the recall of the governor, the lieutenant governor, and members of the cabinet.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1632—A bill to be entitled An act relating to searches by law enforcement officers; creating s. 933.41, F.S.; prohibiting a law enforcement officer in this state from searching a person or his or her property without first informing the person of his or her lawful right to decline the search request by the law enforcement officer; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Book—

SB 1634—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prisoner communication services; creating s. 944.8033, F.S.; requiring the Department of Corrections to provide prisoners daily voice communication services, free of charge; requiring the department to maintain a certain ratio of prisoners to operable voice communication devices; authorizing the supplementation of voice communication services with other communication services; requiring such services to be provided free of charge; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Cruz—

SB 1636—A bill to be entitled An act relating to antiretroviral drugs; creating s. 465.1861, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing pharmacists to order and dispense HIV preexposure and postexposure prophylaxis drugs without a prescription under certain circumstances; requiring pharmacists to complete specified training before ordering or dispensing such drugs without a prescription; authorizing pharmacists to order and dispense a specified supply of preexposure prophylaxis or a full course of postexposure prophylaxis, as applicable, to patients without prescriptions if certain conditions are met; authorizing the Board of Pharmacy, in consultation with the Board of Medicine, the Department of Health, and other relevant stakeholders, to adopt rules; creating s. 627.4291, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting certain health insurers from requiring prior authorization or step-therapy protocols for certain antiretroviral drugs; providing an exception; prohibiting health insurers from refusing to cover, or allowing pharmacy benefit managers

to refuse to cover, preexposure or postexposure prophylaxis drugs under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1638—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reinstatement of suspended driver licenses; creating s. 322.755, F.S.; creating the Operation Green Light Pilot Program within the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to assist certain persons in reinstating suspended driver licenses; requiring administration of the program by clerks of the court in certain counties; authorizing collaboration with the Florida Association of Court Clerks and Comptrollers for certain purposes; providing eligibility requirements; prohibiting eligibility under certain circumstances; providing requirements for participation in the program; providing duties of the clerk of the court and the department; requiring execution of a written payment agreement between the clerk of the court and a participant; providing agreement requirements; requiring reinstatement of a participant's driving privilege under certain circumstances; requiring the clerk of the court to provide certain documentation to a participant; requiring maintenance of certain records; requiring clerks of the court to submit reports to the department by a specified date; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Book—

SB 1640—A bill to be entitled An act relating to involuntary civil commitment of sexually violent predators; creating s. 394.9131, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families to enroll certain persons for a specified time in a prerelease treatment program developed by the department under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such program; requiring the department to coordinate with the Department of Corrections to ensure access to such program; requiring that the program be delivered remotely by video conference; amending s. 394.918, F.S.; creating a rebuttable presumption that it is not safe for a person to be at large if the person has not completed a hierarchal advancing treatment plan; creating s. 394.9181, F.S.; requiring certain persons to complete a hierarchal advancing treatment plan before being released; providing requirements for such plan; requiring primary treating clinicians and clinical directors or their specified designees to review a person's treatment plan and progress and prepare a status report for the person's clinical file; amending s. 394.930, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1642—A bill to be entitled An act relating to informed consent for termination of pregnancy; amending s. 390.0111, F.S.; deleting the requirement that a physician be physically present in the same room when informing a pregnant woman of specified information for purposes of obtaining informed consent for termination of a pregnancy; deleting the requirement that such information be provided within a specified timeframe; deleting the requirement that a physician perform an ultrasound on a pregnant woman and inform her of the probable gestational age of the fetus for purposes of obtaining informed consent for a termination of pregnancy; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 390.01112, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SJR 1644—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 4 of Article IX and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to limit the terms of office for members of a district school board.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1646—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school meals; providing a short title; creating s. 1002.24, F.S.; defining terms; requiring public schools and nonprofit private schools participating in certain federal programs to provide students, at no cost, a printed meal application or an explanation and instructions on how to apply; requiring that meal applications and instructions be written in a specified manner; requiring that certain parents be offered assistance with the meal application process; requiring schools to complete and file an application for free or reduced-price meals on a student's behalf under certain circumstances; requiring school district liaisons for homeless children to coordinate with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to ensure that homeless students in public schools receive free and reduced-price meals; providing an exception; providing duties for public and nonprofit private schools which apply regardless of a student's ability to pay for meals or whether the student owes money for previous meals; prohibiting such schools from taking specified actions relating to a student who cannot pay for a meal or who owes a meal debt and from requiring parents to pay specified fees or costs relating to meal debts; authorizing the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1648—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drinking water in public schools; creating s. 1013.29, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining the term "drinking water source"; requiring each school district to install a specified number of water bottle filling stations with certified point-of-use filters installed to remove lead; requiring each school district to identify all drinking water sources, install a barcode on each source, and install filters that meet certain specifications on all such sources; requiring that the filters be replaced or maintained in a specified manner; requiring each school district to post certain signage on certain water sources and to publish specified information on the school district's website; requiring each school district to create and publish on its website a list of schools that are not in compliance with certain requirements by a specified date; requiring each school district to update its list on a monthly basis; authorizing each school district to use specified funds for certain purposes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1650—A bill to be entitled An act relating to boating and vessel safety; amending s. 327.395, F.S.; requiring certain boating safety education courses and temporary certificate examinations to include specified components; directing the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to include such components in boating safety education campaigns and certain educational materials; amending s. 327.50, F.S.; requiring instructors of water sports and activities to wear engine cutoff switches under certain conditions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1652—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sickle-cell disease; amending s. 381.815, F.S.; defining terms; requiring the Department of Health to establish and maintain a sickle-cell registry for a specified purpose; requiring certain providers to report specified information to the registry; requiring the department to use the reported information for specified purposes; requiring the department to analyze the reported information and make certain determinations; requiring the department to publish quarterly reports; providing requirements for the reports; providing duties for the department to promote early detection and treatment of sickle-cell disease; requiring the department to make grants or enter into contracts with certain community-based organizations for the provision of specified services; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 381.981, F.S.; requiring the department to include sickle-cell disease in its monthly health awareness campaigns; amending s. 383.14, F.S.; requiring the department to adopt rules requiring screening of newborns for sickle-cell disease and sickle-cell trait; requiring any positive test results to be reported to the department's sickle-cell registry; requiring parents of newborns who test positive to be provided with information on further testing and treatment, as applicable; creating s. 409.9129, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to require managed care organizations to implement a certain quality strategy for a specified purpose; providing requirements for the strategy; requiring managed care organizations to provide certain quarterly reports to the agency; requiring the agency to coordinate with managed care organizations to identify, document, and share certain best practices and to develop a certain plan; requiring the agency to establish performance measures for managed care organizations; requiring the agency to partner with a publicly funded university to develop an assessment tool for screening enrollees with sickle-cell disease for factors relevant to their care; requiring the agency to incorporate certain standard in its contracts with managed care organizations; requiring the agency to conduct an annual review of the Medicaid program's coverage of medications, treatments, and services related to sickle-cell disease; providing requirements for the review; requiring the agency to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date and annually thereafter; requiring the agency to publish the report on its website; requiring the agency to conduct a study of innovative approaches for reimbursement for, coverage of, and access to sickle-cell disease therapies; providing requirements for the study; requiring the agency to hold public meetings with relevant stakeholders; requiring the agency to hold its first meeting by a specified date; requiring the agency to prepare a report of its recommendations by a specified date; requiring the agency to submit the report to the Governor and the Legislature and publish it on its website; providing for expiration; creating s. 456.0315, F.S.; requiring certain boards to require their licensees and certificateholders to complete a continuing education course on sickle-cell disease as part of every second biennial license or certification renewal; providing requirements for the course; providing for submission of proof of completion of such course; authorizing the boards to approve additional equivalent courses; authorizing the boards to include such course within already required continuing education hours under certain circumstances; providing an accommodation for individuals who are dually licensed with regard to such courses; providing for discipline; authorizing the boards to adopt rules; creating ss. 627.64055, 627.65741, and 641.31078, F.S.; defining the terms "fertility preservation" and "iatrogenic fertility"; requiring certain individual and group health insurers and health maintenance organizations, respectively, to provide coverage for certain fertility preservation services in connection with medically necessary treatments for sickle-cell disease; prohibiting such insurers and organizations from discriminating in their coverage of such services on the basis of specified factors; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1654—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the award of attorney fees and costs in actions involving district school boards; creating s. 57.116, F.S.; defining terms; requiring an award of attorney fees and costs to a district school board in any civil or administrative proceeding in which the district school board was the prevailing party over a state agency, regardless of which party initiated the action; specifying the

circumstances under which a district school board is considered a prevailing party; providing the procedure for an attorney for a prevailing district school board to apply for an award; requiring an application for attorney fees and costs to be made in a specified timeframe; authorizing a state agency to oppose the application by affidavit; requiring an evidentiary hearing on an application for an award of attorney fees and costs to be promptly conducted by a court or an administrative law judge, as applicable; providing for the appeal of a final order by an administrative law judge; providing for the award of additional attorney fees and costs for an appeal; prohibiting an award of attorney fees and costs to be made in any case in which a state agency was a nominal party; authorizing a prevailing district school board to petition the circuit court where the subject matter of the underlying action arose for enforcement of an award by writ of mandamus, including additional attorney fees and costs incurred for issuance of the writ, if a state agency fails to tender payment of the award within a specified timeframe; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1656—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school breakfast programs; amending s. 595.405, F.S.; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to reimburse sponsors for school breakfast meals that meet certain requirements; providing a basis for the calculation of the reimbursement; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bean—

SB 1658—A bill to be entitled An act relating to executive appointments; amending s. 20.255, F.S.; removing the requirement that appointment of the Secretary of Environmental Protection be subject to the concurrence of three members of the Cabinet; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1660—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dependent eligibility for state group health insurance enrollment; amending s. 110.12301, F.S.; designating the Department of Management Services, rather than the Division of State Group Insurance, as the entity that contracts for dependent eligibility services in the state group insurance program; authorizing the department or the contractor providing dependent eligibility verification services to require certain information from subscribers; deleting obsolete language; revising the records retention schedule regarding documents obtained during the dependent eligibility verification process; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1662—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 110.12301, F.S.; expanding the types of information that the Department of Management Services or a contractor providing dependent eligibility verification services may require from subscribers in order to establish dependent eligibility for state group insurance program enrollment; deleting a provision requiring the Division of State Group Insurance and the contractor to disclose to subscribers that dependent eligibility verification information may be subject to disclosure and inspection under public records laws under certain circumstances; expanding the public records exemption for information collected by the department to establish dependent eligibility to conform to changes

made by the act; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Perry—

SB 1664—A bill to be entitled An act relating to unlawful assemblies; amending s. 870.02, F.S.; prohibiting a person or persons from picketing or protesting before or about the residence or dwelling of any person with specified intent; providing criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Polsky—

SB 1666—A bill to be entitled An act relating to discharge and use of firefighting foam; creating s. 633.3041, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting fire service providers from discharging or using Class B firefighting foam that contains intentionally added PFAS chemicals, beginning on a specified date; providing an exception; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environment and Natural Resources; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Appropriations.

By Senator Jones—

SB 1668—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drug paraphernalia; amending s. 893.145, F.S.; removing testing equipment from the definition of “drug paraphernalia”; amending s. 893.147, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hutson—

SB 1670—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cybersecurity; amending s. 252.351, F.S.; requiring specified entities to report certain computer attacks to the State Watch Office within the Division of Emergency Management; creating s. 282.3185, F.S.; defining terms; requiring local governments to adopt certain cybersecurity standards by a specified date; requiring local governments to report certain information to the Florida Digital Service; requiring local governments to conduct vulnerability testing at certain intervals; requiring certain local government employees and persons to undergo specified training; requiring the Florida Digital Service and the Florida Cybersecurity Advisory Council to develop training requirements and conduct training at certain intervals; requiring state agencies and local governments to report certain incidents to specified entities within specified time periods; requiring a report on certain incidents to be submitted to the Florida Cybersecurity Advisory Council; prohibiting local governments from paying a ransom before communicating with specified entities; requiring the Florida Digital Service to create a specified checklist; amending s. 815.06, F.S.; defining the term “ransomware”; prohibiting specified offenses concerning ransomware; providing criminal penalties; providing for disposition of fines for such offenses; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Berman—

SB 1672—A bill to be entitled An act relating to an active shooter alert system; creating s. 943.45, F.S.; providing for the development and implementation of an active shooter alert system by the Department of Law Enforcement; providing for cooperation by other agencies; designating the executive director of the department as the statewide coordinator of the system; providing for rulemaking; providing for the recruitment of participants; providing criteria for activation of the system; providing requirements for law enforcement agencies requesting activation of the system; providing duties of state agencies concerning the system; limiting participation by the Department of Transportation; providing for termination of the system; limiting liability for failure to activate the system; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ausley—

SB 1674—A bill to be entitled An act relating to individual education plans; amending s. 1003.5716, F.S.; requiring individual education plans for certain students to contain information and instruction on the legal rights and responsibilities regarding educational decisions which transfer to students at the age of 18; requiring such information to include ways in which a student may provide informed consent to allow his or her parent to continue to participate in his or her educational decisions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Pizzo—

SB 1676—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Move Over Act penalties; amending s. 318.18, F.S.; revising civil penalties for a motor vehicle driver's failure, under certain circumstances, to vacate the lane closest to an emergency vehicle or certain other vehicles or comply with specified reduced speed limits; reenacting s. 316.126(1)(b), F.S., relating to the operation of vehicles on approach of an authorized emergency, sanitation, or utility service vehicle, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 318.18, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Gibson and Powell—

SB 1678—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Energy Equity Task Force; creating the task force adjunct to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services for a specified purpose; providing for the membership and duties of the task force; requiring the department to provide staffing and administrative support to the task force; requiring the task force to submit a report to certain officials by a specified date; providing for expiration of the task force; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1680—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 circumstances pursuant to which the Office of Financial Regulation is required to conduct certain examinations; authorizing the office to delay examinations of state financial institutions under certain circum-

stances; specifying that examination requirements are deemed met under certain circumstances; requiring copies of certain examination reports to be furnished to state 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 assets, and the liabilities and assets that may be assumed, according to certain procedures, conditions, and limitations; specifying the basis for calculating percentages of assets or liabilities; revising the assets a mutual financial institution may sell, subject to certain conditions; 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; repealing s. 657.028(6), F.S., relating to credit union board member, committee member, and officer election and appointment record reporting requirements; 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 for a 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.; revising financial institution application approval requirements to include consideration of target market conditions; deleting a requirement that certain proposed financial institution presidents or chief executive officers have certain experience within a specified timeframe; amending s. 658.28, F.S.; requiring a person or group to notify the office within a specified timeframe 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.; revising references to lists of jurisdictions used for qualifying qualified limited service affiliates; 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; reenacting s. 658.165(1), F.S., relating to banker's banks, for the purpose of incorporating amendments made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Pizzo and Book—

SB 1682—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation facility designations; providing an honorary designation of a certain transportation facility in a specified county; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1684—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Parents' Bill of Rights; creating s. 1014.07, F.S.; creating a cause of action for parents for an infringement of parental rights relating to the upbringing, education, health care, and mental health of their children; providing for declaratory relief, injunctive relief, and the recovery of actual damages; providing for the recovery of reasonable attorney fees and costs; providing that a parent is considered a prevailing party under specified circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1686—A bill to be entitled An act relating to autonomous practice by advanced practice registered nurses; amending s. 464.0123, F.S.; requiring certified nurse midwives providing out-of-hospital birth ser-

vices to have a written plan for the appropriate delivery of emergency care; providing requirements for the plan; deleting a requirement that certified nurse midwives have a written patient transfer agreement with a hospital and a written referral agreement with a licensed physician; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1688—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pharmaceutical products containing cannabis; amending s. 893.03, F.S.; excluding cannabis from Schedule I listing if it is contained within a pharmaceutical product approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SB 1690—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Charter School Revolving Loan Program; creating s. 1002.336, F.S.; establishing the program for a specified purpose; providing that funding for the program shall consist of specified funds; requiring the Department of Education to contract with a third-party administrator to administer the program; providing requirements for such third-party administrator; providing that loans made through the program do not imply the full faith and credit of the state; providing that all loans provided by the third-party administrator are at the sole discretion of the third-party administrator; providing the purpose of the loans; requiring all loan documents to include specified language and be expressly agreed to by the third-party administrator and loan recipients; requiring the third-party administrator to electronically provide copies of certain loan documents to the department; requiring the department to post specified information on its website; requiring all repayments of principal and interest to be returned to the loan fund and made available for loans to other applicants; authorizing interest paid on loans to be used to defray the costs of program administration; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Pizzo—

SB 1692—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a Medicaid buy-in program; creating s. 409.9141, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to establish and implement a Medicaid buy-in program for certain individuals with disabilities; providing requirements for the program; requiring the agency to seek federal waiver approval or submit any state plan amendments necessary to implement the program by a specified date; requiring the agency to implement the program upon receiving federal approval; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hutson—

SB 1694—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for criminal intelligence information or criminal investigative information that reveals means or methods that could allow unauthorized access to any electronic device, software, or network; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; and Appropriations.

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1696—A bill to be entitled An act relating to adult use marijuana legalization; amending s. 20.14, F.S.; establishing the Division of Cannabis Management within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; creating ch. 566, F.S., relating to recreational marijuana; defining terms; providing for the distribution of revenues; requiring the division to provide, beginning on a specified date, an annual report to the Legislature; prohibiting the use of false identification by persons under 21 years of age for specified activities relating to recreational marijuana; providing noncriminal penalties; providing for alternative sentencing; exempting certain activities involving marijuana from use and possession offenses; authorizing persons 21 years of age or older to engage in certain activities involving the personal use, possession, transport, and cultivation of marijuana in limited amounts; providing limits on where persons may engage in specified activities; providing noncriminal penalties; preempting the regulation of possession of marijuana to the state; authorizing certain entities to engage in specified activities relating to marijuana; providing construction; specifying the duties of the division relating to marijuana regulation; providing for enforcement of regulatory provisions; authorizing agreements with other entities for certain enforcement activities; requiring annual reports; providing for licensing of marijuana establishments; providing standards for prospective licensees; providing restrictions on the location of marijuana establishments; prohibiting certain activities by marijuana establishments; providing procedures when a marijuana establishment's license expires; authorizing retail marijuana stores to submit a request to the Department of Health to be considered a medical marijuana treatment center; requiring the department to approve such request under certain circumstances; exempting such stores from specified requirements under certain circumstances; authorizing caregivers and qualified patients to obtain marijuana for medical use from such stores; authorizing localities to prohibit one or more types of marijuana establishments through local ordinance; providing for submission of applications to localities if the division has not issued marijuana establishment licenses by a specified date; specifying duties of the Attorney General concerning certain federal subpoenas; providing an exemption from specified provisions for marijuana research; specifying that ch. 566, F.S., does not apply to employer drug policies or laws governing operating under the influence; prohibiting an employer from restricting the use of marijuana by its employees outside of the workplace; providing an exception; specifying that ch. 566, F.S., does not allow persons under 21 years of age to engage in activities permitted therein; declaring that the rights of property owners are not affected; providing applicability relating to compassionate use of low-THC cannabis; requiring the division to adopt certain rules; specifying that conduct allowed by ch. 566, F.S., may not be considered the basis for the finding of a lack of good moral character as that term is used in law; providing for emergency rulemaking; amending s. 500.03, F.S.; providing that marijuana establishments that sell food containing marijuana are considered food establishments for the purposes of specified regulations; creating s. 500.105, F.S.; specifying that food products containing marijuana which are prepared in permitted food establishments and sold by licensed marijuana establishments are not considered adulterated; amending s. 562.13, F.S.; providing that it is unlawful for marijuana establishments to employ persons under 18 years of age; amending s. 569.0073, F.S.; exempting licensed marijuana establishments from specified provisions regulating the sale of pipes and smoking devices; amending ss. 893.13 and 893.135, F.S.; providing that conduct authorized under ch. 566, F.S., is not prohibited by specified controlled substance prohibitions; creating s. 943.0586, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing an individual convicted of certain crimes to petition the court for expunction of his or her criminal history record under certain circumstances; requiring the individual to first obtain a certificate of eligibility from the Department of Law Enforcement; requiring the department to adopt rules establishing the procedures for applying for and issuing such certificates; requiring the department to issue a certificate under certain circumstances; providing for the expiration of and reapplication for the certificate; providing requirements for the petition for expunction; providing criminal penalties; providing for the court's authority over its own procedures, with an exception; requiring the court to order the expunction of a criminal history record under certain circumstances; clarifying that expunction of certain criminal history records does not affect eligibility for expunction of other criminal history records; providing procedures for processing expunction petitions and orders; providing that a person granted an expunction may lawfully deny or fail to acknowledge the underlying arrest or conviction,

with exceptions; providing that a person may not be deemed to have committed perjury or otherwise held liable for giving a false statement if he or she fails to recite or acknowledge an expunged criminal history record; prohibiting courts from requiring the payment of certain fees or costs relating to such petitions; prohibiting a person from being denied employment under certain circumstances; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1698—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxes; creating s. 566.012, F.S.; imposing a sales tax on marijuana; requiring certain entities to file a monthly return that includes sales tax payments and to keep specified records; authorizing the Division of Cannabis Management to revoke a marijuana cultivation facility's license under certain circumstances; creating s. 566.0125, F.S.; authorizing counties and municipalities to establish additional sales taxes on the sale of marijuana; limiting the sales tax rate; creating s. 566.0126, F.S.; exempting certain purchases of marijuana for medical use from specified state and local sales taxes; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1700—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school readiness program funding; amending s. 1002.89, F.S.; deleting a requirement that all state, federal, and local matching funds provided to an early learning coalition for certain purposes be used for implementation of its approved school readiness plan; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 1002.891, F.S.; requiring the Division of Early Learning within the Department of Education to conduct an allocation conference; specifying conference principals; requiring conference principals to discuss and agree to all conventions and calculation methods to be used to calculate the school readiness funding formula for the early learning coalitions for the fiscal year for which the appropriations are made; requiring conventions and calculation methods to remain in effect until further agreements are reached in subsequent allocation conferences; requiring the division to provide conference principals with specified data before each recalculation of the school readiness funding formula; amending ss. 1002.81 and 1002.82, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1702—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mandatory building inspections; creating s. 553.899, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining the term “milestone inspection”; specifying that the purpose of a milestone inspection is not to determine compliance with the Florida Building Code; requiring owners of certain multifamily residential buildings to have milestone inspections performed at specified times; requiring the boards of administration for condominium and cooperative associations to arrange for milestone inspections of condominium buildings and cooperative buildings, respectively; specifying that such associations are responsible for costs relating to milestone inspections; providing applicability; requiring that initial milestone inspections for certain buildings be performed before a specified date; specifying that milestone inspections consist of two phases; providing requirements for each phase of a milestone inspection; requiring architects and engineers performing a milestone inspection to submit a sealed copy of the inspection report to certain entities; requiring boards of administrations of condominium associations and cooperative associations to distribute a copy of each inspection report for a condominium building or cooperative building to unit owners and publish the report on the association's website under certain circumstances; authorizing local enforcement agencies to prescribe timelines and penalties relating

to milestone inspections; requiring the Florida Building Commission to develop certain standards by a specified date and make such standards available to local governments for adoption; amending s. 718.111, F.S.; revising the types of records that constitute the official records of a condominium association; amending s. 718.503, F.S.; revising non-developer disclosure requirements relating to resales of residential condominium units; amending s. 719.104, F.S.; revising the types of records that constitute the official records of a cooperative association; amending s. 719.503, F.S.; entitling prospective purchasers of an interest in a cooperative to a copy of milestone inspection reports; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ausley—

