

**FLORIDA LEGISLATURE  
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HISTORY OF SENATE BILLS**

**SB 2**

**CLAIMS/GENERAL by Jones (Identical HB 6501)**

Relief of the Estate of Danielle Maudsley by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; Providing for the relief of the Estate of Danielle Maudsley; providing an appropriation to compensate the estate for Ms. Maudsley's death as a result of the alleged negligence of Trooper Daniel Cole and the Florida Highway Patrol, a division of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; providing a limitation on the payment of compensation and attorney fees, etc. Claim with appropriation: \$1,750,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism,  
and Economic Development; Appropriations

**SB 4**

**CLAIMS/GENERAL by Rodriguez**

Relief of C.C. by the Department of Children and Families; Providing for the relief of C.C. by the Department of Children and Families; providing an appropriation to compensate C.C. for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of the department; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of attorney fees and certain costs, etc. Claim with appropriation: \$20,000,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Appropriations Committee on Health and Human  
Services; Appropriations

**SB 6**

**CLAIMS/GENERAL by Calatayud (Identical HB 6507)**

Relief of L.E. by the Department of Children and Families; Providing for the relief of L.E. by the Department of Children and Families; providing an appropriation to compensate L.E. for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of the department; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of attorney fees, etc. Claim with appropriation: \$3,800,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Appropriations Committee on Health and Human  
Services; Appropriations

**SB 8**

**CLAIMS/LOCAL BILL by Rodriguez**

Relief of Patricia Ermini by the Lee County Sheriff's Office; Providing for the relief of Patricia Ermini by the Lee County Sheriff's Office; providing for an appropriation to compensate her for injuries sustained as a result of the negligence of the Lee County Sheriff's Office; providing a limitation on the payment of compensation and attorney fees, etc. Claim: \$626,770. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Community Affairs; Rules

**SB 10**

**CLAIMS/GENERAL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 6511)**

Relief of Maury Hernandez by the Department of Corrections; Providing for the relief of Maury Hernandez; providing an appropriation to compensate former Broward County Sheriff's Deputy Maury Hernandez for injuries and damages sustained as a consequence of the Department of Corrections' failures to enforce probation laws, regulations, and policies; providing legislative intent that certain liens be waived; providing a limitation on the payment of compensation and attorney fees, etc. Claim with appropriation: \$5,000,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil  
Justice; Appropriations

**SB 12**

**CLAIMS/LOCAL BILL by DiCeglie (Identical HB 6513)**

Relief of Maximus Giannikos by the City of Clearwater; Providing for the relief of Maximus Giannikos by the City of Clearwater; providing for an appropriation to compensate Maximus Giannikos for injuries sustained as a result of the negligence of the City of Clearwater; providing a limitation on the payment of compensation and attorney fees, etc. Claim: Indeterminate. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Community Affairs; Rules

**SB 14**

**CLAIMS/LOCAL BILL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 6521)**

Relief of Jose Correa by Miami-Dade County; Providing for the relief of Jose Correa by Miami-Dade County; providing an appropriation to compensate Mr. Correa for injuries sustained as a result of the negligence of an employee of Miami-Dade County; providing a limitation on the payment of compensation and certain fees, etc. Claim: \$4,100,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Community Affairs; Rules

**SB 16**

**CLAIMS/LOCAL BILL by Rouson (Identical HB 6517)**

Relief of Heriberto A. Sanchez-Mayen by the City of St. Petersburg; Providing for the relief of Heriberto A. Sanchez-Mayen by the City of St. Petersburg; providing for an appropriation to compensate Mr. Sanchez-Mayen for injuries sustained as a result of the negligence of the City of St. Petersburg; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of attorney fees, etc. Claim: \$2,300,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Community Affairs; Rules

**SB 18**

**CLAIMS/LOCAL BILL by Martin**

Relief of the Estate of M.N. by the Broward County Sheriff's Office; Providing for the relief of the Estate of M.N. by the Broward County Sheriff's Office; providing an appropriation to compensate the estate for injuries sustained by M.N. and her subsequent death as a result of the negligence of the Broward County Sheriff's Office; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of attorney fees, etc. Claim: \$2,588,259. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Community Affairs; Rules

**SB 20**

**CLAIMS/GENERAL by Gruters (Identical HB 6505)**

Relief of H.H. by the Department of Children and Families; Providing for the relief of H.H. by the Department of Children and Families; providing an appropriation to compensate H.H. for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of the department; providing legislative intent; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of certain fees and costs, etc. Claim with appropriation: \$14,926,640. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Appropriations Committee on Health and Human  
Services; Appropriations

**SB 22**

**CLAIMS/GENERAL by Gruters (Identical HB 6503)**

Relief of L.P. by the Department of Children and Families; Providing for the relief of L.P., a minor, by the Department of Children and Families; providing an appropriation to compensate L.P. for injuries and damages sustained due to the negligence of employees and caseworkers of the department; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of fees and costs, etc. Claim with appropriation: \$28,000,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Appropriations Committee on Health and Human  
Services; Appropriations

**SB 24**

**CLAIMS/LOCAL BILL by Gruters (Identical HB 6515)**

Relief of Lourdes Latour and Edward Latour by Miami-Dade County; Providing for the relief of Lourdes Latour and Edward Latour by Miami-Dade County; providing an appropriation to compensate Mr. and Mrs. Latour for injuries sustained as a result of the negligence of Miami-Dade County; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of attorney fees, etc. Claim: \$500,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary;  
Community Affairs; Rules

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**SB 26**

**CLAIMS/GENERAL by McClain (Identical HB 6509)**

Relief of the Estate of Mark LaGatta by the Department of Transportation; Providing for the relief of the Estate of Mark LaGatta; providing an appropriation to compensate the estate for injuries and damages sustained by Mr. LaGatta as a result of the negligence of the Department of Transportation; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of attorney fees, etc. Claim with appropriation: \$2,200,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations

**SB 28**

**CLAIMS/LOCAL BILL by Rouson**

Relief of Reginald Jackson by the City of Lakeland; Providing for the relief of Reginald Jackson by the City of Lakeland; providing an appropriation to compensate Mr. Jackson for injuries and damages sustained as a result of the negligence of Mike Cochran, a police officer with the Lakeland Police Department; providing a limitation on the payment of compensation and attorney fees, etc. Claim: \$312,500. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
08/01/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Special Master on Claim Bills; Judiciary; Community Affairs; Rules

**SB 30**

**GENERAL BILL by Sharief**

Rate Filings for Property Insurers; Revising the powers of the consumer advocate; specifying that failure to obey certain court orders may be punished as contempt; authorizing a circuit court to order a person to pay certain expenses; prohibiting the Office of Insurance Regulation from approving certain rate filings, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
09/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**CS/SB 32**

**GENERAL BILL by Criminal Justice; Sharief; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Osgood; Berman (Linked SB 210, Identical HB 547, Compare HB 549)**

Injunctions for Protection; Defining the terms "serious violence by a known person" and "serious bodily injury"; creating a cause of action for an injunction for protection in cases of serious violence by a known person; prohibiting the clerk of the court from assessing a fee for the filing of such injunction for protection; requiring the clerk of the court to electronically transmit copies of specified documents within a certain timeframe after a court issues such injunction for protection; requiring law enforcement officers to accept a certified copy of such injunction for protection from the petitioner and immediately serve it upon a respondent, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
09/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy  
11/10/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 11/18/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building  
11/18/25 SENATE CS by Criminal Justice; YEAS 8 NAYS 0  
11/19/25 SENATE Pending reference review under Rule 4.7(2) - (Committee Substitute)  
11/20/25 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice

**SB 34**

**GENERAL BILL by Sharief; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Bernard (Identical HB 425)**

Historic Cemeteries Program; Requiring local governments to approve applications from historic African-American cemeteries to change the land use category and zoning district of excess vacant land under certain conditions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
09/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules  
10/27/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Community Affairs, 11/04/25, 3:30 pm, 37 Senate Building  
11/04/25 SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; YEAS 7 NAYS 0  
11/04/25 SENATE Now in Governmental Oversight and Accountability

**SB 36**

**GENERAL BILL by Sharief (Identical HB 237)**

Use of Professional Nursing Titles; Authorizing persons who hold specified licenses to practice professional nursing or to perform nursing services to use certain titles and abbreviations; requiring doctoral degree holders to specify their profession when using a specified title, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
09/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules

**SB 38**

**GENERAL BILL by Sharief (Identical HB 219)**

Parity for Nonnursing Services Under Long-term Managed Care Plans; Beginning on a specified date, requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to reimburse nonnursing services provided by licensed providers at the same rate or higher than the rate it reimburses unlicensed providers for such services under the Medicaid long-term managed care program; requiring the agency annually to adjust the rate for licensed providers, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
09/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules

**SB 40**

**GENERAL BILL by Sharief; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Osgood; Berman (Identical HB 163)**

Medicaid Providers; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to include specified requirements in its contracts with Medicaid managed care plans; defining the term "outside of regular business hours", etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
09/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy  
11/10/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Health Policy, 11/18/25, 10:00 am, 412 Knott Building  
11/18/25 SENATE Favorable by Health Policy; YEAS 8 NAYS 0  
11/18/25 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services

**SB 42**

**GENERAL BILL by Sharief (Identical HB 47)**

Specific Medical Diagnoses in Child Protective Investigations; Providing an exception to the requirement that the Department of Children and Families immediately forward certain allegations to a law enforcement agency; requiring a child protective investigator to inform the subject of an investigation of a certain duty; requiring Child Protection Teams to consult with a licensed physician or advanced practice registered nurse when evaluating certain reports; authorizing, under a certain circumstance, a parent or legal custodian from whom a child was removed to request specified examinations of the child, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
09/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**SB 44**

**GENERAL BILL by Rouson**

Electronic Payment of Public Records Fees; Requiring an agency subject to ch. 119, F.S., to provide an electronic option for payment of fees associated with a public records request, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
09/10/25 SENATE Filed  
10/06/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 46**

**GENERAL BILL by Sharief**

Nonparticipating and Out-of-network Nurse Registries and Home Health Agencies; Prohibiting state group health insurance plans and state-contracted health maintenance organizations, the Agency for Health Care Administration, Medicaid managed care plans, individual health insurers, and health maintenance organizations, respectively, and any persons responsible for administering claims on behalf of such plans, organizations, agency, or insurers, from restricting participants, recipients, enrollees, policyholders, and subscribers from obtaining care from nonparticipating or out-of-network licensed nurse registries or home health agencies; revising applicability for group health insurance, blanket health insurance, and franchise health insurance, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
09/15/25 SENATE Filed

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08:15:01

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## SB 46

10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
10/29/25	SENATE	Withdrawn from Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
10/29/25	SENATE	Withdrawn prior to introduction

## SB 48

### GENERAL BILL by Gaetz; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Osgood; Pizzo (Identical HB 313)

Housing: Authorizing a landlord to accept reusable tenant screening reports and require a specified statement; defining the term “primary dwelling unit”; requiring, rather than authorizing, local governments to adopt, by a specified date, an ordinance to allow accessory dwelling units in certain areas; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to evaluate the efficacy of using mezzanine finance and the potential of tiny homes for specified purposes, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/15/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Rules
10/27/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Community Affairs, 11/04/25, 3:30 pm, 37 Senate Building
11/04/25	SENATE	Favorable by Community Affairs; YEAS 7 NAYS 0
11/04/25	SENATE	Now in Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development

## SB 50

### GENERAL BILL by Gaetz (Similar CS/HB 199)

Veterans Affairs: Revising the admissions process for veterans treatment court programs; authorizing the court, in consultation with the multidisciplinary team, to determine eligibility for veterans treatment court programs; authorizing sentencing courts to divert defendants to veterans treatment court programs under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/15/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Rules

## SB 52

### GENERAL BILL by Gaetz; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Osgood (Similar HB 95)

Security Services at Places of Worship: Providing an exemption from licensure requirements for certain volunteers who provide armed security services for places of worship under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/16/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Rules

## SB 54

### GENERAL BILL by Sharief

Use of Substances Affecting Cognitive Function: Defining the terms “mass shooting” and “psychotropic drug”; requiring medical examiners to take specified actions when performing an autopsy on a decedent reasonably suspected of committing a mass shooting; requiring arresting law enforcement agencies to perform toxicology screenings of persons arrested on suspicion of committing a mass shooting or other violent crime; requiring school safety specialists to provide teachers with certain training on the adverse effects of psychotropic drugs, illicit drugs, and controlled substances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/17/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules
12/01/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building

## SB 56

### GENERAL BILL by Sharief

Residential Impacts from Mining Activities: Citing this act as the “Residential Blasting Safety and Transparency Act”; providing that the Division of State Fire Marshal retains sole and exclusive authority to adopt standards, limits, and regulations for explosives used for certain mining activities; requiring certain persons to monitor and record blast sites; revising the administrative procedures and remedies for filing a petition for alleged damage due to the use of explosives in connection with construction materials, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/17/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

## SB 58

### GENERAL BILL by Harrell; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Arrington

Animal Cremation: Creating “Sevilla’s Law”; requiring a provider of companion animal cremation services to provide certain individuals and entities with a written description of the services the provider offers; requiring certain providers to include a certification with the returned animal’s cremation remains; providing that certain acts are unlawful; providing civil penalties for initial and subsequent offenses, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/19/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Agriculture; Judiciary; Fiscal Policy
11/10/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Agriculture, 11/18/25, 3:30 pm, 301 Senate Building
11/18/25	SENATE	Favorable by Agriculture; YEAS 5 NAYS 0
11/18/25	SENATE	Now in Judiciary

## SB 60

### GENERAL BILL by McClain (Similar HB 595)

Criminal Conflict and Civil Regional Counsel Membership in the Senior Management Service Class: Providing that participation in the Senior Management Service Class of the Florida Retirement System is compulsory for each district’s assistant regional counsel supervisors, beginning on a specified date, etc. Appropriation: \$950,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/19/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Appropriations
12/01/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Governmental Oversight and Accountability, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 110 Senate Building

## CS/SB 62

### GENERAL BILL by Ethics and Elections; Arrington; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Osgood; Berman (Similar HB 91)

Candidate Qualification: Specifying that a person seeking to qualify for office as a candidate must be a registered member of a political party, or registered without any party affiliation, for 365 consecutive days preceding the beginning of qualifying for an election; authorizing qualified candidates or certain political parties to challenge compliance with specified provisions by filing suit in a specified circuit court; prohibiting a person from being qualified as a candidate for nomination or election and appearing on the ballot under specified circumstances, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

09/19/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules
11/10/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Ethics and Elections, 11/19/25, 2:00 pm, 37 Senate Building
11/19/25	SENATE	CS by Ethics and Elections; YEAS 7 NAYS 0
11/20/25	SENATE	Pending reference review under Rule 4.7(2) - (Committee Substitute)
11/20/25	SENATE	Now in Judiciary
11/24/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Judiciary, 12/02/25, 1:00 pm, 110 Senate Building
12/02/25	SENATE	Favorable by Judiciary; YEAS 10 NAYS 0
12/02/25	SENATE	Now in Rules

## SB 64

### GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Similar HB 587)

Medical Review Committees: Revising the definition of the term “medical review committee”, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/23/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Judiciary; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Rules

## SB 66

### GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Similar HB 135, SB 98)

Self-storage Spaces: Revising the notice requirements of owners of self-storage units in order to satisfy a lien on a tenant’s property; requiring that rental agreements for renters of self-storage units which are entered into on or after a specified date provide certain information in compliance with the Self-storage Facility Act; authorizing owners of a self-storage unit to send notice to certain tenants’ last known address to apprise such tenants of a specified right, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

09/23/25	SENATE	Filed
09/24/25	SENATE	Withdrawn prior to introduction

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**SB 68**

**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Similar CS/HB 355)**

Health Care Patient Protection; Requiring hospitals with emergency departments to develop and implement policies and procedures and conduct training; authorizing a hospital with an emergency department to conduct the National Pediatric Readiness Project's Open Assessment under certain circumstances; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt certain rules for comprehensive emergency management plans, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/23/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
11/10/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Health Policy, 11/18/25, 10:00 am, 412 Knott Building
11/18/25	SENATE	Favorable by Health Policy; YEAS 8 NAYS 0
11/18/25	SENATE	Now in Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services

**SB 70**

**GENERAL BILL by Harrell**

Step-therapy Protocols; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to approve drug products for Medicaid recipients for the treatment of serious mental illness without step-therapy prior authorization under certain circumstances; directing the agency to include rate impacts resulting from the act in certain rates that become effective on a specified date, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect October 1, 2026.

09/23/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**SB 72**

**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Identical HB 615)**

Individual Education Plans; Requiring a school district to complete an evaluation to determine if a student is eligible for an individualized education plan (IEP) within a specified timeframe; providing that a parent or guardian has the right to request provider logs or notes within a specified timeframe; requiring each school district to provide an individualized orientation to each parent or guardian of a student newly identified to be eligible for exceptional student education services, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/24/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Rules

**SB 74**

**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Linked SB 76, Similar HB 13, Compare HB 15)**

Social Work Licensure Interstate Compact; Creating the Social Work Licensure Interstate Compact; specifying requirements for state participation in the compact; requiring member states to designate the categories of social work licensure which are eligible for issuance of a multistate license in such states; providing for the renewal of multistate licenses; specifying the consequences and parameters of practice for a licensee whose multistate license or multistate authorization to practice is encumbered, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/24/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**SB 76**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Linked SB 74, Similar HB 15, Compare HB 13)**

Public Records and Meetings/Social Work Licensure Interstate Compact; 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 Social Work Licensure Interstate Compact; providing an exemption from public meetings requirements for certain meetings or portions of certain meetings of the Social Work Licensure Compact Commission or its executive committee or other committees; providing an exemption from public records requirements for recordings, minutes, and records generated during the exempt meetings or portions of such meetings; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing statements of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 74 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law.

09/24/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**CS/SB 78**

**GENERAL BILL by Community Affairs; Osgood; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Berman (Similar HB 185)**

Home Hardening Products; Providing a sales tax exemption for home hardening products used on eligible residential property; specifying a limitation on exemptions; requiring property owners to submit an application to the Department of Revenue in order to be eligible; providing requirements for the department in issuing refunds, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

09/24/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; Appropriations
11/10/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Community Affairs, 11/18/25, 3:30 pm, 37 Senate Building
11/18/25	SENATE	CS by Community Affairs; YEAS 5 NAYS 0
11/19/25	SENATE	Pending reference review under Rule 4.7(2) - (Committee Substitute)
11/20/25	SENATE	Now in Finance and Tax

**SB 80**

**GENERAL BILL by Berman**

Safe Storage of Firearms and Ammunition in Motor Vehicles and Vessels; Defining the terms "motor vehicle," "trunk," and "vessel"; requiring persons who store or leave firearms or ammunition in motor vehicles or vessels under their control to keep the firearms or ammunition locked inside specified locations within the motor vehicles or vessels while such persons are not in the motor vehicles or vessels, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

09/24/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Rules

**SCR 82**

**CONCURRENT RESOLUTION by Berman**

Equal Rights for Men and Women; Ratifying the proposed amendment to the United States Constitution relating to equal rights for men and women, etc.

