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CALL TO ORDER

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

Madam President	Davis	Perry
Albritton	DiCeglie	Pizzo
Avila	Garcia	Polsky
Baxley	Grall	Powell
Berman	Gruters	Rodriguez
Book	Harrell	Rouson
Boyd	Hooper	Simon
Bradley	Hutson	Stewart
Brodeur	Ingolia	Thompson
Broxson	Jones	Torres
Burgess	Martin	Trumbull
Calatayud	Mayfield	Wright
Collins	Osgood	Yarborough

Excused: Senator Burton

PRAYER

The following prayer was offered by Senator Avila:

Heavenly Father, we give thanks for the blessings bestowed to our great State of Florida and its residents, including the gift of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. Please provide this body with the wisdom, fortitude, and knowledge to lead and protect. Grant us patience and understanding to face our challenges and the vision to fulfill our mission. Provide us with the courage to shine a light on darkness and to ignore limitations in the service of those most in need. May our collective and individual achievements be impactful and profound, for we are in your service today and always. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

PLEDGE

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

SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR

SB 2-B—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency response; creating s. 288.066, F.S.; creating the Local Government Emergency Bridge Loan Program within the Department of Economic Opportunity, subject to appropriation; providing the program's purpose; specifying program eligibility requirements; authorizing the department to provide interest-free loans to eligible local governments through specified means; requiring the loan amount to be based on demonstrated need of the local government and disbursed in a lump sum; providing for the

terms of the loan; authorizing the department to extend the term of the loan; specifying authorized and prohibited uses of any loan funds provided under the program; authorizing local governments to make loan payments at any time; requiring repayment in accordance with the terms of the loan; authorizing the department to approve loans through the end of the 2023-2024 fiscal year, subject to the availability of funds; requiring the department to coordinate with the Division of Emergency Management to determine if the loan program conflicts with applicable federal programs; requiring the department to transfer any loan payments, upon receipt, to the General Revenue Fund; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing for expiration of the program; authorizing the department to adopt emergency rules; providing appropriations; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Senator Albritton moved that **SB 2-B** be read the third time by title. The motion was adopted.

The vote was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Davis	Perry
Albritton	DiCeglie	Pizzo
Avila	Garcia	Polsky
Baxley	Grall	Powell
Berman	Gruters	Rodriguez
Book	Harrell	Rouson
Boyd	Hooper	Simon
Bradley	Hutson	Stewart
Brodeur	Ingolia	Thompson
Broxson	Jones	Torres
Burgess	Martin	Trumbull
Calatayud	Mayfield	Wright
Collins	Osgood	Yarborough

Nays—None

On motion by Senator Albritton, by two-thirds vote, **SB 2-B** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—39

Madam President	Davis	Perry
Albritton	DiCeglie	Pizzo
Avila	Garcia	Polsky
Baxley	Grall	Powell
Berman	Gruters	Rodriguez
Book	Harrell	Rouson
Boyd	Hooper	Simon
Bradley	Hutson	Stewart
Brodeur	Ingolia	Thompson
Broxson	Jones	Torres
Burgess	Martin	Trumbull
Calatayud	Mayfield	Wright
Collins	Osgood	Yarborough

Nays—None

SB 4-B—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the statewide prosecutor; amending s. 16.56, F.S.; specifying that certain crimes facilitated by or connected to the use of the Internet occur in every judicial circuit within the state; authorizing the Office of Statewide Prosecution to investigate and prosecute crimes involving voting in an election for a federal or state office, voting in an election on a referendum, an initiative, or an issue, the petition activities for a federal or state office, the petition activities for a referendum, an initiative, or an issue, or voter registration; providing applicability; requiring certain informations or indictments to contain specified general allegations; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Senator Martin moved that **SB 4-B** be read the third time by title. The motion was adopted.

The vote was:

Yeas—37

Madam President	Davis	Polsky
Albritton	DiCeglie	Powell
Avila	Grall	Rodriguez
Baxley	Gruters	Rouson
Berman	Harrell	Simon
Book	Hooper	Stewart
Boyd	Hutson	Thompson
Bradley	Ingoglia	Torres
Brodeur	Jones	Trumbull
Broxson	Martin	Wright
Burgess	Mayfield	Yarborough
Calatayud	Perry	
Collins	Pizzo	

Nays—1

Osgood

Vote after roll call:

Yea—Garcia

Nay to Yea—Osgood

On motion by Senator Martin, by two-thirds vote, **SB 4-B** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—27

Madam President	Calatayud	Ingoglia
Albritton	Collins	Martin
Avila	DiCeglie	Mayfield
Baxley	Garcia	Perry
Boyd	Grall	Rodriguez
Bradley	Gruters	Simon
Brodeur	Harrell	Trumbull
Broxson	Hooper	Wright
Burgess	Hutson	Yarborough

Nays—12

Berman	Osgood	Rouson
Book	Pizzo	Stewart
Davis	Polsky	Thompson
Jones	Powell	Torres

SB 6-B—A bill to be entitled An act relating to transportation of inspected unauthorized aliens; defining the term “inspected unauthorized alien”; providing legislative findings; creating the Unauthorized Alien Transport Program within the Division of Emergency Management to facilitate the transport of inspected unauthorized aliens

within the United States; authorizing the division to contract for services to implement the program; authorizing the division to adopt rules to implement the program; providing for future expiration; repealing s. 185 of chapter 2022-156, Laws of Florida; deeming certain payments approved; reverting appropriated funds; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was read the second time by title.