SB 1704—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Social Services Estimating Conference; amending s. 216.136, F.S.; requiring the Social Services Estimating Conference to develop specified information related to the home-based and community-based Medicaid waiver program; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1706—A bill to be entitled An act relating to servicers and lenders of residential mortgage loans; amending s. 494.001, F.S.; revising and providing definitions; creating s. 494.00163, F.S.; requiring mortgage lenders and mortgage servicers to comply with specified federal law; requiring that periodic statements for residential mortgage loans follow specified laws; specifying that certain entities are not exempt from such laws; defining the term “small mortgage servicer”; creating s. 494.00225, F.S.; requiring mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders to assume duties and obligations relating to previously approved first lien loan modifications, foreclosure prevention alternatives, and other loan modifications under certain circumstances; creating s. 494.0027, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders from commencing certain civil actions, recording specified notices, or conducting foreclosure sales unless specified conditions are met; requiring mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders to establish single points of contact and provide to borrowers direct means of communication with the single points of contact upon request; providing requirements and duties for single points of contact and for mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders relating to single points of contact; requiring mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders to send written acknowledgment of application receipt to foreclosure prevention alternative applicants in specified manners within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for statements, documents, and information that mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders must send to applicants under various circumstances; providing timelines for mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders to commence civil actions against residential mortgage loan borrowers; providing that mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders are not required to evaluate foreclosure prevention alternative applications under certain circumstances; providing an exception; prohibiting mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders from charging specified fees; creating ss. 627.4055 and 635.0215, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting insurers and insurance agents from engaging in certain acts relating to lender-placed insurance for residential mortgage loan guaranty; creating s. 702.013, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders from commencing certain civil actions, recording specified notices, or conducting foreclosure sales unless specified conditions are met; providing an exception; requiring mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders to establish single points of contact and to provide to borrowers direct means of communication with the single points of contact upon request; providing requirements and duties for single points of contact and for mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders relating to single points of contact; requiring mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders to send written acknowledgment of application receipt to foreclosure prevention alternative applicants in specified manners within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for statements, documents, and information that mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders must send to applicants

under various circumstances; providing timelines for mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders to commence civil actions against residential mortgage loan borrowers; providing that mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders are not required to evaluate foreclosure prevention alternative applications under certain circumstances; providing an exception; prohibiting mortgage servicers and mortgage lenders from charging specified fees; amending ss. 494.00115 and 494.0025, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Garcia—

SB 1708—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 382.0255, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to waive fees for certified copies of birth certificates issued to certain unaccompanied homeless youth and young adults; amending s. 409.1452, F.S.; revising requirements for required collaboration among the Board of Governors, the Florida College System, and the Department of Education in working with the Department of Children and Families to assist specified children and young adults; amending s. 409.1454, F.S.; revising legislative findings; revising eligibility and requirements for a certain driver education, licensure, and insurance program to include certain unaccompanied homeless youth; revising program operation and administration requirements; amending s. 743.067, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “unaccompanied homeless youth”; specifying certification criteria for unaccompanied homeless youth; authorizing certain unaccompanied homeless youth to use a specified form to receive birth certificates; authorizing health care providers to accept such form for certain purposes; authorizing certain unaccompanied homeless youth to consent to specified medical and other care; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; requiring district school boards to provide cards that contain specified information to certain unaccompanied homeless youth; specifying requirements for the card; amending s. 1003.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “children and youths who are experiencing homelessness”; defining the term “certified unaccompanied homeless youth”; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to conduct a specified study; specifying the scope of the study; requiring the study to include specified recommendations; requiring the office to consult with specified entities; requiring the office to submit a report on the study to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Bradley and Brandes—

SB 1710—A bill to be entitled An act relating to guardianship; amending s. 744.2001, F.S.; specifying circumstances under which the Office of Public and Professional Guardians’ executive director’s monitoring tool for ensuring compliance by professional guardians may include a certain financial audit; requiring the development of a tool utilizing the clerks of the court to collect certain data; creating s. 744.20042, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; requiring the Department of Elderly Affairs to collect, compile, maintain, and manage certain data submitted by clerks of the court; requiring clerks of the court to collect and report monthly specified data related to guardianship cases to the department; requiring the department to collect specified data for certain guardians; requiring the department to publish datasets in a specified manner by certain dates; providing that certain information remains confidential when reported to the department; providing that the department may disclose such information only under certain circumstances; creating s. 744.20043, F.S.; requiring the department to create and maintain a publicly available dashboard containing certain information; providing a requirement for such information; amending ss. 744.362, 744.363, 744.365, and 744.367, F.S.; requiring a guardian, in an initial guardianship report, an initial guardianship plan, a verified inventory, or an annual guardianship report, respectively, to submit certain information to the clerk of the court in a certain format; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1712—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Veteran Suicide Prevention Training Pilot Program; creating s. 394.9088, F.S.; requiring the Department of Veterans’ Affairs to establish the pilot program; providing the purpose of the pilot program; requiring pilot program participants to receive certain training; requiring the department to contract with an organization to develop the curriculum for such training; requiring the department to establish and oversee the participant certification process; requiring the department to adopt rules; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1714—A bill to be entitled An act relating to prohibited employer retaliation related to COVID-19; creating s. 448.077, F.S.; prohibiting an employer from taking retaliatory action against an employee who takes a leave of absence to quarantine after testing positive for COVID-19 and provides proof of the positive test to the employer; authorizing an employee to use sick leave for such quarantine if sick leave is available to the employee; defining the term “retaliatory action”; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1716—A bill to be entitled An act relating to display of flags in residential associations; amending s. 718.113, F.S.; authorizing unit owners of a condominium to display no more than a certain number of specified flags regardless of certain prohibitions in the governing documents of the condominium association; removing a limitation relating to flying flags only on specified days; defining the term “first responder flag”; authorizing a civil cause of action; entitling prevailing parties to attorney fees and costs in such actions; amending s. 720.304, F.S.; authorizing homeowners to display specified flags regardless of certain prohibitions in the governing documents of the homeowners’ association; defining the term “first responder flag”; entitling prevailing parties to attorney fees and costs in specified actions; amending s. 720.3075, F.S.; prohibiting certain homeowners’ association documents from precluding property owners from displaying certain flags; requiring that such flags be displayed in a specified manner; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Book—

SB 1718—A bill to be entitled An act relating to cosmetic animal testing; creating s. 499.075, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; prohibiting a manufacturer from manufacturing, importing for profit, selling, or offering for sale a cosmetic developed or manufactured using cosmetic animal testing conducted or contracted by certain persons or from conducting or contracting for cosmetic animal testing; providing exceptions; providing labeling requirements for specified cosmetics; providing enforcement and civil penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Book—

SB 1720—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sealing and expunction of criminal history records; reenacting and amending s. 943.0585, F.S.; revising the eligibility criteria a person must meet to qualify for a court-ordered expunction of a criminal history record; re-

enacting and amending s. 943.059, F.S.; revising the eligibility criteria a person must meet to qualify for a court-ordered sealing of a criminal history record; reenacting ss. 948.08(6)(d) and (7)(b), 948.16(1)(b) and (2)(b), and 985.345(1)(b) and (2)(c), F.S., relating to a pretrial intervention program, specified misdemeanor intervention programs, and delinquency pretrial intervention programs, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 943.0585, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 943.0582(2)(b), F.S., relating to diversion program expunction, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 943.059, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 943.0582(4), F.S., relating to diversion program expunction, to incorporate the amendments made to ss. 943.0585 and 943.059, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1722—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; repealing s. 97.029, F.S., relating to civil actions challenging the validity of election laws; repealing s. 97.0291, F.S., relating to a prohibition on the use of private funds for election-related expenses; amending s. 97.0575, F.S.; revising the time period within which a third-party voter registration organization must deliver voter registration applications to the Division of Elections of the Department of State or to a supervisor of elections; deleting provisions relating to certain notification requirements; amending s. 97.1031, F.S.; revising information that an elector must provide to a supervisor of elections when the elector changes his or her residence address; amending s. 101.051, F.S.; deleting a prohibition on the solicitation of voters at drop box locations; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 101.62, F.S.; revising requirements for vote-by-mail ballot requests; revising information that a supervisor is required to record for each vote-by-mail ballot request the supervisor receives; deleting a prohibition against mailing vote-by-mail ballots to certain voters; amending s. 101.64, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to information included on vote-by-mail ballot mailing envelopes and secrecy envelopes; amending s. 101.69, F.S.; deleting provisions authorizing the use of certain secure drop boxes during certain hours; deleting provisions requiring the monitoring of secure drop boxes; deleting provisions relating to the designation of drop box sites; deleting provisions relating to the retrieval of ballots from secure drop boxes; deleting provisions subjecting a supervisor to certain civil penalties in certain circumstances; amending s. 102.031, F.S.; deleting provisions prohibiting certain solicitation activities within a specified area surrounding a drop box; revising a definition; deleting a provision restricting certain persons from prohibiting the solicitation of voters by a candidate or a candidate's designee outside of the no-solicitation zone; repealing s. 104.0616, F.S., relating to vote-by-mail ballots and voting; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Harrell—

SB 1724—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the designation of essential caregivers for in-person visitations; creating s. 408.823, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing residents to designate essential caregivers with whom facilities or program providers may not prohibit in-person visitation; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt guidelines for visitation which meet certain requirements; authorizing a facility or provider to revoke an essential caregiver's designation for certain violations; authorizing the designation of a new essential caregiver if the original caregiver's designation is revoked; requiring the agency to establish an appeals process; prohibiting any adopted safety protocols from being more stringent than certain standards; providing construction; requiring the agency to seek any necessary federal waivers or authorizations; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ausley—

SB 1726—A bill to be entitled An act relating to broadband; amending s. 288.9961, F.S.; establishing the Broadband Deployment Task Force within the Department of Economic Opportunity 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 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 confidentiality and exemption from public disclosure requirements; amending s. 288.9962, F.S.; providing applicability; revising grant application written challenge requirements; establishing positions with the Office of Broadband for a specified purpose; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Boyd—

SB 1728—A bill to be entitled An act relating to property insurance; amending s. 489.147, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "prohibited advertisement"; amending s. 627.351, F.S.; deleting obsolete provisions related to eligibility thresholds for personal lines residential coverage with the Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; requiring the corporation to use a method for valuing dwelling replacement costs which is approved by the Office of Insurance Regulation; specifying qualifications requirements for certain members of the board of governors for the corporation; revising conditions for eligibility for coverage with the corporation; providing for a required limited annual rate increase for specified policies; defining the term "primary residence"; 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 keepout 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 keepout programs; providing thresholds for eligibility for coverage by the corporation for risks that are offered coverage from qualified surplus lines insurers; authorizing information from underwriting files and confidential claims files to be released under certain circumstances by the corporation to specified entities that consider writing or underwriting risks insured by the corporation; 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; revising the contents of a specified notice provided by the corporation; amending s. 627.3518, F.S.; deleting an obsolete provision related to implementing the clearinghouse program by a specified date; deleting an obsolete reporting requirement; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 627.7011, F.S.; providing that certain provisions relating to homeowners' policies do not prohibit insurers from providing limited coverage on personal lines residential property insurance policies by including roof surface type reimbursement schedules; providing requirements for roof surface type reimbursement schedules; authorizing the conversion of a residential property insurance policy to a roof surface type reimbursement schedule under certain circumstances; providing that certain provisions relating to homeowners' policies do not prohibit insurers from providing coverage on personal lines residential property insurance policies that limits roof coverage to a stated value sublimit of coverage; providing requirements for stated value sublimits of coverages; providing that certain provisions relating to homeowners' policies do not prohibit certain insurers from offering roof reimbursement on the basis of replacement costs; reenacting ss. 624.424(10), 627.3517, and 627.712(1), F.S., relating to annual insurer statements, consumer choice, and required residential windstorm coverage, respectively, to incorporate the amendments made to s. 627.351, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1730—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Groveland Four business loans and scholarships; amending s. 288.7102, F.S.; requiring the Department of Economic Opportunity to prioritize certain applications for the Black Business Loan Program; creating s. 1009.551, F.S.; creating the Groveland Four Scholarship Program for specified recipients; directing the Department of Education to administer the program; specifying annual award amounts to students participating in the program; requiring the department to rank applicants; providing for transmittal of an award payment to a participating postsecondary institution; prescribing eligibility criteria for award recipients; authorizing the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing for program funding; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1732—A bill to be entitled An act relating to landlord liability; creating s. 83.555, F.S.; specifying that a cause of action does not arise against a landlord, or a manager or an agent of a landlord, solely for renting to a tenant with a criminal record; providing exceptions; providing construction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1734—A bill to be entitled An act relating to resident care in nursing home facilities; amending s. 400.022, F.S.; requiring a resident's attending health care provider in a nursing home facility to consult with the resident's personal physician, if selected, in the provision of acute care to the resident and before ordering or prescribing medication to the resident; requiring the resident's attending health care provider to document any such consultations in the resident's records; requiring the nursing home facility to provide the resident's records to the resident's personal physician in accordance with specified provisions; providing that residents or their legal representatives have the right to receive a response from a nursing home facility within a specified timeframe of an inquiry or request for information; creating s. 400.0221, F.S.; requiring nursing home facilities to take certain measures before admitting a resident; requiring nursing home facilities to provide residents or their legal representatives with a copy of the resident care plan immediately after it is developed; requiring a physician, registered nurse, or care coordinator to discuss the plan with the resident or the resident's legal representative for a specified purpose; requiring such plan to be reviewed at least quarterly by specified individuals; requiring the plan to be revised under certain circumstances; amending s. 400.141, F.S.; requiring nursing home facilities to provide each resident with the opportunity to select a personal physician; requiring the attending health care provider at the facility, if selected, to consult with the resident's personal physician for certain care or before ordering or prescribing medication to the resident; requiring the attending health care provider to document such consultations in the resident's records; requiring the facility to provide the resident's records to his or her personal physician on a monthly basis and within a specified timeframe of any changes in the resident's condition, care, or treatment; requiring the facility to immediately forward the results of any test or examination of the resident to the resident's personal physician; requiring the facility to continue providing such records until notified otherwise by the resident or the resident's legal representative; requiring nursing home facilities to maintain the names and contact information of specified individuals on their websites; requiring nursing home facilities to publicly display in the facility the names of the manager and director of nursing on duty; amending s. 400.145, F.S.; revising the timeframe in which nursing home facilities must furnish requested records of a current or former resident; requiring nursing home facilities to provide a resident's records to the resident's selected health care providers outside of the facility on a monthly basis and within a specified timeframe of any change in the resident's condition, care, or treatment; requiring facilities to immediately provide the results of any test or examination conducted on the resident to the applicable health care providers; requiring the facility to continue pro-

viding such records until notified otherwise by the resident or the resident's legal representative; authorizing the agency to cite nursing home facilities during the survey process for alleged or actual non-compliance with certain requirements; amending s. 400.23, F.S.; requiring nursing home facilities to post on their websites specified information relating to staffing at their facilities; requiring such information to be in a conspicuous location on their websites and in a specified format; amending ss. 400.172, 400.211, 408.822, 409.221, 430.80, 430.81, and 651.118, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hooper—

SB 1736—A bill to be entitled An act relating to records of physical examinations of officers; amending s. 943.13, F.S.; requiring an employing agency to maintain records of employee physical examinations for a specified period of time after employee separation from the agency; creating a presumption that applies to employees whose records are not maintained for that period of time; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SM 1738—A memorial to the Congress of the United States, requesting Congress to pass H.R. 3339, which creates a National Infrastructure Bank to finance urgently needed infrastructure projects.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1740—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and public meetings; amending s. 119.0713, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by a utility owned or operated by a unit of local government; providing for retroactive application; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; reenacting s. 286.0113(3), F.S., relating to an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of meetings held by a utility owned or operated by a unit of local government which would reveal certain information, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 119.0713, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1742—A bill to be entitled An act relating to denial of health care services; creating s. 381.027, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; requiring a covered entity to adopt a policy relating to providing notice of its refused services by a specified date; providing requirements for such notice; requiring the covered entity to submit a complete list of refused services to the Department of Health by a specified date; requiring that the covered entity notify the department within a specified period after a change is made to such list; requiring a covered entity to submit the list, along with its application, if applying for certain state grants or contracts; providing a civil penalty; requiring the department to adopt rules; requiring the department to publish and maintain on its website a current list of covered entities and their refused services; requiring the department to develop and administer a certain public education and awareness program; providing construction; providing for severability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1744—A bill to be entitled An act relating to phosphogypsum stacks; directing the Department of Environmental Protection to conduct an analysis of phosphogypsum stacks in the state and submit a report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brodeur—

SJR 1746—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 6 of Article VII and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to authorize the legislature, by general law, to grant an additional homestead property tax exemption on \$50,000 of the assessed value of homestead property owned by classroom teachers, law enforcement officers, correctional officers, firefighters, child welfare services professionals, active duty members of the United States Armed Forces, and members of the Florida National Guard.

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

By Senator Brodeur—

SB 1748—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homestead property tax exemptions for classroom teachers, law enforcement officers, firefighters, child welfare professionals, and servicemembers; amending s. 196.011, F.S.; specifying the information that must be supplied annually to the property appraiser by classroom teachers, law enforcement officers, firefighters, child welfare professionals, and servicemembers who qualify for a specified exemption; creating s. 196.077, F.S.; providing definitions; providing conditions under which a classroom teacher, a law enforcement officer, a firefighter, a child welfare professional, or a servicemember may receive an additional homestead property tax exemption; specifying the amount of the homestead property tax exemption; providing requirements for applying for and receiving an exemption; specifying actions a property appraiser may take if a taxpayer improperly claims an exemption; providing penalties under certain conditions; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing applicability; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1750—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sale of dogs and cats; amending s. 828.29, F.S.; requiring that if a pet sale is terminated for certain reasons, a financing agreement must be terminated without penalty; deleting a limit on veterinary costs under certain provisions; requiring all financing terms to be disclosed to a consumer before the sale of an animal; requiring a mandatory waiting period between the purchase and receipt of an animal if the transaction is financed; deleting certain provisions relating to return of an animal; requiring a pet dealer to provide copies of medical records to a consumer; revising requirements for disclosures to a consumer; revising the text of a required disclosure; requiring a pet dealer to retain a copy of a specified notice for a specified period; providing that violations constitute an unfair method of competition or an unfair or deceptive act or practice in violation of specified provisions and subject to penalties; providing construction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1752—A bill to be entitled An act relating to communications services; amending s. 337.401, F.S.; removing certain communications services lines as items over which certain governmental entities are

authorized to prescribe and enforce reasonable rules and regulations; removing time restrictions placed upon certain counties and municipalities for processing certain permit applications; removing provisions that specify limitations and prohibitions on municipalities and counties relating to registrations and renewals of communications services providers; removing provisions that authorize municipalities and counties to require certain information as part of a registration; removing provisions that prohibit municipalities and counties from requiring a payment of fees, costs, or charges for provider registration or renewal; removing provisions that prohibit municipalities and counties from adopting or enforcing certain ordinances, regulations, or requirements; removing limitations on municipal and county authority to regulate and manage municipal and county roads or rights-of-way; removing provisions that prohibit certain municipalities and counties from imposing permit fees; removing provisions that specify activities for which permit fees may not be imposed; removing the requirement that enforcement of certain ordinances must be suspended until certain conditions are met; removing a condition for certain in-kind compensation; revising items over which municipalities and counties may exercise regulatory control; removing provisions for requirements relating to right-of-way permits; removing provisions relating to municipal and county authority over pass-through providers; deleting references to, and administration and provisions of, the Advanced Wireless Infrastructure Deployment Act; removing a provision authorizing a civil action for specified violations; removing certain actions a court may take; removing provisions that require that work in certain authority rights-of-way must comply with a specified document; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1754—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local government communications services; amending s. 125.421, F.S.; removing provisions which require counties and entities of local government to pay ad valorem taxes or fees under specified conditions on certain telecommunications facilities; removing a waiver on immunity on taxation of property for counties or entities of local government under such circumstances; amending s. 166.047, F.S.; removing provisions which require municipalities and entities of local government to pay ad valorem taxes or fees under specified conditions on certain telecommunications facilities; removing a waiver on immunity on taxation of property for municipalities or entities of local government under such circumstances; amending ss. 196.012 and 199.183, F.S.; removing provisions prohibiting property and use of two-way telecommunications services under specified circumstances from receiving certain tax exemptions; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; removing provisions prohibiting sales, rental, use, consumption, or storage for use of two-way telecommunications services under specified circumstances from receiving a certain tax exemption; removing a waiver on immunity on taxation of property for political subdivisions or entities of local government under such circumstances; amending s. 350.81, F.S.; removing provisions that identify procedures which must be followed by governmental entities before providing communications services; removing a requirement for the Department of Revenue to send a specified notice; removing provisions relating to the use of certain revenues to issue bonds to finance communications services; removing provisions which provide certain procedures if revenues do not exceed operating costs after a specified time period; removing provisions exempting certain governmental entities from certain requirements relating to telecommunications services; removing a provision specifying that certain airport authorities or other governmental entities are not exempt from certain procedural requirements relating to telecommunications services; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1756—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Labor; creating s. 20.71, F.S.; creating the Department of Labor as a new department of state government; providing for the secretary of the department to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the

Senate; authorizing the secretary to establish divisions and regional offices of the department; providing the purpose of the department; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 448.109, F.S.; revising requirements for notifying employees of certain rights; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 448.110, F.S.; designating the Department of Labor as the state Agency for Workforce Innovation for purposes of implementing s. 24, Art. X of the State Constitution; defining terms; revising the protected rights of employees; creating a rebuttable presumption and burden of proof for an employer; providing applicability; prohibiting a person or entity from entering into certain contracts relating to labor or services under certain circumstances; authorizing and providing the department certain powers to conduct investigations, issue citations, and enforce and collect judgments by certain means; providing for appropriate relief, including injunctive relief, under certain circumstances; providing a process for review of a citation, levy, or stop-order issued by the department; providing civil and criminal penalties; tolling the statute of limitations during an investigation; providing liability; requiring and authorizing the department to take certain actions relating to judgments against employers; requiring all employers, client employers, and labor contractors to create certain records documenting their compliance with specified laws and maintain the records for a specified length of time; requiring employers, client employers, and labor contractors to allow the department reasonable access to the records; authorizing the department to partner with other entities for administration and enforcement purposes; requiring the department to establish an outreach and education partnership program, subject to an appropriation by the Legislature; providing duties and powers of such program; creating s. 448.111, F.S.; creating the Department of Labor Community Advisory Board within the department; providing for membership, meetings, and duties of the advisory board; requiring an annual report to the Secretary of Labor, the Governor, and the Legislature; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1758—A bill to be entitled An act relating to judgment liens; providing a short title; amending s. 55.202, F.S.; specifying that payment intangibles, accounts, and the proceeds thereof are subject to judgment liens; providing construction; amending s. 55.205, F.S.; deleting a provision specifying the priority of certain judgment creditor liens; specifying the validity and enforceability of judgment liens against motor vehicles and vessels; providing a procedure for noting the lien on the certificate of title; specifying restrictions on the enforcement of judgment liens; specifying an account debtor's authority to discharge the account debtor's obligation to pay payment intangibles, accounts, or the proceeds thereof; amending s. 55.208, F.S.; providing construction relating to the effect of liens existing before a specified date on payment intangibles and accounts and the proceeds thereof; deleting an obsolete provision relating to judgment liens on writs of execution previously delivered to a sheriff; amending s. 55.209, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 56.29, F.S.; requiring a court, under certain circumstances, to order the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to note certain liens on the certificate of title of certain motor vehicles or vessels and in the department's records; amending s. 319.24, F.S.; prohibiting the department from issuing a motor vehicle or mobile home certificate of title under certain circumstances; specifying procedures for a judgment lienholder to place a lien on motor vehicles or vessels; revising requirements for the department if a certificate of title is not forwarded or returned to the department under certain circumstances; revising the authority of certain persons to demand and receive a lien satisfaction; requiring a lienholder to enter a satisfaction in a certificate of title upon satisfaction or lapse of a judgment lien; amending s. 319.241, F.S.; revising circumstances under which the department may not remove a lien from the department's records or a certificate of title; specifying a requirement for the department; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Powell—