09/24/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Judiciary; Ethics and Elections; Rules

**SB 84**

**GENERAL BILL by Berman (Similar HB 343)**

Insurance Solutions Advisory Council; Creating the advisory council within the Office of Insurance Regulation of the Financial Services Commission for specified purposes; requiring the office to provide the advisory council with staffing and administrative assistance; providing for expiration of the advisory council, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/24/25	SENATE	Filed
10/06/25	SENATE	Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 86**

**GENERAL BILL by Gaetz**

Commercial Motor Vehicles Operated by Unauthorized Aliens; Requiring law enforcement officers to take certain persons operating commercial motor vehicles into custody and facilitate the transfer of such persons into the custody of a federal immigration agency; requiring the impoundment of a commercial motor vehicle under certain circumstances; requiring the owner of an impounded commercial motor vehicle to pay a fine and certain costs and fees; prohibiting certain motor carriers from operating in this state, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/25/25	SENATE	Filed
10/13/25	SENATE	Referred to Transportation; Criminal Justice; Fiscal Policy

**SB 88**

**GENERAL BILL by Polsky; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Smith (Linked SB 90, Similar HB 41, Compare HB 43)**

Sale or Transfer of Ammunition; Citing this act as "Jaime's Law"; requiring background checks for the sale or transfer of ammunition; providing exceptions, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

09/26/25	SENATE	Filed
10/13/25	SENATE	Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

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**SB 90**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Polsky (Linked SB 88, Similar HB 43, Compare HB 41)**

Public Records/Receipt or Transfer of Ammunition; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for records containing certain information pertaining to a buyer or transferee who is not found to be prohibited from receipt or transfer of ammunition; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for the reversion of specified statutory text unless certain conditions are met; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 88 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law.

09/26/25 SENATE Filed

10/13/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

**SB 92**

**GENERAL BILL by Gaetz (Identical HB 139)**

Employee Protections; Prohibiting agencies and independent contractors from taking specified actions against employees or certain persons for disclosing certain information to the Commission on Ethics; requiring that information disclosed include specified violations or alleged violations; providing that specified provisions protect employees and persons who submit written complaints to the commission or provide information to an investigator during an investigation of a complaint or referral, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

09/29/25 SENATE Filed

10/13/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Ethics and Elections; Rules

12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Governmental Oversight and Accountability, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 110 Senate Building

**SB 94**

**GENERAL BILL by Sharief**

Suicide Prevention for Active and Former Members of the United States Armed Forces, the National Guard, and their Reserve Components; Requiring a facility conducting an involuntary examination to include in its report to the Baker Act Reporting Center whether the individual examined is an active or former member of the United States Armed Forces, the National Guard, or their reserve components, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/02/25 SENATE Filed

10/13/25 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Rules

**CS/SB 96**

**GENERAL BILL by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Sharief (Compare HB 253)**

Veterans Dental Care Grant Program; Revising the purpose of the Veterans Dental Care Grant Program, etc. Appropriation: \$500,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/02/25 SENATE Filed

10/13/25 SENATE Referred to Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

10/27/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security, 11/04/25, 10:00 am, 301 Senate Building

11/04/25 SENATE CS by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; YEAS 4 NAYS 1

11/04/25 SENATE Pending reference review under Rule 4.7(2) - (Committee Substitute)

11/06/25 SENATE Original reference(s) removed: Fiscal Policy

11/06/25 SENATE Remaining references corrected to Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations

11/06/25 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services

**SB 98**

**GENERAL BILL by Harrell; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Leek (Identical HB 135, Similar SB 66)**

Self-storage Spaces; Revising the notice requirements of owners of self-storage units in order to enforce a lien on a tenant's property; requiring that rental agreements for renters of self-storage units which are entered into on or after a specified date provide certain information in compliance with the Self-storage Facility Act; providing that failure or refusal of a tenant to designate an alternate contact does not affect a tenant's or an owner's rights or remedies, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

10/06/25 SENATE Filed

10/13/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Regulated Industries; Rules

**SB 98**

10/27/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Judiciary, 11/04/25, 1:00 pm, 110 Senate Building

11/04/25 SENATE Favorable by Judiciary; YEAS 8 NAYS 1

11/04/25 SENATE Now in Regulated Industries

**SB 100**

**GENERAL BILL by Passidomo**

Florida Statutes; Adopting the Florida Statutes 2026 and designating the portions thereof that are to constitute the official law of the state; providing that the Florida Statutes 2026 shall be effective immediately upon publication; providing that general laws enacted during the 2025 regular session and prior thereto and not included in the Florida Statutes 2026 are repealed; providing that general laws enacted after the 2025 regular session are not repealed by this adoption act, etc. Effective Date: On the 60th day after adjournment sine die of the session of the Legislature in which enacted.

12/03/25 SENATE Filed

12/05/25 SENATE Referred to Rules

**SB 102**

**REVISER'S/GENERAL BILL by Passidomo**

Florida Statutes; Deleting provisions which have become inoperative by noncurrent repeal or expiration and, pursuant to s. 11.242(5)(b) and (i), F.S., may be omitted from the 2026 Florida Statutes only through a reviser's bill duly enacted by the Legislature, etc. Effective Date: On the 60th day after adjournment sine die of the session of the Legislature in which enacted.

12/03/25 SENATE Filed

12/05/25 SENATE Referred to Rules

**SB 104**

**REVISER'S/GENERAL BILL by Passidomo**

Florida Statutes; Deleting provisions that have expired, have become obsolete, have had their effect, have served their purpose, or have been impliedly repealed or superseded; replacing incorrect cross-references and citations; correcting grammatical, typographical, and like errors; removing inconsistencies, redundancies, and unnecessary repetition in the statutes; and improving the clarity of the statutes and facilitating their correct interpretation, etc. Effective Date: On the 60th day after adjournment sine die of the session of the Legislature in which enacted.

12/03/25 SENATE Filed

12/05/25 SENATE Referred to Rules

**SB 106**

**GENERAL BILL by Osgood (Similar HB 55)**

Treatment of Inmates; Specifying certain rights of inmates in the correctional system; requiring that a written copy of the rights be provided to each inmate upon his or her entry into the correctional system; revising the definition of the term "permanently incapacitated inmate" for purposes of conditional medical release, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/06/25 SENATE Filed

10/13/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

**SB 108**

**GENERAL BILL by Polsky (Similar HB 341, Compare HB 459)**

Resolution of Disputed Property Insurance Claims; Requiring, rather than authorizing, parties in a property insurance claim dispute to participate in mediation; providing that mediation is a condition precedent to commencing litigation; requiring all insureds, or their representatives, to attend the mediation; requiring the policyholder to provide the insurer with any information and certain documents within a specified timeframe after mediation is invoked; revising the definition of the term "claim", etc. Appropriation: \$1,000,000. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect July 1, 2026, this act shall take effect January 1, 2027.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed

10/13/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 110**

**GENERAL BILL by Arrington (Identical HB 227)**

Homestead Exemptions; Revising the circumstances under which a person may be deemed to have legal or beneficial and equitable title to certain property for homestead exemption purposes, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed

10/13/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules

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**SB 112**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones**

Reapportionment; Citing this act as the "Voter Protection in Redistricting Act"; providing that congressional and state legislative district boundaries may be drawn only in the second year after the most recent federal decennial statewide census, during an extraordinary apportionment session or judicial reapportionment session, or according to federal law or court order, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed  
10/13/25 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 114**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones (Compare HB 577)**

Continuity of Care in Health Insurance Contracts; Requiring that contracts between a health insurer and a contracted health care practitioner require a specified notice; requiring a health insurer and a health care practitioner to allow certain policyholders to continue coverage and care for a specified timeframe; requiring that certain health maintenance organization contracts require a specified notice; requiring a health maintenance organization and a treating provider to allow certain subscribers to continue coverage and care for a specified timeframe, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed  
10/13/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 116**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones**

Protection of Specified Persons Against the Fraudulent and Exploitative Conveyance of Property Interests; Revising the list of persons who must report abuse, neglect, or exploitation of vulnerable adults to include the clerk of the court; requiring that any deed or instrument purporting to convey real property or an interest therein be executed in the presence of a specified number of independent witnesses; authorizing a specified adult to file with the clerk the contact information of a trusted person; requiring the clerk to refer an objection to a not-for-profit legal aid organization to investigate whether the deed or instrument was obtained through fraudulent or exploitative means, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules

**CS/SB 118**

**GENERAL BILL by Community Affairs; Truenow (Similar HB 39)**

Assessments Levied on Recreational Vehicle Parks; Prohibiting counties, municipalities, and special districts, respectively, from levying certain special assessments against more than a specified square footage amount per recreational vehicle parking space or campsite; requiring counties, municipalities, and special districts, respectively, to consider a recreational vehicle park's occupancy rates for a certain purpose, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; Appropriations  
11/10/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Community Affairs, 11/18/25, 3:30 pm, 37 Senate Building  
11/18/25 SENATE CS by Community Affairs; YEAS 5 NAYS 0  
11/19/25 SENATE Pending reference review under Rule 4.7(2) - (Committee Substitute)  
11/20/25 SENATE Now in Finance and Tax

**SB 120**

**GENERAL BILL by Garcia; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Osgood**

Contract Protection for Elderly Persons and Disabled Adults; Creating the "Elderly and Disabled Adult Contract Protection Act"; requiring that all contracts involving an elderly person or a disabled adult be in that person's primary language; requiring a contracting party to conduct a comprehensive review of the contract before an elderly person or disabled adult signs the contract; requiring a contracting party to record a video that depicts the contracting process and the elderly person or disabled adult signing the contract, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Rules

**SB 122**

**GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Similar HB 103, Compare SB 650)**

Local Business Taxes; Repealing provisions relating to local business taxes; authorizing certain municipalities to continue to impose a business tax; authorizing such municipalities to revise the definition of the term "merchant" in a specified manner, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Finance and Tax; Appropriations  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Community Affairs, 12/09/25, 3:30 pm, 37 Senate Building

**SB 124**

**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 129)**

Florida Virtual School; Deleting provisions relating to the Florida Virtual School giving priority to certain students; providing that the board of trustees may use supplemental funding sources to develop a state-of-the-art technology-based education delivery system; authorizing the Florida Virtual School to accrue supplemental revenue from direct-support organizations; revising which entities review and approve expenditures, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Fiscal Policy  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Education Pre-K - 12, 12/09/25, 3:30 pm, 412 Knott Building

**SB 126**

**GENERAL BILL by Gaetz; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Bradley (Identical HB 187)**

Florida Public Service Commission; Revising the membership of the Florida Public Service Commission; requiring that orders issued by the commission contain adequate support and rationale for any conclusions made by the commission; requiring the commission to ensure that the allowable return on equity does not exceed the national average authorized return on equity for comparable public utilities; requiring the commission to establish a schedule by which rate change requests may be submitted to the commission by each public utility company, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Regulated Industries, 12/09/25, 1:00 pm, 412 Knott Building

**SB 128**

**GENERAL BILL by Bracy Davis**

Homeowners' Insurance Policies; Requiring insurers to reimburse homeowners for the cost of a specified roof inspection under certain circumstances; requiring insurers to make certain notifications to homeowners at a specified time, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/07/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules

**SB 130**

**GENERAL BILL by Polsky; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Smith**

Protection of Parental Rights; Prohibiting a court from denying or restricting certain parental rights based solely on a parent's status as a qualified patient for purposes of medical marijuana use; prohibiting the presumption of neglect or child endangerment based solely on a parent's status as a qualified patient for purposes of medical marijuana use, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Rules

**SB 132**

**GENERAL BILL by Polsky (Similar HB 73)**

Restoration of Voting Rights; Requiring the Florida Commission on Offender Review to develop and maintain a database containing certain information for a certain purpose; requiring the Department of Management Services, acting through the Florida Digital Service, to provide certain technical assistance to the commission; providing that a person who takes certain actions in reasonable reliance on the database has an affirmative right to register and to vote and may not be charged with certain violations of criminal law, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

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- SB 134**  
**GENERAL BILL by Polsky**  
Telephone Solicitation; Revising the definition of the terms "telephone solicitor" and "telephonic sales call"; revising the conditions for awarding attorney fees in civil actions relating to telephone solicitation, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
10/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Judiciary; Rules
- SB 136**  
**GENERAL BILL by Polsky; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Smith**  
Protections for Public Employees who use Medical Marijuana as Qualified Patients; Prohibiting a public employer from taking adverse personnel action against an employee or a job applicant for his or her use of medical marijuana if the employee or job applicant is a qualified patient; providing exceptions; requiring a public employer to provide, within a specified timeframe, written notice of an employee's or a job applicant's right to explain or contest a positive marijuana test result, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
10/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules
- SB 138**  
**GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Identical HB 301)**  
Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Autonomous Practice; Authorizing certain advanced practice registered nurses to engage in autonomous practice to provide mental health services as defined by rule of the Board of Nursing, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules
- SB 140**  
**GENERAL BILL by Rouson**  
Whistleblower Protections for Employees and Independent Contractors of Property Insurers; Prohibiting property insurers, or their agents or affiliates, from taking adverse actions against employees or contractors for specified reasons; authorizing such employees or contractors to bring a civil action within a specified timeframe, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Rules
- SB 142**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bracy Davis (Identical HB 107)**  
Termination of a Rental Agreement by a Victim of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Violence, or Stalking; 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; authorizing a victim of such actual or threatened violence or stalking to terminate a rental agreement under certain circumstances; providing for liability for rent for both the tenant and the perpetrator, if applicable; specifying that a tenant does not forfeit certain money paid to the landlord for terminating the rental agreement under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Regulated Industries; Rules
- SB 144**  
**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Rouson**  
Public Records/Judicial Qualifications Commission; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current and former employees of the Judicial Qualifications Commission and the personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such employees; providing for legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for retroactive application of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/08/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules
- SB 146**  
**GENERAL BILL by Harrell**  
Use of Artificial Intelligence by State Agencies; Requiring the Florida Digital Service to conduct a certain study, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
10/09/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy
- SB 148**  
**GENERAL BILL by Harrell**  
Temporary Licensure of Anesthesiologist Assistants; Requiring the Department of Health to issue a temporary license to practice as an anesthesiologist assistant to applicants meeting specified criteria; providing that temporary licensees may practice only under the direct supervision of an anesthesiologist and pursuant to a written protocol, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/09/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules
- SB 150**  
**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Harrell (Identical HB 11)**  
Designation of the State Birds; Designating the American flamingo as the official state bird and the Florida scrub-jay as the official state songbird; providing that such designations supersede the designation of the mockingbird as the official state bird, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/09/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules  
On Committee agenda-- Environment and Natural Resources, 11/04/25, 3:30 pm, 110 Senate Building  
10/27/25 SENATE  
11/04/25 SENATE Favorable by Environment and Natural Resources; YEAS 6 NAYS 0  
11/04/25 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government
- SB 152**  
**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Identical HB 517)**  
Medicaid Provider Networks; Requiring Medicaid managed care plans and providers to negotiate mutually acceptable rates, methods, and terms of payment for purposes of Medicaid reimbursements; requiring plans to pay dentists at certain rates; specifying additional requirements for the provider network contracts under the statewide managed care program, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/09/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations
- SB 154**  
**GENERAL BILL by Harrell; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Berman (Similar HB 151)**  
Mobile Opportunity by Interstate Licensure Endorsement Act; Revising the list of persons ineligible for a license by endorsement under the act, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/09/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules  
On Committee agenda-- Health Policy, 11/18/25, 10:00 am, 412 Knott Building  
11/10/25 SENATE  
11/18/25 SENATE Favorable by Health Policy; YEAS 8 NAYS 0  
11/18/25 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services
- SB 156**  
**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Similar CS/HB 17)**  
Criminal Offenses Against Law Enforcement Officers and Other Personnel; Citing this act as the "Officer Jason Raynor Act"; revising a prohibition on the use or threatened use of force to resist arrest or detention; providing for enhanced punishment for manslaughter when committed against specified officers; revising provisions concerning assault or battery upon specified officers and other personnel; revising a provision concerning resisting, obstructing, or opposing specified officers or legally authorized persons, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
10/09/25 SENATE Filed  
10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules  
On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 11/18/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building --Temporarily Postponed  
11/10/25 SENATE  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building
- SB 158**  
**GENERAL BILL by Jones**  
Pet Insurance; Requiring licensees who sell pet insurance to complete specified continuing education; revising requirements for disclosures from a pet insurer to a policyholder; requiring pet insurers to file annually a specified report with the Office of Insurance Regulation, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/09/25 SENATE Filed

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**SB 158**

10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules

**SB 160**

**TRUST FUND/GENERAL BILL by Davis**

Emergency Residential Property Insurance Assistance Trust Fund/Department of Financial Services; Creating the Emergency Residential Property Insurance Assistance Trust Fund within the Department of Financial Services; providing eligibility for financial assistance from the trust fund; providing for funding and administration of the trust fund; providing for future review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/09/25 SENATE Filed

10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations

**SB 162**

**GENERAL BILL by Davis (Identical HB 93)**

Protection from Surgical Smoke; Defining the terms “smoke evacuation system” and “surgical smoke”; requiring hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers, by a specified date, to adopt and implement policies requiring the use of smoke evacuation systems during certain surgical procedures, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/10/25 SENATE Filed

10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules

**SB 164**

**GENERAL BILL by Grall (Similar CS/HB 289)**

Civil Liability for the Wrongful Death of an Unborn Child; Revising the definition of the term “survivors” to include the parents of an unborn child; defining the term “unborn child”; prohibiting a right of action against the mother for the wrongful death of an unborn child or against a medical provider for lawful medical care provided in certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/10/25 SENATE Filed

10/21/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules

10/27/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Judiciary, 11/04/25, 1:00 pm, 110 Senate Building

11/04/25 SENATE Favorable by Judiciary; YEAS 5 NAYS 4

11/05/25 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice

**SB 166**

**GENERAL BILL by Grall (Identical HB 173)**

Parental Rights; Revising requirements for the provision of maternal health and contraceptive information and services to minors; requiring consent from a parent or guardian for a minor’s treatment for certain diseases; repealing a provision relating to minors’ access to outpatient crisis intervention services and treatment; requiring school districts to provide parents with specified information before the district administers certain questionnaires or forms to students, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/10/25 SENATE Filed

11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Health Policy; Rules

**SB 168**

**GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Similar HB 481)**

Public Nuisances; Revising the list of places that may be declared a public nuisance to include the site of a gambling house; revising provisions relating to the assessment and collection of fines for public nuisances; deleting a limit on the total amount of fines that may be imposed on a public nuisance, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed

11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Community Affairs; Rules

12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building

**SB 170**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones (Identical HB 385)**

Emergency Relief; Creating the People’s Relief Program within the Department of Children and Families; providing a purpose for the program; requiring the program to provide assistance in the form of grants to certain residents under specified conditions; providing program eligibility requirements for individuals, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed

11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**SB 172**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones (Similar HB 59)**