Senator Pizzo moved the following amendment which failed:

Amendment 1 (707846) (with title amendment)—Delete lines 43-48 and insert:

transport of inspected unauthorized aliens, with their knowing and voluntary consent, within the United States, consistent with federal law. Notwithstanding s. 287.057, Florida Statutes, the division is authorized to contract for services to implement the program.

(4) *The division may adopt rules to implement the program.*

(5) *An inspected unauthorized alien’s consent for transport is knowing and voluntary only after he or she is informed, in writing in his or her preferred language on a document that is conspicuously titled with the seal of the State of Florida, of all of the following:*

(a) *The address of the exact destination of the transport.*

(b) *Whether anyone affiliated with the address of destination has been informed of the transport.*

(c) *The means and timing of the transport.*

(d) *The nature of any arrangements, including shelter, employment, and social services, that have been secured in good faith for the inspected unauthorized alien at the destination or that no such arrangements have been made.*

(e) *Information about how to proceed with his or her immigration case upon arrival at the destination.*

If written communications in the inspected unauthorized alien’s preferred language are insufficient to give notice of this information, a sworn attestation of a person who verbally communicates the information may substitute for the written notice. The inspected unauthorized alien must sign a document confirming receipt of all required information and consenting to the transport in order to participate in the program.

(6) *This section expires June 30, 2025.*

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 11 and insert: implement the program; specifying procedures regarding an inspected unauthorized alien’s knowing and voluntary consent for transport within the United States; providing for future

Senator Book moved the following amendment which failed:

Amendment 2 (204592) (with title amendment)—Delete lines 43-44 and insert:

transport of inspected unauthorized aliens from this state to other locations within the United States, consistent with federal law. Notwithstanding s. 287.057,

And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 8 and insert: aliens from this state to other locations within the United States; authorizing the

Senator Pizzo moved the following amendment which failed:

Amendment 3 (189466) (with title amendment)—Delete lines 49-53 and insert:

Section 2. *For the 2022-2023 fiscal year,*

And the title is amended as follows:

Nays—12

Delete lines 12-14 and insert: expiration; providing an

Berman	Osgood	Rouson
Book	Pizzo	Stewart
Davis	Polsky	Thompson
Jones	Powell	Torres

The vote was:

Yeas—12

Berman	Osgood	Rouson
Book	Pizzo	Stewart
Davis	Polsky	Thompson
Jones	Powell	Torres

MOTIONS

On motion by Senator Mayfield, the rules were waived to establish the Special Order Calendar for Friday, February 10 by publication in the Senate Calendar, publication on the Senate website, and an announcement by the Secretary.

Nays—27

Madam President	Calatayud	Ingoglia
Albritton	Collins	Martin
Avila	DiCeglie	Mayfield
Baxley	Garcia	Perry
Boyd	Grall	Rodriguez
Bradley	Gruters	Simon
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Burgess	Hutson	Yarborough

On motion by Senator Mayfield, the rules were waived and the amendment deadline for Friday's Special Order Calendar was set for one hour prior to that day's sitting.

Senator Ingoglia moved that **SB 6-B** be read the third time by title. The motion was adopted.

The vote was:

Yeas—27

Madam President	Calatayud	Ingoglia
Albritton	Collins	Martin
Avila	DiCeglie	Mayfield
Baxley	Garcia	Perry
Boyd	Grall	Rodriguez
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MOMENT OF SILENCE

At the request of Senator Berman, the Senate observed a moment of silence to honor the over 11,000 victims confirmed dead as a result of the February 6, 2023, earthquake in Turkey and Syria, and to recognize the brave sacrifices of the first responders as they work to pull survivors from the rubble.

BILLS ON SPECIAL ORDERS

Pursuant to Rule 4.17(1), the Rules Chair, Majority Leader, and Minority Leader submit the following bills to be placed on the Special Order Calendar for Wednesday, February 8, 2023: SB 2-B, SB 4-B, SB 6-B.

Respectfully submitted,
Debbie Mayfield, Rules Chair
Ben Albritton, Majority Leader
Lauren Book, Minority Leader

Nays—12

Berman	Osgood	Rouson
Book	Pizzo	Stewart
Davis	Polsky	Thompson
Jones	Powell	Torres

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Fiscal Policy recommends the following pass: SB 2-B; SB 4-B; SB 6-B

The bills were placed on the Calendar.

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

The Journal of February 6 was corrected and approved.

MOTIONS

On motion by Senator Mayfield, the rules were waived and time of adjournment was extended until 6:30 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion by Senator Mayfield, the Senate adjourned at 6:03 p.m. for the purpose of holding committee meetings and conducting other Senate business to reconvene at 1:00 p.m., Friday, February 10 or upon call of the President.

On motion by Senator Ingoglia, by two-thirds vote, **SB 6-B** was read the third time by title, passed, and certified to the House. The vote on passage was:

Yeas—27

Madam President	Calatayud	Ingoglia
Albritton	Collins	Martin
Avila	DiCeglie	Mayfield
Baxley	Garcia	Perry
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