SB 1760—A bill to be entitled An act relating to duties of the inspector general of the Department of Corrections; amending s. 944.31, F.S.; transferring the law enforcement functions of the inspector general of the Department of Corrections to the Department of Law Enforcement; deleting provisions relating to law enforcement certification and powers of inspector general personnel; transferring by a type two transfer the powers, duties, functions, records, offices, personnel, property, investigations, and unexpended balances relating to specified law enforcement functions from the inspector general to the Department of Law Enforcement; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brandes—

SB 1762—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the solicitation of nonmedical services; creating s. 501.20791, F.S.; defining terms; providing that a person who submits or sponsors a nonmedical solicitation that contains certain terminology or fails to include specified disclosures commits a deceptive and unfair trade practice, subject to the penalties and remedies of the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; creating s. 877.025, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting the unauthorized use, sale, transfer, or disclosure of protected health information for the purpose of soliciting professional services; providing that a person who willfully and knowingly violates such prohibition commits a deceptive and unfair trade practice, subject to the penalties and remedies of the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; providing criminal penalties for willful and knowing violations and enhanced criminal penalties for violations committed for financial gain; providing applicability; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Albritton—

SB 1764—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Municipal Solid Waste-to-Energy Program; creating s. 377.814, F.S.; creating the Municipal Solid Waste-to-Energy Program within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services for a specified purpose; defining terms; requiring the department, subject to appropriation, to provide financial assistance grants to municipal solid waste-to-energy facilities that meet certain requirements; requiring the department to distribute funds to qualifying applicants based on certain criteria; requiring the department to establish a process to verify the amount of certain electric power purchases; directing the Public Service Commission to provide assistance in verifying grant eligibility; requiring the department, subject to appropriation, to provide incentive grants to municipal solid waste-to-energy facilities to assist with certain costs; specifying requirements for applying for the funding; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to provide assistance in determining grant eligibility and establishing requirements; requiring the department to perform grant overview; establishing priority for funding for the grants; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to adopt rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1766—A bill to be entitled An act relating to conditions of pretrial release; amending s. 901.15, F.S.; providing an exception to warrantless arrest; creating s. 901.1502, F.S.; requiring an officer to issue a notice to appear rather than make a custodial arrest in certain circumstances; requiring persons receiving such notices to appear to be scheduled for a court appearance within a specified time period; amending s. 903.046, F.S.; specifying that criminal defendants who are not charged with felony offenses are presumed to be entitled to release without monetary bail or bail with a monetary component to the conditions of their release; requiring that such defendants be released within a specified

time period; providing requirements before a court may set or modify a condition of pretrial release that includes monetary bail or bail with a monetary component; providing requirements for monetary bail or bail with a monetary component; amending s. 903.047, F.S.; requiring that all pretrial releasees be enrolled in a specified notification system; amending s. 903.0471, F.S.; requiring a court to issue an arrest order if the court finds there is probable cause to believe that a defendant on pretrial release committed a specified offense; amending s. 907.041, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; revising the factors to be considered in determining whether a defendant charged with DUI manslaughter poses a threat of harm to the community for purposes of considering pretrial detention; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Book—

SB 1768—A bill to be entitled An act relating to statutes of limitations; amending s. 95.11, F.S.; eliminating the statute of limitations period for civil actions for certain sexual offenses; providing applicability; superseding specified requirements for actions against the state or its subdivisions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Book—

SB 1770—A bill to be entitled An act relating to donor human milk bank services; amending s. 409.906, F.S.; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to pay for donor human milk bank services as an optional Medicaid service if certain conditions are met; specifying coverage requirements; amending s. 409.908, F.S.; adding donor human milk bank services to the list of Medicaid services authorized for reimbursement on a fee-for-service basis; amending s. 409.973, F.S.; adding donor human milk bank services to the list of minimum benefits required to be covered by Medicaid managed care plans; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1772—A bill to be entitled An act relating to supported decisionmaking for adults with disabilities; amending s. 393.063, F.S.; defining terms; amending s. 393.065, F.S.; revising a requirement that the Agency for Persons with Disabilities provide specified information to certain persons to conform to changes made by the act; amending s. 393.12, F.S.; revising the requirements for petitions to appoint guardian advocates for persons with developmental disabilities to conform to changes made by the act; creating s. 393.121, F.S.; authorizing adults with disabilities to enter into supported decisionmaking agreements under certain circumstances; prohibiting the use of such agreements as evidence of incapacity; providing that such agreements do not preclude a decisionmaker from acting independently; providing criteria for supporters; specifying actions supporters may be authorized to take pursuant to a supported decisionmaking agreement; requiring that a supporter act in good faith; authorizing adults with disabilities who have appointed guardian advocates to enter into supported decisionmaking agreements under certain circumstances; amending ss. 383.141 and 1002.394, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Pizzo—

SB 1774—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominium associations; amending s. 718.111, F.S.; authorizing the person or entity preparing the financial report for an association to rely on a specified inspection report; prohibiting an association from waiving a financial report for more than a specified period; amending s. 718.112, F.S.; re-

quiring an association to provide a board candidate's certification form to unit owners for specified purposes; amending s. 718.113, F.S.; requiring a board to have certain condominium buildings inspected every 5 years by an architect or engineer; requiring the architect or engineer to provide the board with a specified report; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1776—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vacating premises after rental agreement termination; amending s. 83.56, F.S.; requiring landlords to provide certain tenants a specified amount of time to vacate the premises after delivery of a notice to terminate the rental agreement before bringing a specified action; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1778—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Urban High-Crime Area Job Tax Credit Program; repealing s. 212.097, F.S., relating to the Urban High-Crime Area Job Tax Credit Program; amending ss. 220.1895 and 288.0655, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Pizzo—

SB 1780—A bill to be entitled An act relating to community associations' building inspections; amending ss. 718.112, 719.106, and 720.303, F.S.; requiring that residential condominium, residential cooperative, and homeowners' association buildings be inspected upon reaching 30 years of age and every 5 years thereafter; requiring that the inspection be completed by a specified architect or engineer; requiring the boards of a condominium association, cooperative association, and homeowners' association, respectively, to convene within a specified time after receipt of the inspection report for a specified purpose; requiring such associations to provide a copy of the inspection report to the local authority having jurisdiction and to make the report available for inspection by their members within a specified time; requiring that a copy of the inspection report be maintained in the associations' official records; amending ss. 718.111 and 719.104, F.S.; requiring that a specified inspection report be maintained as an official record of condominium associations and cooperative associations, respectively; amending ss. 718.301 and 720.307, F.S.; requiring a developer to comply with certain building inspection requirements and to provide a specified inspection report upon the transition of association control under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1782—A bill to be entitled An act relating to domestic abuser registration; creating s. 943.0425, F.S.; providing definitions; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to post a publicly accessible registry on its website of persons convicted of domestic abuse offenses; providing requirements for the registry; requiring the clerk of the court in each county to forward certain notices of conviction for domestic abuse offenses to the department within a specified time; requiring the maintenance of specified information for certain time periods; requiring the removal of specified records under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1784—A bill to be entitled An act relating to road construction; creating the Rural Roads Initiative Pilot Program within the Department of Transportation; providing the purpose of the pilot program; defining the term “East Pasco County”; providing application and funding requirements; specifying the role of the department in distributing funds; specifying project standards; authorizing the Governor to reallocate funds under certain circumstances; providing an exception; requiring the department to submit an annual report to the Legislature; requiring the Legislature to designate a pilot program review committee; providing an appropriation; amending s. 337.14, F.S.; revising the amount of a construction contract for which a contractor must first be certified by the department in order to bid on such contract; amending s. 337.11, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Pizzo and Boyd—

SB 1786—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 339.0817, F.S.; creating the Chet Smith Bike Path Trust Fund within the Department of Transportation; providing the purpose of the trust fund; specifying uses for the moneys in the trust fund; requiring certain balances in the trust fund at the end of a fiscal year to remain available for specified purposes; providing for future review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund; amending s. 339.081, F.S.; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to maintain the trust fund within the State Treasury for the department; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1788—A bill to be entitled An act relating to misdemeanor criminal history record expunction; amending s. 943.0585, F.S.; authorizing a person to lawfully deny or fail to acknowledge certain expunged misdemeanor arrests when applying for specified employment positions or licenses; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1790—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Reading Achievement Initiative for Scholastic Excellence Program; amending s. 1008.365, F.S.; authorizing tutoring provided through the tutoring program of the Reading Achievement Initiative for Scholastic Excellence Program to be provided after the school day; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; authorizing school districts that participate in the tutoring program to provide a stipend to instructional personnel and high school students serving as tutors for after-school tutoring; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Albritton—

SB 1792—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Caloosahatchee River watershed; amending s. 373.4595, F.S.; prohibiting the land application of septage from onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems within the watershed; removing a requirement for entities disposing of septage within the watershed to develop and submit a specified agricultural use plan to the Department of Health; directing the Department of Environmental Protection to adopt an updated Caloosahatchee River and Estuary Basin Management Action Plan by a specified date; requiring the department to prioritize certain remediation needs; requiring the department to estimate certain costs; requiring the de-

partment to award funds for specified purposes, subject to an appropriation in the General Appropriations Act; providing plan requirements; authorizing the department to waive matching funding requirements for rural areas of opportunity; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1794—A bill to be entitled An act relating to harness horse racing; amending s. 550.054, F.S.; authorizing the division to issue special harness horse racing permits; specifying that a special harness horse racing permitholder may only conduct live harness horse racing and associated pari-mutuel wagering; prohibiting special harness horse racing permitholders from operating cardrooms or slot machines and from applying for or being issued licenses relating to such operations; prohibiting a special harness horse racing permit from being converted to another class of permit; amending s. 550.01215, F.S.; authorizing certain permitholders to elect to conduct live harness horse racing; specifying that permitholders making such election are not entitled to any additional permits; requiring such permitholders to maintain and remain qualified for their original permits; providing construction; making conforming changes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Gruters, Rodriguez, and Hooper—

SB 1796—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dissolution of marriage; amending s. 61.046, F.S.; defining the term “active gross income”; revising the definition of the term “income”; amending s. 61.08, F.S.; defining terms; requiring the court to prioritize certain forms of alimony; authorizing the court to grant permanent alimony only if both parties enter into such agreement; requiring the court to make certain written findings in its awards of alimony; prohibiting the court from denying or granting an award of alimony solely on the basis of adultery, with an exception; revising factors that the court must consider in determining the proper type and amount of alimony; authorizing a party to whom the court has awarded alimony to purchase or maintain a life insurance policy on the obligor’s life to protect an award of alimony; requiring the obligor to cooperate in the process of procuring the life insurance; modifying certain rebuttable presumptions related to the duration of a marriage for purposes of determining alimony; prohibiting an award of rehabilitative alimony from exceeding specified timeframes; revising a provision authorizing the modification of rehabilitative alimony upon completion of the rehabilitative plan to include a certain condition; revising provisions related to durational alimony; prohibiting the length of an award of durational alimony from exceeding specified timeframes; authorizing the court to extend durational alimony under certain circumstances; specifying what constitutes the length of a marriage for the purpose of determining durational alimony; requiring the court to make certain written findings when awarding durational alimony; requiring the court to consider specified factors when determining an alimony award involving the existence of a supportive relationship between the obligee and another person; providing for the burden of proof in such determinations; providing construction; providing for the termination of a durational alimony award upon retirement of the obligor under certain circumstances; providing a formula for the calculation of durational alimony; providing that a party who has reached retirement age in accordance with specified provisions may not be ordered to pay alimony; providing exceptions; establishing that alimony may not be awarded to a party who has a certain monthly net income; prohibiting social security retirement benefits from being imputed to the obligor, with an exception; requiring an obligee to meet certain requirements if he or she alleges that a physical disability has impaired his or her ability to earn income; requiring the court to consider any alimony payments made to the obligee when determining the amount and length of rehabilitative or durational alimony; providing applicability; amending s. 61.14, F.S.; authorizing the court to order an obligee to reimburse alimony payments to the obligor under certain circumstances; specifying a timeframe for the court to consider a supportive relationship between the obligee and another person for pur-

poses of reducing or terminating an award of alimony or ordering reimbursement of alimony payments; providing for the burden of proof in such determinations; revising factors the court may consider when determining whether a supportive relationship exists or existed between the obligee and another person; requiring the court to make its findings related to such factors in writing; providing that an obligor's subsequent remarriage or cohabitation is not a basis for modification of alimony; prohibiting modifications of alimony awards based on the income of either party's subsequent spouse or person with whom he or she resides; authorizing an obligor to file a notice of retirement and intent to terminate alimony within a specified timeframe before such retirement; providing notice and response requirements; requiring the court to make written findings regarding specified factors when deciding whether to reduce the amount or duration of alimony; providing for the reduction and termination of alimony within specified timeframes under certain circumstances; authorizing the court to extend durational alimony beyond an obligor's retirement age under certain circumstances notwithstanding its other findings; authorizing the court to terminate an alimony obligation if the obligor retires at a reasonable age for his or her profession or line of work; requiring the court to consider certain factors in determining whether the obligor's retirement age is reasonable; authorizing an obligor to prospectively file a petition for modification or termination of alimony, effective upon his or her retirement; requiring a court to modify or terminate an alimony award upon retirement of the obligor, with an exception; providing that certain benefits of the obligee constitute a change in circumstance for which an obligor may seek modification of an alimony award; providing that certain agreements on alimony payments are considered expressly modifiable or eligible for termination under certain circumstances; amending s. 61.19, F.S.; requiring the court to grant, upon request of either party, a final judgment of dissolution of marriage and reserve jurisdiction to adjudicate other substantive issues, under certain circumstances; providing for temporary orders necessary to protect the parties and their children, if any; providing that such temporary orders are effective until all other issues are adjudicated by the court; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Book—

SB 1798—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexually explicit material; amending s. 775.0847, F.S.; redefining the term “child pornography”; defining the term “digitization”; amending s. 784.049, F.S.; increasing the monetary damages that an aggrieved person may receive as a result of violations relating to sexual cyberharassment; creating s. 784.0491, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting persons from willfully and maliciously creating and disseminating or selling any sexually explicit image of a depicted individual without that individual's consent; providing criminal penalties; prohibiting persons from willfully and maliciously disseminating or selling any such image if the persons knows or reasonably should have known the image is digitized; providing criminal penalties; providing enhanced criminal penalties for second or subsequent offenses; authorizing a law enforcement officer to arrest without a warrant any person he or she has probable cause to believe has violated specified provisions; authorizing the issuance of a search warrant if certain conditions are met; authorizing an aggrieved person to initiate a civil action to obtain certain relief against a person who violates specified provisions; providing applicability; providing construction; creating s. 784.0492, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting a person from knowingly and unlawfully obtaining a specified sexually explicit image of a person with a certain intent; providing criminal penalties; prohibiting a person from willfully possessing with a certain intent a specified sexually explicit image of a person without that person's consent; providing criminal penalties; authorizing an aggrieved person to initiate a civil action to obtain certain relief against a person who violates specified provisions; providing applicability; providing construction; amending s. 827.071, F.S.; defining the terms “child pornography” and “digitization”; revising existing unlawful conduct relating to possessing with the intent to promote and knowingly possessing, controlling, or intentionally viewing presentations that include child pornography, rather than sexual conduct by a child; making technical changes; amending s. 847.001, F.S.;

redefining the term “child pornography”; defining the term “digitization”; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; ranking offenses created by this act for purposes of the offense severity ranking chart of the Criminal Punishment Code; amending ss. 288.1254 and 847.0141, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Boyd—

SB 1800—A bill to be entitled An act relating to broadband infrastructure; amending s. 288.9961, F.S.; revising the duties of the Florida Office of Broadband to include administering the Broadband Pole Replacement Program; creating s. 288.9964, F.S.; providing legislative findings; defining terms; establishing the Broadband Pole Replacement Program within the office; providing responsibilities of the office; providing eligibility requirements for reimbursement under the program; providing that reimbursements are subject to the availability of certain funds; providing that certain denied applicants may reapply in certain circumstances; providing requirements for the program application; requiring the office to provide certain reimbursements within a certain period of time; authorizing an applicant to request certain information from a pole owner under certain circumstances; requiring an applicant to meet certain conditions; requiring the Secretary of Economic Opportunity to apply for certain federal funding for the program; requiring that the amount of state funds allocated to the program be reduced by the amount of certain federal funds provided to the program; requiring the office to publish and continually update certain information on its public website; requiring an audit of the Broadband Pole Replacement Trust Fund within a certain period of time; requiring the office to provide a report containing specified information to the Governor and the Legislature within a specified timeframe; providing that certain provisions do not require or authorize rulemaking; providing an appropriation; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Boyd—

SB 1802—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Broadband Pole Replacement Trust Fund; creating s. 288.9965, F.S.; creating the trust fund within the Department of Economic Opportunity; providing the purpose of the trust fund; providing that moneys credited to the trust fund shall consist of certain funds; requiring that funds in the trust fund be used in a manner consistent with federal law; providing that the balance in the trust fund at the end of a fiscal year remains in the trust fund and is available for carrying out the purposes of the trust fund; providing for future legislative review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1804—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 943.0425, F.S.; requiring an animal abuser to pay a specified fee upon registration and annual renewal with the animal abuser registry; providing for the distribution of funds; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1806—A bill to be entitled An act relating to animal abusers; creating s. 943.0425, F.S.; defining terms; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to post on its website by a specified date a publicly

accessible animal abuser registry of persons convicted of animal abuse offenses; prohibiting the registry from including certain information; requiring the clerk of the court in each county to forward certain notice of a conviction for an animal abuse offense to the department within a specified timeframe; providing requirements for the registry; providing requirements for registered abusers; prohibiting specified acts by registered abusers; providing exceptions providing applicability; prohibiting certain persons and entities from selling, exchanging, or otherwise transferring the ownership of an animal to a registered abuser; providing exceptions; requiring the maintenance of specified records; requiring the department to provide certain annual notice to specified entities; providing penalties for specified violations; providing construction; amending ss. 828.12 and 828.126, F.S.; authorizing courts, as a condition of probation, to prohibit persons convicted of certain animal cruelty or sexual activity with an animal violations from having certain responsibilities for or associations with an animal; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bean—

SB 1808—A bill to be entitled An act relating to immigration enforcement; amending s. 908.102, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “sanctuary policy” to include specified laws, policies, practices, procedures, or customs that limit or prohibit a law enforcement agency from providing specified immigration information to a state entity; creating s. 908.11, F.S.; requiring each law enforcement agency operating a county detention facility to enter into a specified agreement with the United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement to assist with immigration enforcement; requiring such agency to report specified information concerning such agreement quarterly to the Department of Law Enforcement; creating s. 908.111, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting a governmental entity from executing, amending, or renewing a contract with common carriers under certain circumstances; requiring specified governmental entity contracts with common carriers to include specified provisions on or after a certain date; requiring the Department of Management Services to develop a specified form; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Perry—

SB 1810—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement; amending s. 121.021, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “termination” to clarify circumstances under which a Florida Retirement System member is deemed to have terminated employment with an employer; specifying that a termination must adhere to a specified Internal Revenue Service regulation; specifying that the provision of volunteer services does not constitute employment by, or the provision of services to, a participating employer; defining the term “volunteer services”; amending s. 121.091, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; authorizing the Division of Retirement of the Department of Management Services to adopt certain rules governing the provision of volunteer services by retirees to employers; authorizing employers to establish volunteer programs in accordance with division rule; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Diaz—

SB 1812—A bill to be entitled An act relating to duties of state attorneys; amending s. 27.14, F.S.; providing that a state attorney’s neglect of duty may serve as a basis for an investigation, a case, or a matter to be reassigned to another judicial circuit; creating s. 112.39, F.S.; providing the duties of state attorneys; requiring state attorneys to exercise prosecutorial discretion on a case-specific basis in a specified manner; providing that a state attorney adopting certain blanket policies constitutes a failure to execute his or her duty; requiring the state attorney to provide a specified written response, upon the Governor’s

request; specifying the actions by a state attorney which constitute neglect of duty for purposes relating to executive suspensions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bean—

SB 1814—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Northeast Florida Regional Spaceport Authority; creating part IV of chapter 331, F.S., entitled “Northeast Florida Regional Spaceport Authority”; creating s. 331.601, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 331.6011, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; creating s. 331.602, F.S.; creating the Northeast Florida Regional Spaceport Authority; providing the purpose and responsibilities of the authority; prohibiting the authority from endorsing a candidate for public office; providing that the authority does not meet a specified definition of the term “agency”; providing applicability of certain provisions; creating s. 331.603, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 331.604, F.S.; specifying authority territory; creating s. 331.605, F.S.; providing powers of the authority; creating s. 331.606, F.S.; requiring the authority to file a federal notification to activate certain airspace; creating s. 331.6081, F.S.; providing membership requirements and terms of the authority’s board of directors; requiring members to file a statement of financial interests; creating s. 331.609, F.S.; requiring the board to designate a treasurer; authorizing the board to select depositories and employ a fiscal agent and providing requirements therefor; creating s. 331.610, F.S.; providing powers and duties of the board; creating s. 331.611, F.S.; providing requirements for the exercise of powers within municipalities and other political subdivisions; creating s. 331.612, F.S.; authorizing the authority to construct projects, furnish facilities and services, and establish and collect charges within the regional spaceport; creating s. 331.613, F.S.; providing powers of the authority relating to certain roads; creating s. 331.616, F.S.; providing for the recovery of certain costs by the authority through fees, rentals, tolls, fares, or other charges; authorizing the board to enter into certain contracts; creating s. 331.617, F.S.; authorizing the authority to recover delinquent charges through a civil action; creating s. 331.618, F.S.; authorizing the board to discontinue and shut off services and facilities under certain circumstances; authorizing the authority to recover certain charges and expenses by suit and enforce payments by any other lawful method; creating s. 331.621, F.S.; authorizing the authority to receive certain moneys and properties; requiring compliance with laws relating to the expenditure of federal moneys; creating s. 331.622, F.S.; authorizing the board to enter into contracts with municipalities for the performance of common powers, duties, and functions; creating s. 331.623, F.S.; authorizing the state and its political subdivisions to enter into certain cooperative agreements with the authority; providing the term of such agreements; creating s. 331.624, F.S.; providing powers of the authority relating to contracts, grants, and contributions; creating s. 331.625, F.S.; requiring the authority to comply with certain environmental provisions; creating s. 331.628, F.S.; providing for sovereign immunity; creating s. 331.630, F.S.; providing legal remedies for certain violations; creating s. 331.631, F.S.; providing construction relating to revenue bonds issued by the authority; specifying the security for such bonds; specifying powers of the authority relating to financing multiple projects through revenue bonds; creating s. 331.632, F.S.; authorizing the authority to issue additional bonds under certain circumstances; creating s. 331.633, F.S.; specifying the authority’s powers to retire and refund bonds; creating s. 331.635, F.S.; providing construction relating to liens of pledged revenues; creating s. 331.638, F.S.; specifying requirements, restrictions, and authorized actions relating to trust agreements securing the issue of bonds; creating s. 331.639, F.S.; specifying authorized actions relating to the sale of bonds; creating s. 331.640, F.S.; specifying procedures and criteria for the authorization of bonds by the board; creating s. 331.641, F.S.; authorizing the board to issue interim or replacement bond certificates; creating s. 331.642, F.S.; specifying the negotiability of bonds; creating s. 331.643, F.S.; granting certain authority to the board regarding defeasance of the right, title, and interest of bondholders; creating s. 331.644, F.S.; specifying that bonds constitute legal investments or securities; creating s. 331.645, F.S.; providing that a resolution for the issuance of bonds may contain specified covenants; providing construction; creating s. 331.646, F.S.; providing construction relating to the validity of bonds issued by the authority; providing procedures for the validation of bonds; creating s. 331.647, F.S.; providing construction

relating to the powers of the authority; providing that bonds are not secured by the full faith and credit of the state and do not constitute an obligation of the state; creating s. 331.648, F.S.; authorizing the board to make certain investments; creating s. 331.649, F.S.; establishing the fiscal year of the authority; creating s. 331.650, F.S.; providing insurance and safety program requirements; creating s. 331.651, F.S.; requiring the authority to involve women, minorities, and disadvantaged business enterprises in the development and operation of spaceports; creating s. 331.654, F.S.; exempting the authority, bonds issued by the authority, and specified instruments from certain taxes; providing applicability; creating s. 331.655, F.S.; prohibiting a person or business entity from using the name of the authority without written approval; authorizing the Department of State to dissolve an entity in violation of such prohibition; specifying the authority's ownership of intellectual property rights and the authority's rights to royalties; creating s. 331.660, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Transportation to enter into a joint participation agreement with the authority for certain purposes; requiring the authority to develop a spaceport master plan for submission to the department and metropolitan planning organizations; authorizing the department to participate in the capital cost of certain projects using available funds; creating s. 331.661, F.S.; providing construction; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; and Appropriations.