Pregnant Women In Custody; Citing this act as “Ava’s law”; requiring that, upon her request, every female arrested and not released on bond within 72 hours after arrest be administered a pregnancy test within a specified timeframe; requiring each municipal detention facility or county detention facility to notify each arrested female upon booking at the facility of her right to request a pregnancy test; defining the term “pregnant woman”; requiring the court to consider specified factors in determining whether to grant a pregnant woman’s request to stay the beginning of the period of incarceration, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed

11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

**SB 174**

**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 33)**

Transportation Facility Designations/Charlie Kirk Memorial Avenue; Providing an honorary designation of a certain transportation facility in a specified county; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed

11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy

**SB 176**

**GENERAL BILL by Polsky (Identical HB 77)**

Public Postsecondary Education Safety Policies and Procedures; Requiring state universities and Florida College System institutions to adopt and implement specified policies and procedures relating to safety; providing requirements for such policies and procedures; requiring state universities and Florida College System institutions to annually review and update the policies and procedures, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed

11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Education Postsecondary; Appropriations Committee on Higher Education; Rules

**SB 178**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones**

Athletics in Public K-12 Schools; Requiring the Florida High School Athletic Association to adopt bylaws authorizing a coach to support the welfare of a student by using personal funds to provide certain effects to the student; requiring the coach to report such use of personal funds to the association; providing that such use of personal funds is presumed not to be an impermissible benefit, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed

11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 180**

**GENERAL BILL by Polsky**

Sale, Transfer, and Storage of Firearms; Revising the standard by which adults and minors are considered criminally negligent in the storage of a firearm under specified circumstances; revising an exception to the prohibition on storing or leaving a loaded firearm within the reach or easy access of a minor who obtains it and commits a specified violation; revising the definition of the term “minor”; revising requirements for the safe storage of loaded firearms; providing criminal penalties if a person is found to have failed to properly secure or store a firearm, resulting in a minor gaining access to the weapon, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed

11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 182**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones (Similar HB 157)**

School Teacher Training and Mentoring Program; Establishing the School Teacher Training and Mentoring Program within the Department of Education; providing for the award of stipends for classroom teacher mentorship, subject to appropriation; specifying program requirements relating to contracts, standards, mentor requirements, and meetings, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed

11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Fiscal Policy



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**SB 184**

**GENERAL BILL by Garcia**

Seaport Security: Requiring seaports to maintain an onsite fire station that is staffed and operational 24 hours a day, 7 days a week; requiring fire stations to have a certified hazardous materials response team with specified capabilities; requiring seaports to maintain a specified number of operational fireboats able to respond to fires and hazardous materials incidents in specified areas, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 186**

**GENERAL BILL by Garcia**

Student Health and Safety: Revising Department of Health responsibilities for educational programs concerning epilepsy; revising the definition of the term "school"; revising requirements for a student's individualized seizure action plan; revising the list of which employees must complete training in the care of students with epilepsy and seizure disorders, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Education Pre-K - 12; Rules

**SB 188**

**GENERAL BILL by Garcia**

Medical Examiners' Duties: Specifying autopsy requirements for certain cases involving sudden and unexpected deaths; requiring medical examiners to report specified cases to the national Sudden Unexpected Infant Death and Sudden Death in the Young Case Registry in accordance with protocols established by the Department of Health and the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; requiring the department to impose certain administrative penalties against medical examiners for failure to report such cases in a specified timeframe, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**SB 190**

**GENERAL BILL by Sharief (Similar HB 161)**

Impact of Perimenopause and Menopause on Women's Health: Requiring the Department of Health to establish a perimenopause and menopause policy workgroup; requiring the department, in collaboration with others, to develop and make publicly available on its website information relating to perimenopause and menopause, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**SB 192**

**GENERAL BILL by Martin (Identical HB 259)**

Patient Funds Held in Trust by Chiropractic Physicians: Deleting the limitation on the amount of patient funds a chiropractic physician may hold in trust for specified purposes, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 194**

**GENERAL BILL by Martin; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Gaetz (Identical HB 125)**

Charlie Kirk Day of Remembrance: Designating October 14 of each year as "Charlie Kirk Day of Remembrance"; authorizing the Governor to issue an annual proclamation, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/14/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Education Postsecondary; Fiscal Policy  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Governmental Oversight and Accountability, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 110 Senate Building

**SB 196**

**GENERAL BILL by Sharief (Identical HB 327)**

Uterine Fibroid Research Database: Requiring the Department of Health to include uterine fibroids in a specified list of diseases it issues; deleting a prohibition on the inclusion of personal identifying information in the database, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/15/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**SB 198**

**GENERAL BILL by Rouson (Identical HB 505)**

Virtual Currency Kiosks: Requiring an owner or operator of a virtual currency kiosk to ensure that a specified disclosure is displayed before a customer initiates a virtual currency kiosk transaction; prohibiting an owner or operator of a virtual currency kiosk from permitting new and existing customers from transacting more than a specified amount per calendar day; requiring an owner or operator of a virtual currency kiosk to provide a customer with a specified electronic receipt upon completion of a virtual currency transaction, etc. Effective Date: 01/01/2027.

10/15/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Commerce and Tourism; Rules

**SB 200**

**GENERAL BILL by Bradley; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Gaetz (Identical HB 193)**

Utilities: Authorizing a county to adopt an ordinance for the decommissioning of certain solar facilities that have reached the end of their useful life; authorizing a county to require financial assurance from a solar facility owner to establish that the solar facility owner has the capability to satisfy the estimated cost of decommissioning the solar facility; requiring that improvements included in certain transmission and distribution storm protection plans have forecasted customer benefits that exceed their forecasted cost, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/15/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; Fiscal Policy  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Regulated Industries, 12/09/25, 1:00 pm, 412 Knott Building

**SB 202**

**GENERAL BILL by Bradley; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Garcia (Identical HB 527)**

Mandatory Human Reviews of Insurance Claim Denials: Requiring that insurers' decisions to deny a claim or any portion of a claim be made by qualified human professionals; prohibiting the use of algorithms, artificial intelligence, or machine learning systems as the sole basis for determining whether to adjust or deny a claim; authorizing the Office of Insurance Regulation to conduct market conduct examinations and investigations under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/15/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules

**SB 204**

**GENERAL BILL by Bradley (Compare CS/HB 189, HB 591)**

Gaming: Requiring certain organizations, before purchasing, installing, or operating a game or machine on their premises, or that already have a game or machine installed on their premises, and are in doubt about whether such game or machine meets the definition of an amusement game or machine, to petition the Florida Gaming Control Commission for a declaratory statement on whether the operation of such game or machine is authorized or prohibited; prohibiting such organizations from purchasing or installing a game or machine until such declaratory statement is issued; providing criminal penalties for specified offenses relating to the manufacture, possession, and sale of slot machines or devices, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/15/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules

**SB 206**

**GENERAL BILL by Harrell**

Students with Autism Spectrum Disorder: Requiring, rather than authorizing, the State Board of Education to adopt certain rules; requiring that such rules include a requirement related to autism spectrum disorder for certain K-12 teachers, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/15/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations

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**SB 208**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Compare HB 399)**

Land Use and Development Regulations; Prohibiting local land development regulations from requiring the denial of, or conditioning or delaying the approval of, residential development on the basis of a lack of compatibility under certain circumstances; revising the circumstances under which land development regulations may be applied to a single-family or two-family dwelling; prohibiting local land development regulations from conditioning the approval of an application for certain residential development on the payment of certain fees, charges, or exactions; requiring that a fee or charge imposed by a local government in connection with the review, processing, or inspection of a residential development application meet certain requirements, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/16/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary; Rules
11/10/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Community Affairs, 11/18/25, 3:30 pm, 37 Senate Building
11/18/25	SENATE	Favorable by Community Affairs; YEAS 5 NAYS 0
11/19/25	SENATE	Now in Judiciary

**SB 210**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Sharief; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Osgood (Linked CS/SB 32, Identical HB 549, Compare HB 547)**

Public Records/Petitions for Injunctions for Protection Against Serious Violence by a Known Person; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for petitions, and the contents thereof, for injunctions for protection against serious violence by a known person; providing an exemption from public records requirements for information that can be used to identify a petitioner or respondent in such a petition for an injunction; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 32 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law.

10/16/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy
11/10/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 11/18/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building
11/18/25	SENATE	Favorable by Criminal Justice; YEAS 8 NAYS 0
11/18/25	SENATE	Now in Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice

**SB 212**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Compare CS/HB 45)**

Sexual Offenders and Sexual Predators; Revising residency restrictions for persons convicted of certain sexual offenses; revising requirements for a search of sexual predator or sexual offender registration information by a state agency or governmental subdivision before appointing or employing a person to work; revising special conditions for certain sexual offenders subject to conditional release supervision; revising standard conditions of probation or community control for certain sexual offenders, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/16/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 214**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Identical HB 273)**

Special District Funding; Revising agency agreements that provide state financial assistance to recipients or subrecipients to include certain special districts as an entity to which such agency may provide for the payment of invoices under specified circumstances; revising the definition of "rural community" to include certain special districts, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/16/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy

**SB 216**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Similar HB 191)**

Verification of Reemployment Assistance Benefit Eligibility; Citing this act as the "Promoting Work, Deterring Fraud Act of 2026"; revising circumstances under which the Department of Commerce disqualifies claimants from reemployment assistance benefits; requiring the department to verify claimants' identities before paying benefits; providing duties of the department, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/16/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy
12/01/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Commerce and Tourism, 12/10/25, 11:30 am, 110 Senate Building

**SB 218**

**GENERAL BILL by Gaetz; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Trumbull (Identical HB 217)**

Land Use Regulations; Defining the term "impacted local government", etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/16/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Community Affairs; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 220**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Arrington**

Paid Parental Leave; Defining the term "paid parental leave"; requiring the state to provide paid parental leave to certain employees for a specified period of time; prohibiting the state from requiring that an employee use his or her annual or sick leave for paid parental leave; providing that the employee is entitled to accumulate specified benefits during such leave, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations

**SB 222**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Osgood (Similar HB 367)**

Cost-sharing Requirements for Diabetes Management; Prohibiting health insurance policies from imposing a cost-sharing requirement exceeding a certain amount for a 30-day supply of insulin or any diabetes device or diabetic ketoacidosis device, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 224**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Rating Factors for Automobile Liability Insurers; Prohibiting insurers providing automobile liability coverage from establishing or maintaining rates or rating classifications based on certain information, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Banking and Insurance; Commerce and Tourism; Rules

**SB 226**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Trade-in Vehicle Valuation; Revising the definition of the term "purchase price" for purposes of the Motor Vehicle Warranty Enforcement Act, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Transportation; Commerce and Tourism; Rules

**SB 228**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Toll Discounts for Certified Veteran Business Enterprises; Requiring the Department of Transportation to establish a pilot program that provides certified veteran business enterprises with a discount on certain toll expenses; providing eligibility requirements for the pilot program; requiring the Florida Turnpike Enterprise, in coordination with the Department of Veterans' Affairs and the Department of Management Services, to administer the pilot program, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy

**SB 230**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Transparency in Insurance Matters; Defining the term "trade secret"; revising the requirements of a notice of trade secret submitted to the Office of Insurance Regulation or the Department of Financial Services; specifying that certain information is not a trade secret and is subject to public disclosure; requiring the office to review all claims of trade secret protection; requiring that fees, commissions, and profit-sharing agreements between insurers and affiliates be filed with the office and made publicly accessible on the department's website, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25	SENATE	Filed
11/03/25	SENATE	Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

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**SB 232**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Berman; Arrington (Identical HB 57)**

Agreement Among the States to Elect the President by National Popular Vote; Providing for enactment of the agreement; providing a method by which a state may become a member state; requiring a statewide popular election for President and Vice President of the United States; establishing a procedure for appointing presidential electors in member states; providing that the agreement becomes effective upon the occurrence of specified actions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 234**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Insurers' Financial Transactions; Requiring certain insurers to annually provide specified information to the Office of Insurance Regulation; requiring the office to contract annually with a specified entity to conduct a review of certain transactions; prohibiting an insurer from engaging in certain transactions with affiliates; prohibiting an insurer from declaring or paying dividends to shareholders or issuing executive bonuses under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 236**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Rental Assistance for Veterans; Creating the Veterans' Rental Assistance Grant Program; authorizing the Florida Housing Finance Corporation to provide certain grants to eligible applicants for a specified purpose, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy

**SB 238**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Corporate Income Tax; Revising the definition of the term "adjusted federal income" to prohibit specified deductions, limit certain carryovers, and require subtractions of certain dividends paid and received within a unitary combined group to determine subtractions from taxable income; repealing a provision relating to the adjusted federal income of affiliated groups; specifying circumstances under which a corporation is considered a member of a unitary combined group; specifying requirements for, limitations on, and prohibitions in calculating and reporting income in a unitary combined group return, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; Appropriations

**CS/SB 240**

**GENERAL BILL by Environment and Natural Resources; Garcia; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Smith; Jones; Bradley (Identical HB 575, Compare HB 629, SB 766)**

Auxiliary Containers; Preempting the regulation of auxiliary containers to the state; providing exceptions; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to develop a uniform ordinance for the use and disposition of single-use, nonrecyclable auxiliary containers; prohibiting the use, sale, or distribution of certain single-use auxiliary containers on such lands; repealing a provision relating to the regulation of polystyrene products preempted to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/17/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy  
11/10/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Environment and Natural Resources, 11/18/25, 3:30 pm, 110 Senate Building  
11/18/25 SENATE CS by Environment and Natural Resources; YEAS 8 NAYS 0  
11/19/25 SENATE Pending reference review under Rule 4.7(2) - (Committee Substitute)  
11/20/25 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government

**SB 242**

**GENERAL BILL by Arrington; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Smith (Identical HB 6001)**

Pregnancy Support and Wellness Services; Repealing a provision relating to pregnancy support and wellness services, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/17/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**SB 244**

**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Similar HB 117, Compare SB 610)**

Residential Swimming Pool Requirements; Requiring that swimming pools located on residential real property that is transferred or sold on or after a specified date meet certain pool safety and pool barrier requirements; requiring home inspectors to report violations of the law to a local enforcement agency, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/20/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; Rules

**SB 246**

**GENERAL BILL by Gruters; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Rodriguez (Identical HB 231)**

Specialty License Plates/Ultimate Fighting Championship (UFC); Directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop an Ultimate Fighting Championship (UFC) license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of the plate, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

10/20/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy  
11/24/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Transportation, 12/02/25, 1:00 pm, 37 Senate Building  
12/02/25 SENATE Favorable by Transportation; YEAS 5 NAYS 1  
12/02/25 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development

**SB 248**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 247)**

Public Records/Municipal Clerks and their Staff; Providing a public records exemption for personal identifying and location information of current and former municipal clerks and their staff and the personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such municipal clerks and their staff; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for retroactive application of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/20/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 250**

**GENERAL BILL by Simon; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Bradley**

Rural Communities; Requiring the state land planning agency to give preference for technical assistance funding to local governments located in a rural area of opportunity; revising the conditions required for a county to be considered a fiscally constrained county; creating the Office of Rural Prosperity within the Department of Commerce; requiring the Office of Rural Prosperity to administer the Renaissance Grants Program to provide block grants to eligible communities; creating the Public Infrastructure Smart Technology Grant Program within the Office of Rural Prosperity; creating the Florida Arterial Road Modernization Program within the Department of Transportation, etc. Appropriation: \$199,813,976. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/20/25 SENATE Filed  
11/21/25 SENATE Referred to Appropriations  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Appropriations, 12/10/25, 9:00 am, 412 Knott Building

**SB 252**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones (Identical HB 235)**

Prohibited Discrimination Based on Hairstyle; Citing this act as the "Creating a Respectful and Open World for Natural Hair Act" or "CROWN Act"; prohibiting discrimination based on protected hairstyle against a student in the K-20 public education system; defining the terms "race" and "protected hairstyle" for purposes of public K-12 nondiscrimination requirements; defining the terms "race" and "protected hairstyle" for purposes of antidiscrimination requirements for private schools participating in the state school choice scholarship program, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/20/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Education Pre-K - 12; Rules

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- SB 254**  
**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Compare CS/HB 121)**  
Nursing Education Programs; Requiring the Department of Health to issue temporary provisional licenses to graduate registered nurses and graduate licensed practical nurses; revising application requirements for nursing education program approval; requiring the Florida Center for Nursing to develop graduate nursing preceptorship standards by a specified date; authorizing agents or employees of the department to conduct onsite evaluations and inspections of approved and accredited nursing education programs, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/20/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy  
11/10/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Health Policy, 11/18/25, 10:00 am, 412 Knott Building  
11/18/25 SENATE Favorable by Health Policy; YEAS 7 NAYS 1  
11/18/25 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services
- SB 256**  
**GENERAL BILL by Rouson (Identical HB 159)**  
Storage of Handguns in Private Conveyances and Vessels; Providing requirements for storage of handguns in private conveyances and vessels; requiring law enforcement agencies to engage in a specified promotional campaign; requiring certain firearms education, safety, and training courses to include instruction on the requirements for storage of handguns in private conveyances and vessels; revising required warnings for transfer or sale of firearms, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law.  
10/21/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Rules
- SB 258**  
**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Burgess (Identical HB 21)**  
Public Records/Medical Examiners; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current and former medical examiners and the spouses and children of such medical examiners; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for retroactive application; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
10/22/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules
- SB 260**  
**GENERAL BILL by Burgess (Identical HB 37)**  
Removal, Storage, and Cleanup of Electric Vehicles; Requiring counties to establish a daily administration fee for the proper storage of certain electric vehicles; providing a maximum amount for such fees; providing applicability; defining the terms "daily administration fee" and "proper storage"; providing that motor vehicle insurers are not required to pay certain costs, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/22/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Community Affairs; Rules
- SB 262**  
**GENERAL BILL by Burgess**  
Storage and Disposal of Prescription Drugs and Sharps; Exempting an establishment that stores, warehouses, or holds noncontrolled prescription drugs solely for the purpose of arranging for their destruction from compliance with specified provisions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/22/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Health Policy; Fiscal Policy
- SB 264**  
**GENERAL BILL by Polsky**  
Official State Bird; Requiring the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to develop and conduct a certain survey; requiring the commission to provide the survey and certain website information to specified persons during a specified timeframe; requiring that the survey include specified bird species, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
10/23/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy
- SB 266**  
**GENERAL BILL by Burton (Identical HB 427)**  
Public Adjuster Contracts; Authorizing certain persons to rescind a contract for public adjuster services; clarifying the acts that may subject a public adjuster or public adjuster apprentice to discipline; authorizing certain persons to rescind a contract for public adjuster services, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/23/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Rules
- SB 268**  
**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Similar HB 251)**  
Public Records/Emergency Physicians; Defining the term "emergency physician"; providing exemptions from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current or former emergency physicians and the spouses and children of such emergency physicians; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/23/25 SENATE Filed  
11/03/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules
- SJR 270**  
**JOINT RESOLUTION by Bernard (Linked SB 272, Compare HJR 205)**  
Homestead Property Exemption for Persons Age 65 or Older; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to create a total exemption of homestead property from ad valorem taxation, other than school district levies, for persons 65 years of age or older who have owned and maintained the property as their permanent residence for at least 5 years and whose household income does not exceed a certain amount, adjusted annually by the cost-of-living index, and to provide an effective date, etc.  
10/23/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules
- SB 272**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bernard (Linked SJR 270)**  
Homestead Exemption for Persons 65 and Older; Expanding the homestead exemption for persons 65 years and older to include a total exemption of homestead property from ad valorem taxation, other than for school district levies, for certain persons whose household income does not exceed a certain amount; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules, etc. Effective Date: On the effective date of the amendment to the State Constitution proposed by SJR 270 or a similar joint resolution having substantially the same specific intent and purpose, if such amendment to the State Constitution is approved at the next general election or at an earlier special election specifically authorized by law for that purpose.  
10/23/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules
- SJR 274**  
**JOINT RESOLUTION by Bernard (Linked SB 276)**  
Homestead Property Tax Benefits for Long-term Owners; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to provide that the assessed value of homestead property may not increase after 20 years of ownership and residency, to provide an additional homestead tax exemption equal to 50 percent of the assessed value of property, other than school district levies, for persons who have owned and resided on the property as their permanent residence for 30 years or more, and to provide an effective date, etc.  
10/23/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules
- SB 276**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bernard (Linked SJR 274)**  
Homestead Property Tax Benefits for Long-term Owners and Permanent Residents; Requiring that certain property be assessed at less than just value when the person who owns the property has owned and used the property as his or her permanent residence for a specified timeframe; providing that the assessed value of such property shall be a certain amount and may not be increased under certain circumstances; specifying a homestead exemption for certain long-term owners and residents; authorizing periods of ownership and residency to be aggregated, etc. Effective Date: On the effective date of the amendment to the State Constitution proposed by SJR 274 or a similar joint resolution having substantially the same specific intent and purpose, if such amendment to the State Constitution is approved at the next general election or at an earlier special election specifically authorized by law for that purpose.  
10/23/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules

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**SJR 278**

**JOINT RESOLUTION by Bernard (Linked SB 280)**

Limitation on the Assessed Value of New Homestead Property: Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to limit the assessed value of new homestead property established after a change of ownership which had an assessed value of less than a certain amount to no more than 150 percent of the assessed value of the property for the preceding year for ad valorem taxation purposes and to provide an effective date, etc.

