



ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Action Packet

**Thursday, January 12, 2012
11:30 AM
Reed Hall (102 HOB)**

**Dean Cannon
Speaker**

**Dorothy L. Hukill
Chair**

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT

Economic Affairs Committee

1/12/2012 11:30:00AM

Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Summary:

Economic Affairs Committee

Thursday January 12, 2012 11:30 am

CS/HB 245	Favorable With Committee Substitute	Yeas: 13	Nays: 4
Amendment 604855	Failed to Adopt	Yeas: 5	Nays: 11
Amendment 229901	Adopted Without Objection		
Amendment 882347	Adopted Without Objection		
HB 307	Favorable	Yeas: 15	Nays: 0
CS/HB 379	Favorable With Committee Substitute	Yeas: 15	Nays: 0
Amendment 641097	Adopted Without Objection		
HB 601	Favorable	Yeas: 14	Nays: 0
HB 4019	Favorable	Yeas: 14	Nays: 0
HB 4075	Favorable	Yeas: 15	Nays: 0
HB 4097	Favorable	Yeas: 14	Nays: 0
HB 4115	Favorable	Yeas: 15	Nays: 0
HB 4117	Favorable	Yeas: 15	Nays: 0
HB 4139	Favorable	Yeas: 14	Nays: 0
HB 7023	Favorable With Committee Substitute	Yeas: 10	Nays: 6
Amendment 911825	Adopted Without Objection		
Amendment 717981	Adopted Without Objection		
PCS for HB 289	Favorable	Yeas: 15	Nays: 0

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Attendance:

	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Excused</i>
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X		
Frank Artiles	X		
Jim Boyd	X		
Brad Drake			X
Joseph Gibbons	X		
Doug Holder	X		
Mike Horner	X		
Evan Jenne	X		
Peter Nehr	X		
Bryan Nelson	X		
Jeanette Nuñez	X		
Steven Perman	X		
Ronald Renuart	X		
Kenneth Roberson	X		
Irving Slosberg	X		
Geraldine Thompson	X		
James Waldman	X		
Ritch Workman	X		
Totals:	17	0	1

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

CS/HB 245 : Depopulation Programs of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation

Favorable With Committee Substitute

	Yea	Nay	No Vote	Absentee Yea	Absentee Nay
Frank Artiles		X			
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne		X			
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez	X				
Steven Perman		X			
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg		X			
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 13		Total Nays: 4			

CS/HB 245 Amendments

Amendment 604855

Failed to Adopt

	Yea	Nay	No Vote	Absentee Yea	Absentee Nay
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd		X			
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons		X			
Doug Holder			X		
Mike Horner		X			
Evan Jenne	X				
Peter Nehr		X			
Bryan Nelson		X			
Jeanette Nuñez		X			
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart		X			
Kenneth Roberson		X			
Irving Slosberg	X				
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman		X			
Ritch Workman		X			

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CS/HB 245 : Depopulation Programs of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation (continued)

Amendment 604855

Failed to Adopt

Dorothy Hukill (Chair)

X

Total Yays: 5

Total Nays: 11

Amendment 229901

Adopted Without Objection

Amendment 882347

Adopted Without Objection

Appearances:

Depopulation Programs of Citizens Property Insurance

Garcia, Reggie (Lobbyist) - Opponent

Florida Justice Association

P.O Box 11069

Tallahassee FL 32302

Phone: (850)933-7150

Depopulation Programs of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation

Mang, Douglas (Lobbyist) - Opponent

Florida Surplus Lines Association

660 E Jefferson Street

Tallahassee FL 32301

Phone: 850-222-7710

Depopulation Programs of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation

Stevens, Monte (Lobbyist) (State Employee) - Opponent

OIR

200 E Gaines Street

Tallahassee FL

Phone: 850-413-2571

Depopulation Programs of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation

Neal, Jay - Opponent

Executive Director, FAIR

7640 Military Trail

Lake Worth FL

Phone: 888-745-5551

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CS/HB 245 : Depopulation Programs of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation (continued)

Appearances: (continued)

Depopulation Programs of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation

Welch, David - Opponent

Regional Director, FAIR

7640 Military Trail

Lake Worth FL

Phone: 888-745-5551

Depopulation Programs of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation

Meenan, Timothy (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support

Geovera Insurance Company

204 S Monroe Street

Tallahassee FL 32312

Phone: 850-681-6710

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

HB 307 : Workers' Compensation Certificate-of-exemption Process

Favorable

	Yea	Nay	No Vote	Absentee Yea	Absentee Nay
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne	X				
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez			X		
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg			X		
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 15		Total Nays: 0			

Appearances:

Workers' Compensation Certificate-Of-Exemption Process
Mayer, Ashley (Lobbyist) (State Employee) - Waive In Support
Department of Financial Services
Capitol
Tallahassee Florida 32399
Phone: 413-4938

Workers' Compensation Certificate-Of-Exemption Process
Ulrich, Kyle (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
SVP Public Affairs, Florida Association of Insurance Agents
3159 Shamrock S
Tallahassee FL 32309
Phone: 850-893-4155

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

CS/HB 379 : Captive Insurance

Favorable With Committee Substitute

	Yea	Nay	No Vote	Absentee Yea	Absentee Nay
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne	X				
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez			X		
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg			X		
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 15		Total Nays: 0			