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1816—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Land Acquisition Trust Fund; amending s. 201.15, F.S.; extending the date by which the Legislature intends for bonds issued to fund the Florida Forever Act to be retired; amending s. 375.041, F.S.; requiring a specified annual appropriation to the Florida Forever Trust Fund; deleting an obsolete provision; prohibiting the use of certain moneys distributed from the Land Acquisition Trust Fund for specified costs; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Broxson—

SB 1818—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Early Learning Scholarship Program; creating s. 1002.56, F.S.; establishing the Early Learning Scholarship Program within the Department of Education; providing the purpose of the program; defining terms; providing eligibility criteria for participation in the program; providing for a child's continued eligibility for a specified period; providing program obligations for eligible nonprofit scholarship-funding organizations and for parents and children; providing requirements for the amount and payment of scholarship funds, subject to appropriation; providing for the use of scholarship funds; providing program obligations for the department and providers; exempting the state from specified liability; providing that the program does not expand the regulatory authority of the state; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1820—A bill to be entitled An act relating to protections of medical conscience; creating s. 381.00321, F.S.; providing a short title; providing legislative findings and intent; defining terms; providing that health care providers and health care payors have the right not to participate in or pay for any health care services that violate their consciences; providing that providers and payors have a right to make certain decisions consistent with their religious beliefs under certain circumstances; prohibiting a person from taking or threatening to take adverse action against such providers and payors for specified actions; providing for civil remedies and damages; providing immunity from

civil, criminal, and administrative liability for such providers and payors under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1822—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a Medicaid buy-in program; creating s. 409.9141, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to establish and implement a Medicaid buy-in program for certain individuals with disabilities; providing requirements for the program; requiring the agency to seek federal waiver approval or submit any state plan amendments necessary to implement the program by a specified date; requiring the agency to implement the program upon receiving federal approval; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brodeur—

SB 1824—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mobility funding systems; amending s. 163.3164, F.S.; defining the terms “mobility fee” and “mobility plan”; amending s. 163.3180, F.S.; revising requirements and best practices for local governments applying concurrency to transportation facilities; requiring a local government electing to repeal transportation concurrency to adopt a specified alternative mobility funding system; creating s. 163.31803, F.S.; specifying prohibited uses of, and requirements and best practices for, mobility plans by local governments; providing requirements for a local government electing to adopt a mobility plan and mobility fee; providing that mobility fee-based funding systems must comply with specified requirements governing impact fees; specifying authorized and prohibited provisions in mobility plans; prohibiting the imposition of transportation impact fees in certain areas; specifying requirements for, and restrictions on, mobility fees, fee updates, and fee increases; specifying requirements for the calculation of mobility fees and person travel demand; requiring that collected mobility fees be expended or committed within a specified timeframe or be returned to the applicant paying the fee; specifying requirements for, and restrictions on, transportation impact mitigation by multiple local governments; providing best practices for certain coordination by local governments; providing a burden of proof; prohibiting a court from using a certain standard for the benefit of a local government; providing construction; amending s. 212.055, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1826—A bill to be entitled An act relating to residential swimming pools; providing a short title; amending s. 515.29, F.S.; requiring that a specified pool barrier be used at certain times at a residence where a child younger than a specified age resides; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1828—A bill to be entitled An act relating to surgical technology and central service technician services; creating part XVII of ch. 468, F.S., entitled “Surgical Technology and Central Service Technician Services”; providing legislative intent; defining terms; authorizing health care facilities to employ or otherwise retain the services of persons to perform surgical technology or central service technician services if they meet specified criteria; providing construction; authorizing central service technicians to satisfy certain requirements within a specified timeframe after their date of hire; providing continuing education requirements for central service technicians; providing requirements for such continuing education; requiring health care facilities to

verify in writing the dates of employment or contract periods for central service technicians, upon written request; providing construction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brodeur—

SB 1830—A bill to be entitled An act relating to background screenings; amending s. 435.02, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “specified agency”; amending s. 435.04, F.S.; deleting obsolete language; amending s. 435.12, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; deleting obsolete language; amending s. 943.0438, F.S.; requiring independent sanctioning authorities to conduct level 2 instead of level 1 background screenings of current and prospective athletic coaches; requiring certain athletic coaches to be rescreened every 5 years following the date of their most recent background screening or exemption; providing an exception; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 943.05, F.S.; requiring the Criminal Justice Information Program to develop a method for establishing direct identification in a certain manner; requiring the program to retain certain information without the need for an official written request; requiring the program to search all arrest fingerprint submissions without the need for a request; amending s. 943.0542, F.S.; requiring, rather than authorizing, the Department of Law Enforcement to periodically audit qualified entities; requiring certain entities to use the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse for screening an employee or a volunteer; requiring a certain signed waiver to include a specified statement; requiring the clearinghouse to provide certain information directly to qualified entities; deleting a requirement for the Department of Law Enforcement to provide national criminal history data directly to qualified entities; prohibiting a qualified entity from employing or allowing a volunteer under specified circumstances; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to design a compliance decal that meets specified requirements; requiring qualified entities to comply with certain provisions of law; authorizing the Department of Law Enforcement to issue a fine of a specified minimum amount for noncompliance; amending s. 1012.32, F.S.; requiring certain fingerprints to be submitted to the clearinghouse; deleting a requirement that district school boards reimburse charter schools for the cost of background screenings under certain circumstances; requiring the clearinghouse to notify certain school districts of any arrest records that are identified with the retained fingerprints of certain individuals; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1012.465, F.S.; requiring school districts to make a certain request through the clearinghouse; amending s. 1012.467, F.S.; requiring certain information to be filed or submitted through the clearinghouse; authorizing school districts to participate in a certain search process by using the clearinghouse and paying any applicable annual fee to the Agency for Health Care Administration and the Department of Law Enforcement; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1012.56, F.S.; requiring school districts to make certain requests through the clearinghouse; amending ss. 381.986, 381.988, 408.809, 456.0135, 494.00312, 494.00321, 494.00611, 496.4101, 559.555, 560.141, and 581.217, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brodeur—

SB 1832—A bill to be entitled An act relating to food recovery; amending s. 595.420, F.S.; defining terms; directing the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, subject to appropriation, to implement a pilot program to provide incentives to Florida growers to contribute high-quality fresh fruits and vegetables to food recovery entities in the state; authorizing food recovery entities to negotiate the purchase price of produce and reimburse agricultural companies for certain costs; providing produce shipping requirements; requiring the department to reimburse food recovery entities for certain costs; providing reimbursement invoice requirements; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date and to adopt rules; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1834—A bill to be entitled An act relating to parental rights in education; amending s. 1001.42, F.S.; requiring district school boards to adopt procedures that comport with certain provisions of law for notifying a student’s parent of specified information; requiring such procedures to reinforce the fundamental right of parents to make decisions regarding the upbringing and control of their children in a specified manner; prohibiting the procedures from prohibiting a parent from accessing certain records; providing construction; prohibiting a school district from adopting procedures or student support forms that require school district personnel to withhold from a parent specified information or that encourage or have the effect of encouraging a student to withhold from a parent such information; providing an exception; prohibiting school district personnel from discouraging or prohibiting parental notification and involvement in critical decisions affecting a student’s mental, emotional, or physical well-being; prohibiting a school district from encouraging classroom discussion about sexual orientation or gender identity in primary grade levels or in a specified manner; authorizing a parent to bring an action against a school district to obtain a declaratory judgment that a school district procedure or practice violates certain provisions of law; providing for the additional award of injunctive relief, damages, and reasonable attorney fees and court costs to certain parents; requiring certain training developed or provided by a school district to adhere to standards established by the Department of Education; requiring the department to review and update, as necessary, specified materials by a certain date; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1836—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electioneering communications organizations; amending s. 106.011, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “electioneering communication”; amending s. 106.03, F.S.; revising the expenditure level at which groups engaged in electioneering communications must file a statement of organization with specified entities within a specified timeframe; requiring electioneering communications organizations to include certain information in their statements of organization; providing for civil penalties for late filings; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1838—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student financial aid; amending s. 1009.40, F.S.; providing that, for purposes of receiving state financial aid awards, a student may not be denied classification as a resident based on his or her immigration status if certain criteria are met; creating s. 1009.896, F.S.; defining terms; establishing the Professional Student Loan Repayment Program within the Department of Education; providing the purpose of the program; specifying professionals who are eligible to participate in the program; requiring the department to make payments, subject to appropriation and on a first-come, first-served basis, to professionals to repay student loans that were used to pay specified costs; providing that all payments are contingent on proof of primary employment in certain professions in a shortage area; providing that the state bears no responsibility for the accrual of any interest charges or other remaining balances; requiring the department to determine repayment amounts on a profession-by-profession basis; providing a maximum repayment amount per year per eligible professional; specifying maximum number of years a professional may receive repayments; prohibiting certain professionals from receiving repayments; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1840—A bill to be entitled An act relating to ad valorem taxation; amending s. 194.034, F.S.; exempting complaints acknowledged as correct by the Department of Revenue from the requirement for a value adjustment board to render a written decision; authorizing a board to accept or reject recommendations of a special magistrate in a certain manner; making technical changes; amending s. 194.036, F.S.; revising prohibitions on the types of suits a property appraiser may bring; making technical changes; amending s. 196.012, F.S.; revising the types of activities by lessees of governmental property which are deemed to be governmental, municipal, or public purposes or functions; making technical changes; reenacting and amending s. 196.199, F.S., relating to government property exemptions; revising the conditions pursuant to which a specified ad valorem tax exemption remains valid; providing that a lessee may not be required to submit further applications for a specified ad valorem tax exemption under certain circumstances; making technical changes; reenacting ss. 193.122(4) and (6) and 194.181(2)(b), (c), and (d), F.S., relating to certificates of value adjustment board and property appraiser and parties to a tax suit, respectively, to incorporate the amendment made by this act to s. 194.036, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1842—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reproductive health and disease education; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; requiring school districts or schools within a district to notify and request the written consent of parents and guardians before the teaching of reproductive health or any sexually transmitted disease; prohibiting schools from allowing students to be exposed to such teaching without the written consent of their parents or guardians; prohibiting a student whose parent or guardian does not give such written consent from being penalized; amending ss. 1002.20 and 1014.05, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bean—

SB 1844—A bill to be entitled An act relating to mental health and substance abuse; amending s. 394.455, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 394.459, F.S.; revising review requirements for specified restrictions relating to a patient's right to communicate or to receive visitors; requiring facilities to inform patients with a serious mental illness of the essential elements of recovery and provide them assistance in accessing a continuum of care regimen; authorizing the Department of Children and Families to adopt certain rules; amending s. 394.461, F.S.; authorizing the state to establish that a transfer evaluation was performed by providing the court with a copy of the evaluation before the close of the state's case in chief; prohibiting the court from considering substantive information in the transfer evaluation unless the evaluator testifies at the hearing; amending s. 394.462, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 394.463, F.S.; revising the requirements for when a person may be taken to a receiving facility for involuntary examination; requiring law enforcement officers transporting individuals for involuntary treatment to take certain actions; revising requirements for annual reports relating to involuntary treatment; requiring that certain reports be sent to the Governor; revising when a patient may be released by a receiving facility; requiring a facility to inform the department of certain persons who have been examined or committed under certain circumstances; amending s. 394.4655, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 394.467, F.S.; revising the requirements for when a person may be ordered for involuntary inpatient placement; revising requirements for continuances of hearings; revising the conditions under which a court may waive the requirement for a patient to be present at an involuntary inpatient pla-

cement hearing; authorizing the court to permit all witnesses to attend and testify remotely at the hearing through certain means; requiring facilities to make certain clinical records available to a state attorney within a specified timeframe; specifying that such records remain confidential and may not be used for certain purposes; revising when the court may appoint a magistrate; requiring the court to allow certain testimony from individuals; revising the amount of time a court may require a patient to receive services; requiring facilities to discharge patients after they no longer meet the criteria for involuntary inpatient treatment; prohibiting courts from ordering that individuals with developmental disabilities be involuntarily placed in a state treatment facility; requiring such individuals to be referred to certain agencies for evaluation and services; authorizing facilities to hold specified individuals under certain circumstances; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 394.495 and 394.496, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 394.499, F.S.; making a technical change; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 397.305, F.S.; revising the purpose of ch. 397, F.S.; amending s. 397.311, F.S.; revising definitions; creating s. 397.341, F.S.; requiring law enforcement officers transporting individuals for treatment to take certain actions; amending s. 397.501, F.S.; requiring that respondents with serious substance use disorders be informed of the essential elements of recovery and provided with assistance accessing a continuum of care regimen; authorizing the department to adopt certain rules; amending s. 397.675, F.S.; revising the criteria for involuntary admissions; amending s. 397.6751, F.S.; revising the responsibilities of a service provider; amending s. 397.681, F.S.; revising where involuntary treatment petitions for substance abuse impaired persons may be filed; revising what part of such proceedings a general or special magistrate may preside over; requiring that the state attorney represent the state as the real party of interest in an involuntary proceeding, subject to legislative appropriation; providing that the petitioner has the right to be heard; specifying that certain records obtained by a state attorney must remain confidential and may not be used for certain purposes; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 397.6811, F.S., relating to involuntary assessment and stabilization; repealing s. 397.6814, F.S., relating to petitions for involuntary assessment and stabilization; repealing s. 397.6815, F.S., relating to involuntary assessment and stabilization procedures; repealing s. 397.6818, F.S., relating to court determinations for petitions for involuntary assessment and stabilization; repealing s. 397.6819, F.S., relating to the responsibilities of licensed service providers with regard to involuntary assessment and stabilization; repealing s. 397.6821, F.S., relating to extensions of time for completion of involuntary assessment and stabilization; repealing s. 397.6822, F.S., relating to the disposition of individuals after involuntary assessment; amending s. 397.693, F.S.; revising the circumstances under which a person is eligible for court-ordered involuntary treatment; amending s. 397.695, F.S.; authorizing the court or clerk of the court to waive or prohibit any service of process fees for an indigent petitioner; amending s. 397.6951, F.S.; revising the requirements for the contents of a petition for involuntary treatment services; authorizing a petitioner to include with the petition a certificate or report of a qualified professional; requiring the certificate or report to contain certain information; requiring that certain additional information be included if an emergency exists; amending s. 397.6955, F.S.; requiring the clerk of the court to notify the state attorney's office upon the receipt of a petition filed for involuntary treatment services; revising when the office of criminal conflict and civil regional counsel represents a person; revising when a hearing must be held on the petition; requiring law enforcement agencies to effect service for initial treatment hearings unless certain requirements are met; providing requirements for when a petitioner asserts that emergency circumstances exist or the court determines that an emergency exists; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 397.6957, F.S.; expanding the exemption from the requirement that a respondent be present at a hearing on a petition for involuntary treatment services; authorizing the court to order drug tests and permit all witnesses to remotely attend and testify at the hearing through certain means; deleting a provision requiring the court to appoint a guardian advocate under certain circumstances; prohibiting a respondent from being involuntarily ordered into treatment unless certain requirements are met; providing requirements relating to involuntary assessment and stabilization orders; providing requirements relating to involuntary treatment hearings; requiring that the assessment of a respondent occur before a specified time unless certain requirements are met; requiring a qualified professional to provide copies of his or her report to the court and all relevant parties and counsel;

providing requirements for the report; authorizing a court to order certain persons to take a respondent into custody and transport him or her to or from certain service providers and the court; revising the petitioner's burden of proof in the hearing; authorizing the court to initiate involuntary proceedings under certain circumstances; requiring that, if a treatment order is issued, it must include certain findings; amending s. 397.697, F.S.; making technical changes; requiring that an individual meet certain requirements to qualify for involuntary outpatient treatment; specifying that certain hearings may be set by the motion of a party or under the court's own authority; specifying that a service provider's authority is separate and distinct from the court's jurisdiction; requiring the department to receive and maintain copies of certain documents and to use information from the documents to prepare annual reports; requiring the department to provide copies of the reports to the Governor and the Legislature; amending s. 397.6971, F.S.; revising when an individual receiving involuntary treatment services may be determined eligible for discharge; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 397.6975, F.S.; authorizing certain entities to file a petition for renewal of involuntary treatment services; revising the timeframe during which the court is required to schedule a hearing; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 397.6977, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 397.6978, F.S., relating to the appointment of guardian advocates; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bean—

SB 1846—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending ss. 394.464 and 397.6760, F.S.; exempting from public records requirements a respondent's name in certain documents at trial and on appeal; expanding exemptions from public records requirements for certain petitions, court orders, and related records to include applications for voluntary and involuntary mental health examinations and substance abuse treatment, respectively; expanding exceptions authorizing the disclosure of such personal identifying information and records to include certain service providers; authorizing a court to use a respondent's name for certain purposes; revising applicability to include appeals pending or filed on or after a specified date; revising the date for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1848—A bill to be entitled An act relating to personal information protection; creating s. 501.9744, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; prohibiting a public agency from requiring, publicly disclosing, or requesting specified personal information; providing construction and applicability; providing for the right of civil action and award of damages; providing penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Taddeo—

SJR 1850—A joint resolution proposing amendments to Sections 3 and 4 of Article IV and the creation of a new section in Article XII of the State Constitution to establish the position of Commissioner of Insurance as a statewide elected officer and to provide for the commissioner's inclusion on the Cabinet.

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

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1852—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hourly rates at public lodging establishments and vacation rentals; creating s. 509.098, F.S.;

prohibiting an operator of a public lodging establishment or a vacation rental from offering an hourly rate for an accommodation; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1854—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legal rights of the natural environment; amending s. 403.412, F.S.; repealing provisions prohibiting local governments from recognizing or granting certain legal rights to the natural environment or granting such rights relating to the natural environment to a person or political subdivision; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Pizzo—

SB 1856—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citizen arrests; creating s. 901.001, F.S.; providing legislative intent regarding the abrogation of the common law remedy of citizen's arrest; prohibiting a private person who is not a law enforcement officer from arresting another person for any violation of state law; providing an exception for law enforcement officers acting outside of their jurisdictions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1858—A bill to be entitled An act relating to B.K. Roberts Hall at Florida State University; repealing chapter 73-370, Laws of Florida, relating to the designation of a Florida State University facility; rescinding the designation of B.K. Roberts Hall at Florida State University; providing legislative intent; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Polsky—

SB 1860—A bill to be entitled An act relating to freedom of speech and the press in the public education system; creating s. 1003.4506, F.S.; providing that student journalists have the right to exercise freedom of the press in school-sponsored media; requiring that determinations regarding the news, opinion, feature, and advertising content of school-sponsored media be made by student journalists; authorizing student media advisors to teach professional standards of journalism to student journalists; defining terms; prohibiting school districts from restricting the publication or broadcast of certain materials; requiring school districts to show prior justification for limiting student journalist expression; providing that student journalists must be afforded the opportunity to appeal such limitations; providing construction; prohibiting school districts from disciplining students or student media advisors for the exercise of constitutionally protected freedom of the press; prohibiting school districts from retaliating against student media advisors who engage in specified conduct; requiring codes of student conduct to meet certain requirements; providing requirements for such codes of conduct; providing that student expression may not be deemed an expression of school district policy; providing that school districts may not be held liable for student expression; authorizing student journalists and student media advisors to institute proceedings for injunctive or declaratory relief and reasonable attorney fees; providing exceptions; amending s. 1004.097, F.S.; defining terms; providing that student journalists have the right to exercise freedom of speech and freedom of the press in media sponsored by public institutions of higher education; requiring that determinations regarding news, opinion, feature, and advertising content of institution-sponsored media be made by student journalists; authorizing student media advisors to teach professional standards of journalism to student journalists; prohibiting

public institutions of higher education from restricting the publication or broadcast of certain materials; requiring public institutions of higher education to show prior justification for restricting student journalist expression; requiring that students have an opportunity to appeal such restriction; providing construction; prohibiting public institutions of higher education from disciplining students or student media advisors for the exercise of constitutionally protected freedom of speech and freedom of the press; prohibiting public institutions of higher education from retaliating against student media advisors who engage in specified conduct; requiring public institutions of higher education to adopt a written policy for the exercise of student journalist rights; specifying requirements of such written policy; providing that student expression may not be deemed an expression of public institution of higher education policy; providing that public institutions of higher education may not be held liable for student expression; authorizing student journalists and student media advisors to institute proceedings for injunctive or declaratory relief and reasonable attorney fees; providing exceptions; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1862—A bill to be entitled An act relating to background screening; creating s. 435.13, F.S.; defining the term “entity”; prohibiting certain entities that contract for inmate labor from excluding certain persons from consideration for employment or from disqualifying certain persons from employment; specifying conditions that constitute exclusion from consideration for employment; prohibiting an entity from inquiring into or considering an applicant’s criminal history before the applicant has received a conditional offer of employment; prohibiting an entity from considering specified information in connection with an application for employment; requiring an entity to consider specified factors when determining whether an applicant may be disqualified from employment; requiring an entity to provide specified information to an applicant the entity intends to disqualify from employment for an offense that directly relates to the employment position; specifying how an applicant may establish evidence of mitigation or rehabilitation; providing requirements relating to establishing such evidence; providing requirements for making a final employment decision; requiring entities to retain certain records for a specified time period and to make the records available to the Department of Economic Opportunity upon request; providing a presumption relating to recordkeeping; authorizing certain persons to contact the department; requiring the department to keep a record of such contact and to investigate and review any complaints; providing policy relating to contracts for inmate labor; requiring the department to periodically review background check policies; requiring that background check policies and practices be considered among the performance criteria in evaluating a contract for inmate labor; providing a civil penalty; providing applicability; requiring the department to enforce the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bradley—