10/23/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules

**SB 280**

**GENERAL BILL by Bernard (Linked SJR 278)**

Assessment of Homestead Property: Limiting the assessed value upon change of ownership of homestead property having a prior assessed value below a certain amount when the person acquiring the property is entitled to a homestead exemption, etc. Effective Date: On the effective date of the amendment to the State Constitution proposed by SJR 278 or a similar joint resolution having substantially the same specific intent and purpose, if such amendment is approved at the next general election or at an earlier special election specifically authorized by law for that purpose.

10/23/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules

**SJR 282**

**JOINT RESOLUTION by Bernard (Linked SB 284)**

Limitation on the Assessed Value of Property Owned and Used for Commercial Purposes by Small Businesses: Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to limit the assessed value of real property owned and used for commercial purposes by a small business for ad valorem taxation purposes so that such assessed value may not exceed 3 percent or the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index, whichever is lower, and to provide an effective date, etc.

10/23/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules

**SB 284**

**GENERAL BILL by Bernard (Linked SJR 282)**

Assessment of Property Owned and Used by Small Businesses: Providing that real property owned and used for commercial purposes by small businesses will be assessed at just value after a certain date; prohibiting the annual change in assessed value from exceeding a specified amount; requiring that the assessed value of the property be lowered to the just value of the property under certain circumstances; providing that a change in ownership or control of the property will cause the property to be assessed at just value, etc. Effective Date: On the effective date of the amendment to the State Constitution proposed by SJR 282 or a similar joint resolution having substantially the same specific intent and purpose, if such amendment is approved at the next general election or at an earlier special election specifically authorized by law for that purpose.

10/23/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules

**SB 286**

**GENERAL BILL by Bernard**

Assessment of Changes, Additions, or Improvements to Homestead Properties:

Revising the manner of assessing the value of changes, additions, or improvements to homestead property, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/23/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules

**SB 288**

**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 379)**

Rural Electric Cooperatives: Prohibiting a cooperative that sells electricity at retail from adopting, enacting, or enforcing a fee meeting specified criteria; revising the applicability of such prohibition on the types or fuel sources of energy production which may be used, delivered, converted, or supplied by specified entities, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/24/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; Rules

12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Regulated Industries, 12/09/25, 1:00 pm, 412 Knott Building

**CS/SB 290**

**GENERAL BILL by Agriculture; Truenow (Similar HB 433, Compare HB 607)**

Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services: Prohibiting counties and municipalities, respectively, from enacting or enforcing any law that restricts or prohibits the use of gasoline-powered farm equipment or gasoline-powered landscape equipment or that distinguishes such equipment from any other equipment under certain circumstances; requiring the Acquisition and Restoration Council to determine whether certain surplus lands are suitable for bona fide agricultural purposes; establishing the Food Animal Veterinary Medicine Loan Repayment Program; revising the Florida Forest Service powers, authority, and duties; authorizing the Forest Service to manage the Welaka Training Center; establishing the Farmers Feeding Florida Program for specified purposes; limiting the number of incorporated state fair associations per county; prohibiting the possession, manufacture, sale, importation, distribution, or use of a signal jamming device, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/24/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Agriculture; Fiscal Policy; Rules

11/24/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Agriculture, 12/02/25, 3:30 pm, 301 Senate Building

12/02/25 SENATE CS by Agriculture; YEAS 4 NAYS 0

12/04/25 SENATE Pending reference review under Rule 4.7(2) - (Committee Substitute)

12/05/25 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy

**SB 292**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Rouson (Similar HB 179)**

Public Records/Appellate Court Clerks: Defining the term "appellate court clerk"; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current appellate court clerks and the spouses and children of such appellate court clerks; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/24/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Rules

11/24/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Judiciary, 12/02/25, 1:00 pm, 110 Senate Building

12/02/25 SENATE Favorable by Judiciary; YEAS 9 NAYS 1

12/02/25 SENATE Now in Rules

**SB 294**

**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 407)**

Connecting to Care Act: Citing this act as the "Connecting to Care Act"; authorizing a pharmacist to administer certain medications under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/28/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Rules

**SB 296**

**GENERAL BILL by Berman (Linked SB 298, Identical HB 269)**

Victims of Domestic Violence and Dating Violence: Creating the "Helping Abuse Victims Escape Now (HAVEN) Act"; creating the HAVEN Coordinating Council within the Department of Law Enforcement; authorizing counties to create county-level HAVEN councils; authorizing county-level HAVEN councils to take certain actions; defining the term "dating violence"; providing that victims of dating violence may apply to participate in the Attorney General's address confidentiality program, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

10/28/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules

12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building

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- SB 298**  
**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Berman (Linked SB 296, Compare HB 269)**  
Public Records and Public Meetings/HAVEN Coordinating Council: Specifying that information obtained by the HAVEN Coordinating Council or a county-level HAVEN council 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 a victim of domestic violence or dating violence and other specified information contained in records held by the coordinating council or county-level councils; providing an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of the coordinating council's and county-level councils' meetings during which exempt or confidential and exempt information is discussed; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing statements of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 296 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law.  
10/28/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building
- SB 300**  
**GENERAL BILL by Garcia**  
Alternative Judicial Sales Procedures: Requiring the court to direct the clerk of an alternative auctioneer to sell real or personal property under an order or final judgment at public sale; prohibiting the court in a foreclosure action from approving a request from a party to substantially deviate from specified judicial sales procedures unless certain conditions are met; requiring the clerk to conduct a sale according to specified provisions under specified circumstances; requiring the court to set forth in writing any deviation authorized in the final judgment of foreclosure or other order, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/28/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules
- CS/SB 302**  
**GENERAL BILL by Environment and Natural Resources; Garcia**  
Nature-based Solutions for Improving Coastal Resilience: Requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to adopt rules and guidelines for nature-based solutions for improving coastal resilience; requiring the department, in consultation with the Division of Insurance Agent and Agency Services of the Department of Financial Services, to conduct a statewide feasibility study regarding the value of nature-based solutions being used for a specified purpose, etc. Appropriation: \$250,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/28/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Environment and Natural Resources; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy  
11/24/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Environment and Natural Resources, 12/02/25, 3:30 pm, 110 Senate Building  
12/02/25 SENATE CS by Environment and Natural Resources; YEAS 6 NAYS 0  
12/04/25 SENATE Pending reference review under Rule 4.7(2) - (Committee Substitute)  
12/05/25 SENATE Now in Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government
- SB 304**  
**GENERAL BILL by Martin (Similar HB 229)**  
Violations of State Immigration Laws: Requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to impose a fine for certain violations; requiring the department to use the moneys collected from such fines to provide compensation to victims harmed by unauthorized aliens; requiring the department to develop a program to compensate residents who have suffered harm caused by unauthorized aliens; creating a cause of action against certain local governmental entities and law enforcement agencies under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/28/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules
- SB 306**  
**GENERAL BILL by Berman; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Garcia (Similar HB 279)**  
Luggage for Children Placed in Out-of-home Care: Citing this act as the "Fostering with Dignity Act"; requiring the Department of Children and Families to provide certain children with luggage for certain purposes; requiring the department to collaborate with certain entities and pursue strategic partnerships for specified purposes; authorizing the department to solicit and accept gifts, grants, and donations from any source for certain purposes, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/28/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules
- SB 308**  
**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Identical HB 525)**  
Florida Museum of Black History: Establishing the Florida Museum of Black History Board of Directors; providing for the membership of the board; prohibiting specified members of the board from holding state or local elective office while serving on the board; requiring that the board work jointly with the Foundation for the Museum of Black History, Inc., etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/30/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules  
11/24/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Community Affairs, 12/02/25, 3:30 pm, 37 Senate Building  
12/02/25 SENATE Favorable by Community Affairs; YEAS 5 NAYS 0  
12/03/25 SENATE Now in Governmental Oversight and Accountability
- SB 310**  
**GENERAL BILL by Polsky (Identical HB 599)**  
Immigration: Specifying duties of certifying officials from certifying agencies concerning certification forms in support of U-visa applications; requiring a certifying official from a certifying agency that denies a certification to provide the petitioner with specified written notice; authorizing applicants to petition the circuit court if the certifying agency fails to respond within those timeframes; prohibiting certifying agencies and certifying officials from disclosing the immigration status of victims or persons seeking a certification, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/30/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy
- SB 312**  
**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 369)**  
Patient-directed Medical Orders: Revising definitions and defining the term "patient-directed medical order"; authorizing the execution of a patient-directed medical order for a specified purpose; requiring that certain health care services be provided to the principal regardless of the decision to withhold or withdraw life-prolonging procedures; authorizing physicians, physician assistants, and advanced practice registered nurses to withhold or withdraw life-prolonging procedures under certain circumstances without penalty; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to create and update a database for the storage of patient-directed medical orders, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/31/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Health Policy, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 412 Knott Building
- SB 314**  
**GENERAL BILL by Burton (Identical HB 175)**  
Issuers of Digital Assets: Providing requirements for persons to qualify as recognized payment stablecoin issuers; providing that recognized payment stablecoin issuers are not required to obtain specified separate licenses or registrations for certain purposes; providing that the Office of Financial Regulation of the Financial Services Commission has jurisdiction to determine certain compliance, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
10/31/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules

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**SB 316**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith (Identical HB 419, Compare HB 315, SB 328)**  
Law Enforcement and Immigration Officer Identifying Information and Face Coverings; Creating the "VISIBLE Act"; requiring covered immigration officers to wear specified visible identification during public immigration enforcement functions; providing requirements for such visible identification; prohibiting covered immigration officers from wearing face coverings that impair the visibility of identifying information or obscure a covered immigration officer's face; prohibiting law enforcement officers from wearing face coverings in the performance of their official duties, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/03/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

**SB 318**

**GENERAL BILL by Gaetz; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Simon; Pizzo; Burgess; Osgood**

Educational Scholarship Programs; Creating a categorical fund for implementing the Family Empowerment Scholarship Program; creating the educational enrollment stabilization program to provide supplemental state funds to address changes in full-time equivalent student enrollment; renaming the Hope Scholarship Program as the Hope Program; requiring an eligible nonprofit scholarship-funding organization to provide a parent with certain information on scholarship programs; requiring an eligible nonprofit scholarship-funding organization to create a single application for all educational scholarship programs, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/21/25 SENATE Filed  
11/21/25 SENATE Referred to Appropriations  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Appropriations, 12/10/25, 9:00 am, 412 Knott Building

**SB 320**

**GENERAL BILL by Simon**

Administrative Efficiency in Public Schools; Exempting district school boards from requirements for adopting certain rules; deleting a requirement for a district school board to employ an internal auditor in certain circumstances; revising requirements relating to district school board attendance policies for Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Programs; prohibiting a school from being required to use a certain parameter as the sole determining factor to recruit instructional personnel; specifying requirements for advanced degrees that may be used to set salary schedules for instructional personnel and school administrators hired after a specified date; revising eligibility requirements for individuals to participate in the Teacher Apprenticeship Program, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/21/25 SENATE Filed  
11/21/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Fiscal Policy  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Education Pre-K - 12, 12/09/25, 3:30 pm, 412 Knott Building

**SB 322**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Compare HB 241, HB 431)**

Construction; Revising the obligation of landlords to maintain certain premises to include making reasonable provisions for functioning facilities for cooling; revising the definitions of the terms "class A air-conditioning contractor" and "mechanical contractor"; authorizing the Construction Industry Licensing Board to award a specified number of hours of general continuing education credit per renewal cycle for certain professional association engagement; prohibiting a certificateholder or registrant from receiving credit for certain activities, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/03/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 324**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Identical HB 97)**

Transportation Concurrence; Revising which facilities are required to be identified in the capital improvements element of a comprehensive plan that imposes transportation concurrence for small counties, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/03/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Transportation; Rules

**SB 326**

**GENERAL BILL by Burgess (Identical HB 131)**

Curators of Estates; Revising the requirements for a court to appoint a curator of estates; providing authority and duties of a curator; requiring a curator to post a reasonable bond, determined by the court; requiring a curator to file periodic reports with the court, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/03/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; Rules

**SB 328**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith (Identical HB 315, Compare HB 419, SB 316)**  
Immigration, Law Enforcement, and State-issued Identification; Citing this act as the "Florida Economic Prosperity and Immigration Act"; requiring proof of a specified identification number for certain applicants for a driver license; prohibiting the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles from disclosing or making accessible certain photographs and related information to any agency that primarily enforces immigration law or to any employee or agent of such agency; deleting the requirement for certain private employers to use the E-Verify system; providing that discrimination based on a person's immigration status is unlawful; requiring covered immigration officers to wear specified visible identification during public immigration enforcement functions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/03/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy

**SB 330**

**GENERAL BILL by Bradley**

Disability Provisions for Firefighters and Law Enforcement and Correctional Officers; Defining the terms "employing agency" and "heart disease"; providing that a certain previously conducted physical examination satisfies a requirement for a presumption; authorizing law enforcement officers, correctional officers, and correctional probation officers, under a specified condition, to use a physical examination from a former employer for the purpose of claiming a specified presumption, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/03/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations

**SB 332**

**GENERAL BILL by Bradley (Identical HB 655)**

Public Meetings; Providing that specified entities may meet in private with their attorneys to discuss certain claims concerning private property rights; requiring that such meetings be transcribed; providing that such transcripts become public records at specified times, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/03/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 334**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Deactivation from Transportation Network Company Digital Networks; Defining the term "deactivation"; specifying circumstances under which deactivation may occur; requiring a transportation network company (TNC) to establish and maintain a deactivation policy; requiring TNCs to contract with a nonprofit organization for a specified purpose; authorizing deactivated drivers to appeal deactivation before a specified third-party arbitrator, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/03/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Commerce and Tourism; Rules

**SB 336**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith (Identical HB 317)**

Gay and Transgender Panic Legal Defenses; Citing this act as the "Gay and Transgender Panic Legal Defenses Prohibition Act"; prohibiting individuals from using a nonviolent sexual advance or specified perceptions or beliefs about another individual as a defense to a criminal offense, to excuse or justify an individual's conduct, or to mitigate the severity of an offense, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Fiscal Policy

**SCR 338**

**CONCURRENT RESOLUTION by Smith (Identical HCR 383)**

Injustices Against the Targets of the Florida Legislative Investigation Committee; Acknowledging the injustices perpetrated against the targets of the Florida Legislative Investigation Committee between 1956 and 1965 and offering a formal and heartfelt apology to those whose lives, well-being, and livelihoods were damaged or destroyed by the activities and public pronouncements of those who served on the committee, etc.