CS/HB 379 Amendments

Amendment 641097

Adopted Without Objection

Appearances:

Captive Insurance

McCarty, Jess (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support

Miami-Dade County

111 NW 1st St

Miami FL 33128

Phone: (305)375-1634

Captive Insurance

Reeves, Teye (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support

Policy Director, Florida Chamber of Commerce

136 S. Bronough Street

Tallahassee FL

Phone: 850-521-1235

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CS/HB 379 : Captive Insurance (continued)

Appearances: (continued)

Captive Insurance

Preston, Michael (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support

Director of Government Relations, Enterprise Florida, Inc

325 John Knox Road

Tallahassee FL 32303

Phone: 850-298-6620

Captive Insurance

Arango, Ivette (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support

The Beacon Council

80 SW 8thSt, Suite 2400

Miami FL

Phone: 305-345-7746

Vecchioli, Beth (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support

Senior Government Consultant, The Beacon Council

215 S Monroe Street, Suite 500

Tallahassee FL 32301

Phone: (850)224-1585

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

HB 601 : Sebastian Inlet Tax District, Brevard and Indian River Counties

Favorable

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne				X	
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez			X		
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg			X		
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 14		Total Nays: 0			

Appearances:

Sebastian Inlet Tax District, Brevard & Indian River Counties

Lyon, Chris (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support

Sebastian Inlet Tax District

315 S Calhoun Street, Suite 830

Tallahassee FL 32309

Phone: 850-222-5702

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

HB 4019 : Repeal of Workers' Compensation Reporting Requirement

Favorable

	Yea	Nay	No Vote	Absentee Yea	Absentee Nay
Frank Artiles				X	
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne	X				
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez			X		
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg			X		
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 14		Total Nays: 0			

Appearances:

Repeal of Workers' Compensation Reporting Requirement

Perry, Gail Marie (General Public) - Opponent

Chair, Communications Workers of America Council of Florida

P O Box 1766

Pompano Beach FL 33061

Phone: 954-850-4055

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

HB 4075 : Charlotte County

Favorable

	Yea	Nay	No Vote	Absentee Yea	Absentee Nay
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne	X				
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez			X		
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg			X		
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 15		Total Nays: 0			

Appearances:

Charlotte County

Skidmore, Robert - Proponent

Commissioner, Charlotte County Government

18500 Murdock Circle

Port Charlotte FLO 33948

Phone: 941-628-0094

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

HB 4097 : Barbering

Favorable

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd				X	
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne	X				
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez			X		
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg			X		
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 14		Total Nays: 0			

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

HB 4115 : Cigarette Metering and Vending Machines

Favorable

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne	X				
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez			X		
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg			X		
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 15		Total Nays: 0			

Appearances:

Cigarette Metering and Vending Machines

Nungesser, Tim (Lobbyist) (State Employee) - Waive In Support

Legislative Affairs Director

1940 N. Monroe Street

Tallahassee Florida 32399

Phone: 850-445-5367

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

HB 4117 : Professional Geologists

Favorable

	Yea	Nay	No Vote	Absentee Yea	Absentee Nay
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne	X				
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nufiez			X		
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg			X		
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 15		Total Nays: 0			

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

HB 4139 : Repeal of Health Insurance Provisions

Favorable

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner			X		
Evan Jenne				X	
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez			X		
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg	X				
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 14		Total Nays: 0			

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HB 7023 : Regional Workforce Boards

Favorable With Committee Substitute

	Yea	Nay	No Vote	Absentee Yea	Absentee Nay
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons		X			
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne		X			
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez			X		
Steven Perman		X			
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg		X			
Geraldine Thompson		X			
James Waldman		X			
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 10		Total Nays: 6			

HB 7023 Amendments

Amendment 911825

Adopted Without Objection

Amendment 717981

Adopted Without Objection

Appearances:

Regional Workforce Boards

Poole, Eric (Lobbyist) - Information Only

Florida Association of Counties

PO Box 549

Tallahassee FL 32302

Phone: (850)922-4300

Regional Workforce Boards

West, Ryan (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support

Policy Director, Florida Chamber of Commerce

136 S. Bronough

Tallahassee Florida 32301

Phone: 850-521-1251

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HB 7023 : Regional Workforce Boards (continued)

Appearances: (continued)

Regional Workforce Boards

Lorenzo, Cynthia (Lobbyist) (State Employee) - Proponent

Chief Operating Officer, Dept. of Economic Opportunity

107 E Madison St

Tallahassee FL 32399

Phone: 850-245-7114

Regional Workforce Boards

Hart, Chris - Waive In Support

Workforce Florida

1580 Waldo Palmer Drive

Tallahassee Florida 32308

Phone: 850-414-7640

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

PCS for HB 289 : Transportation Facility Designations

Favorable

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Frank Artiles	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Brad Drake			X		
Joseph Gibbons	X				
Doug Holder	X				
Mike Horner	X				
Evan Jenne	X				
Peter Nehr	X				
Bryan Nelson	X				
Jeanette Nuñez			X		
Steven Perman	X				
Ronald Renuart	X				
Kenneth Roberson	X				
Irving Slosberg			X		
Geraldine Thompson	X				
James Waldman	X				
Ritch Workman	X				
Dorothy Hukill (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 15		Total Nays: 0			

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