SB 1864—A bill to be entitled An act relating to consumer data privacy; creating s. 501.172, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 501.173, F.S.; providing a purpose; creating s. 501.174, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 501.1745, F.S.; requiring controllers that collect consumer personal information to provide certain information to the consumer; requiring such collection, use, and retention of such information to meet certain requirements; requiring controllers to implement reasonable security procedures and practices; prohibiting controllers from processing certain sensitive consumer data under certain circumstances; creating s. 501.175, F.S.; providing that consumers have the right to opt out of the sale and processing of their personal information by controllers; providing requirements for a controller to comply with such a request under certain circumstances; prohibiting controllers from selling the personal information of consumers younger than a specified age without express authorization from the consumer or the consumer’s parent or guardian under certain circumstances; providing that businesses that willfully disregard a consumer’s age are deemed to have actual knowledge of the consumer’s age; providing re-

quirements for controllers to comply with a consumer’s right to opt out; providing exceptions; providing that consumers have the right to submit a verified request for the deletion or correction of their personal information; providing construction; providing that consumers may authorize other persons to opt out of the sale of the consumer’s personal information on the consumer’s behalf; requiring controllers to establish designated request addresses; providing requirements for controllers to comply with verified consumer requests; providing notice requirements; authorizing businesses to charge consumers a reasonable fee for manifestly unfounded or excessive requests, or to refuse to complete a request under certain circumstances; providing that controllers and processors are not liable for certain actions; providing that third-party controllers or processors are liable for violating the act or the terms of certain contractual agreements, thereby resulting in a violation; providing that a consumer’s rights and the obligations of a controller may not adversely affect the rights and freedoms of other consumers; creating s. 501.176, F.S.; providing applicability; providing exceptions; defining the terms “vehicle information” and “ownership information”; creating s. 501.177, F.S.; providing applicability; specifying violations that are enforceable by the Department of Legal Affairs under the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; authorizing the department to grant controllers and processors an opportunity to cure violations when given notice by the department; providing civil remedies and penalties for violations; authorizing increased civil penalties for certain violations; requiring the department, in conjunction and consultation with the director of the Consumer Data Privacy Unit, to submit a report to the Legislature by a specified date; providing requirements for the report; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing for jurisdiction; preempting the regulation of the collection, processing, or sale of consumers’ personal information by a controller or processor to the state; amending s. 16.53, F.S.; revising the purposes for which the Legal Affairs Revolving Trust Fund may be used to include enforcement of the Florida Privacy Protection Act by the Attorney General; requiring that attorney fees and costs recovered by the Attorney General for certain actions be deposited in the fund; creating s. 16.581, F.S.; creating the Consumer Data Privacy Unit within the department; providing for a director of the unit; providing the duties of the unit; authorizing the unit to take certain actions; authorizing the unit to recover reasonable attorney fees and costs and penalties in accordance with certain provisions; requiring such moneys to be deposited in the Legal Affairs Revolving Trust Fund; requiring other moneys recovered by the Attorney General for penalties to be deposited into the General Revenue Fund; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1866—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 1010.88, F.S.; creating the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Matching Endowment Scholarship Trust Fund within the Department of Education; providing the purpose of the trust fund and its funding sources; providing for future review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Gibson—

SB 1868—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Matching Endowment Scholarship Program; creating s. 1009.896, F.S.; establishing the Historically Black Colleges and Universities Matching Endowment Scholarship Program within the Department of Education; providing the purpose of the program; authorizing the Legislature to appropriate funds for the program; requiring a historically black college or university to provide a certain amount of matching funds to participate in the program; requiring that specified funds be invested; requiring that certain funds remain in the trust fund; requiring that the interest the trust fund earns be used to provide scholarships to certain students; providing for annual disbursement of the interest by a specified date; requiring the State Board of Education and Board of Governors of the State University System to adopt rules and regulations, respectively; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Jones—

SB 1870—A bill to be entitled An act relating to conversion therapy; creating s. 402.89, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; defining terms; creating s. 402.891, F.S.; prohibiting the Department of Health, the Department of Children and Families, the Department of Elderly Affairs, the Department of Corrections, and the Department of Education from using state or federal funds for specified purposes; creating s. 402.892, F.S.; creating the Florida Coordinating Council on Conversion Therapy within the Department of Health for a specified purpose; providing for membership, meetings, and duties of the coordinating council; creating s. 402.893, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health, the Department of Children and Families, the Department of Elderly Affairs, the Department of Corrections, and the Department of Education to annually publish on their websites educational information on conversion therapy developed by the coordinating council; providing requirements for such information; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bean—

SB 1872—A bill to be entitled An act relating to impeding, provoking, or harassing law enforcement officers; creating s. 843.31, F.S.; defining the term “law enforcement officer”; prohibiting persons from approaching a law enforcement officer, or remaining within a specified distance of such officer, with specified intent after receiving a warning not to approach; providing criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Boyd—

SB 1874—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Financial Services; repealing s. 17.0315, F.S., relating to the financial and cash management system and task force; amending s. 110.123, F.S.; revising definitions; authorizing specified persons relating to the Division of Rehabilitation and Liquidation to purchase coverage in a state group health insurance plan at specified premium costs; providing that the enrollment period for the state group insurance program begins with a specified plan year for certain persons relating to the division; amending s. 110.131, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 120.541, F.S.; revising applicability of certain provisions relating to a specified proposed rule; amending s. 215.34, F.S.; deleting the requirement for specified entities receiving certain charged-back items to prepare a journal transfer; amending s. 215.93, F.S.; renaming a subsystem of the Florida Financial Management Information System; amending s. 215.94, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 216.102, F.S.; making technical changes; amending s. 218.32, F.S.; revising legislative intent; providing functions of the Florida Open Financial Statement System; requiring local governments to use the system to file specified reports; providing requirements for the system; revising the list of entities with which the Chief Financial Officer may consult with regard to the system; authorizing, rather than requiring, certain local governmental financial statements to be filed in a specified format; deleting certain requirements for such statements; providing construction; providing an exception; amending s. 414.40, F.S.; transferring the Stop Inmate Fraud Program from the Department of Financial Services to the Department of Economic Opportunity; authorizing the program to provide reports of certain data to the Division of Public Assistance Fraud for a specified purpose; amending s. 440.02, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “employer”; amending s. 440.05, F.S.; revising information that must be submitted with the notice of election to be exempt from workers’ compensation coverage; specifying the circumstances under which the Department of Financial Services is required to send certain notifications to workers’ compensation carriers; requiring such notifications to be electronic; requiring certificates of election to be exempt to contain a specified notice; deleting a provision requiring certain corporation officers to maintain business records; re-

vising applicability of certificates of election to be exempt; amending s. 440.107, F.S.; revising the timeframe for certain employers to produce specified records under certain circumstances; prohibiting employers who failed to secure payment of workers’ compensation from entering a payment agreement schedule with the department unless a specified condition is met; revising circumstances that result in immediate reinstatement of stop-work orders; revising penalty assessments; amending s. 440.13, F.S.; revising statewide schedules of maximum reimbursement allowances for medically necessary treatment, care, and attendance; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 440.185, F.S.; revising the timeline and methods for workers’ compensation carriers to send a certain informational brochure to injured workers; revising methods by which such informational brochure is sent to employers; amending s. 440.381, F.S.; specifying new and renewal workers’ compensation policies that require physical onsite audits for a specified class; amending s. 497.277, F.S.; deleting a cap on transferring burial rights fees; amending s. 497.369, F.S.; revising requirements for licenses by endorsement to practice embalming; amending s. 497.372, F.S.; revising the scope of funeral directing practice; amending s. 497.374, F.S.; revising requirements for licenses by endorsement to practice funeral directing; amending s. 554.108, F.S.; requiring boilers manufactured after a specified date, rather than boilers of certain heat input, to be stamped with a specified code symbol; revising the boilers’ information that must be filed; requiring that specified spaces and rooms be equipped with carbon monoxide detector devices; amending s. 554.111, F.S.; deleting a requirement for a specified fee for a certificate of competency; requiring applications for boiler permits to include a specified report; revising the purpose for special trips that the department is required to make for boiler inspections; amending s. 554.114, F.S.; revising the schedules of penalties against boiler insurance companies, inspection agencies, and other persons for specified violations; amending s. 624.423, F.S.; specifying procedures for service of process upon insurers; amending s. 626.015, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “unaffiliated insurance agent”; amending s. 626.171, F.S.; requiring fingerprints for certain licenses to be processed in accordance with specified laws; amending s. 626.172, F.S.; revising the method by which fingerprints for applications for insurance agency licenses are submitted; deleting a fingerprint processing fee; creating s. 626.173, F.S.; requiring insurance agencies’ licenses to be immediately canceled under certain circumstances; providing the method by which such cancellations must be made; providing duties for certain insurance agency persons within a specified timeframe after cessation of insurance transactions; authorizing the department and the Office of Insurance Regulation to impose administrative fines against such persons for specified violations; prohibiting the initiation of certain proceedings and imposition of fines until specified prerequisites are completed; providing a cap on such fines; authorizing the department and the office to suspend or revoke licenses under certain circumstances; providing requirements for determining penalties and remedies; amending s. 626.201, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing continuation of jurisdiction of the licensing authority to investigate and prosecute specified violations under certain circumstances; amending s. 626.202, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 626.221, F.S.; adding a designation to the list of designations that allow applicants for an all-lines adjuster license to be exempt from an examination; amending s. 626.311, F.S.; providing an exception to the prohibition against unaffiliated insurance agents holding appointments from insurers; authorizing certain adjusters to obtain adjuster appointments while maintaining unaffiliated insurance agent appointments and to adjust claims and receive certain compensation; amending ss. 626.321, 626.601, 626.8411, and 626.8412, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 626.8417, F.S.; revising requirements to qualify for title insurance agent licenses; amending s. 626.8421, F.S.; requiring title agencies to have separate appointments under certain circumstances; amending s. 626.843, F.S.; providing requirements for appointments of title insurance agencies; amending s. 626.8433, F.S.; requiring title insurers that terminate appointments of title insurance agencies to file certain information with the department; amending s. 626.8447, F.S.; providing effects of suspension or revocation of title insurance agency licenses; amending s. 626.854, F.S.; providing restrictions on public adjuster compensation; providing exceptions to such restrictions; amending s. 626.8561, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “public adjuster apprentice”; amending s. 626.865, F.S.; revising requirements to qualify for public adjuster licenses; requiring that certain bonds remain in effect for a specified period after expiration of the license; amending s. 626.8651, F.S.; requiring that certain bonds remain in effect for a

specified period after expiration of a public adjuster apprentice license; revising requirements for public adjuster apprentices to be, act as, or hold themselves out to be public adjuster apprentices; amending s. 626.8696, F.S.; revising requirements for adjusting firm license applications; amending s. 626.8732, F.S.; requiring applicants for non-resident public adjuster licenses to maintain certain bonds after the expiration or termination of licenses; amending ss. 626.8734 and 626.9953, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 633.135, F.S.; providing additional uses for firefighter funds; amending s. 633.216, F.S.; revising requirements for renewal of firesafety inspector certificates; amending s. 633.408, F.S.; revising requirements for the issuance of a Firefighter Certificate of Compliance and Special Certificate of Compliance; deleting provisions relating to requirements to retain a Special Certificate of Compliance; amending s. 633.414, F.S.; providing requirements to retain a Special Certificate of Compliance; revising requirements to retain a Firefighter Certificate of Compliance; redefining the term “active”; amending ss. 648.34 and 648.355, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 648.46, F.S.; providing continuation of jurisdiction of the licensing authority to investigate and prosecute specified violations under certain circumstances; amending s. 766.105, F.S.; deleting requirements and procedures for the certification of hospital compliance with the Florida Patient’s Compensation Fund; providing that the fund is subject to the supervision and approval of the Chief Financial Officer or his or her designee, rather than the board of governors; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing for supervision of the fund until dissolution; specifying duties of the Department of Financial Services before dissolution of the fund; providing for future repeal; amending ss. 945.6041 and 985.6441, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “health care provider”; defining the term “other medical facility”; transferring the Stop Inmate Fraud Program within the Department of Financial Services to the Department of Economic Opportunity by a type two transfer; providing effective dates.

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

By Senator Perry—

SB 1876—A bill to be entitled An act relating to municipal contraction procedures; amending s. 171.051, F.S.; specifying the method of contracting a municipality when a specified percentage of landowners are not registered electors of the area; specifying the method of contracting a municipality when there are no registered electors in the area proposed to be contracted; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1878—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the capital investment tax credit; amending s. 220.191, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; providing a credit against the corporate income tax, the sales and use tax, or a stated combination of the two taxes to a qualifying business that establishes a qualifying project for the creation of intellectual property which meets a certain capital investment threshold; specifying the calculation of the credit; authorizing use of the credit or portions of the credit by the business or members of its affiliated group of corporations; authorizing use of the credit within a certain timeframe; requiring the department to grant credits within a certain timeframe after costs are certified by the Department of Economic Opportunity; providing for revocation and rescindment of credits under certain circumstances; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 288.1089, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “cumulative investment”; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1880—A bill to be entitled An act relating to offers and sales of securities; amending s. 517.021, F.S.; revising and providing definitions;

amending s. 517.061, F.S.; excluding certain securities offers and sales by specified persons from the exemption from specified registration requirements; updating a cross-reference relating to exemptions from registration under the Securities Act of 1933 for securities offers and sales by specified persons; revising requirements for certain securities offers and sales to be exempt from specified registrations; authorizing the Financial Services Commission to adopt rules to specify factors for certain determinations; making conforming changes; providing that certain communications do not constitute general solicitation or general advertising if certain conditions are met; conforming cross-references; making technical changes; adding certain securities offers and sales by specified persons to the list of transactions exempt from specified registration requirements; amending s. 517.0611, F.S.; defining the term “target offering amount”; revising requirements for securities offers and sales that are exempt transactions under specified laws; revising requirements for and duties of issuers of securities; conforming cross-references; defining the term “financial statement”; authorizing the commission to establish certain procedures by rule; revising the aggregate amount in certain transactions that are exempt from specified registration requirements; providing that certain securities sales are voidable within specified timeframes; authorizing registered intermediaries and dealers to use means of general solicitation and advertising under certain circumstances; revising duties of intermediaries; authorizing issuers or certain persons to communicate with prospective investors on securities offerings under certain circumstances; providing construction; providing requirements for such communications; deleting provisions relating to disposition of funds received from investors in escrow agreements; amending s. 517.072, F.S.; authorizing the commission to establish certain requirements and standards; amending s. 517.081, F.S.; revising the information and documents that the Office of Financial Regulation may require for securities registration; deleting a provision relating to the authority of the commission to fix certain compensations for or in connection with securities offers and sales; revising fees for securities registration applications; requiring the office to deny registration applications under certain circumstances; authorizing the office to deny a request to withdraw a registration application under a specified circumstance; revising circumstances under which the office is required to record securities registrations; authorizing securities to be sold by registered dealers under a specified circumstance; revising the requirements and standards that the commission is required to establish by rule; authorizing the commission to establish certain disclosure criteria; requiring the office to consider registration applications to be abandoned under a specified circumstance; authorizing issuers and persons acting on behalf of issuers to communicate with prospective investors under certain circumstances; providing construction for such communications; prohibiting solicitations, money acceptance, considerations, and commitment until the offering’s registration; providing requirements for the communications; providing that certain communications are not in violation of specified laws; providing limitations on virtual participation in events on securities offerings; amending s. 517.082, F.S.; revising exceptions to exemptions relating to securities registrations; making technical changes; requiring that registration applications by notification with the office be deemed abandoned under a specified circumstance; amending s. 517.111, F.S.; revising circumstances under which the office may revoke or suspend securities registrations; deleting provisions relating to denial of securities registrations; revising means by which notice of suspension of securities registrations is given; deleting a provision relating to the office’s authority to deny requests to withdraw registration applications; amending s. 517.12, F.S.; deleting issuers of securities from the list of persons that may not offer for sale or sell securities without being registered; deleting exceptions to the nonapplicability of certain registration requirements; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; revising circumstances under which the office is required to register applicants; revising requirements for information for registration applications for intermediaries; revising circumstances under which applicants are subject to certain disqualifications; conforming a cross-reference; prohibiting finders and associated persons from engaging in business unless registered; providing requirements for registration applications; authorizing the commission to establish certain procedures by rule; requiring registration applications to be amended within a specified timeframe under certain circumstances; providing that applicants are not subject to certain disqualifications; requiring the office to register applicants under certain circumstances; providing for expirations, renewals, and reinstatements of registrations; providing duties of finders and associated persons; providing recordkeeping requirements; prohibiting finders and associated persons from engaging

in certain acts; amending s. 517.121, F.S.; requiring finders to maintain certain books and records; requiring the office to examine affairs, books, and records of finders or to require such records and reports to be submitted; amending s. 517.1217, F.S.; authorizing the commission to establish rules of conduct and prohibited business practices for intermediaries and for finders and their associated persons; amending s. 517.161, F.S.; providing circumstances under which registrations of finders are revoked, denied, or suspended; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 517.1611, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; repealing s. 517.181, F.S., relating to escrow agreements; amending s. 517.191, F.S.; authorizing the office to recover costs and attorney fees related to investigations and enforcement of violations of specified laws and rules; requiring such recovered moneys to be deposited into a specified trust fund; providing liability for control persons found to have violated specified laws and rules; providing an exception; providing for liability of persons who provide substantial assistance to other persons violating specified laws and rules; amending ss. 517.075, 626.9911, and 744.351, F.S.; making technical changes; amending ss. 517.131, 517.211, and 517.315, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Powell—

SB 1882—A bill to be entitled An act relating to use of police canines; creating s. 943.17175, F.S.; prohibiting police canines from being used to bite suspects during arrest or apprehension; requiring that law enforcement agencies that use police canines adopt specified policies; providing requirements for the use of police canines in apprehending suspects; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to maintain specified data concerning the use of police canines and to make such data available in a format meeting specified requirements; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Powell—

SB 1884—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legalization of recreational marijuana; providing a short title; amending s. 20.165, F.S.; renaming the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco within the Department of Business and Professional Regulation as the Division of Alcoholic Beverages, Marijuana, and Tobacco; amending s. 561.025, F.S.; renaming the Alcoholic Beverage and Tobacco Trust Fund as the Alcoholic Beverage, Marijuana, and Tobacco Trust Fund; requiring funds collected pursuant to ch. 566, F.S., to be deposited into the trust fund; creating ch. 566, F.S., entitled “Recreational Marijuana”; defining terms; providing construction; authorizing persons 21 years of age and older to engage in specified activities relating to the personal use of marijuana; limiting the number of seedlings and the amount of marijuana allowable for personal use; limiting the number of plants that may be cultivated and specifying locations where cultivation may occur; requiring that a person who elects to cultivate marijuana take certain reasonable precautions regarding securing plants; restricting where marijuana may be smoked or ingested; providing civil penalties; prohibiting the use of false or fraudulent evidence of age by persons younger than 21 years of age for specified purposes relating to the procurement of or gaining access to marijuana; providing civil penalties; providing for the waiver by the court of civil penalties; providing construction; authorizing personal use cultivation for qualified patients under s. 381.986, F.S.; imposing limitations and requirements on the cultivation of marijuana for personal use; imposing possession limits on specified forms of cannabis for residents and nonresidents of this state; specifying duties of the division under ch. 566, F.S.; requiring the division to create a cannabis equity program by a specified date; providing requirements for the program; specifying application requirements for assistance grants; requiring the division to grant funds in a specified manner; providing requirements for grant recipients; providing additional duties of the division; requiring the division to develop and implement a program to defer or waive certain fees for need-based applicants and licensees, by a specified date; providing requirements for the program; requiring that the division and the Department of Economic

Opportunity create a low-interest loan program; specifying requirements for cannabis equity program applicants and licensees that operate microbusinesses; requiring the division to create a program to assist such applicants or licensees in transitioning to licensure as cultivation centers; providing for issuance of early approval adult use dispensing organization licenses; providing the application process; specifying selection criteria; requiring the department to issue the licenses within a specified timeframe, with exceptions; authorizing medical marijuana treatment centers that obtain such licenses to engage in specified activities on or after a specified date; requiring such licensees to maintain an adequate supply of cannabis and cannabis-infused products for qualified patients; defining the term “adequate supply”; requiring such licensees to prioritize qualified patients in the event of any shortages; authorizing such licensees to allow purchasers into limited access areas; providing for the expiration and renewal of early approval adult use dispensing organization licenses; requiring certain fees to be deposited into the Alcoholic Beverage, Marijuana, and Tobacco Trust Fund; providing for conditional adult use dispensing organization licenses; providing the application process; specifying selection criteria; providing for the issuance of such licenses after a specified date; providing for adult use dispensing organization licenses; providing the application process; specifying selection criteria; providing for identification cards for dispensing organization agents; requiring owners, managers, employees, and agents of adult use dispensing organizations to complete certain training by a specified date; providing requirements for the training program; providing for the renewal of adult use dispensing organization licenses; requiring disclosure of ownership and control of dispensing organizations; requiring evidence of financial responsibility for the issuance, maintenance, or reactivation of a license; providing requirements for such evidence; providing for changes to dispensing organizations; providing for administration of dispensing organizations; providing operational requirements; providing requirements for inventory control systems; providing cannabis storage requirements for dispensing organizations; providing requirements for dispensing cannabis; providing requirements for destruction and disposal of cannabis; requiring designation of an agent-in-charge; providing requirements for such agents; requiring dispensaries to have specified security measures; specifying requirements for such security measures; requiring dispensaries to keep and maintain certain records; specifying recordkeeping requirements; providing for the closure of dispensaries; providing the department with inspection and investigative authority; providing for nondisciplinary citations for minor violations; specifying grounds for disciplinary actions; authorizing temporary suspension of licenses; authorizing consent orders to resolve certain disciplinary complaints; providing for hearings on disciplinary complaints; authorizing the department to issue subpoenas and administer oaths; providing for issuance of adult use cultivation center licenses; providing license requirements; providing for early approval of adult use cultivation center licenses; providing for conditional adult use cultivation center license applications; providing requirements for such centers; providing for scoring of applications; providing for denial of applications under certain circumstances; providing cultivation center requirements and prohibitions; providing for cultivation center agent identification cards; requiring cultivation center agent background checks; providing for renewal of cultivation center licenses and agent identification cards; providing for licensure of craft growers; providing license requirements; providing for applications and scoring; prohibiting issuance of craft grower licenses to specified persons under certain circumstances; providing for denial of applications under certain circumstances; providing requirements and prohibitions for craft growers; providing for craft grower identification cards; requiring background checks; providing for renewal of licenses and identification cards; providing for licensing of infuser organizations; providing license requirements; providing for applications and scoring; providing for denial of applications under certain circumstances; providing infuser organization requirements and prohibitions; providing for infuser organization identification cards; providing requirements for the adequate supply of cannabis-infused products; requiring background checks; providing for renewal of licenses and identification cards; providing for licensing of transporting organizations; providing license requirements; providing for applications and scoring; providing for denial of applications under certain circumstances; providing transporting organization requirements and prohibitions; providing for identification cards; requiring background checks; providing for renewal of licenses and identification cards; providing for cannabis testing facilities; requiring approval of testing facilities; providing requirements for such facilities; requiring certain tests to be performed before the manufacturing or natural pro-