11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

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- SB 340**  
**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Similar HB 303)**  
Human Trafficking Training for Nursing Students; Requiring nursing education programs to include a course on human trafficking meeting specified criteria as part of their core curriculum; requiring that the course be approved by the Board of Nursing; requiring the board, in coordination with the Department of Health, to oversee implementation and enforcement of the new education requirements, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
- SB 342**  
**GENERAL BILL by Arrington (Similar HB 305)**  
Statewide, Standardized Assessments; Requiring the Department of Education to develop versions of statewide, standardized assessments and specified portions of the statewide, standardized coordinated screening and progress monitoring system, respectively, in certain languages by a specified date; requiring the department to develop a timetable and an action plan for the development and implementation of such assessments and written portions of the system; authorizing parents to prohibit the use of such assessments and portions of the system in certain languages, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Fiscal Policy
- SB 344**  
**GENERAL BILL by Grall (Identical HB 281)**  
Use of Artificial Intelligence in Psychological, Clinical, Counseling, and Therapy Services; Defining the term "artificial intelligence"; prohibiting the use of artificial intelligence in the practice of psychology, clinical social work, marriage and family therapy, and mental health counseling, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Rules
- SB 346**  
**GENERAL BILL by Smith**  
Assault Weapons and Large-capacity Magazines; Prohibiting the sale or transfer of an assault weapon or a large-capacity magazine; providing exceptions; providing criminal penalties; prohibiting possession of an assault weapon or a large-capacity magazine; requiring certificates of possession for assault weapons or large-capacity magazines lawfully possessed before a specified date, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Rules
- SB 348**  
**GENERAL BILL by Smith**  
Statewide Health Care Coverage; Establishing the Task Force on Universal Health Care for a specified purpose; directing all agencies of state government to assist the task force, including furnishing information and advice deemed necessary by the task force; providing for the membership, meetings, and funding of the task force; requiring the task force to establish an advisory committee for a specified purpose; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to develop a plan for a Medicaid buy-in program or a public health care option for certain residents of this state, etc. Appropriation: \$1,174,816. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations
- SB 350**  
**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Grall**  
Public Records/Crime Victims; Expanding a public records exemption for crime victims to include the name and personal identification number of a victim and any other information or record that could be used to locate, intimidate, harass, or abuse the victim or the victim's family; providing that such exemption includes records generated by any agency that regularly generates information from or concerning the victims of crime; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemptions; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building
- SB 352**  
**GENERAL BILL by Martin (Identical HB 291)**  
Common Entities of Motor Vehicle Distributors and Manufacturers; Revising the definition of the term "common entity", etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Commerce and Tourism; Rules
- SB 354**  
**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Identical HB 299)**  
Blue Ribbon Projects; Requiring that a development project meet certain requirements to qualify as a blue ribbon project; specifying maximum residential density and nonresidential intensity permitted within the development area of a blue ribbon project; requiring that a blue ribbon project have a blue ribbon plan; requiring that a project receive dollar-for-dollar credits from a local government under certain circumstances; specifying that a project may be located on land with any future land use designation or zoning designation, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Rules
- SB 356**  
**GENERAL BILL by Wright (Identical HB 101)**  
Utility Terrain Vehicles; Authorizing the operation of a utility terrain vehicle (UTV) during all hours; authorizing the operation of UTVs on certain roadways; authorizing the Department of Transportation to prohibit the operation of UTVs under certain circumstances; requiring owners or operators of a UTV to comply with certain requirements and regulations, etc. Effective Date: 01/01/2027.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Transportation, 12/09/25, 1:00 pm, 37 Senate Building
- SB 358**  
**GENERAL BILL by Smith**  
Division of Labor Standards; Creating the Division of Labor Standards within the Department of Commerce for specified purposes; revising the protected rights of an employee; authorizing and providing the division certain powers to conduct investigations, issue citations, enforce and collect judgments by certain means, and partner with other entities for enforcement and education outreach; creating the Division of Labor Standards Community Advisory Board within the Division of Labor Standards, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy
- SB 360**  
**GENERAL BILL by Martin (Compare HB 65)**  
Home Inspectors; Revising elements of the required course of study for home inspectors; revising home inspector disclosure requirements; requiring home inspectors to maintain an errors and omissions insurance policy in a specified amount, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; Rules
- SB 362**  
**GENERAL BILL by Wright (Identical HB 153)**  
Reports of Child Abuse, Abandonment, or Neglect; Requiring the central abuse hotline to electronically transfer certain reports to the appropriate county sheriff's office or local law enforcement agency; requiring the central abuse hotline to accept certain reports and immediately notify the Department of Children and Families to ensure that an onsite protective investigation is promptly initiated; prohibiting the department from returning a child to the custody of the child's parent unless certain actions are taken and determinations are made by the court, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy



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**SB 364**

**GENERAL BILL by Gruters; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Rodriguez; Boyd (Similar HB 333, Compare HB 607)**

Public Accountancy; Authorizing the Board of Accountancy to competitively procure contracted services with certain corporations not for profit for the performance of certain duties assigned to the Division of Certified Public Accounting of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation; revising the education and work experience requirements for a certified public accountant license; directing the board to prescribe specified coursework for licensure; revising requirements for the approval of providers who administer continuing education on ethics for certified public accountants, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Regulated Industries; Rules
12/01/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Regulated Industries, 12/09/25, 1:00 pm, 412 Knott Building

**SB 366**

**GENERAL BILL by Bernard (Identical HB 319)**

Initiating a Property Insurance Interstate Compact; Requiring the Commissioner of Insurance Regulation to initiate a compact with other states to establish a national risk pool for property insurance for natural disasters for a specified purpose; requiring the commissioner, as soon as feasible, to enter into the compact with a minimum number of member states, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 368**

**GENERAL BILL by Davis**

Presumptive Medicaid Eligibility for Pregnant Women; Authorizing certain entities meeting specified criteria to serve as qualified Medicaid providers for purposes of making presumptive Medicaid eligibility determinations for pregnant women; requiring the Department of Children and Families to ensure that such providers are adequately trained and monitored for compliance when serving in such roles; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to provide Medicaid coverage to pregnant women deemed presumptively eligible for the duration of a specified time period, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations

**SB 370**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Davis**

Public Records/Commissioners of the Florida Commission on Human Relations; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of certain current or former personnel and commissioners of the Florida Commission on Human Relations and the spouses and children of such current or former personnel and commissioners; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 372**

**GENERAL BILL by Trumbull (Identical HB 307)**

Public Postsecondary Tuition and Fee Waivers for Sheriff's Office Employees; Requiring state universities and Florida College System institutions to waive tuition and fees for sheriff's office employees; providing requirements for the waiver of tuition and fees for sheriff's office employees; providing requirements for a person to be considered a sheriff's office employee, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Education Postsecondary; Appropriations Committee on Higher Education; Fiscal Policy

**SB 374**

**GENERAL BILL by Trumbull**

Prescribing Authority; Deleting the requirement that a supervising physician notify the Department of Health in writing of any delegation of prescribing authority to a physician assistant; deleting the requirement that a supervising physician's name be included in the prescription issued by a physician assistant; revising requirements for the drug formulary for physician assistants; revising the drug formulary requirements for advanced practice registered nurses authorized to prescribe medications, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules

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**SB 376**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Polsky**

Public Records/Sexual Assault Counselors; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of sexual assault counselors; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for retroactive application; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 378**

**GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Identical HB 6005)**

Special Districts; Repealing a provision relating to special districts and performance measures and standards, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; Rules

**CS/SB 380**

**GENERAL BILL by Judiciary; Trumbull**

Legal Notices; Revising the definition of the term "governmental agency"; requiring governmental agencies and special governmental agencies to publish certain legal notices continuously for a specified timeframe when the notices are for a specified purpose and provided under a certain circumstance; authorizing certain special governmental agencies to use a publicly accessible website to publish certain advertisements and legal notices under specified conditions; requiring that a public bid advertisement made by a special governmental agency on a publicly accessible website include a method to accept electronic bids, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Judiciary; Community Affairs; Rules
11/24/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Judiciary, 12/02/25, 1:00 pm, 110 Senate Building
12/02/25	SENATE	CS by Judiciary; YEAS 10 NAYS 0
12/03/25	SENATE	Pending reference review under Rule 4.7(2) - (Committee Substitute)
12/05/25	SENATE	Now in Community Affairs

**SB 382**

**GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Identical HB 243)**

Electric Bicycles, Scooters, and Motorcycles; Defining the term "electric motorcycle"; providing penalties for knowingly modifying an electric bicycle; prohibiting a person from operating a class 3 electric bicycle without a certain license; requiring a minimum number of questions in the test bank for a Class E driver license to cover safe electric bicycle and motorized scooter operation, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2027.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy

**SB 384**

**GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Similar HB 449)**

Department of Transportation Contractor Liability; Providing that a contractor is considered an agent of the state in certain circumstances; requiring contract documents to indemnify the department for liability caused by the negligence of the contractor or its employees, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Transportation; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 386**

**GENERAL BILL by Trumbull (Identical HB 637)**

Farm Equipment; Authorizing a consumer to report farm equipment that is defective and does not conform to specified warranties to the manufacturer or its authorized service agent during a specified timeframe to allow the manufacturer or its authorized agent to conform such farm equipment to such warranty; requiring the manufacturer or its authorized agent to make such repairs to conform the farm equipment to the warranty upon receipt of such report, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/04/25	SENATE	Filed
11/17/25	SENATE	Referred to Agriculture; Commerce and Tourism; Rules
11/24/25	SENATE	On Committee agenda-- Agriculture, 12/02/25, 3:30 pm, 301 Senate Building
12/02/25	SENATE	Favorable by Agriculture; YEAS 4 NAYS 0
12/03/25	SENATE	Now in Commerce and Tourism

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- SB 388**  
**GENERAL BILL by Arrington**  
Specialty License Plates/Florida Wildflower: Increasing the annual use fee for the Florida Wildflower license plate and providing a discount for owners purchasing the plate for more than a specified number of vehicles, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy
- SB 390**  
**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Identical HB 493)**  
Living Organ Donation: Defining the term "living organ donor"; requiring state agencies to grant administrative leave, not to exceed a specified number of days, to allow an employee to serve as a living organ donor; requiring employers to grant an unpaid leave of absence to allow an employee to serve as a living organ donor under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/04/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations
- SB 392**  
**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Identical HB 87)**  
Issuance of Special Beverage Licenses: Revising the service area square footage and capacity of a bona fide food service establishment that may be issued a special beverage license, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules
- SB 394**  
**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Identical HB 99)**  
Reinsurance Intermediary Managers: Defining the term "controlling"; revising the definition of the term "reinsurance intermediary manager" to exclude certain underwriting managers, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules
- SB 396**  
**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Identical HB 349)**  
Cardiac Services Providers: Revising requirements for licensure of Level I and Level II adult cardiovascular programs; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to update specified rules as new applicable industry standards and guidelines are published, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
- SB 398**  
**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Similar CS/HB 245)**  
Child Pornography Terminology: Replacing the terms "pornography" and "child pornography" with the term "child sexual abuse material", etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Rules  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 12/09/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building
- SB 400**  
**GENERAL BILL by Garcia**  
Carryforward Funding of Certain Managing Entities: Revising the duties of the Department of Children and Families; revising the criteria for the department's comprehensive review of certain managing entities; requiring a managing entity to ensure maximum subcontract utilization of current year allocated funds within its network, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
- SB 402**  
**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Identical HB 143)**  
Offenses Evidencing Prejudice: Requiring the reclassification of offenses evidencing prejudice based on the political ideology of the victim, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 402**  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules
- SB 404**  
**GENERAL BILL by Garcia (Similar HB 81)**  
Postsurgical Recovery Homes: Creating the "Postsurgical Recovery Home Safety Act"; providing licensure requirements to operate a postsurgical recovery home; requiring inspections before issuing a license and annually thereafter; prohibiting operating or advertising a postsurgical recovery home without a license; prohibiting a postsurgical recovery home from providing patient care without meeting certain staffing requirements, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
- SB 406**  
**GENERAL BILL by Polsky; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Osgood (Identical HB 321)**  
Carrying Weapons and Firearms: Prohibiting a person from carrying a weapon or firearm into certain locations; providing criminal penalties, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Rules
- SB 408**  
**GENERAL BILL by Grall (Identical HB 339)**  
Advertisement of a Harmful Vaccine: Defining the term "advertise"; providing manufacturer liability under certain circumstances; authorizing an individual to file a cause of action under certain circumstances within a specified timeframe, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Health Policy; Rules
- SB 410**  
**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Identical HB 661)**  
Public Records/Private Investigators: Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of current and former private investigators licensed by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and the spouses and children of such private investigators; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for retroactive application; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules  
12/01/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Commerce and Tourism, 12/10/25, 11:30 am, 110 Senate Building
- SB 412**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bernard (Compare HB 61)**  
Parole: Requiring the Florida Commission on Offender Review to provide a specified statistical analysis to the Legislature; requiring the Department of Corrections to provide specified information to the commission; requiring the commission to review specified information in certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/05/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy
- SB 414**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bracy Davis (Identical HB 361)**  
Use of Campaign Funds for Campaign-related Child Care Expenses: Authorizing a candidate to use funds on deposit in his or her campaign account to pay for campaign-related child care expenses under specified conditions; requiring a candidate to maintain specified records for a specified timeframe and provide such records to the Division of Elections upon request; requiring a candidate to disclose the use of campaign funds for campaign-related child care expenses in his or her regular campaign finance reports, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/06/25 SENATE Filed  
11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules
- SB 416**  
**GENERAL BILL by Avila (Identical HB 115)**  
Property Damage Caused by Limestone Mining Operations: Providing that certain property owners who have sustained property damage as a result of limestone mining operations have a right to file a claim for compensation; providing requirements for such claims; requiring the Division of Administrative Hearings to adjudicate specified claims, etc. Appropriation: Indeterminate. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
11/06/25 SENATE Filed

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**SB 416**

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 418**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones (Identical HB 365)**

Law Enforcement Officer Interactions with Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder: Requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to establish a program to improve communication between individuals with autism spectrum disorder and law enforcement officers under certain circumstances; requiring the department to develop and make available to individuals with autism spectrum disorder a certain envelope by a specified date; defining the terms “agency” and “autism spectrum disorder”; requiring the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission within the Department of Law Enforcement to establish an employment training component relating to individuals with autism spectrum disorder, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/06/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

**SB 420**

**GENERAL BILL by Burgess (Identical HB 371)**

Patriotic Displays in Classrooms: Requiring each district school board to adopt rules to require the display of portraits of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln in certain classrooms, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/06/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Rules

**SB 422**

**GENERAL BILL by Wright (Identical HB 387)**

Automatic Dependent Surveillance-broadcasts: Prohibiting certain entities from using information broadcast or collected by automatic dependent surveillance-broadcast systems for specified purposes, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/06/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Commerce and Tourism; Rules

**SB 424**

**GENERAL BILL by Rouson**

Educational Facilities: Deleting a provision authorizing a school of hope to colocate with another school in a public school facility; deleting a provision requiring a school district to permit a school of hope to use an underused, vacant, or surplus school district facility; deleting a requirement for students enrolled in a school of hope to be included in the school district's total capital outlay full-time equivalent membership, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/07/25 SENATE Filed

11/17/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Fiscal Policy

**SB 426**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Martin (Identical HB 347)**

Adoption and Display of Flags by Governmental Entities: Prohibiting a governmental entity from displaying, placing, or causing to be placed certain flags on real property; providing a penalty; specifying flags a governmental entity may display on such property; prohibiting a local government from adopting certain ordinances or regulations relating to the flag of the local government, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/07/25 SENATE Filed

12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; Rules

**SB 428**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough (Identical HB 85)**

Swimming Lesson Voucher Program: Revising the age requirements for children receiving a voucher through the Swimming Lesson Voucher Program, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/07/25 SENATE Filed

12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**SB 430**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough (Compare HB 147)**

Oaths of School Personnel: Requiring specified persons employed as members of school personnel to take a specified oath before entering upon the duties of a member of the school personnel; requiring persons employed in an administrative or instructional capacity at a Florida College System institution or state university to take a specified oath before entering upon the duties of a person employed in an administrative or instructional capacity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/07/25 SENATE Filed

12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Education Postsecondary; Rules

**SB 432**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough (Similar HB 309)**

Controlled Substances: Adding 7-Hydroxymisragynine as a Schedule I controlled substance; excepting from the list of Schedule I controlled substances certain xylazine animal drug products approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration and used for certain purposes; providing criminal penalties and requiring a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment if a person sells, manufactures, or delivers or possesses with intent to sell, manufacture, or deliver xylazine; creating the offense of trafficking in xylazine; providing criminal penalties and requiring a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment and fines based on the quantity of the controlled substance involved in the offense, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect July 1, 2026, this act shall take effect October 1, 2026.

11/07/25 SENATE Filed

12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

**SB 434**

**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Identical HB 617)**

Assessment of Property Used for Residential Purposes: Defining the term “changes or improvements made to improve the property's resistance to wind damage”; prohibiting the consideration of the increase in just value of a property which is attributable to changes or improvements made to improve the property's resistance to wind damage in determinations of the assessed value of certain property, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/07/25 SENATE Filed

12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules

**SB 436**

**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Identical HB 623)**

Felony Battery: Providing enhanced criminal penalties for persons who commit a second or subsequent battery after having a prior conviction for resisting an officer with violence, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/07/25 SENATE Filed

12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules

**SB 438**

**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Compare HB 499)**

Child Welfare: Providing a rebuttable presumption of detriment to a child under certain circumstances; requiring that certain visitation or contact be supervised by a person who has received certain training; requiring that a shelter hearing take place within a specified period under certain circumstances; requiring that certain children placed in a shelter be referred to a provider of trauma-informed therapeutic services, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/07/25 SENATE Filed

12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

**SB 440**

**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Identical HB 141)**

Florida Employee Health Choices Program: Renaming the “Florida Health Choices Program” as the “Florida Employee Health Choices Program”; revising eligibility and participation requirements for vendors under the program; revising the types of health insurance products that are available for purchase through the program; deleting exemptions from certain requirements of the Florida Insurance Code under the program, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/07/25 SENATE Filed

12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; Appropriations

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**SB 442**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough (Similar HB 359)**

Return of Certain Search Warrants; Extending the time period within which a search warrant issued for computers, computer systems, or electronic devices that are in the actual possession of a law enforcement agency at the time the warrant is issued must be returned to the court, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/07/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 444**

**GENERAL BILL by Grall (Identical HB 127)**

Required Instruction in Cursive Writing; Requiring students in specified grades to receive instruction in cursive writing; requiring students to demonstrate proficiency in cursive writing by the end of a specified grade; defining the term "proficiency in cursive writing", etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/10/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Rules

**SB 446**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Large-scale County Destination Marketing Organizations; Defining the term "large-scale county destination marketing organization"; requiring large-scale county destination marketing organizations to register with the Department of State; requiring a one-to-one match of private to public contributions to fund large-scale county destination marketing organizations, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy

**SB 448**

**GENERAL BILL by Arrington (Identical HB 417)**

Career and Academic Planning for Middle and High School Students; Requiring district school boards annually to provide students and their parents with certain information relating to career and technical education programs beginning in a specified grade; requiring middle schools to hold a career and academic planning meeting for specified students and their parents; revising the information included in a student's personalized academic and career plan, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Rules

**SB 450**

**GENERAL BILL by Polsky (Identical HB 393)**

Ad Valorem Tax Exemption for Disabled Veterans; Removing a limitation on the value of a tax exemption that a surviving spouse could transfer to a new residence; revising when a specified tax exemption is considered to be granted, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Finance and Tax; Appropriations; Rules

**SB 452**

**GENERAL BILL by Bernard**

Family Court Report Cards; Requiring the Office of the State Courts Administrator to prepare and publish on its website an annual family court report card for each family court judge in each judicial circuit; requiring the office to maintain a publicly accessible online database of the report cards and to submit an annual summary to the Legislature; prohibiting the report cards from containing certain personal identifying information, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

**SB 454**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith (Identical HB 6007)**

Tourist Development Taxes; Deleting a provision requiring that a specified percentage of all tourist development tax revenues be used to promote and advertise tourism, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; Appropriations

**SB 456**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Tourist Development Tax; Authorizing the use of proceeds from the tourist development tax to fund public safety improvements, affordable housing, and workforce housing, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 456**

12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; Appropriations

**SB 458**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Tourist Development Tax; Revising the percentage of tourist development tax revenues that must be spent to promote and advertise tourism in order for any tourist development tax revenues to be used for a specified purpose, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Finance and Tax; Appropriations

**SB 460**

**GENERAL BILL by Polsky (Identical HB 597)**

Special Elections; Requiring, rather than authorizing, the Governor to call a special primary election and a special election under a certain circumstance; requiring the Governor to fix the dates of a special election within a specified timeframe after the vacancy occurs; authorizing qualified electors to file a petition in the circuit court seeking judicial determination of an election date under specified conditions; deleting the authority of the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives to waive specified timeframes if all parties concur, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 462**

**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 375)**

Autonomous Practice by a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist; Revising requirements for clinical privileges for certain certified registered nurse anesthetists; authorizing certain certified registered nurse anesthetists to perform specified acts under certain circumstances; authorizing certain autonomous advanced practice registered nurses to perform specified acts as part of their autonomous practice, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules

**SB 464**

**GENERAL BILL by Avila (Identical HB 409)**

Observance of Veterans' Day by K-12 Schools; Requiring school districts to observe Veterans' Day as a school holiday, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 466**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Wright (Similar HB 181)**