cessing of any cannabis or cannabis-infused product or packaging cannabis for sale to a dispensary; requiring the department to establish certain standards; authorizing the department to adopt rules; authorizing certain enforcement actions by the department; authorizing the Attorney General to enforce certain provisions under the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; providing immunity from prosecution or discipline under certain provisions for licensees for engaging in licensed conduct; providing construction; providing standards and requirements for advertising and promotions; providing standards and requirements for packaging and labeling; requiring certain warning labels; providing for certain local zoning ordinances for regulated businesses; providing for nonconflicting local ordinances and rules; authorizing certain local regulation of on-premises cannabis consumption; defining terms; authorizing the establishment of restricted cannabis zones; providing a process for local governments to create such zones; providing requirements for such zones; requiring the Attorney General to advocate to quash certain federal subpoenas; authorizing certain scientific and medical researchers to purchase, possess, securely store, administer, and distribute marijuana under certain circumstances and for specified purposes; providing construction; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing that engaging in certain conduct may not be the basis for certain findings related to good moral character; providing criminal penalties; providing for search, seizure, and forfeiture of cannabis under certain circumstances; providing for enforcement of certain tax provisions; requiring the department to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing requirements for the report; requiring the department to post the report on its website; amending s. 500.03, F.S.; providing that marijuana establishments that sell food containing marijuana are considered food establishments for the purposes of specified regulations; creating s. 500.105, F.S.; specifying that food products containing marijuana which are prepared in permitted food establishments and sold by licensed retail marijuana stores are not considered adulterated; amending s. 562.13, F.S.; prohibiting licensed marijuana establishments from employing person younger than 18 years of age; amending s. 569.0073, F.S.; exempting licensed marijuana establishments from specified provisions regulating the sale of pipes and smoking devices; amending s. 893.03, F.S.; removing cannabis from the schedule of controlled substances; amending ss. 893.13 and 893.135, F.S.; providing that conduct authorized under ch. 566, F.S., is not prohibited by specified controlled substance prohibitions; removing restrictions on possession and sale of cannabis; creating s. 893.13501, F.S.; providing for retroactive effect of amendments to ss. 893.03, 893.13, and 893.135, F.S., by this act; providing for sentence review for certain offenders; requiring notice to certain offenders; providing procedures for resentencing or release of offenders; providing exceptions; creating s. 943.0586, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing an individual convicted of certain offenses to have his or her criminal history record sealed or to petition the court for expunction of his or her criminal history record, under certain circumstances; requiring the individual to first obtain a certificate of eligibility from the Department of Law Enforcement; requiring the department to adopt rules establishing the procedures for applying for and issuing such certificates; requiring the department to issue a certificate under certain circumstances; providing for the expiration of and reapplication for the certificate; providing for sealing of certain records upon the department's determination of eligibility; providing requirements for a petition for expunction; providing criminal penalties; providing for the court's authority over its own procedures, with an exception; requiring the court to order the expunction of a criminal history record under certain circumstances; providing that expunction of certain criminal history records does not affect eligibility for expunction of other criminal history records; providing procedures for processing expunction petitions and orders; providing that a person granted an expunction may lawfully deny or fail to acknowledge the underlying arrest or conviction, with exceptions; providing that a person may not be deemed to have committed perjury or otherwise held liable for giving a false statement if he or she fails to recite or acknowledge an expunged criminal history record; amending s. 943.0595, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; defining terms; requiring the department to establish and administer the Florida College System Cannabis Vocational Pilot Program in coordination with the Board of Education; authorizing the department to issue a specified number of program licenses by a specified date; authorizing Florida College System institutions awarded program licenses to offer a Career in Cannabis Certificate; providing requirements for the certificate; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing an age requirement for students who participate in the pilot program; providing for the

issuance of program licenses; providing requirements and prohibitions for program licensees; providing for faculty identification cards; providing enforcement authority to the department; providing for inspections; providing requirements for faculty identification cards; requiring the board to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; providing requirements for the report; providing for the repeal of the pilot program; amending ss. 210.01, 210.10, 210.13, 210.151, 210.16, 210.1605, 210.20, 210.25, 210.405, 210.51, 213.053, 282.709, 322.212, 386.207, 402.62, 403.708, 455.116, 456.0635, 561.01, 561.02, 561.121, 561.14, 561.20, 561.221, 561.32, 561.545, 561.68, 561.695, 561.703, 562.025, 562.111, 562.45, 569.002, 569.003, 569.12, 569.31, 616.265, 633.142, 772.12, 812.171, 812.173, 812.174, 812.175, 812.176, 832.06, 877.18, 893.055, 893.0551, 893.15, 893.21, 921.0022, 932.7055, 948.20, 1002.395, and 1003.485, F.S.; conforming cross-references and provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Powell—

SB 1886—A bill to be entitled An act relating to taxes and fees; creating s. 566.801, F.S.; specifying fees under ch. 566, F.S., for various applications, renewals, and other purposes; creating s. 566.802, F.S.; providing contributions for early approval adult use dispensing organization licenses; creating s. 566.803, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to revise fees after a specified date; creating s. 566.804, F.S.; providing for certain mandatory contributions for obtaining early approval adult use dispensing organization licenses; creating s. 566.805, F.S.; levying a tax on the cultivation of cannabis; specifying the amount of the tax; providing for the collection, payment, and administration of the tax; providing for rulemaking; creating s. 566.806, F.S.; defining terms; levying a tax on cannabis purchases; providing exceptions; providing for the collection, payment, and administration of the tax; requiring recordkeeping; prohibiting specified offenses concerning the tax; providing criminal penalties; defining terms; providing for enforcement; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Grutes—

SB 1888—A bill to be entitled An act relating to federal home loan banks; amending s. 626.9541, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 631.011, F.S.; defining the terms “federal home loan bank” and “insurer-member”; conforming cross-references; amending s. 631.025, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 631.041, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing construction; requiring federal home loan banks to repurchase certain stock under certain circumstances; requiring federal home loan banks to provide specified processes and timelines within a specified timeframe; requiring federal home loan banks to provide options for insurer-members to renew or restructure loans under certain circumstances; amending s. 631.261, F.S.; prohibiting receivers for insurer-members from voiding certain transfers; providing an exception; providing construction; amending s. 817.2341, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hutson—

SB 1890—A bill to be entitled An act relating to government property tax exemptions; amending s. 196.012, F.S.; revising the types of lessees whose purposes and functions are deemed to be governmental, municipal, or public purposes or functions; providing exemptions from ad valorem taxes for certain real property; reenacting s. 196.199(2)(a), F.S., relating to government property tax exemptions, to incorporate the amendments made by this act to s. 196.012, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing construction; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Burgess—

SB 1892—A bill to be entitled An act relating to administration of vaccines; amending s. 465.014, F.S.; specifying training requirements for registered pharmacy technicians seeking to administer certain immunizations and vaccines; providing requirements for such training; requiring such registered pharmacy technicians to complete certain additional continuing education as a condition of registration renewal; amending s. 465.189, F.S.; authorizing certified registered pharmacy technicians to administer specified immunizations and vaccines under certain circumstances; revising the specified immunizations and vaccines that certified pharmacists, registered interns, and registered pharmacy technicians may administer; revising a certain staffing ratio for supervising pharmacists; requiring pharmacists to maintain certain liability insurance in a specified amount in order to administer immunizations and vaccines; specifying certification requirements for registered pharmacy technicians seeking to administer immunizations and vaccines; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1894—A bill to be entitled An act relating to court proceedings; amending s. 39.013, F.S.; authorizing individuals to appear at or attend hearings or conferences relating to children through audio-video communication technology, except under certain circumstances; amending s. 39.0131, F.S.; requiring parties in certain proceedings to designate their primary e-mail addresses with the court; authorizing courts to excuse a party from the requirement for good cause shown; amending s. 39.402, F.S.; requiring that court notices for shelter placement hearings held through audio-video communication technology include certain information; amending s. 39.502, F.S.; specifying how parties to certain hearings involving children may consent to service or notice by e-mail; requiring that certain summonses or notices contain instructions for appearance through audio-video communications technology; amending s. 39.506, F.S.; requiring parties at arraignment hearings to provide the court with a primary e-mail address; authorizing the court to excuse a party from the requirement for good cause; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 39.521 and 39.801, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 92.54, F.S.; authorizing the use of audio-video communication technology for showing testimonies in proceedings involving a victim or witness under the age of 18 or who has an intellectual disability; amending s. 985.319, F.S.; requiring that summonses for juvenile delinquency hearings held through audio-video communication technology provide certain information; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1896—A bill to be entitled An act relating to confidentiality of economic development agreement information; amending s. 288.075, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to confidentiality and exemption from public records requirements of information concerning plans, intentions, or interests of a private entity entering into certain agreements with an economic development agency; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1898—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tourist development taxes; amending s. 125.0104, F.S.; removing a provision requiring a specified percentage of all tourist development tax revenues to be used to promote and advertise tourism; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1900—A bill to be entitled An act relating to preemption to the state; amending s. 106.08, F.S.; removing provisions which preempt counties, municipalities, and other local governmental entities from enacting or adopting any limitation or restriction involving certain contributions and expenditures, or establishing contribution limits different than those established in the Florida Election Code; amending s. 125.0103, F.S.; removing provisions which require local governmental measures imposing rent controls to expire within a specified time period unless such measures are extended or renewed in accordance with law; amending s. 125.01055, F.S.; removing provisions which require counties to provide incentives to fully offset costs of certain affordable housing contributions or linkage fees; amending s. 125.421, F.S.; removing provisions which require counties and entities of local government to pay ad valorem taxes or fees under specified conditions on certain telecommunications facilities; removing a waiver of immunity on taxation of property for counties or entities of local government under such circumstances; repealing s. 163.045, F.S., relating to the pruning, trimming, or removal of trees on residential property; repealing 163.211, F.S., relating to licensing of occupations preempted to the state; amending s. 163.31801, F.S.; removing limitations on impact fee increases; repealing s. 163.3205, F.S., relating to a solar facility approval process; amending s. 166.04151, F.S.; removing provisions which require municipalities to provide incentives to fully offset costs of certain affordable housing contributions or linkage fees; amending s. 166.043, F.S.; removing provisions which require local governmental measures that impose rent controls to expire within a specified time period unless such measures are extended or renewed in accordance with law; amending s. 166.047, F.S.; removing provisions which require municipalities and other entities of local government to pay ad valorem taxes or fees under specified conditions on certain telecommunications facilities; amending s. 166.241, F.S.; removing provisions authorizing specified elected officials to file an appeal to the Administration Commission if the governing body of a municipality makes a specified reduction to the operating budget of the municipal law enforcement agency; removing provisions requiring the petition to contain specified information; removing provisions requiring the Executive Office of the Governor to conduct a budget hearing to consider the matter and make findings and recommendations to the Administration Commission; removing provisions requiring the commission to approve, amend, or modify the municipality's budget; amending ss. 196.012, 199.183, and 212.08, F.S.; removing provisions that prohibit certain property and use of two-way telecommunications services under specified circumstances from receiving certain tax exemptions; repealing s. 218.077, F.S., relating to wage and employment benefits requirements by political subdivisions and restrictions thereon; amending s. 252.35, F.S.; removing limitations on the timeframe for delegation of certain authorities by the Division of Emergency Management; amending s. 252.38, F.S.; removing requirements for the purpose and scope of emergency orders; removing provisions on the automatic expiration of emergency orders; removing provisions authorizing the extension of emergency orders by a majority vote of a governing body for a specified duration; removing provisions authorizing the Governor to invalidate certain emergency orders; removing prohibitions on the issuance of certain emergency orders; amending s. 252.46, F.S.; removing provisions that a failure by a political subdivision to file certain orders and rules with specified entities within a specified timeframe voids the issued orders or rules; repealing 311.25, F.S., relating to Florida seaports and local ballot initiatives and referendums; amending 331.502, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 337.401, F.S.; removing certain communications services lines as items over which certain governmental entities are authorized to prescribe and enforce reasonable rules and regulations; removing time restrictions placed upon certain counties and municipalities for processing certain permit applications; removing limitations and prohibitions on municipalities and counties relating to registrations and renewals of communications services providers; removing provisions that authorize municipalities and counties to require certain information as part of a registration; removing provisions that prohibit municipalities and counties from requiring a payment of fees, costs, or charges for provider registration or renewal; removing prohibitions against municipalities and counties adopting or enforcing certain ordinances, rules, or requirements; re-

moving limitations on municipal and county authority to regulate and manage municipal and county roads or rights-of-way; removing provisions that prohibit certain municipalities and counties from imposing permit fees; removing provisions that specify activities for which permit fees may not be imposed; removing a requirement that enforcement of certain ordinances be suspended until certain conditions are met; removing a condition for certain in-kind compensation; revising items over which municipalities and counties may exercise regulatory control; removing provisions for requirements relating to right-of-way permits; removing provisions relating to municipal and county authority over pass-through providers; removing references to, and administration and provisions of, the Advanced Wireless Infrastructure Deployment Act; removing a provision authorizing a civil action for specified violations; removing authorizations for a court to take certain actions; removing provisions requiring that work in certain authority rights-of-way comply with a specified document; amending s. 350.81, F.S.; removing procedures that must be followed by governmental entities before providing communications services; removing provisions relating to the use of certain revenues to issue bonds to finance communications services; removing provisions which provide certain procedures if revenues do not exceed operating costs after a specified time period; removing exemptions of certain governmental entities from certain requirements relating to telecommunications services; removing a provision specifying that certain airport authorities or other governmental entities are not exempt from certain procedural requirements relating to telecommunications services; repealing s. 366.032, F.S., relating to preemption over utility service restrictions; repealing s. 377.707, F.S., relating to express preemption of fuel retailers and related transportation infrastructure; amending s. 403.412, F.S.; removing prohibitions against local governments recognizing or granting certain legal rights to the natural environment or granting such rights relating to the natural environment to a person or political subdivision; amending s. 403.7033, F.S.; removing the prohibition against local laws relating to the regulation of auxiliary containers, wrappings, and disposable plastic bags; amending ss. 489.117, 489.1455, and 489.5335, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 499.002, F.S.; removing a provision that preempts the regulation of over-the-counter proprietary drugs and cosmetics to the state; repealing s. 500.90, F.S., relating to the preemption of local laws relating to the use or sale of polystyrene products to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending s. 790.251, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; repealing s. 569.0025, F.S., relating to preemption of the regulation of tobacco products to the state; repealing s. 569.315, F.S., relating to preemption of the regulation of nicotine products to the state; repealing s. 790.33, F.S., relating to the preemption of the field of regulation of firearms and ammunition to the Legislature, to the exclusion of local jurisdictions; amending s. 570.07, F.S.; removing provisions relating to the preemption of the regulation of fertilizer to the state; repealing ch. 908, F.S., consisting of ss. 908.101, 908.102, 908.103, 908.104, 908.105, 908.106, 908.107, 908.108, and 908.109, F.S., relating to legislative findings and intent, definitions, a prohibition on sanctuary policies, cooperation with federal immigration authorities, duties relating to immigration detainees, reimbursement of costs, enforcement, education records, and a prohibition on discrimination, respectively; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SB 1902—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Farm-to-Plate Investment Plan; creating s. 570.237, F.S.; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to develop a plan with recommendations for legislative action to stabilize and revitalize farm and food businesses in the state; providing plan requirements; authorizing the department to take certain actions in developing the plan; requiring the department to submit the plan to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Torres—

SJR 1904—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 16 of Article III of the State Constitution to revise the number of senatorial and representative districts that the Legislature is authorized to appoint.

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

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1906—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hemp extract products; creating s. 500.421, F.S.; defining terms; requiring certain hemp extract products to be registered with the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services before being distributed or sold in this state; requiring registrants to renew registrations annually; providing that registrants assume full responsibility for their products; providing application requirements; authorizing the department to analyze whether product samples meet specified requirements; requiring the department to deny applications that fail to meet the requirements; authorizing the department to issue and enforce stop-sale orders and revoke or suspend registrations for violations; requiring the department to order a manufacturer or distributor to cease operations or distribution under certain circumstances; authorizing an administrative fine for violations after notice and hearing; authorizing the department to adopt rules; amending s. 581.217, F.S.; prohibiting hemp extract products intended for ingestion from being sold to persons under a specified age; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rouson—

SB 1908—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 500.421, F.S.; requiring hemp extract product registration applications to include a specified application fee set by Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services rule; prohibiting the fee from exceeding a specified amount per hemp extract product; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1910—A bill to be entitled An act relating to contingency risk multipliers; amending s. 627.428, F.S.; providing that a strong presumption is created that a lodestar fee is sufficient and reasonable; providing that such presumption may be rebutted only under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gainer—

SB 1912—A bill to be entitled An act relating to bingo; amending s. 849.0931, F.S.; increasing the monetary cap for bingo game jackpots and other game prizes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1914—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending s. 20.10, F.S.; requiring the Secretary of State to be elected rather than appointed; specifying when such election must occur; amending s. 97.053, F.S.; requiring applicants registering to vote to designate a

party affiliation or affirmatively select “No Party Affiliation”; requiring supervisors of elections to provide a certain notification; requiring the voter registration application to note such requirement; creating s. 97.0556, F.S.; providing that a person who meets certain requirements may register to vote at an early voting site or at his or her polling place and immediately thereafter cast a ballot; amending s. 97.057, F.S.; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to provide the opportunity to preregister to vote to certain individuals; revising procedures governing voter registration by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; providing that driver license or identification card applications, driver license or identification card renewal applications, and applications for changes of address for existing driver licenses or identification cards submitted to the department serve as voter registration applications; providing that an applicant is deemed to have consented to the use of his or her signature for voter registration purposes unless a declination is made; requiring specified applications to include a voter registration component, subject to approval by the Department of State; requiring such applications to include certain information; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop the voter registration component for applications; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to electronically transmit voter registration information to the Department of State within a specified timeframe; requiring the Department of State to provide such information to supervisors of elections, as applicable; deleting obsolete language; making technical changes; amending s. 97.0575, F.S.; removing a requirement that a third-party voter registration organization provide certain notice to an applicant; revising certain penalties for third-party voter registration organizations; removing the aggregate limit of such penalties; amending s. 98.045, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 98.065, F.S.; revising the conditions in which a supervisor must designate a voter as inactive; amending s. 99.061, F.S.; authorizing a candidate to pay his or her qualification fee with a cashier’s check; amending s. 100.371, F.S.; providing a requirement for the delivery of certain petition forms; creating s. 100.51, F.S.; establishing General Election Day as a paid holiday; providing that any elector may absent himself or herself from service or employment at a specific time on a General Election Day and may not be penalized or have pay reduced for such absence; creating s. 101.016, F.S.; requiring the Division of Elections to maintain a strategic elections equipment reserve of voting systems and other equipment for specified purposes; requiring such reserve to include specified equipment; authorizing the division to contract with specified entities rather than physically maintain such reserve; amending s. 101.048, F.S.; providing that a person may cast a provisional vote at any precinct in the county in which the voter claims to be registered; amending s. 101.151, F.S.; revising the order in which office titles and names of candidates are placed on the ballot; amending s. 101.5612, F.S.; requiring supervisors of elections to annually file a specified plan for operations to be implemented under certain conditions; amending s. 101.62, F.S.; providing that a request for a vote-by-mail ballot is valid until the request is canceled by the elector making the request; revising the deadline by which vote-by-mail ballots must be received by supervisors; revising the period during which supervisors of elections may deliver certain ballots; providing for extension of deadlines under certain conditions; amending s. 101.64, F.S.; requiring supervisors of elections to enclose a postage-paid mailing envelope with each vote-by-mail ballot; providing that vote-by-mail ballot voter certificates may be signed with the last four digits of the voter’s social security number; amending s. 101.65, F.S.; revising instructions that must be provided with a vote-by-mail ballot; amending s. 101.68, F.S.; requiring supervisors of elections to compare the signature or last four digits of the social security number on a voter’s certificate with the signature or last four digits of the social security number in the registration books or precinct register when canvassing a vote-by-mail ballot; requiring canvassing boards to compare the signature or last four digits of the social security number on a voter’s certificate or cure affidavit with the signature or last four digits of the social security number in the registration books or precinct register when canvassing vote-by-mail ballots; amending s. 101.6952, F.S.; authorizing absent voters to submit a federal write-in absentee ballot or vote-by-mail ballot under certain circumstances; revising requirements for the canvassing of specified ballots; providing that a certain presumption applies to vote-by-mail ballots received from absent voters; requiring a vote-by-mail ballot from an absent voter which is postmarked or dated by a certain date to be counted; amending s. 101.71, F.S.; prohibiting polling places from being located within gated communities unless certain conditions are met; amending s. 102.031, F.S.; providing that a person may provide food,

water, and other items to certain voters; prohibiting the use of devices that amplify sound in certain locations during certain hours; amending s. 102.111, F.S.; revising the dates by which the Elections Canvassing Commission shall meet to certify certain election returns; amending s. 102.112, F.S.; revising the deadlines for submission of county returns to the Department of State; creating s. 102.181, F.S.; authorizing certain persons to file actions against a supervisor of elections for non-compliance with the Florida Election Code; providing that such persons are entitled to an immediate hearing; providing for the waiver of fees and costs and the awarding of attorney fees; providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Taddeo and Torres—

SB 1916—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Hunger-Free Campus Grant Program; providing a short title; creating s. 1004.092, F.S.; defining terms; establishing the Hunger-Free Campus Grant Program within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing the purpose of the grant program; requiring the Commissioner of Agriculture to annually designate eligible public postsecondary educational institution campuses as Hunger-Free Campuses; providing that the designation remains in place until the commissioner makes a determination that a campus is no longer eligible and revokes the designation; providing eligibility requirements for a public postsecondary educational institution to participate in the program; providing modified requirements for certain institutions; requiring the commissioner, subject to the appropriation of funds, to award grants to public postsecondary educational institutions that have one or more campuses designated as a Hunger-Free Campus; requiring the commissioner to determine grant amounts; requiring the commissioner to prioritize grants to public postsecondary educational institutions with the highest percentages of eligible Pell Grant recipients enrolled in the student body; specifying the purposes for which grants must be used; requiring grant recipients to submit reports to the department on how grant awards were used; requiring the commissioner to submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; specifying requirements for the report; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1918—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the school readiness program; amending s. 1002.81, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “economically disadvantaged”; amending s. 1002.84, F.S.; requiring early learning coalitions to adopt a payment rate schedule rather than a payment schedule; providing requirements for the payment rate schedule; requiring early learning coalitions to reimburse contracted school readiness program providers the minimum payment rate; providing that minimum payment rate reimbursements must be charged as direct services; amending s. 1002.85, F.S.; revising the required contents of early learning coalition plans; amending s. 1002.895, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; directing the Division of Early Learning within the Department of Education to amend its Child Care and Development Fund Plan to identify certain personnel as essential workers for a specified purpose; requiring the division to annually collect certain data and include such data in a specified annual report; providing for the scheduled expiration of such directive; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1920—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 119.071, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current election workers, and the names and personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such workers; pro-

viding for retroactive application; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1922—A bill to be entitled An act relating to instructional hours for the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program; amending ss. 1002.55, 1002.61, 1002.63, and 1002.71, F.S.; revising the instructional hours required in the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program to provide for an 8-hour program day in the summer and school-year programs; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Rodriguez—

SB 1924—A bill to be entitled An act relating to affordable housing; creating s. 220.1991, F.S.; providing definitions; providing a tax credit against corporate income taxes to landlords who lease dwelling units under specified conditions to college students and recent college graduates; providing additional tax credits if landlords keep the monthly rental rates at specified levels as determined by the Shimberg Center for Affordable Housing; providing additional tax credits to landlords who include specified statements in lease agreements that grant college students and recent college graduates the right to purchase the rental dwelling units at specified rates; providing limitations on specified tax credit availability; specifying a maximum amount of tax credit available in any one year; prohibiting landlords from transferring their tax credits except under specified conditions; requiring a landlord to affirmatively demonstrate that it has met the requirements to receive a tax credit to the Department of Revenue; authorizing the department to adopt rules regarding eligibility for tax credits; requiring the department to consult with the Shimberg Center for Affordable Housing in determining eligibility for tax credits; requiring the Shimberg Center for Affordable Housing to determine certain affordable housing rental needs for certain purposes; amending s. 420.6075, F.S.; requiring the Shimberg Center for Affordable Housing to include certain recommendations relating to affordable housing rental needs in its annual report; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Stewart—