Public Records/Legal Assistants/Office of the Public Defender/Office of Criminal Conflict and Civil Regional Counsel; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the home addresses, telephone numbers, dates of birth, and photographs of current legal assistants employed by the office of the public defender and the office of criminal conflict and civil regional counsel and the personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such legal assistants; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing for retroactive application of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 468**

**GENERAL BILL by Wright**

Animal Cruelty; Providing that failure to report suspected animal cruelty is grounds for certain disciplinary actions; requiring that a veterinarian, veterinary technician, or other animal treatment provider employee who makes a good faith report of animal cruelty to certain officials be held harmless from certain liability, disciplinary action, and retaliation; providing penalties for certain veterinarians, veterinary technicians, or animal treatment provider employees or volunteers who knowingly alter or destroy a medical record for the purpose of concealing animal cruelty, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Criminal Justice; Rules

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- SB 470**  
**GENERAL BILL by Wright (Similar HB 639)**  
Fraternal Order of Police License Plate; Deleting a restriction on who may be issued the Fraternal Order of Police license plate; revising the distribution and use of annual use fees collected from sales of the Fraternal Order of Police license plate, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy
- SB 472**  
**TRUST FUND/GENERAL BILL by Jones**  
Trust Funds/Tariffs Result in Untimely Money Problems (TRUMP); Creating the Tariffs Result in Untimely Money Problems (TRUMP) Trust Fund; providing for funding of the trust fund; providing for future review and termination of the trust fund, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations
- SB 474**  
**GENERAL BILL by Wright**  
Military Affairs; Revising the authorization to be granted a leave of absence for military service to include the Coast Guard; revising the authorization to be granted a leave of absence for reserve or guard training to include members of the Florida State Guard; specifying that an authorization for a leave of absence for all employees of the state and the counties, municipalities, and political subdivisions of the state to perform active military service for a specified timeframe is based on a single order; deleting positions from the Department of Military Affairs from compulsory participation in the Senior Management Service Class, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/12/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Appropriations; Rules
- SB 486**  
**GENERAL BILL by Polsky (Similar HB 415)**  
Discrimination in Education; Requiring each district school board to designate a Title VI coordinator; authorizing a person alleging discrimination to file a complaint with the district school superintendent or the Title VI coordinator; authorizing a parent or guardian to submit a complaint on behalf of a minor child; requiring each Florida College System institution and state university to designate a Title VI coordinator, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/13/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Education Postsecondary; Rules
- SB 488**  
**GENERAL BILL by Avila (Linked SB 490, Compare HB 543)**  
Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; Requiring licensure in lieu of registration of motor carriers operating certain qualified motor vehicles; revising due dates for motor fuel use tax returns submitted by licensed motor carriers; authorizing the department to inspect records necessary to verify the tax returns of motor carriers, motor fuel retail dealers, and motor fuel wholesale distributors; revising the apparent amount of property damage which requires the driver of a vehicle involved in a crash to notify law enforcement of the crash, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/13/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy
- SB 490**  
**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Avila (Linked SB 488)**  
Public Records/E-mail Addresses Collected by the Department of Highway Safety for Providing Renewal Notices; Expanding an exemption from public records requirements for e-mail addresses collected by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles for providing renewal notices to include e-mail addresses collected for use as a method of notification generally and not only for the purpose of providing renewal notices; expanding the exemption to include e-mail addresses collected for use as a method of notification related to vessel registrations; providing retroactive applicability; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 488 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law.  
11/13/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 490**  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy
- SB 492**  
**GENERAL BILL by Arrington**  
Contracting; Providing minimum penalties for certain unlawful actions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/13/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Regulated Industries; Rules
- SB 494**  
**GENERAL BILL by Arrington (Similar HB 423)**  
Student Elopement; Requiring public schools to create a School Staff Assistance for Emergencies (SAFE) Team and a school elopement plan; providing requirements for the plan; providing for membership and responsibilities of the SAFE Team; requiring the SAFE Team to create student-specific elopement quick reference guides for certain students, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/13/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Rules
- SB 496**  
**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Similar HB 455)**  
Protection of Historic Monuments and Memorials; Citing this act as the "Historic Florida Monuments and Memorials Protection Act"; preempting all removal, damage to, or destruction of historic Florida monuments and memorials; providing that any existing or future ordinance, regulation, or rule to the contrary, and certain actions by elected or appointed local government officials, are void; providing civil penalties for certain officials who engage in certain actions; authorizing a local government to temporarily remove and relocate a monument or memorial in certain instances provided certain requirements are met, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
11/13/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; Rules
- SB 498**  
**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 283)**  
School Zone and Pedestrian Safety; Requiring that design and construction plans for the installation of crosswalks in school zones or on certain streets, roads, or highways include certain traffic control devices, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/13/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy
- SB 500**  
**GENERAL BILL by Avila (Identical HB 401)**  
Security for Statewide Constitutional Office Candidates; Requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to provide certain candidates with a protective security detail for a specified time period, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/14/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy
- SB 502**  
**GENERAL BILL by Wright (Identical HB 351)**  
Concurrent Legislative Jurisdiction over United States Military Installations; Declaring that the state accepts the relinquishment of exclusive legislative jurisdiction from the United States in accordance with specified provisions; providing that this state has concurrent legislative jurisdiction with the United States over United States military installations located within the boundaries of this state; specifying that such jurisdiction is effective upon the Governor's written acceptance of a request filed by the principal officer, or other specified representative who has supervision or control over the military installation, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/14/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Rules

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- SB 504**  
**GENERAL BILL by Burgess (Linked SB 506, Identical HB 509, Compare HB 511, HB 539)**  
Code Inspector Body Cameras; Requiring a governmental entity that permits its code inspectors to wear body cameras to establish certain policies and procedures; requiring such governmental entity to ensure that certain training occurs, to retain certain data in accordance with public records laws, and to perform a periodic review of actual body camera practices; providing that certain provisions relating to the interception of wire, electronic, and oral communications do not apply to body camera recordings made by code inspectors, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/14/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules
- SB 506**  
**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Burgess (Linked SB 504, Identical HB 511, Similar HB 541, Compare HB 509)**  
Public Records/Body Camera Recordings Recorded by a Code Inspector; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for body camera recordings recorded by a code inspector under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; requiring a local government to retain body camera recordings for a specified timeframe; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 504 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law.  
11/14/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Rules
- SB 508**  
**GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Identical HB 611)**  
Landscape Irrigation; Creating the "Landscape Irrigation Standards and Watering Restrictions Act"; prohibiting a person from taking certain actions regarding a landscape irrigation system unless such person is a licensed irrigation contractor or the property owner; specifying that only a licensed irrigation contractor may connect an irrigation system to a water supply; providing a purpose for landscape irrigation system standards; creating a landscape irrigation watering schedule; providing for the enforcement of the act, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/14/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules
- SB 510**  
**GENERAL BILL by Jones (Similar HB 23)**  
Educator Certifications and Training; Revising the core curricula for certain teacher preparation programs to include training relating to mass casualty incidents; revising the certified educator eligibility criteria to require training in mass casualty incidents; requiring the Department of Education to develop a list of approved trainings relating to mass casualty incidents, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Fiscal Policy
- SB 512**  
**GENERAL BILL by Osgood (Identical HB 345)**  
Funding for the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program; Revising the calculation of the base student allocation for the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program; requiring the Division of Early Learning to annually publish and provide to early learning coalitions specified information, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Appropriations Committee on Pre-K - 12 Education; Appropriations
- SB 514**  
**GENERAL BILL by Osgood (Identical HB 515)**  
Doula Support for Healthy Births Pilot Program; Establishing the pilot program in Broward, Miami-Dade, and Palm Beach Counties for a specified purpose; requiring the Department of Health, in collaboration with its maternal and child health section, to implement and oversee the pilot program; requiring the department to collaborate with specified entities to integrate doula services into existing maternal health programs and facilitate outreach and service delivery; creating the Doula Certification Task Force within the department for a specified purpose, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
11/17/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 514**  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
- SB 516**  
**GENERAL BILL by Jones**  
Domestic Violence Centers; Prohibiting the Department of Children and Families from deeming the results of a home study unfavorable under certain circumstances; prohibiting the removal of a child from certain placement due to the child and his or her custodian or parent temporarily residing in a certified domestic violence center if certain requirements are met; prohibiting a court from making a certain finding solely due to a parent temporarily residing in a certified domestic violence center, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Judiciary; Rules
- SB 518**  
**GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Identical HB 443)**  
Products Liability Actions Under the Florida Pesticide Law; Prohibiting a pesticide-related products liability action based on a manufacturer's failure to warn if the pesticide's label meets specified conditions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Agriculture; Rules
- SB 520**  
**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Simon**  
Public Records/State Retirement Plan/Division of Retirement; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for all records identifying participants in any state retirement plan administered by the Division of Retirement of the Department of Management Services and held by the division or the State Board of Administration; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; deleting provisions providing a limited exemption from public records requirements for certain retirement records; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Community Affairs; Rules
- SB 522**  
**GENERAL BILL by Grall**  
Motor Vehicle Insurance; Repealing provisions which comprise the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; revising garage liability insurance requirements for recreational vehicle dealer license applicants; revising minimum liability coverage requirements for motor vehicle owners or operators; revising requirements for motor vehicle liability policies relating to coverage, and exclusion from coverage, for certain drivers and vehicles; revising coverages that may provide for a reduction in motor vehicle insurance policy premium charges under certain circumstances; revising the legal liability of an uninsured motorist coverage insurer; providing a prohibition, requirements, applicability, and construction relating to motor vehicle insurance policies as of a certain date, etc. Appropriation: \$83,651. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect January 1, 2027.  
11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules
- SB 524**  
**GENERAL BILL by Simon**  
Department of Law Enforcement; Specifying the circumstances under which an appointment or reappointment to the Medical Examiners Commission is considered in force; requiring the commission, rather than the Governor, to appoint district medical examiners for each medical examiner district; specifying that upon approval by the commission, rather than by the Governor, a physician member of the commission is eligible to serve as a district medical examiner; requiring the commission, rather than the Department of Law Enforcement, to establish or develop specified training components or courses, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

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**SB 526**

**GENERAL BILL by Grall (Similar CS/HB 405)**

Commercial Construction Projects; Defining the term “awarding body”; providing that provisions contained in public construction contracts which purport to waive, release, or extinguish certain rights of a contractor are void and unenforceable under specified circumstances; providing construction; requiring the Florida Building Commission, in consultation with the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, to create a uniform commercial building permit application; defining the term “commercial construction project”; requiring local enforcement agencies to reduce permit fees for commercial construction projects by certain percentages under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 528**

**GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Identical HB 483)**

Manufacturing; Revising the duties of the Department of Commerce; establishing the Chief Manufacturing Officer among the senior leadership of the department for a specified purpose; creating the Florida Manufacturers’ Workforce Development Grant Program within the department; providing that the grant program is under the direction of the Chief Manufacturing Officer in consultation with the National Institute of Standards and Technology Manufacturing Extension Partnership organization in this state; requiring the department to administer the grant awards from the Economic Development Trust Fund, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations

**SB 530**

**GENERAL BILL by Simon**

State Lotteries; Revising the powers and duties of the Department of the Lottery; revising the information required to be provided to the department by persons who submit a bid, a proposal, or an offer to negotiate a contract for major procurement; authorizing the division’s sworn law enforcement officers to purchase and present lottery tickets to a lottery retailer to claim a prize under certain circumstances; prohibiting certain false claims relating to state lottery tickets, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 532**

**GENERAL BILL by Simon; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Wright; Osgood**

Court Fees; Increasing the service charges a clerk of the circuit court charges for certain services rendered by the clerk’s office; increasing certain filing fees that may be charged by the clerk in probate matters; increasing certain filing fees and service charges in trial and appellate proceedings; increasing certain filing fees and service charges for civil actions, suits, or proceedings in county court; increasing the service charge the clerk is entitled to for disbursement of surplus proceeds for certain judicial sales procedures, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Appropriations

**SB 534**

**GENERAL BILL by Bernard**

Hunger-Free Campus Pilot Program; Citing this act as the "Hunger-Free Campus Act"; establishing, subject to legislative appropriation, the pilot program within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services for a specified period; requiring the Commissioner of Agriculture to identify the three state universities or Florida College System institutions with the highest percentage of Pell Grant-eligible students for participation in the pilot program; providing requirements for participating universities and institutions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Agriculture; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy

**SB 536**

**GENERAL BILL by Martin (Similar HB 429)**

Criminal Gang Members; Revising the definition of the term “criminal gang member”, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy

**SB 538**

**GENERAL BILL by Simon**

Physical Education; Revising eligibility requirements for a student to participate in an interscholastic or intrascholastic extracurricular activity; deleting requirements for the Florida High School Athletic Association to facilitate a program for private school students to participate in an interscholastic or intrascholastic sport; prohibiting a school from imposing additional fees on a student who wishes to participate in extracurricular activities; providing indemnity for a school and district school board under specified circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K - 12; Judiciary; Rules

**SB 540**

**GENERAL BILL by Martin (Identical HB 381)**

Office of Financial Regulation; Requiring loan originators, mortgage brokers, and mortgage lenders to develop, implement, and maintain comprehensive written information security programs for the protection of information systems and nonpublic personal information; providing additional acts that constitute a ground for specified disciplinary actions against loan originators and mortgage brokers; revising the list of general law provisions that are waived upon approval of a Financial Technology Sandbox application; requiring money services businesses to develop, implement, and maintain comprehensive written information security programs for the protection of information systems and nonpublic personal information, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/17/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Rules

**SB 542**

**GENERAL BILL by Garcia (Compare HB 223, SB 688)**

Naturopathy; Citing this act as the "Florida Naturopathy Sunrise Act"; creating the Board of Naturopathy within the Department of Health; providing licensure requirements for naturopaths; providing titles and abbreviations licensed naturopaths may use and are prohibited from using; specifying acts that are outside the scope of practice of naturopaths, etc. Effective Date: 01/01/2027.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 544**

**GENERAL BILL by Truenow (Identical HB 495)**

Golf Courses; Creating the “Golf Course Best Management Practices Certification Act”; providing legislative findings and intent regarding golf course best management practices certification; providing for a type two transfer of the Golf Course Best Management Practices Certification program in the Department of Environmental Protection to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 546**

**GENERAL BILL by Mayfield (Identical HB 441)**

Conservation Lands; Requiring the Division of State Lands to publish certain information on its website before the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund meets to review the proposed sale of conservation lands; requiring that certain parcels proposed for exchange be appraised in accordance with certain criteria; requiring the governing board of a water management district to publish certain information on its website before meeting to review the proposed sale or exchange of certain lands, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 548**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain**

Growth Management; Deleting an exception to an applicability provision relating to concurrency; requiring that a demonstrated-need study use plan-based methodology for a certain purpose; revising the voting threshold required for approval of an ordinance increasing an impact fee beyond certain phase-in limitations; prohibiting local governments and school districts from increasing impact fee rates beyond certain phase-in limitations by more than a specified percentage within a certain timeframe, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SJR 550**

**JOINT RESOLUTION by Bernard; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Yarborough (Linked SB 552)**

Prohibition on Levying Ad Valorem Taxes on Tangible Personal Property; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to prohibit levying ad valorem taxes on tangible personal property by counties, school districts, and municipalities and to provide an effective date, etc.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

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**SB 552**

**GENERAL BILL by Bernard; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Yarborough (Linked SJR 550)**

Prohibition on Levying Ad Valorem Taxes on Tangible Personal Property:

Conforming provisions to proposed amendments made to the State Constitution which prohibit levying ad valorem taxes on tangible personal property by counties, school districts, and municipalities; repealing a provision relating to the property appraiser's assessments and effect of determinations by value adjustment boards; repealing a provision relating to extending the date for filing tangible personal property tax returns; repealing a provision relating to tax returns to show all exemptions and claims, etc. Effective Date: On the effective date of the amendment to the State Constitution proposed by SJR 550 or a similar joint resolution having substantially the same specified intent and purpose, if such amendment to the State Constitution is approved at the next general election or at an earlier special election specifically authorized by law for that purpose.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 554**

**GENERAL BILL by Bernard**

Nonprofit Corporations: Renaming the "Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act" as the "Florida Nonprofit Corporation Act"; revising the circumstances in which a domestic or foreign corporation may correct a document filed with the department; requiring all courts, public offices, and official bodies to receive all certificates issued by the department as prima facie evidence of certain facts; authorizing a corporation to register under a name that is not otherwise distinguishable on the records of the department under certain circumstances; prohibiting a corporation from paying any dividend and making distributions of any part of its net income or net earnings to its members, directors, or officers, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 556**

**GENERAL BILL by Berman (Identical HB 453)**

Requirements for a Standard High School Diploma: Providing that students with disabilities may participate in the Special Olympics to meet the physical education requirement for a standard high school diploma, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 558**

**GENERAL BILL by Burgess (Identical HB 239)**

Standards for Storm Water Systems: Requiring storm water systems in counties and municipalities, respectively, to comply with specified Department of Transportation standards; providing inspection requirements for such systems; specifying that certain local standards are superseded, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 560**

**GENERAL BILL by Garcia**

Child Welfare: Providing that a new medical report relating to the provision of psychotropic medication to a child in the legal custody of the Department of Children and Families may be required only under certain circumstances; revising qualifications for persons who may serve as qualified evaluators for a certain purpose; requiring a physician to provide to a pharmacy a copy of certain documentation, rather than a signed attestation, with certain prescriptions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 562**

**GENERAL BILL by Garcia (Identical HB 533)**

Communication Rights of Individuals with Disabilities: Providing that individuals with a disability have the right to communicate in their preferred manner; prohibiting state agencies, schools, and health care providers from restricting or denying such individuals access to their preferred alternative communication method; specifying rights that individuals with disabilities have with respect to their communication needs; establishing the Communication Rights Advisory Board within the Agency for Persons with Disabilities for a specified purpose, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 564**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough (Identical HB 461)**

Student Volunteers at Polling Locations: Providing that specified high school students who volunteer to assist poll workers are not subject to provisions prohibiting certain agencies and state and local officials from soliciting, accepting, or otherwise using private funds or certain personal services for election-related expenses, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 566**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough (Similar HB 463)**

Certificate of Title Application Requirements: Including certain proof of identification and residency in requirements for certificate of title applications; providing that certain documents may include fingerprints and other unique biometric means of identity, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 568**

**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Identical HB 531)**

Managed Care Plans: Revising Medicaid managed care contract requirements to prohibit managed care plans from reviewing certain prior authorization claims for medical necessity; requiring that managed care plans provide coverage for durable medical equipment and complex rehabilitation technology from a qualified provider, from within the provider network, of the enrollee's choosing, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 570**

**GENERAL BILL by Polsky (Similar HB 195)**

Task Force on Payment Scams: Creating the Task Force on Payment Scams adjunct to the Department of Financial Services; defining the terms "payment" and "task force"; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to establish the task force by a specified date; providing for future repeal and legislative review of the task force, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 572**

**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Identical HB 603)**

Ethics for Public Employees: Revising the definition of the term "relative" to include foster parents and foster children, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 574**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones (Identical HB 471)**

Recruitment and Retention of Speech-language Pathologists: Requiring the Department of Education to develop and maintain a statewide strategic plan for the recruitment and retention of speech-language pathologists and the provision of quality services; providing school district and charter school requirements relating to submitting specified data for the plan, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 576**

**GENERAL BILL by Harrell**

Local Government Cyber Security: Creating the Local Government Cybersecurity Protection Program; requiring local governments to participate in the program and to apply to the Florida Digital Service to use cybersecurity programs and software; establishing priority for certain counties under the program; requiring the Florida Digital Service through the department to secure and administer federal funds, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 578**

**GENERAL BILL by Simon (Similar HB 513)**

Alzheimer's Disease Awareness Initiative: Requiring the Department of Elderly Affairs to contract for the development and implementation of the Alzheimer's Disease Awareness Initiative; providing requirements for the initiative; providing requirements for the entity with which the department contracts to develop and implement the initiative, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 580**

**GENERAL BILL by Harrell (Identical HB 555)**

Local Licensing of Home Caregivers: Authorizing counties and municipalities to license home caregivers within their jurisdictions, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 582**

**GENERAL BILL by Gaetz**

Required Reports of the Office of Insurance Regulation: Requiring the office to create specified reports on insurers, licensees, registrants, and their related entities, including the compensation of their executive officers; requiring the office to use a reliable and up-to-date methodology and software to create specified reports and review such methodology and software for accuracy; specifying that certain data are not considered trade secrets and may be used for certain purposes, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

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**SB 584**

**GENERAL BILL by Avila**

Commercial Driving Schools; Authorizing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to enter into interagency agreements with tax collectors for a specified purpose; specifying that such an interagency agreement is a delegation of authority of the department to the tax collector; providing that such an interagency agreement may include, but need not be limited to, certain grants of authority, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 586**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith (Similar HB 487)**

Repair of Mobility Devices; Creating the "Right to Repair Act for Mobility Devices"; requiring original equipment manufacturers to make available documentation, parts, and tools required for the diagnosis, maintenance, or repair of mobility devices and parts for such devices; requiring original equipment manufacturers of mobility devices with electronic security locks to make available any special documentation, parts, and tools required to access and reset the locks when disabled in the course of diagnosis, maintenance, or repair; providing that violation of the act is an unlawful practice under the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 588**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Identical HB 105)**

Local Government Enforcement Actions; Prohibiting certain enforcement actions by counties, municipalities, and special districts, respectively; defining the term "enforcement action"; requiring counties, municipalities, and special districts, respectively, to establish and maintain rules; authorizing filing of legal action and providing legal remedies in certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 590**

**GENERAL BILL by Bradley (Identical HB 373)**

Statute of Limitations Period for Violations Involving Required Reports Concerning Children; Providing that the limitations period for offenses concerning specified required reports about children does not begin to run until a law enforcement agency is made aware of the violation, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 592**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones (Similar HB 469)**

Specialty License Plates/Miami Carol City Senior High School Alumni; Directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop a Miami Carol City Senior High School Alumni license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of the plate, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 594**

**GENERAL BILL by Burton (Identical HB 267)**

Local Housing Assistance Plans; Authorizing counties and eligible municipalities to expend certain funds on lot rental assistance for mobile home owners for a specified time period; requiring each county and eligible municipality to include in its local housing assistance plan certain strategies; authorizing counties and eligible municipalities to provide certain funds to mobile home owners for rehabilitation and emergency repairs, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 596**

**GENERAL BILL by Garcia**

Transparency in Health Care; Defining the term "personal benefit"; requiring health care practitioners to report any personal benefit received from a pharmaceutical company to the Department of Health; requiring the department to establish uniform reporting procedures and a publicly accessible online database for the reports; requiring the department to establish certain guidelines for health care practitioners, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 598**

**GENERAL BILL by Truenow**

Funeral, Cemetery, and Consumer Services; Prohibiting a licensee of funeral or cemetery services from entering into certain contracts, agreements, or arrangements; limiting the total liability for damages for certain civil actions against a person or company licensed under ch. 497, F.S.; deleting an exception to the educational requirements for an applicant seeking licensure to be a funeral director; authorizing a licensee or a licensed facility to dispose of human remains in a specified manner if the legally authorized person of the decedent fails, neglects, or refuses to direct the disposition, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 600**

**GENERAL BILL by Truenow**

Bail Bonds; Decreasing the duration of in-person classroom-instruction basic certification courses required to be considered for approval and certification as an approved limited surety agent and professional bail bond agent prelicensing school; prohibiting bail bond agents and agencies from soliciting certain persons; requiring, rather than authorizing, that any monetary or cash component of any form of pretrial release be met by specified means; requiring that, upon a court's entry of an order to revoke pretrial release and order pretrial detention, the clerk of the court discharge any bond previously posted as a condition of pretrial release without further order of the court, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 602**

**GENERAL BILL by Bernard (Similar HB 545)**

Watercraft Restrictions Based on Energy Source; Providing an exception to the prohibition on state agencies, governmental authorities, and local governments restricting the use or sale of watercraft based on the energy source used to power the watercraft if such watercraft is used on certain bodies of water, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/19/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 604**

**GENERAL BILL by Avila**

Portable Benefits Accounts for Independent Contractors and Sole Proprietors; Creating the "Voluntary Portable Benefits Act"; authorizing certain parties to make voluntary contributions to portable benefits accounts for independent contractors and sole proprietors; prohibiting contributions to a portable benefits account from being used as a criterion for determining a worker's employment classification, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 606**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith (Identical HB 503)**

Drowning Prevention Education; Requiring the Department of Health to develop educational materials on drowning prevention safety measures and safe bathing practices for specified purposes; providing requirements for such materials; requiring hospitals, birth centers, and home birth providers to provide the educational materials to new parents and caregivers as part of their postpartum education and care, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 608**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith (Compare SB 658)**

Vacation Rentals; Requiring applicants or licensees seeking to obtain or renew a license to operate a vacation rental to install a pool safety feature if a pool is located on the vacation rental property; authorizing the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to suspend or revoke a license and fine the licensee if a vacation rental is not in compliance, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 610**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith (Compare HB 117, SB 244)**

Residential Swimming Pool Requirements; Requiring that swimming pools located on residential real property that is transferred or sold on or after a specified date meet certain pool safety requirements; requiring that swimming pools located on residential real property that is transferred or sold on or after a specified date meet certain pool barrier requirements, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

11/20/25 SENATE Filed

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**SB 612**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith (Identical HB 501)**

Construction Disruption Assistance; Creating the "Construction Disruption Assistance Act"; establishing the Construction Impact Relief Revolving Loan Program within the Department of Commerce; requiring the department to provide specified financial assistance to eligible small businesses within construction zones; requiring the department to develop a public awareness and marketing campaign to promote the program in partnership with specified entities, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 614**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Parole for Long-term Prisoners; Providing that certain offenders serving long-term prison sentences are parole eligible under certain circumstances; providing conditions of parole for such persons; providing for disposition of savings produced by such a program of parole, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 616**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Florida Highway Patrol Body Camera Use; Requiring members of the Florida Highway Patrol to wear a functioning body camera under certain circumstances; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to adopt certain policies and procedures, ensure compliance with certain public records and retention requirements, and provide certain training; providing that an officer who does not comply with certain requirements, policies, and procedures may be subject to disciplinary action, etc. Appropriation: \$2,000,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 618**

**GENERAL BILL by Truenow**

Workers' Compensation Insurance; Specifying that an insurer may use excess rates only under certain circumstances; revising the composition of the board of directors of the Florida Workers' Compensation Insurance Guaranty Association, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 620**

**GENERAL BILL by Mayfield (Identical HB 535)**

Candidate Qualifying; Requiring certain candidates to provide the filing officer a statement disclosing dual citizenship for nomination and election to federal, state, county, multicounty, district, or judicial office or to a district school board, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 622**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Conditional Geriatric Release; Requiring the Florida Commission on Offender Review, in conjunction with the Department of Corrections, to establish the conditional geriatric release program; requiring the commission to consider any evidence relevant to public safety; authorizing the commission to consider the continued cost to the department to house the inmate, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 624**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough (Similar HB 491)**

Batterers' Intervention Program Activities; Authorizing batterers' intervention programs to offer supplemental faith-based activities, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 626**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Berman**

School Attendance Immunizations; Revising the communicable diseases for which immunization is required for school attendance, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 628**

**GENERAL BILL by Gaetz (Identical HB 403)**

Transportation Facility Designations/Warrior Sacrifice Way; Providing an honorary designation of a certain transportation facility in a specified county; directing the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 630**

**GENERAL BILL by Simon**

Administrative Efficiency in Public Schools; Exempting district school boards from requirements for adopting certain rules; deleting a requirement for a district school board to employ an internal auditor in certain circumstances; revising requirements relating to district school board attendance policies for Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Programs; prohibiting a school from being required to use a certain parameter as the sole determining factor to recruit instructional personnel; specifying requirements for advanced degrees that may be used to set salary schedules for instructional personnel and school administrators hired after a specified date; revising eligibility requirements for individuals to participate in the Teacher Apprenticeship Program, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed  
12/01/25 SENATE Withdrawn prior to introduction

**SB 632**

**GENERAL BILL by DiCeglie (Identical HB 585)**

Transportation Network Company, Driver, and Vehicle Owner Insurance; Revising automobile insurance requirements for transportation network companies, transportation network company drivers, and transportation network company vehicle owners, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 634**

**GENERAL BILL by DiCeglie (Identical HB 275)**

Rates for Citizens Property Insurance Corporation Coverage; Providing that the limitations on the required annual rate increases for Citizens Property Insurance Corporation coverage do not apply to new policies issued by the corporation on or after a specified date and to subsequent renewals of such policies, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 636**

**GENERAL BILL by Leek**

Beach Management; Requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to review certain data when designating certain beaches as critically eroded and in need of restoration and nourishment; requiring that certain beaches, whose local government preserved funds for a certain purpose and which possess specified features, be designated as critically eroded; revising the list of areas that may receive designation as an area of critical state concern, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/20/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 638**

**GENERAL BILL by Trumbull (Identical HB 255)**

Condominium Associations; Requiring condominium associations to maintain turnover certificates and annual reports as part of their official records; requiring the board of administration of a condominium association to file with the Division of Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes a turnover certificate within a specified timeframe; requiring the division to create and maintain a searchable electronic database of turnover certificates, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/21/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 640**

**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Identical HB 647)**

Senior Management Service Class; Authorizing the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court to select a specified number of managerial or policymaking positions within the judicial branch for inclusion in the Senior Management Service Class of the Florida Retirement System; requiring the Executive Director and the General Counsel of the Florida Judicial Qualifications Commission to participate in the Senior Management Service Class, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/21/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 642**

**GENERAL BILL by Burgess (Identical HB 271)**

Foreign and Alien Bail Bond Insurers; Providing duties of certain foreign and alien bail bond insurers relating to reporting bail bond premiums to the Office of Insurance Regulation, keeping records of considerations paid for bail bonds written by the insurers, and disclosing certain information in the financial statements filed with the office, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/21/25 SENATE Filed

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- SB 644**  
**GENERAL BILL by Grall (Identical HB 413)**  
Attorney Fees, Suit Money, and Costs; Authorizing a court to order attorney fees, suit money, and costs in appellate proceedings; authorizing the inclusion of certain fees, money, and costs in an award of attorney fees, suit money, and costs; authorizing the court to award, deny, or reduce attorney fees, suit money, and costs under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.  
11/21/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 646**  
**GENERAL BILL by Gaetz (Identical HB 477)**  
Drug Paraphernalia; Revising the definition of “drug paraphernalia” to exclude certain narcotic-drug-testing products, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/21/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 648**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bradley**  
Medicaid Reimbursement for Private Duty Nursing Services; Defining the term “pediatric continuing care integrated community” for purposes of the state Medicaid program; requiring Medicaid managed care plans to reimburse licensed home health agencies for private duty nursing services provided in a community residential group home at a certain rate; requiring Medicaid managed care plans to negotiate rates with affiliated businesses at least annually, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law.  
11/21/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 650**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bernard (Compare HB 103, SB 122)**  
Local Business Taxes; Repealing provisions relating to local business taxes; authorizing certain counties to continue to impose a business tax; authorizing such counties to revise the definition of the term “merchant” in a specified manner; prohibiting such counties from revising a specified tax rate, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/21/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 652**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bernard**  
Mobile Homes; Revising the general obligations of mobile home park owners; authorizing a unit of local government to adopt and enforce local codes or ordinances for specified purposes, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/21/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 654**  
**GENERAL BILL by DiCeglie (Compare HB 521)**  
Traffic Infraction Enforcement; Revising the periods during which a county or municipality may enforce school zone speed limits, and the violations for which such enforcement is authorized, through the use of a speed detection system; prohibiting the use of a traffic infraction detector for remote surveillance; requiring district school board authorization and a public hearing process before a school district may place or install, or contract with a vendor to install, operate, and maintain, school bus infraction detection systems; revising the periods for which a county or municipality may authorize a traffic infraction enforcement officer to issue certain uniform traffic citations, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.  
11/24/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 656**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bradley**  
Internet Crimes Against Children Programs; Renaming the Online Sting Operations Grant Program created within the Department of Law Enforcement as the Internet Crimes Against Children Grant Program; revising the purpose of the grant program; creating the Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force Funding Program within the Department of Law Enforcement, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/24/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 658**  
**GENERAL BILL by Burgess (Compare HB 79, SB 608)**  
Water Safety Requirements for the Rental of Residential Property; Requiring a landlord to equip certain rental properties with specified water safety features; requiring a public lodging establishment licensed as a vacation rental to equip certain rental units with specified water safety features, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/24/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 660**  
**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Identical HB 529)**  
Community-based Care Lead Agency and Subcontractor Liability; Defining the term “culpably negligent manner”; providing circumstances under which a community-based care lead agency is not liable in tort for the acts or omissions of its officers or employees; providing that a community-based care lead agency may be held liable in tort for such acts or omissions under certain circumstances; providing that a subcontractor of a community-based care lead agency may be held liable in tort for such acts or omissions under certain circumstances; deleting a provision applying a limitation on certain liability to contracts entered into or renewed after a certain date, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/24/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 662**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bernard (Identical HB 109)**  
Corporal Punishment; Prohibiting school district employees from using corporal punishment on public school students, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/25/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 664**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bernard**  
Rent of Affordable Housing Dwelling Units; Defining the terms “affordable” and “base rent”; prohibiting certain landlords of specified dwelling units from increasing the base rent of a unit during the term of a rental agreement, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/25/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 666**  
**GENERAL BILL by Bernard (Identical HB 421)**  
Performance Reports of Circuit and County Court Judges; Citing this act as the “Judicial Efficiency and Transparency (JET) Act”; requiring each clerk of the circuit court to prepare an annual performance report with specified information regarding each circuit and county court judge; requiring such reports to be posted by a certain date on specified websites; authorizing judges to prepare a specified explanatory statement, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/25/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 668**  
**GENERAL BILL by Truenow**  
Physician Assistants; Providing for the registration of physician assistants to engage in practice without physician supervision; providing financial responsibility requirements for registered physician assistants; specifying activities registered physician assistants may engage in without physician supervision; requiring registered physician assistants to provide new patients with specified information either before or during the initial patient encounter, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/25/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 670**  
**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough (Identical HB 551)**  
Right of Medical Conscience of Health Care Providers and Health Care Payors; Authorizing a health care provider or health care payor to commence certain civil actions if the Attorney General does not commence a civil action within a specified timeframe for an alleged violation of the provider’s or payor’s right of medical conscience, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/25/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 672**  
**GENERAL BILL by Calatayud (Similar HB 169)**  
Acupuncture; Revising licensure requirements for acupuncturists; eliminating certain examination fees; revising requirements for continuing education programs for acupuncturists, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
11/25/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 674**  
**GENERAL BILL by Burgess**  
Grandparent Visitation Rights; Authorizing a grandparent of a minor child to petition a court for court-ordered visitation with the child in certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/01/25 SENATE Filed
- SB 676**  
**GENERAL BILL by Arrington (Identical HB 559)**  
Criminal Offenses; Providing criminal penalties for persons who commit any act that causes, tends to cause, encourages, or contributes to a child committing offenses of specified severities; providing criminal penalties for persons who induce or endeavor to induce, by act, threat, command, or persuasion, a child to commit offenses of specified severities; creating the offense of causing or enticing a minor to commit, or in the presence of a minor committing, animal cruelty, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.  
12/01/25 SENATE Filed

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**SB 678**

**GENERAL BILL by Mayfield**

**Deductions for Certain Losses of Alcoholic Beverages;** Authorizing deductions against excise taxes for alcoholic beverages if they are unsalable; authorizing a distributor of vinous, spirituous, or malted beverages to make an excise tax deduction in its monthly tax report for alcoholic beverages that have become unsalable through warehouse breakage, spoliation, evaporation, or expiration or that have become unfit for human consumption; requiring distributors that distribute more than one type of alcoholic beverage to deduct their gross taxes for products according to those specified for vinous, spirituous, or malt beverages, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

12/01/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 680**

**GENERAL BILL by Mayfield (Identical HB 653)**

**Electric Vehicle Charging Taxation;** Revising the definition of the terms “distribution company” and “utility service”; revising the definition of the term “retail sale”, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

12/01/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 682**

**GENERAL BILL by Calatayud (Identical HB 277, Compare HB 643)**

**Violent Criminal Offenses;** Citing this act as the “Domestic Emergency and Batterers Reform and Accountability Act”; requiring the emergency communications state plan to include a system or process to flag specified addresses; requiring emergency medical technicians and paramedics to complete training in the subject of domestic violence, dating violence, and strangulation for certification and recertification; authorizing, and in certain circumstances requiring, a court to order electronic monitoring in domestic violence cases; providing for enhanced penalties for a violation of an injunction for protection against domestic violence, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/01/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 684**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain**

**Electronic Signatures Associated with Total Loss Vehicles and Vessels;** Requiring insurance companies to implement certain control processes and procedures for certain electronic signatures; deleting a requirement that electronic signatures on odometer disclosures submitted through insurance companies be executed in a specified manner, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/01/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 686**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain**

**Agricultural Enclaves;** Authorizing owners of certain parcels to apply to the governing body of the local government for certification of such parcels as agricultural enclaves; requiring the local government to provide to the applicant a certain report within a specified timeframe; prohibiting a local government from enacting or enforcing certain laws or regulations, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/01/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 688**

**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez (Similar HB 223, Compare SB 542)**

**Naturopathic Medicine;** Creating the Board of Naturopathic Medicine within the Department of Health; prohibiting unlicensed persons from practicing naturopathic medicine or promoting, identifying, or describing themselves using specified titles or abbreviations; providing for licensure by examination of naturopathic doctors; providing for licensure by endorsement of naturopathic doctors; revising continuing education requirements for naturopathic doctors, etc. Effective Date: 12/31/2026.