SB 1926—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the disposition of insurance proceeds; amending s. 494.0026, F.S.; adding requirements for mortgagees and assignees holding certain insurance proceeds pending completion of all or part of damage repairs; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hooper—

SB 1928—A bill to be entitled An act relating to household moving services; amending s. 507.01, F.S.; defining and redefining terms; amending s. 507.02, F.S.; clarifying intent; amending s. 507.03, F.S.; revising the conditions under which the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services is authorized to deny, refuse to renew, or revoke the registration of any mover or moving broker; amending s. 507.04, F.S.; removing a prohibition that precludes a mover from limiting its liability for the loss or damage of household goods to a specified valuation rate; removing a requirement that a mover disclose a liability limitation when the mover limits its liability for a shipper's goods; requiring a mover to indemnify a shipper for the loss of or damage to the shipper's household goods caused by the mover during a household move; requiring the mover to indemnify the shipper for at least the cost of repair

or replacement of goods unless waived or amended by the shipper; authorizing the shipper to waive or amend the indemnification for loss of or damage to the shipper's household goods; requiring that the waiver be made in a signed or electronic acknowledgment in the contract; revising the time at which the mover must disclose the terms of the coverage, including any deductibles, to the shipper in writing; revising the information that the disclosure must provide to the shipper; amending s. 507.05, F.S.; requiring a mover to conduct a physical survey and provide a binding estimate in certain circumstances unless waived by the shipper; requiring specified content for the binding estimate; authorizing a shipper to waive the binding estimate in certain circumstances; requiring the mover and shipper to sign or electronically acknowledge the estimate; requiring the mover to provide the shipper with a copy of the estimate at the time of signature or electronic acknowledgment; providing that a binding estimate may be amended only under certain circumstances; authorizing a mover to charge more than the binding estimate in certain circumstances; requiring a mover to allow a shipper at least 1 hour to determine whether to authorize impracticable operations; requiring a mover to retain a copy of the binding estimate for a specified period; requiring a mover to provide a contract for service to the shipper before providing moving or accessorial services; requiring a driver to have possession of the contract before leaving the point of origin; requiring a mover to retain a contract of service for a specified period; creating s. 507.054, F.S.; requiring the department to prepare a publication that summarizes the rights and responsibilities of, and remedies available to, movers and shippers; requiring the department to make the publication available to the public on the department's website; requiring the mover to provide an electronic or hard copy of the department's publication to shippers at specified times; requiring the publication to meet certain specifications; requiring the shipper to acknowledge receipt of the copy of the publication by signed or electronic acknowledgment; creating s. 507.055, F.S.; requiring a mover to provide certain disclosures to a prospective shipper; amending s. 507.06, F.S.; requiring a mover to tender household goods for delivery on the agreed upon delivery date or within a specified period unless waived by the shipper; requiring a mover to notify and provide certain information to a shipper if the mover is unable to perform delivery on the agreed upon date or during the specified period; creating s. 507.065, F.S.; providing a maximum amount that a mover may charge a shipper unless waived by the shipper; requiring a mover to bill a shipper for specified charges in certain circumstances; authorizing a mover to assess a late fee for any uncollected charges in certain circumstances; amending s. 507.07, F.S.; providing that it is a violation of ch. 507, F.S., to fail to comply with specified provisions; providing that it is a violation of ch. 507, F.S., to increase the contracted cost for moving services in certain circumstances; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 507.09, F.S.; requiring the department, upon verification by certain entities, to immediately suspend a registration or the processing of an application for a registration in certain circumstances; amending s. 507.10, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 507.11, F.S.; providing criminal penalties; creating s. 507.14, F.S.; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hooper—

SB 1930—A bill to be entitled An act relating to membership organization health coverage; creating s. 624.4032, F.S.; providing a short title; providing a purpose; defining the terms “farm bureau” and “not-for-profit membership organization”; providing that health coverage provided by certain entities is not insurance; authorizing risks under such coverage to be reinsured; requiring entities providing such coverage to annually file a certain statement; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hooper—

SB 1932—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual offenders and predators; amending s. 775.21, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms “permanent residence,” “temporary residence,” and “transient residence”; providing that a person must meet specified criteria to qualify

for removal of a sexual predator, sexually violent predator, or any other specified sexual offender designation; providing an additional reporting method for a sexual predator to report certain vehicle information changes to the Department of Law Enforcement; providing an additional reporting method for a sexual predator to report specified information to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; revising the reporting requirements with which a sexual predator must comply relating to establishing a residence in another state or jurisdiction or for travel outside of the United States; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 943.0435, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “convicted”; providing a short title; providing an additional reporting method for a sexual offender to report specified information to the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; providing an additional reporting method for a sexual offender to report certain vehicle information changes to the Department of Law Enforcement; requiring the custodian of a local jail to register a sexual offender within a certain number of business days after intake of such sexual offender and to forward the registration information to the department; requiring the custodian of a local jail to take a digitized photograph of such sexual offender and provide it to the department; requiring the custodian of a local jail to notify the department if a sexual offender in its custody escapes or dies; revising the reporting requirements with which a sexual offender must comply relating to establishing a residence in another state or jurisdiction or for travel outside of the United States; requiring that the department be given notice of a petition for removing the requirement for registration as a sexual offender; authorizing the department to present evidence in opposition to the requested relief or to otherwise demonstrate the reasons why the petition should be denied; requiring a sexual offender to establish that he or she does not meet specified criteria that require registration as a sexual offender for the purpose of removing the requirement for registration as a sexual offender; requiring a specified sexual offender to establish that his or her designation has been removed and that he or she does not meet any other specified criteria that require registration as a sexual offender to qualify for removal of the requirement for registration as a sexual offender; providing additional requirements with which a sexual offender must comply to be considered for removal of the requirement to register as a sexual offender; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; reenacting and amending s. 944.607, F.S.; conforming cross-references; making technical changes; amending ss. 322.141, 794.056, 921.0022, 938.085, 944.606, 944.607, 985.481, and 985.4815, F.S.; conforming cross-references; making technical changes; reenacting ss. 944.606(1)(d), 985.481(1)(d), and 985.4815(1)(f), F.S., all relating to the definition of the terms “permanent residence,” “temporary residence,” and “transient residence,” to incorporate the amendment made to s. 775.21, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Taddeo—

SB 1934—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the solitary confinement of incarcerated youths; creating s. 958.155, F.S.; providing a short title; defining terms; prohibiting the Department of Corrections and local governmental bodies from placing incarcerated youths in solitary confinement, with specified exceptions; limiting the period of time for which incarcerated youths may be placed in disciplinary cell confinement; requiring staff, at specified intervals, to perform visual checks of incarcerated youths who are placed in disciplinary cell confinement; requiring that each visual check be documented; requiring that incarcerated youth placed in disciplinary cell confinement be provided services and other benefits that are made available to prisoners in the general population; authorizing the placement of incarcerated youths in emergency cell confinement when less restrictive options have been exhausted; limiting the period of time for which incarcerated youths may be placed in emergency cell confinement; requiring facility staff to document the placement of an incarcerated youth in emergency cell confinement; requiring that, within a specified time and at specified intervals, a mental health clinician perform a face-to-face evaluation of incarcerated youths who are placed in emergency cell confinement; requiring that each evaluation be documented; requiring facility staff, at specified intervals, to perform visual checks of incarcerated youths in emergency cell confinement; requiring that each visual check be documented; providing for creation of individualized suicide crisis inter-

vention plans for certain incarcerated youths placed in emergency cell confinement; requiring that such incarcerated youths be transported to a mental health receiving facility if such youths’ suicide risk is not resolved within a certain timeframe; requiring that incarcerated youths placed in emergency cell confinement be provided services and other benefits that are made available to prisoners in the general population; requiring that restrictions imposed on incarcerated youths who are placed in protective custody be the least restrictive necessary to maintain the safety of such youths and others; requiring that such youths be provided services and other benefits that are made available to prisoners in the general population; requiring the department and the board of county commissioners of each county that administers a detention facility or jail to review their policies relating to the placement of incarcerated youths in solitary confinement to determine the efficacy of such policies and to adopt policies and procedures; requiring the department and such boards, by a specified date, to certify compliance with such requirements in a report to the Governor and the Legislature; providing construction; amending s. 944.09, F.S.; authorizing the department to adopt specified rules; amending s. 951.23, F.S.; requiring sheriffs and chief correctional officers to adopt model standards relating to the confinement of incarcerated youths; reenacting s. 944.279(1), F.S., relating to disciplinary procedures applicable to a prisoner for filing frivolous or malicious actions or bringing false information before a court, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 944.09, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Farmer—

SB 1936—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education in public schools concerning human sexuality; amending s. 1003.46, F.S.; deleting criteria for instruction in acquired immune deficiency syndrome, sexually transmitted diseases, and health education in schools; providing a short title; requiring certain public schools that provide information or offer programs to students relating to human sexuality to provide information or offer programs that meet specified criteria; defining terms; requiring public schools to make a certain curriculum available to parents and guardians upon request; authorizing students to be excused from certain portions of a specified program under certain circumstances; prohibiting an excused student from receiving disciplinary action, academic penalty, or any other form of punishment for being excused; providing a compliance review process that meets certain requirements; requiring district school superintendents, district school boards, and the Commissioner of Education to review compliance and take corrective actions; providing for severability; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Gruters—

SB 1938—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the recall of county officials; amending s. 100.361, F.S.; providing that members of the governing body of a noncharter county may be removed from office by the electors of the county; making technical changes; providing a contingent effective date.

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

By Senator Brodeur—

SB 1940—A bill to be entitled An act relating to statewide flooding and sea level rise resilience; creating s. 14.2031, F.S.; establishing the Statewide Office of Resiliency within the Executive Office of the Governor; providing for the appointment of a Chief Resilience Officer; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Pizzo—

SB 1942—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominium and cooperative associations; amending s. 553.73, F.S.; requiring that the Florida Building Code require enhanced waterproofing measures for certain elements of community associations; defining the term “enhanced waterproofing measures”; amending ss. 718.112 and 719.106, F.S.; prohibiting a developer or condominium or cooperative association, respectively, from waiving or reducing the amount of its reserve funds; requiring elected or appointed board members to complete an educational curriculum within a specified time and submit a certificate of completion to the secretary of the association; requiring the secretary to maintain the certificate for a certain length of time; requiring the association to maintain a separate reserve account for items recognized in the Life Safety Code; prohibiting reserve funds for life safety requirements to be comingled with other reserve funds; deleting an exception; requiring the board to hire a licensed engineer or engineering firm to conduct an inspection and prepare a reserve study for a specified purpose at certain times; requiring the board of directors to provide a copy of the reserve study and a certain report or financial statement to the local authority having jurisdiction within a specified time; deleting an authorization for a developer to waive or reduce reserves under certain conditions; requiring construction and renovation of a residential condominium building or residential cooperative building to comply with the Florida Building Code; requiring the board to hire a licensed structural engineer to conduct an annual inspection of association property; requiring the local authority having jurisdiction to issue a specified notice once a residential condominium building or residential cooperative building reaches a certain age; requiring the board to hire a licensed architect or engineer to conduct a structural and electrical recertification inspection of the condominium or cooperative building within a specified time after receipt of such notice; requiring the licensed architect or engineer to analyze certain parts of the condominium or cooperative building for the recertification inspection; requiring the licensed architect or engineer to certify a report explaining what type of inspection was completed and any remedial actions needed; requiring the board to provide a copy of the report to the local authority having jurisdiction within a specified time; requiring any repairs or modification noted in the report to be completed within a specified time; requiring the board to provide a completion report to the local authority having jurisdiction within a specified time after any remedial action is completed; authorizing the local authority having jurisdiction to order a mandatory evacuation of the residential condominium or residential cooperative under certain circumstances; providing remedies and civil penalties; requiring a recertification inspection at certain intervals thereafter; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending ss. 718.503 and 719.503, F.S.; revising the documents that must be delivered to a prospective buyer or lessee of a residential unit; revising the clause that must be included in a contract for the resale of a residential unit; amending s. 718.618, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 718.706, F.S.; prohibiting a bulk assignee on behalf of an association from waiving or reducing the amount of reserve funds; amending s. 719.103, F.S.; revising definitions of the terms “board of administration” and “common areas”; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Baxley—

SB 1944—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local governmental actions against public or private waste entities; amending s. 403.706, F.S.; prohibiting counties and municipalities from seeking liquidated damages, administrative fees, or other similar charges against certain waste entities during certain declared emergencies; providing for the administration of such damages, fees, or other similar charges against certain waste entities during other times; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bean—

SB 1946—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the impaired practitioner program; amending s. 456.076, F.S.; creating a student evaluation

program within the Department of Health for a specified purpose; providing program eligibility requirements; requiring consultants to redact a student’s personal identifying information and to forward the invoice for an evaluation to the department; requiring the department to directly pay the evaluator upon receipt of the invoice from the consultant; requiring the consultant to provide monthly reports to the department; providing requirements for the reports; providing that funding for the program shall be from the Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund, as provided by the Legislature; providing that, if program funding is exhausted in a fiscal year, the program must cease operations until additional funding becomes available; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bracy—

SB 1948—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation facility designations; providing an honorary designation of a certain transportation facility in a specified county; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Brodeur—

SB 1950—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the statewide Medicaid managed care program; amending s. 409.912, F.S.; requiring, rather than authorizing, that the reimbursement method for provider service networks be on a prepaid basis; deleting the authority to reimburse provider service networks on a fee-for-service basis; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing that provider service networks are subject to and exempt from certain requirements; providing construction; repealing s. 409.9124, F.S., relating to managed care reimbursement; amending s. 409.964, F.S.; deleting a requirement that the Agency for Health Care Administration provide the opportunity for public feedback on a certain waiver application; amending s. 409.966, F.S.; revising requirements relating to the databook published by the agency consisting of Medicaid utilization and spending data; reallocating regions within the statewide managed care program; deleting a requirement that the agency negotiate plan rates or payments to guarantee a certain savings amount; deleting a requirement for the agency to award additional contracts to plans in specified regions for certain purposes; revising a limitation on when plans may begin serving Medicaid recipients to apply to any eligible plan that participates in an invitation to negotiate, rather than plans participating in certain regions; making technical changes; amending s. 409.967, F.S.; deleting obsolete provisions; revising provisions relating to agency-defined quality measures under the achieved savings rebate program for Medicaid prepaid plans; amending s. 409.968, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.973, F.S.; revising requirements for healthy behaviors programs established by plans; deleting an obsolete provision; amending s. 409.974, F.S.; requiring the agency to select plans for the managed medical assistance program through a single statewide procurement; authorizing the agency to award contracts to plans on a regional or statewide basis; specifying requirements for minimum numbers of plans which the agency must procure for each specified region; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; deleting a requirement for the agency to exercise a preference for certain plans; amending s. 409.975, F.S.; providing that cancer hospitals meeting certain criteria are statewide essential providers; amending s. 409.977, F.S.; revising the circumstances for maintaining a recipient’s enrollment in a plan; deleting a requirement for the agency to develop a process for certain recipients to opt out of managed care plans; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; authorizing specialty plans to serve certain children; amending s. 409.981, F.S.; requiring the agency to select plans for the long-term care managed medical assistance program through a single statewide procurement; authorizing the agency to award contracts to plans on a regional or statewide basis; specifying requirements for minimum numbers of plans which the agency must procure for each specified region; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.8132, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; reenacting ss. 409.962(1), (7), (13), and (14) and 641.19(22) relating to definitions, to incorporate the amendments made

by this act to s. 409.912, F.S., in references thereto; reenacting s. 430.2053(3)(h), (i), and (j) and (11), relating to aging resource centers, to incorporate the amendments made by this act to s. 409.981, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Albritton—

SB 1952—A bill to be entitled An act relating to evidence of vendor financial stability; amending s. 287.057, F.S.; providing that an agency that requires a vendor to demonstrate financial stability during a competitive solicitation process must accept certain evidence; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Wright—

SB 1954—A bill to be entitled An act relating to code and traffic enforcement; creating s. 316.1891, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing a sheriff or chief administrative officer of a county or municipality to designate a special event zone under certain circumstances on a roadway, street, or highway; providing requirements for a special event zone; providing enhanced penalties for a person who commits a non-criminal traffic infraction in a special event zone; authorizing a law enforcement officer to impound the motor vehicle of a person who commits a noncriminal traffic infraction or a criminal traffic violation in a special event zone; specifying persons who must pay the costs and fees for the impoundment; providing applicability; authorizing a sheriff or chief administrative officer to grant certain temporary authority to a law enforcement officer in a special event zone; providing for recovery of costs and fees associated with designating and enforcing a special event zone from the special event's promoter or organizer; amending s. 316.3045, F.S.; revising the types of soundmaking devices or instruments subject to the prohibition against operating or amplifying sound from within a motor vehicle in a certain manner; applying such prohibition to sound emanating from a motor vehicle; prohibiting such operation or amplification in areas adjoining private residences; revising exemptions; providing construction; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

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

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

FIRST READING

By the Committee on Appropriations; and Senator Burgess—

CS for SB 96—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund; amending s. 11.90, F.S.; authorizing the Legislative Budget Commission to convene to transfer or appropriate certain funds to the Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund; amending s. 252.37, F.S.; revising legislative intent; authorizing the Governor to transfer and expend moneys from the Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund; authorizing the Governor to request that additional funds be transferred or appropriated to the Emergency Preparedness and Response Fund, subject to approval by the Legislative Budget Commission, under specified conditions; providing a transfer of funds; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Reapportionment; and Senator Rodrigues—

CS for SJR 100—A joint resolution of apportionment; providing for the apportionment of the House of Representatives and the Senate (plans _____ and S027S8058); adopting the United States Decennial Census of 2020 for use in such apportionment; defining terms; providing for the inclusion of omitted areas; providing contiguity for areas specified for inclusion in one district which are noncontiguous; specifying

that the apportioned districts constitute the legislative districts of the state; specifying that electronic maps serve as the official maps of the legislative districts of the state; providing for the public availability of electronic maps; providing for severability of invalid portions; providing for application beginning in 2022.

By the Committee on Reapportionment; and Senator Rodrigues—

CS for SB 102—A bill to be entitled An act establishing the congressional districts of the state; amending s. 8.0001, F.S.; adopting the United States Decennial Census of 2020 as the official census of the state for use in redistricting the state's congressional districts; defining terms; amending s. 8.0002, F.S.; redistricting the state's congressional districts in accordance with the United States Decennial Census of 2020 (plan S000C8040); amending s. 8.0111, F.S.; providing for the inclusion of unlisted territory in contiguous districts in accordance with figures from the United States Decennial Census of 2020; reenacting s. 8.031, F.S., relating to the election of representatives to Congress; creating s. 8.051, F.S.; specifying that certain electronic maps serve as the official maps of the congressional districts of the state; providing for construction; requiring such maps to be made available to the public by the Office of Economic and Demographic Research within a specified timeframe; reenacting s. 8.0611, F.S., relating to severability; amending s. 8.07, F.S.; providing for applicability; repealing ss. 8.08, 8.081, 8.082, 8.083, 8.084, 8.085, 8.086, 8.087, and 8.088, F.S.; deleting obsolete and superseded provisions relating to congressional districts enacted in Special Session A of the 2014 Legislature; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Finance and Tax; and Senators Rodriguez, Burgess, Hutson, Gruters, and Hooper—

CS for SB 228—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Resiliency Energy Environment Florida programs; amending s. 163.08, F.S.; defining terms; providing that a property owner may apply to a Resiliency Energy Environment Florida (REEF) program for funding to finance a qualifying improvement and may enter into an assessment financing agreement with a local government; providing that REEF program costs may be collected as non-ad valorem assessments; authorizing a local government to enter into an agreement with a program administrator to administer a REEF program on the local government's behalf; revising and specifying public recording requirements for assessment financing agreements and notices of lien; revising requirements that apply to local governments or program administrators in determining eligibility for assessment financing; revising requirements for qualifying improvements; revising the calculation of non-ad valorem assessment limits; providing construction; specifying underwriting, financing estimate, disclosure, and confirmation requirements for program administrators relating to residential real property; authorizing a residential real property owner, under certain circumstances and within a certain timeframe, to cancel an assessment financing agreement without financial penalty; specifying limitations on assessment financing agreement terms for residential real property; prohibiting certain financing terms for residential real property; specifying requirements for, and certain prohibited acts by, program administrators relating to assessment financing agreements and contractors for qualifying improvements to residential real property; specifying additional annual reporting requirements for program administrators; specifying requirements for, and limitations on, assessment financing agreements relating to government-leased property; providing construction and applicability; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Rules; and Senators Brodeur and Perry—

CS for SB 254—A bill to be entitled An act relating to religious institutions; creating s. 252.64, F.S.; defining the term "religious institution"; providing that an emergency order may not directly or indirectly prohibit religious services or activities; providing an exception under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Diaz—

CS for SB 266—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle insurance; creating s. 627.7491, F.S.; defining terms; requiring agencies

that employ law enforcement officers to maintain motor vehicle insurance under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; providing liability limitations; providing methods in which the employing agency may meet the liability insurance requirements; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senator Hutson—

CS for SB 280—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local ordinances; amending s. 57.112, F.S.; authorizing courts to assess and award reasonable attorney fees and costs and damages in certain civil actions filed against local governments; specifying a limitation on awards and a restriction; providing construction and applicability; amending s. 125.66, F.S.; requiring a board of county commissioners to prepare a business impact estimate before the enactment of a proposed ordinance; specifying requirements for the posting and content of the estimate; providing construction and applicability; creating s. 125.675, F.S.; requiring a county to suspend enforcement of an ordinance that is the subject of a certain legal action if certain conditions are met; requiring courts to give priority to certain cases; specifying factors a court must consider in determining whether an ordinance is arbitrary or unreasonable; providing applicability; authorizing courts to award attorney fees and costs under certain circumstances; amending s. 166.041, F.S.; requiring a governing body of a municipality to prepare a business impact estimate before the enactment of a proposed ordinance; specifying requirements for the posting and content of the estimate; providing construction and applicability; creating s. 166.0411, F.S.; requiring a municipality to suspend enforcement of an ordinance that is the subject of a certain legal action if certain conditions are met; requiring courts to give priority to certain cases; specifying factors a court must consider in determining whether an ordinance is arbitrary or unreasonable; providing applicability; authorizing courts to award attorney fees and costs under certain circumstances; amending ss. 163.2517, 163.3181, 163.3215, 376.80, 497.270, 562.45, and 847.0134, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

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

CS for SB 430—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children; amending s. 1000.39, F.S.; requiring the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives to each appoint one member to the State Council on Interstate Educational Opportunity for Military Children, rather than appoint one member jointly; amending s. 1000.40, F.S.; extending the scheduled repeal of the compact and related provisions; providing an effective date.