12/01/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 690**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones (Identical HB 579)**

**Family Empowerment Scholarship Program;** Requiring a private school participating in the Family Empowerment Scholarship Program to provide specified information in writing to certain parents before a student's initial enrollment in the school, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/02/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 692**

**GENERAL BILL by Leek (Identical HB 635)**

**Cybersecurity Standards and Liability;** Authorizing local governments to only adopt specified cybersecurity standards; prohibiting the Department of Management Services from delegating the authority to set such standards to local governments; providing that a local government, a covered entity, or a third-party agent that complies with certain requirements is not liable in connection with a cybersecurity incident under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

12/02/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 694**

**GENERAL BILL by Bracy Davis; (CO-INTRODUCERS) Smith (Identical HB 6523)**

**Compensation of the Descendants of Charles Greenlee, Walter Irvin, Samuel Shepherd, and Ernest Thomas;** Providing that a sum is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund to the Department of State for specified relief; providing that specified persons are ineligible for further compensation, etc.

Appropriation: Indeterminate. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

12/02/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 696**

**GENERAL BILL by Martin**

**Registration of Trademarks;** Removing provisions relating to the classification of goods and services for trademark purposes; requiring the Department of State to adopt a federal system of classification each year; requiring publication of the classification as part of the trademark registration application; requiring the department to establish and maintain a secure Internet website that allows submission of an online trademark registration application and renewal application, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/02/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 698**

**GENERAL BILL by Martin (Identical HB 589)**

**Onsite Sewage Treatment and Disposal System Permits;** Prohibiting a municipality or political subdivision of the state from requiring owners and builders of certain residences to receive construction permits from the Department of Environmental Protection as a condition of issuing building or plumbing permits; requiring such owners and builders to provide certain proof to the municipality or political subdivision, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

12/02/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 700**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith (Identical HB 621)**

**States of Emergency;** Providing that a state of emergency renewed by the Governor expires within a specified timeframe; authorizing the Legislature to extend the state of emergency under specified circumstances; requiring the Governor to immediately issue a certain executive order or proclamation consistent with the Legislature's concurrent resolution terminating a state of emergency; requiring the Auditor General to update quarterly a specified audit, rather than annually, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/02/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 702**

**GENERAL BILL by Bracy Davis (Identical HB 155)**

**Mental Health Programs for Gun Violence Prevention;** Requiring IMPACT GNV of the City of Gainesville, in collaboration with certain entities, to develop and implement the Gun Violence Prevention Pilot Program; providing alternatives to incarceration for specified youth; requiring the City of Gainesville, in collaboration with Alachua County, to annually submit a specified report to IMPACT GNV by a specified date, etc. Appropriation: \$500,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/02/25 SENATE Filed

**SCR 704**

**CONCURRENT RESOLUTION by Polsky**

**State of Emergency Termination;** Terminating the state of emergency and any order, proclamation, or rule issued or adopted thereunder declared by Executive Order 23-03, etc.

12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 706**

**GENERAL BILL by Mayfield**

**Commercial Service Airports;** Preempting the naming of major commercial service airports to the state; providing names for major commercial service airports; providing that such airport names continue to be valid under certain circumstances; requiring the Department of Transportation to annually review provisions naming major commercial service airports for a certain purpose, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/03/25 SENATE Filed

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**SB 708**

**GENERAL BILL by Berman**

State Immigration Enforcement Action Database; Requiring the State Board of Immigration Enforcement to create and administer the State Immigration Enforcement Action Database; requiring that the database be accessible through a publicly available website and be searchable; requiring law enforcement agencies and entities contracting for private correctional services in this state to submit to the board specified information within a specified timeframe after detaining or arresting a person for specified reasons, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 710**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough**

Underground Utility and Excavation Contractors; Revising the definition of the term “underground utility and excavation contractor”; authorizing an underground utility and excavation contractor to take certain actions relating to underground piping for fire protection systems; defining the term “underground utility and excavation contractor”, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 712**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough (Similar HB 265)**

Prohibition of Pyramid Promotional Schemes; Citing this act as the “Direct Sales Consumer Protection Act”; prohibiting a person from establishing, promoting, operating, or participating in a pyramid promotional scheme; requiring the Department of Legal Affairs to issue and serve a complaint and cease and desist order in certain instances; providing penalties, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 718**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Identical HB 479)**

Water Management; Prohibiting counties and municipalities from adopting laws, regulations, rules, or policies relating to water quality or quantity, pollution control, pollutant discharge prevention or removal, or wetlands; preempting such regulation to the state; repealing a provision relating to land management review teams, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 720**

**GENERAL BILL by Osgood**

Resident Status for Tuition Purposes; Providing that a person may not lose his or her resident status for tuition purposes due to incarceration, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 722**

**GENERAL BILL by Osgood**

Condominium Structural Integrity Reserve Studies; Defining the term “structural integrity reserve study”; requiring condominium associations that govern a building of a specified height to conduct a structural integrity reserve study for a specified purpose; providing that condominium associations that govern a building that does not meet such specified height requirement are not required to conduct a structural integrity reserve study; authorizing certain condominium associations to elect, by a majority vote of their members, to waive or reduce reserve contributions; providing construction, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SR 724**

**RESOLUTION by Berman**

Amblyopia Awareness Month; Recognizing August 2026 as “Amblyopia Awareness Month” in Florida, etc.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 726**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Identical HB 457)**

Alternative Sources of Weather Information; Revising the requirements of the state comprehensive emergency plan to include the evaluation of the integration of supplemental weather observational data and advanced forecasting products and the effects on specified areas; requiring the Division of Emergency Management to take specified actions to integrate, evaluate, and promote supplemental weather observational data and advanced forecasting products in a certain manner, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SJR 728**

**JOINT RESOLUTION by Jones (Similar HJR 619)**

State Reapportionment; Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to revise reapportionment methods and revise upward the number of Senate and House of Representatives districts, etc.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 730**

**GENERAL BILL by Arrington**

Sexual Violence Policies; Requiring schools to establish sexual violence policies and supportive measures; specifying requirements for the policies and measures; requiring schools to notify specified persons of the policies and measures; specifying requirements for such notifications; requiring the policies and measures to be published in specified places and on certain websites, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 732**

**GENERAL BILL by Osgood**

Education on Abusive Head Trauma; Requiring the Department of Health to adopt evidence-based parent education materials that describe the dangers of abusive head trauma, including shaken baby syndrome; specifying requirements for the distribution of the parent education materials, including a statewide public education campaign; requiring the department to implement a multi-year phase-in plan for the distribution of the parent education materials, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 734**

**GENERAL BILL by Osgood**

Powers of Neighborhood Improvement Districts; Authorizing a neighborhood improvement district to plan, finance, or complete structural safety or building compliance improvements if approved by a majority vote of the district’s residents or by a certain advisory council, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 736**

**GENERAL BILL by Burgess**

Medicaid Coverage of Blood Pressure Monitoring Devices; Defining the terms “blood pressure cuff” and “validated at-home blood pressure monitor”; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration, subject to the availability of funds and certain limitations and directions, to provide coverage for validated at-home blood pressure monitors and blood pressure cuffs for certain Medicaid recipients; providing construction; providing requirements for Medicaid recipients to continue receiving coverage for their validated at-home blood pressure monitors and blood pressure cuffs, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 738**

**GENERAL BILL by Martin**

Virtual Currency Transfers; Providing that requests by a defendant, regardless of location, to residents of this state to transfer virtual currency to an account located outside of this state subjects the defendant to the jurisdiction of the state courts, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 740**

**GENERAL BILL by Osgood**

Comprehensive Health Care for Residents; Creating the “Florida Health Plan”; authorizing the Florida Health Board to establish certain financial arrangements with other states and foreign countries under certain circumstances; prohibiting cost-sharing requirements from being imposed on enrollees; providing that defaults, underpayments, and late payments of certain obligations result in certain remedies and penalties; providing for eligible health care providers to participate in the plan; creating the Office of Health Quality and Planning, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 742**

**GENERAL BILL by Rodriguez**

Nursing Licensure; Revising information that the Board of Nursing must publish on its website with respect to approved nursing education programs; providing for provisional licensure of registered nurses and licensed practical nurses; establishing that provisional licensees may practice only under direct supervision of a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse, as applicable, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.  
12/03/25 SENATE Filed

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**SB 744**

**GENERAL BILL by Yarborough (Similar HB 627)**

Public Records Requests Made to Law Enforcement Officers; Prohibiting law enforcement officers from accepting and processing public records requests while engaged in certain activities; providing that a law enforcement officer makes a certain determination; requiring that a law enforcement officer verbally inform an individual of certain information; providing criminal penalties for individuals who knowingly and willfully persist in attempting to compel a law enforcement officer to accept and process a public records request under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SM 746**

**MEMORIAL by Arrington (Similar HM 4031)**

Financial Oversight and Management Board for Puerto Rico; Urging Congress to establish an end date for the Financial Oversight and Management Board for Puerto Rico, etc.

12/03/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 748**

**GENERAL BILL by Bracy Davis (Identical HB 467)**

Notice of Restoration of Voting Rights Information on Sentencing Scoresheets; Specifying information to be provided on sentencing scoresheets concerning restoration of voting rights; requiring that a scoresheet be provided to a defendant before a sentence is imposed, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 750**

**GENERAL BILL by DiCeglie**

Alternative Plans Review and Building Inspection; Deleting a provision authorizing a local government to charge an administrative fee when an owner or contractor retains a private provider for purposes of plans review or building inspection services, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 752**

**GENERAL BILL by DiCeglie (Compare SB 756)**

Taxation of First-time Buyers; Specifying that documentary stamp taxes do not apply to deeds, transfers, or conveyances of residential property to first-time homebuyers; defining the term "first-time homebuyer"; specifying that documentary stamp taxes do not apply to certain documents executed by a first-time homebuyer in connection with the purchase of a principal residence, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 754**

**GENERAL BILL by DiCeglie (Identical HB 377)**

Heated Tobacco Products; Revising the definition of the term "cigarette"; revising the definition of the term "tobacco products"; defining the term "heated tobacco product", etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 756**

**GENERAL BILL by Davis (Compare SB 752)**

Affordable Housing; Increasing the length of time that certain rental units must remain affordable in order to qualify for a specified zoning variance; requiring that certain incentives be used for the construction of affordable housing; decreasing the maximum median income used to determine eligibility for certain tax incentives; specifying that documentary stamp taxes do not apply to deeds, transfers, or conveyances of residential property to first-time homebuyers, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 758**

**GENERAL BILL by Bradley (Similar HB 625)**

Justice Administrative Commission; Revising the membership of the Justice Administrative Commission, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 760**

**GENERAL BILL by McClain (Identical HB 397)**

Violations of Pretrial Release Conditions for Violent Crimes; Citing this act as the "Victim Safety in Pretrial Release Act"; providing that a person who is on pretrial release for a specified violent crime commits a separate criminal offense if such person willfully violates a condition of pretrial release; requiring the court to consider certain factors in determining whether to order pretrial detention or grant pretrial release; authorizing a law enforcement officer to arrest without a warrant any person suspected of violating a condition of pretrial release if the original arrest was for a specified violent crime, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 762**

**GENERAL BILL by Martin (Similar HB 177)**

Offices of Criminal Conflict and Civil Regional Counsel; Authorizing appointments from the office of criminal conflict and civil regional counsel in other regions for certain cases in certain circumstances; requiring such counsel to provide certain documentation to the Justice Administrative Commission for reimbursement; requiring each regional office that accepts such appointments to annually submit a specified report to the commission; requiring the commission to submit copies of such reports to the Legislature, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 764**

**GENERAL BILL by Jones**

HIV Prevention Justice Act; Citing this act as the "HIV Prevention Justice Act"; reducing the degree of criminal penalty for certain persons who are infected with human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) and who donate blood, plasma, organs, skin, or other human tissue for use in another person; revising prohibitions relating to the intentional transmission of certain diseases through sexual conduct; revising requirements for HIV testing in cases involving criminal transmission of HIV, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 766**

**GENERAL BILL by Martin (Similar HB 629, Compare HB 575, CS/SB 240)**

Waste Management; Deleting obsolete provisions that provide legislative findings and require the Department of Environmental Protection to review and update a specified report; preempting the regulation of auxiliary containers to the state; permitting rules, regulations, or ordinances restricting the use of glass auxiliary containers within the boundaries of a public beach; authorizing the Division of Recreation and Parks to regulate auxiliary containers within state parks; specifying that certain local ordinances and restrictions are permitted, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 768**

**GENERAL BILL by Rouson (Identical HB 631)**

Marriage and Family Therapist Licensure by Endorsement; Requiring the Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy, and Mental Health Counseling to issue a license by endorsement to certain applicants, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/05/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 770**

**GENERAL BILL by Rouson (Similar HB 437)**

Public Records; Providing that it is a violation of specified provisions to fail to acknowledge a public records request promptly and in good faith; requiring custodians of public records to perform specified actions within a specified timeframe; prohibiting agencies from charging for specified public records requests; providing that violations of any law providing access to public records are violations of specified provisions; requiring that certain provisions authorizing a public records exemption be repealed after a specified timeframe unless the Legislature reenacts the exemption, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/05/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 772**

**GENERAL BILL by Burgess (Identical HB 645)**

Limited Licenses for Portable Electronics and Eyewear Insurance; Renaming "portable electronics insurance" as "portable electronics and eyewear insurance" to include eyewear for purposes of insurance coverage and licenses; defining the term "eyewear", etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/05/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 774**

**GENERAL BILL by Pizzo (Identical HB 451)**

911 Public Safety Telecommunicator Employment-related Mental or Nervous Injuries; Defining the term "911 public safety telecommunicator"; providing that specified provisions relating to certain medical benefits for mental or nervous injuries for first responders also apply to 911 public safety telecommunicators, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/05/25 SENATE Filed

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**SB 776**

**GENERAL BILL by Smith**

Home Cultivation of Marijuana; Authorizing certain qualified patients to cultivate up to six flowering cannabis plants for personal consumption and noncommercial purposes; authorizing certain qualified patients to purchase medical marijuana seeds and clones from a licensed medical marijuana treatment center; providing that the personal consumption of cannabis cultivated at a qualified patient's residence is subject to specified limitations, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/05/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 778**

**GENERAL BILL by Simon (Similar HB 569)**

Forensic Services for Certain Defendants; Revising the definition of the term "forensic client" or "client", etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2026.

12/05/25 SENATE Filed

**SB 7000**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security (Similar HB 7005)**

OGSR/Persons Provided Public Emergency Shelter; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for the addresses and telephone numbers of persons provided public emergency shelter and held by the agency that provided the emergency shelter; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

10/27/25 SENATE Submitted for consideration by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security

10/27/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security, 11/04/25, 10:00 am, 301 Senate Building

11/04/25 SENATE Submitted as Committee Bill and Reported Favorably by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; YEAS 5 NAYS 0

11/04/25 SENATE Filed

11/04/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 7002**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security**

OGSR/Department of Military Affairs/United States Department of Defense;

Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by the Department of Military Affairs stored in a United States Department of Defense system of records, transmitted using a United States Department of Defense network or communications device, or pertaining to the United States Department of Defense; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

10/27/25 SENATE Submitted for consideration by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security

10/27/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security, 11/04/25, 10:00 am, 301 Senate Building

11/04/25 SENATE Submitted as Committee Bill and Reported Favorably by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; YEAS 5 NAYS 0

11/04/25 SENATE Filed

11/04/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 7004**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Criminal Justice (Identical HB 7003)**

OGSR/Conviction Integrity Unit Reinvestigation Information; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain conviction integrity unit reinvestigation information; abrogating the scheduled repeal of such exemption, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

11/10/25 SENATE Submitted for consideration by Criminal Justice

11/10/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Criminal Justice, 11/18/25, 10:00 am, 37 Senate Building

11/18/25 SENATE Submitted as Committee Bill and Reported Favorably by Criminal Justice; YEAS 7 NAYS 0

11/18/25 SENATE Filed

11/21/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 7006**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Regulated Industries (Identical HB 7009)**

OGSR/Florida Public Service Commission; Deleting the scheduled repeal of an exemption from public meeting requirements for portions of a hearing before the Florida Public Service Commission wherein certain proprietary confidential business information is discussed, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

11/10/25 SENATE Submitted for consideration by Regulated Industries

11/10/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Regulated Industries, 11/18/25, 1:00 pm, 412 Knott Building

11/18/25 SENATE Submitted as Committee Bill and Reported Favorably by Regulated Industries; YEAS 7 NAYS 0

11/20/25 SENATE Filed

11/21/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 7008**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Regulated Industries (Identical HB 7001)**

OGSR/Florida Gaming Control Commission; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records and public meeting requirements for exempt or confidential and exempt information obtained by the Florida Gaming Control Commission; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

11/10/25 SENATE Submitted for consideration by Regulated Industries

11/10/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Regulated Industries, 11/18/25, 1:00 pm, 412 Knott Building

11/18/25 SENATE Submitted as Committee Bill and Reported Favorably by Regulated Industries; YEAS 7 NAYS 0

11/20/25 SENATE Filed

11/21/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

**SB 7010**

**GENERAL BILL by Governmental Oversight and Accountability**

Roth Contribution Plans in Deferred Compensation Programs; Authorizing the state deferred compensation plan and any deferred compensation plan offered by a county, a municipality, or other political subdivision, or a county constitutional officer, to offer a qualified Roth contribution program; ratifying the actions of the Chief Financial Officer which permitted contributions to a qualified Roth contribution program under the state's deferred compensation plan; providing for retroactive application, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law.

11/24/25 SENATE Submitted for consideration by Governmental Oversight and Accountability

11/24/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Governmental Oversight and Accountability, 12/02/25, 10:00 am, 110 Senate Building

12/02/25 SENATE Submitted as Committee Bill and Reported Favorably by Governmental Oversight and Accountability; YEAS 7 NAYS 0

12/03/25 SENATE Filed

12/05/25 SENATE Referred to Appropriations

**SB 7012**

**PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL by Transportation**

OGSR/Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for information received by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles as a result of an investigation or examination of a department-authorized private rebuilt inspection provider; amending provisions which provide exemptions from public records requirements for information received by the department as a result of an investigation or examination of a person suspected of having violated certain laws, rules, or orders; removing the scheduled repeal of such exemptions, etc. Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

11/24/25 SENATE Submitted for consideration by Transportation

11/24/25 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Transportation, 12/02/25, 1:00 pm, 37 Senate Building

12/02/25 SENATE Submitted as Committee Bill and Reported Favorably by Transportation; YEAS 6 NAYS 0

12/04/25 SENATE Filed

12/05/25 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules

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**SPB 7014**

**PROPOSED COMMITTEE BILL by Commerce and Tourism**

OGSR/Department of Legal Affairs; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for information received by the Department of Legal Affairs pursuant to an investigation by the department or a law enforcement agency of violations by certain social media platforms; extending the date for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption, etc.  
Effective Date: 10/01/2026.

12/01/25    SENATE    Submitted for consideration by Commerce and Tourism  
12/01/25    SENATE    On Committee agenda-- Commerce and Tourism,  
   12/10/25, 11:30 am, 110 Senate Building

**SPB 7016**

**PROPOSED COMMITTEE BILL by Commerce and Tourism**

OGSR/Administration of Small Business Loan Programs Held by an Economic Development Agency; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain information relating to the administration of small business loan programs held by an economic development agency; deleting the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc.  
Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

12/01/25    SENATE    Submitted for consideration by Commerce and Tourism  
12/01/25    SENATE    On Committee agenda-- Commerce and Tourism,  
   12/10/25, 11:30 am, 110 Senate Building