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

CS for SB 438—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the United States Space Force; amending s. 61.703, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “uniformed service” to include the United States Space Force; amending s. 92.51, F.S.; revising the Armed Forces officers authorized to take or administer specified oaths, affidavits, or acknowledgements to include United States Space Force officers; amending s. 97.021, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “uniformed services” to include the United States Space Force; amending s. 115.01, F.S.; revising the military service branches for which any county or state official who is called to active service may receive a leave of absence; amending s. 163.3175, F.S.; updating military base names; amending s. 210.04, F.S.; adding post exchanges operated by the United States Space Force to those that are exempt from paying tax on cigarettes sold; amending s. 250.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “armed forces” to include the United States Space Force; amending s. 250.43, F.S.; revising the armed forces uniforms that are protected from imitation to include uniforms of the United States Space Force; amending s. 250.52, F.S.; prohibiting persons from soliciting or persuading another not to enlist with the United States Space Force when the country is at war or there are indications of a pending war; amending s. 295.061, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “United States Armed Forces” to include the United States Space Force; amending s. 296.02, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “peacetime service” to include service in the United

States Space Force; amending s. 331.304, F.S.; revising the names of specified former Air Force bases to reflect they are Space Force bases; amending s. 461.002, F.S.; providing an exception to graduate podiatric physicians practicing in the United States Space Force; amending s. 466.002, F.S.; providing an exemption to graduate dentists or dental surgeons practicing in the United States Space Force; amending s. 496.415, F.S.; prohibiting a person from representing or claiming to be a member of the United States Space Force in connection with any solicitation or charitable or sponsor sales promotion; amending s. 540.08, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “member of the armed forces” to include members of the United States Space Force; amending s. 695.031, F.S.; including members of the United States Space Force and the United States Air Force as servicemembers who may acknowledge certain instruments; amending s. 718.113, F.S.; including the official flag that represents the United States Space Force as a flag that may be displayed by a condominium owner; amending s. 720.304, F.S.; including the official flag that represents the United States Space Force as a flag that may be displayed by a homeowner; amending s. 790.25, F.S.; authorizing members of the United States Space Force to own, possess, and lawfully use firearms and other weapons, ammunition, and supplies when on duty, when training or preparing themselves for military duty, or while subject to recall or mobilization; amending s. 817.312, F.S.; prohibiting a person from unlawfully using the uniforms, medals, or insignia of the United States Space Force; amending s. 1000.36, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “uniformed services” to include the United States Space Force; amending s. 1003.051, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “military student” to include a student who is a dependent of a current or former member of the United States Space Force; reenacting ss. 373.324(7), 409.1664(1)(c), 520.14(1), 627.7283(5), 689.27(1)(d), 790.015(5), 790.06(4) and (11)(b), 790.062(1), 790.065(13), 790.0655(2)(d), and 948.21(1), (2), and (3), F.S., which reference the definition of the term “servicemember,” to incorporate the amendment made to s. 250.01, F.S., in references thereto; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senators Perry and Book—

CS for SB 444—A bill to be entitled An act relating to lewd or lascivious molestation; creating s. 800.06, F.S.; specifying what constitutes the crime of lewd or lascivious molestation upon a person 16 years of age or older; providing criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senators Torres, Wright, Book, Taddeo, Stewart, Jones, Cruz, Rouson, Gibson, Powell, Ausley, Bracy, Burgess, Harrell, and Perry—

CS for SB 466—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Military Medics and Corpsmen of Florida program; creating s. 295.126, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing the Department of Health to establish the Military Medics and Corpsmen of Florida (MMACOF) program in collaboration with Florida Is For Veterans, Inc.; providing the purpose of MMACOF; providing the components of the program; requiring Florida Is For Veterans, Inc., to recruit and review the eligibility of certain veterans for the program; requiring Florida Is For Veterans, Inc., to assist certain veterans with certain applications; requiring the department to waive certain fees for such applicants; providing application requirements; requiring certain disclosures by an applicant; requiring Florida Is For Veterans, Inc., to recruit, establish, and maintain a statewide list of participating health care providers; requiring the participating health care providers to agree to specified terms; requiring Florida Is For Veterans, Inc., to assist such veterans with identifying and applying to a participating health care providers for employment; requiring the Board of Medicine to determine the areas in which such veterans are eligible to practice; requiring the board to specify which skills such veterans may practice under direct supervision; requiring the board to place such veterans in a specified status if certain conditions are met; requiring the department to provide such veterans with specified information; providing that a certain status expires within a certain timeframe if not renewed before a specified date; requiring certain veterans to provide specified information to the department; authorizing the department to issue a certain certificate to such veterans under specified conditions; providing that such certificate is valid for a certain timeframe subject to specified conditions; requiring the department to provide by rule a method to renew such certificate; requiring such veterans to provide the department specified information

within a certain timeframe after employment; requiring a certificate-holder to provide Florida Is For Veterans, Inc., with specified information within a certain timeframe; requiring participating health care providers to provide certain information to the department and to Florida Is For Veterans, Inc., within a certain timeframe; requiring certain education and training programs to provide the department and Florida Is For Veterans, Inc., with specified information within a specified timeframe; providing acts that are grounds for denial of a certificate or disciplinary action; authorizing the department or the board to enter certain orders; prohibiting the department or the board from issuing or reinstating a certificate until certain conditions are met by the veteran; requiring the board to adopt rules relating to disciplinary action; providing that veterans who do not meet program requirements may receive certain assistance from the program; requiring the program to assist veterans and their spouses with obtaining certain employment; authorizing the department and the board to adopt rules; amending s. 295.21, F.S.; providing the purpose for a health care service program for veterans through Florida Is For Veterans, Inc.; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senators Brodeur and Perry—

CS for SB 478—A bill to be entitled An act relating to suicide prevention; amending s. 394.9086, F.S.; revising the purposes of the Commission on Mental Health and Substance Abuse to include an assessment of the state's suicide prevention infrastructure; revising the duties of the commission to include duties relating to the state's suicide prevention infrastructure; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senators Baxley, Perry, and Taddeo—

CS for SB 498—A bill to be entitled An act relating to coverage for hearing aids for children; creating s. 627.6413, F.S.; defining the term "hearing aid"; requiring certain individual health insurance policies to provide coverage for hearing aids for certain children 18 years of age or younger under certain circumstances; specifying certain coverage requirements; providing an exception; providing that an insured is responsible for certain costs that exceed the policy limit; providing applicability; amending s. 641.31, F.S.; requiring certain individual health maintenance organization contracts to provide coverage for hearing aids for certain children 18 years of age or younger under certain circumstances; specifying certain coverage requirements; providing an exception; providing that a subscriber is responsible for certain costs that exceed the contract limit; defining the term "hearing aid"; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

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

CS for SB 554—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educational opportunities for disabled veterans; creating s. 295.011, F.S.; defining the term "disabled veteran"; providing that disabled veterans receiving certain federal educational assistance benefits are eligible to receive a waiver for the remaining cost of tuition and fees at certain institutions; providing a calculation for waiver amounts; requiring the amount awarded by the state to be contingent on the application of specified federal benefits; requiring certain institutions to submit an annual report to the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education; requiring the boards to respectively adopt regulations and rules; specifying applicability of other laws; providing an effective date.

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

CS for SB 578—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hurricane impact programs; amending s. 215.555, F.S.; providing an annual appropriation from the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund to fund specified research; specifying requirements and exceptions; amending s. 215.559, F.S.; revising the use of certain funds from the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund to also include construction of certain facilities; revising the title of a certain annual report; deleting construction relating to Citizens Property Insurance Corporation coverage rates;

delaying the future repeal of the Hurricane Loss Mitigation Program; providing an effective date.

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

CS for SB 590—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; creating s. 491.018, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by the Department of Health or the Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy, and Mental Health Counseling pursuant to the Professional Counselors Licensure Compact; authorizing the disclosure of such information under certain circumstances; providing an exemption from public meetings requirements for certain meetings or portions of certain meetings of the Counseling Compact Commission or its executive committee; providing an exemption from public records requirements for recordings, minutes, and records generated during the closed portions of such meetings; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing statements of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Cruz—

CS for SB 668—A bill to be entitled An act relating to custodial interrogations of minors; creating s. 900.06, F.S.; defining terms; providing a presumption of inadmissibility for confessions of certain minors which are made as a result of a custodial interrogation at a place of detention if deceptive tactics are used; specifying circumstances under which the presumption may be rebutted; providing that the state attorney has the burden of proving that such confessions were voluntary; requiring that certain objections be made in the trial court; providing an effective date.

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

CS for CS for SB 736—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction defect claims; amending s. 95.11, F.S.; defining terms; revising the limitations period for certain actions founded on the design, planning, or construction of an improvement on real property; amending s. 627.441, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 558.004, F.S.; requiring a claimant to include the reasons for rejecting an offer in a notice rejecting a settlement offer to remedy a construction defect; authorizing the person served with a notice rejecting a settlement offer to make a supplemental offer within a specified timeframe; providing notice requirements for a claimant who rejects a supplemental offer; requiring the court to stay an action if a claimant initiates an action without first accepting or rejecting a supplemental offer; limiting entitlement to attorney fees if a claimant rejects certain settlement offers to fully repair an alleged construction defect; requiring a claimant who accepts a certain offer to enter into a contract to complete repairs to remedy an alleged construction defect; requiring the offeror or insurer to pay the contractor or contractors directly for the repairs; prohibiting an offeror or insurer from requiring a claimant to advance payment for repairs; requiring that the repairs be completed within a specified timeframe; creating s. 558.0045, F.S.; requiring a court to appoint an expert to examine certain alleged construction defects and to prepare an examination report, under certain circumstances; requiring that the report contain specified information; requiring the parties to compensate the expert; prohibiting the expert from being employed to make repairs or from recommending contractors to make repairs; creating s. 558.0046, F.S.; requiring a claimant to repair a construction defect if the claimant receives compensation for an alleged construction defect from specified persons; providing that a claimant is liable for damages resulting from failure to disclose a construction defect to a purchaser of a property; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Diaz—

CS for SB 756—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 943.0583, F.S.; expanding an existing public records exemption relating to human trafficking victims seeking expunction of certain records related to an offense listed in s. 775.084(1)(b)1., F.S.;

providing for future review and repeal of the expanded exemption; providing for the reversion of specified provisions if the exemption is not saved from repeal; providing that a petition for human trafficking victim expunction and all pleadings and documents related to the petition are confidential and exempt from public records requirements; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Berman—

CS for SB 760—A bill to be entitled An act relating to human trafficking; amending s. 787.06, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “coercion”; amending s. 796.07, F.S.; prohibiting facilitating or enabling the receiving of persons in any place, structure, building, or conveyance for the purpose of prostitution, lewdness, or assignation, or facilitating or enabling any person to remain there for such purpose; providing that a person may not procure, facilitate, or entice another to engage in prostitution for specified purposes; providing criminal penalties; providing increased criminal penalties for specified prohibited acts relating to prostitution, lewdness, or assignation; deleting provisions relating to the reclassification of penalties if a massage establishment is used for lewdness, assignation, or prostitution; amending ss. 456.074, 480.041, and 943.0433, F.S.: conforming provisions and cross-references to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senators Diaz and Perry—

CS for SB 772—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the protection of victims and witnesses; amending s. 92.55, F.S.; revising the standard for orders to protect certain testifying victims and witnesses; prohibiting depositions of certain victims and witnesses in certain proceedings without a showing of good cause; authorizing the court to allow such depositions under certain circumstances; revising factors to be considered by a court in a motion seeking to protect a victim or witness; revising provisions related to available relief; requiring the court to appoint a guardian ad litem or other advocate for the deponent under certain circumstances; authorizing the court to request the aid of an interpreter; requiring the court to make specific findings of fact on the record for certain orders and rulings; making technical changes; requiring the University of South Florida, in consultation with a specified organization, to develop and submit a proposal to the Attorney General for the creation of a unified statewide data repository for anonymous human trafficking data; providing requirements for the proposal; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Finance and Tax; and Senator Hutson—

CS for SB 786—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aircraft sales and lease tax; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; exempting all aircraft sales and leases, rather than the sales and leases of certain aircraft, from the sales and use tax; defining the term “aircraft”; deleting the definition of the term “common carrier” to conform to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senator Pizzo—

CS for SB 876—A bill to be entitled An act relating to stunt driving on highways; amending s. 316.191, F.S.; defining terms; revising the definition of the term “spectator”; prohibiting specified acts relating to street takeovers or stunt driving on highways, roadways, or parking lots; prohibiting a person from being a spectator at a street takeover; providing applicability of specified criminal penalties; amending s. 318.18, F.S.; providing applicability of a certain civil penalty; amending s. 901.15, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; reenacting s. 322.0261(4)(a) and (b), F.S., relating to driver improvement courses, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 316.191, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Albritton—

CS for SB 926—A bill to be entitled An act relating to licensure examinations for dental practitioners; amending s. 466.006, F.S.; re-

vising licensure examination requirements for dentists to require applicants to demonstrate certain clinical skills on a manikin rather than a live patient; amending s. 466.0065, F.S.; revising requirements for regional licensure examinations offered by dental schools to dental students; amending s. 466.007, F.S.; revising licensure examination requirements for dental hygienists to require applicants to demonstrate certain clinical skills on a manikin rather than a live patient; repealing s. 466.0075, F.S.; deleting a requirement that applicants for dental practitioner licensure examinations maintain medical malpractice insurance to cover any incident of harm to a patient during the clinical examination; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senators Brodeur and Brandes—

CS for SB 954—A bill to be entitled An act relating to energy; amending s. 286.29, F.S.; revising the selection criteria for purchasing or leasing vehicles for state agency, college, or university or certain local government fleets; requiring the Department of Management Services, using available industry data, to rank certain vehicles based on the lowest lifetime ownership costs over a specified number of years, rather than fuel efficiency, and to publish the rankings to the department’s website; requiring that certain vehicles purchased under a state purchasing plan be ranked at a specified level unless an exception is approved by the department secretary; exempting law enforcement vehicles from the ranking requirement; removing a provision requiring the use and procurement of ethanol and biodiesel fuels; requiring the department, before a specified date, to make recommendations to state agencies and local governments relating to the procurement and integration of electric vehicles; amending s. 553.791, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “single-trade inspection”; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senators Garcia, Berman, Rodriguez, and Perry—

CS for SB 988—A bill to be entitled An act relating to patient visitation rights; providing a short title; creating s. 408.823, F.S.; requiring providers to allow clients to receive visitors during their admission or residency at the facility; requiring providers to develop certain alternative visitation protocols if providers have to restrict public access to their facilities for health or safety concerns; requiring providers to allow in-person visits in specified circumstances; authorizing providers to require visitors to adhere to specified infection control protocols; authorizing providers to refuse visitation to a visitor who does not pass a health screening or refuses to comply with the provider’s infection control protocols; requiring providers to submit their visitation policies to the Agency for Health Care Administration by a specified date for approval; requiring providers to submit updated policies within a specified timeframe under certain circumstances; requiring providers to notify clients and, if possible, their family members or caregivers of their visitation rights and provide them with specified information; requiring the agency to dedicate a webpage on its website containing specified information; requiring the agency to investigate a report of a violation within a specified timeframe; providing administrative penalties; requiring the agency to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senators Diaz, Powell, and Jones—

CS for SB 994—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pet protection; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision; creating s. 468.901, F.S.; providing a short title; creating s. 468.903, F.S.; defining terms; creating s. 468.905, F.S.; requiring the licensure of retail pet stores; requiring the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to adopt standards and procedures for such licensure; prohibiting unlicensed retail pet stores from taking certain actions regarding certain household pets; creating s. 468.907, F.S.; defining the term “qualified breeder”; limiting the sources from which retail pet stores may acquire household pets for specified purposes; prohibiting certain household pets from being used by retail pet stores for specified purposes; requiring certain documentation of the sources from which retail pet stores acquire household pets for sale; providing requirements for the living conditions for household pets at retail pet stores; providing retail pet store veterinarian, exercise, and socialization requirements;

creating s. 468.909, F.S.; requiring the department to conduct periodic inspections of retail pet stores and to audit sales records; requiring the department to establish procedures for the inspections and records of the inspections; authorizing contracts with certain veterinarians to conduct inspections; creating s. 468.911, F.S.; requiring the department to deny a retail pet store license under certain circumstances; authorizing disciplinary action under certain circumstances; specifying administrative procedures; providing civil penalties; authorizing the department to adopt rules; creating s. 468.913, F.S.; authorizing civil actions for purposes of enforcement; creating s. 468.915, F.S.; providing criminal penalties for specified violations; creating s. 468.917, F.S.; requiring certain moneys to be deposited into the department's Professional Regulation Trust Fund; creating s. 468.919, F.S.; providing construction; creating s. 468.921, F.S.; prohibiting county and municipal ordinances and regulations from prohibiting or regulating the breeding, purchase, or sale of certain working dogs; providing applicability with regard to new and existing county and municipal ordinances and regulations; amending s. 823.15, F.S.; requiring certain public or private animal agencies to report on a monthly basis certain animal records to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; requiring public animal rescues to make records available to the public; requiring the department to make the data reported by the agencies available on its website in a specified manner; requiring public and private animal rescues and humane organizations to provide for the sterilization of adopted dogs and cats according to certain requirements; authorizing public or private animal rescues to implant dogs and cats with radio frequency identification microchips and to contact the owners of such devices to verify pet ownership; requiring certain public or private animal agencies to disclose a dog's bite history before adoption; prohibiting certain public or private animal agencies from intentionally breeding dogs or cats for sale to the public and from exchanging payment or compensation to obtain dogs or cats from certain persons; providing applicability; amending s. 474.203, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senator Diaz—

CS for SB 996—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 468.905, F.S.; requiring an initial or renewal pet store license application to be accompanied by a specified nonrefundable license fee per licensed location; amending s. 468.917, F.S.; requiring the moneys collected from such license fees to be deposited into the Department of Business and Professional Regulation's Professional Regulation Trust Fund; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Agriculture; and Senator Burgess—

CS for SB 1006—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state symbols; creating s. 15.0522, F.S.; designating strawberry shortcake as the official state dessert; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senator Bradley—

CS for SB 1024—A bill to be entitled An act relating to renewable energy generation; amending s. 163.04, F.S.; authorizing certain entities to prohibit the installation of solar collectors under certain circumstances; amending s. 366.91, F.S.; revising and providing legislative findings relating to the redesign of net metering to avoid cross-subsidization of electric service costs between classes of ratepayers; requiring the Public Service Commission to propose new net metering rules that comply with specified criteria by a certain date; authorizing certain customers who own or lease renewable generation before a specified date to remain under the existing net metering rules for a specified time; providing applicability; requiring certain public utilities to provide a specified report to the commission; providing an effective date.

**REFERENCE CHANGES
PURSUANT TO RULE 4.7(2)**

By the Committee on Criminal Justice; and Senator Diaz—

CS for SB 266—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle insurance; creating s. 627.7491, F.S.; defining terms; requiring agencies

that employ law enforcement officers to maintain motor vehicle insurance under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; providing liability limitations; providing methods in which the employing agency may meet the liability insurance requirements; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

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

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senator Hutson—

CS for SB 280—A bill to be entitled An act relating to local ordinances; amending s. 57.112, F.S.; authorizing courts to assess and award reasonable attorney fees and costs and damages in certain civil actions filed against local governments; specifying a limitation on awards and a restriction; providing construction and applicability; amending s. 125.66, F.S.; requiring a board of county commissioners to prepare a business impact estimate before the enactment of a proposed ordinance; specifying requirements for the posting and content of the estimate; providing construction and applicability; creating s. 125.675, F.S.; requiring a county to suspend enforcement of an ordinance that is the subject of a certain legal action if certain conditions are met; requiring courts to give priority to certain cases; specifying factors a court must consider in determining whether an ordinance is arbitrary or unreasonable; providing applicability; authorizing courts to award attorney fees and costs under certain circumstances; amending s. 166.041, F.S.; requiring a governing body of a municipality to prepare a business impact estimate before the enactment of a proposed ordinance; specifying requirements for the posting and content of the estimate; providing construction and applicability; creating s. 166.0411, F.S.; requiring a municipality to suspend enforcement of an ordinance that is the subject of a certain legal action if certain conditions are met; requiring courts to give priority to certain cases; specifying factors a court must consider in determining whether an ordinance is arbitrary or unreasonable; providing applicability; authorizing courts to award attorney fees and costs under certain circumstances; amending ss. 163.2517, 163.3181, 163.3215, 376.80, 497.270, 562.45, and 847.0134, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules.

By the Committee on Agriculture; and Senator Burgess—

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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>
Barbers' Board	Appointee: Wold, Veronica F., Crawfordville	10/31/2025
Florida Athletic Commission	Appointee: Patel, Anup, Orlando	09/30/2021
Florida Citrus Commission	Appointees: Johnson, Steve Allen, Bowling Green	05/31/2024
	Martinez, Carlos H., Orlando	05/31/2024
	McKenna, Martin J., Sebring	05/31/2023
	Poulton, William Scott, Lakewood Ranch	05/31/2024

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>	Referred to the Committees on Commerce and Tourism; and Ethics and Elections.	
Florida Commission on Community Service		<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Appointees: Cerio, Lorena Jayne, Tallahassee	09/14/2024	Secretary of Juvenile Justice	
Entsuah, Ebo, Clermont	09/14/2022	Appointee: Hall, Eric, Tallahassee	Pleasure of Governor
Faurot, Adam, Tallahassee	09/14/2024		
Schultz, Kerry Anne, Gulf Breeze	09/14/2024		
Board of Trustees of State College of Florida, Manatee-Sarasota		Referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; and Ethics and Elections.	
Appointee: Collins, Taylor, Sarasota	05/31/2025		
Board of Trustees of Valencia College		<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Appointee: Martinez, John, Orlando	05/31/2025	Board of Trustees, Florida Atlantic University	
Board of Dentistry		Appointees: Bussani, Piero, Boca Raton	01/06/2026
Appointees: Andrade, Fabio A., Weston	10/31/2024	Stoch, Linda, Palm Beach Gardens	01/06/2026
Hill, Karyn, Parkland	10/31/2025		
White, Nicholas, Winter Park	10/31/2025	Board of Trustees, University of Central Florida	
Education Practices Commission		Appointee: Martins, Alexander, Winter Park	01/06/2026
Appointee: Wilks, Kathy, Sarasota	09/30/2025	Board of Trustees, University of West Florida	
Florida Housing Finance Corporation		Appointees: Bear, Lewis, Jr., Gulf Breeze	01/06/2025
Appointee: Hall, David, Port St. Lucie	11/13/2024	Jones, Robert L., Westville	01/06/2025
Board of Massage Therapy		Referred to the Committees on Education; and Ethics and Elections.	
Appointees: Brooks, Christopher L., Daytona Beach	10/31/2023		<i>For Term Ending</i>
Drago, Victoria M., Tampa	10/31/2024	<i>Office and Appointment</i>	
Padgett, Gerald, Gainesville	10/31/2025	Investment Advisory Council	
Wakeman, Jennifer, Webster	10/31/2023	Appointees: Collins, Peter H., Tampa	12/12/2025
Board of Podiatric Medicine		Wendt, Gary C., Fort Lauderdale	12/12/2023
Appointee: Popper, Donald, Royal Palm Beach	10/31/2024		

Referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections.

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>	
Secretary of Corrections		
Appointee: Dixon, Ricky, Crawfordville		Pleasure of Governor

Referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice; and Criminal Justice; and Ethics and Elections.

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>	
Secretary of Elderly Affairs		
Appointee: Branham, Michelle, Jacksonville Beach		Pleasure of Governor

Referred to the Committees on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Ethics and Elections.

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>	
Board of Directors, Enterprise Florida, Inc.		
Appointee: Deen Hartley, Sonya, Tallahassee	09/30/2023	

Referred to the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Ethics and Elections.**ENROLLING REPORTS**

SCR 1440 has been enrolled, signed by the required constitutional officers, and filed with the Secretary of State on January 12, 2022.

Debbie Brown, Secretary

CO-INTRODUCERS

Senators Ausley—SB 762, SB 922; Book—CS for SM 174, SB 262, SB 560, SB 600, SB 664, SB 1106; Boyd—SB 224; Bracy—SB 946; Brandes—SB 954; Broxson—SB 1122; Cruz—SB 946; Farmer—SB 560; Gruters—SB 262, SB 560; Hooper—SB 224, CS for SB 754; Hutson—SB 946; Jones—SB 654; Perry—CS for SB 466, SB 934; Polsky—SB 802; Powell—SB 600, SB 630; Rouson—SB 936, SB 938; Stewart—SB 600; Taddeo—SB 498; Torres—SB 600, SB 1106

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