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The House was called to order by the Speaker at 2:00 p.m.

The following members were recorded present:

Prayer

The following prayer was offered by Pastor Danielle Stewart of Evergreen Church of Tallahassee, upon invitation of the Speaker:

Dear Father, may Your name be kept holy. I ask that You bless the Florida House of Representatives today, that You not only bless them as a legislative body, but also as individuals called to administrate and rule in the affairs of our state.

I thank You, God, that You desire to share wisdom and understanding with our legislators as they do their work today.

Proverbs 3:18-19 says that "wisdom is a tree of life to those who embrace her. Happy are those who hold her tightly. By wisdom the Lord founded the earth. By understanding he created the heavens." We ask for this powerful wisdom and understanding to be shared with this body as they make important decisions, even as they debate and vote on the state budget bill.

We invoke Your holy Spirit and welcome the presence of God to pour out the spirit of wisdom and understanding upon everyone here today.

We ask that there would be strong collaboration in the spirit of collegiality among our legislators as they parse through each part of the budget bill. And I ask, Father, that You would give them a divine sense of priority and insight in how to fit everything together as they come to a vote.

Thank You for giving them all the tools and strategies they need to be successful, and thank You for their service to the people of Florida. May You meet any personal needs represented here, and lift any burdens weighing on anyone's heart. And now may the peace of Jesus come and rest upon everyone.

In His name, Amen.

Moment of Silence

The Speaker recognized Speaker *pro tempore* Clemons to offer a moment of silence at the request of the following members:

On behalf of Reps. Overdorf and Trabulsy, the House honored Florida Highway Patrol Trooper Zachary Fink, who passed away on February 2, 2024, on Interstate 95, while in pursuit of a suspect fleeing a traffic stop.

On behalf of Rep. Smith, the House honored United States Marine Corps Captain Art Littlefield, retired, who passed away on January 27, 2024. Captain Littlefield was deployed to the Korean Peninsula and was later commissioned as an officer. He successfully led his company in combat in 1968 in South Vietnam.

Session Vote Sequence: 575

Speaker Renner in the Chair.

Yeas—115

Abbott	Chamberlin	Holcomb	Rizo
Altman	Chambliss	Hunschofsky	Roach
Amesty	Chaney	Jacques	Robinson, F.
Anderson	Clemons	Keen	Robinson, W.
Andrade	Cross	Killebrew	Rommel
Antone	Daley	Koster	Roth
Arrington	Daniels	LaMarca	Rudman
Baker	Driskell	Leek	Salzman
Bankson	Duggan	López, J.	Shoaf
Barnaby	Dunkley	Lopez, V.	Silvers
Bartleman	Edmonds	Maney	Sirois
Basabe	Eskamani	Massullo	Skidmore
Bell	Esposito	McClain	Smith
Beltran	Fabricio	McClure	Snyder
Benjamin	Fine	McFarland	Stark
Berfield	Franklin	Melo	Stevenson
Black	Gantt	Michael	Tant
Borrero	Garcia	Mooney	Temple
Botana	Garrison	Nixon	Tomkow
Brackett	Giallombardo	Overdorf	Trabulsy
Bracy Davis	Gonzalez Pittman	Payne	Truenow
Brannan	Gossett-Seidman	Perez	Tuck
Buchanan	Gottlieb	Persons-Mulicka	Valdés
Busatta Cabrera	Grant	Plakon	Waldron
Campbell	Gregory	Plascencia	Williams
Canady	Griffitts	Porras	Woodson
Caruso	Harris	Rayner	Yarkosky
Casello	Hart	Redondo	Yeager
Cassel	Hinson	Renner	

Nays—None

(A list of excused members appears at the end of the *Journal*.)

A quorum was present.

Pledge

The members, led by the following, pledged allegiance to the Flag: Ocean Johnson of Jensen Beach at the invitation of Rep. Snyder; Malcolm A. Kramer of Orlando at the invitation of Rep. Eskamani; Sawyer C. Leedham of Port St. Lucie at the invitation of Rep. Fabricio; Catherine M. Oliver of Punta Gorda at the invitation of Rep. Grant; Melvin K. Screen III of Miami at the invitation of Rep. Gantt; and Kavyaa Sinha of Tampa at the invitation of Rep. Bell.

Correction of the *Journal*

The *Journal* of February 7, 2024, was corrected and approved as corrected.

Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading

HB 5001—A bill to be entitled An act making appropriations; providing moneys for the annual period beginning July 1, 2024, and ending June 30, 2025, and supplemental appropriations for the period ending June 30, 2024, to pay salaries and other expenses, capital outlay—buildings and other improvements, and for other specified purposes of the various agencies of state government; providing effective dates.

—was read the third time by title.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE IN THE CHAIR

The question recurred on passage of **HB 5001**. The vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 576

Representative Clemons in the Chair.

Yeas—112

Abbott	Chamberlin	Hinson	Renner
Altman	Chambliss	Holcomb	Rizo
Amesty	Chaney	Hunschofsky	Roach
Anderson	Clemons	Jacques	Robinson, F.
Andrade	Cross	Keen	Robinson, W.
Arrington	Daley	Killebrew	Rommel
Baker	Daniels	Koster	Roth
Bankson	Driskell	LaMarca	Rudman
Barnaby	Duggan	Leek	Salzman
Bartleman	Dunkley	López, J.	Shoaf
Basabe	Edmonds	Lopez, V.	Silvers
Bell	Eskamani	Maney	Sirois
Beltran	Esposito	Massullo	Skidmore
Benjamin	Fabricio	McClain	Smith
Berfield	Fine	McClure	Snyder
Black	Franklin	McFarland	Stark
Borrero	Gantt	Melo	Stevenson
Botana	Garcia	Michael	Tant
Brackett	Garrison	Mooney	Temple
Bracy Davis	Giallombardo	Overdorf	Tomkow
Brannan	Gonzalez Pittman	Payne	Trabulsy
Buchanan	Gossett-Seidman	Perez	Truenow
Busatta Cabrera	Gottlieb	Persons-Mulicka	Tuck
Campbell	Grant	Plakon	Valdés
Canady	Gregory	Plasencia	Waldron
Caruso	Griffitts	Porras	Williams
Casello	Harris	Rayner	Woodson
Cassel	Hart	Redondo	Yeager

Nays—2

Antone	Nixon
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Votes after roll call:

Yeas—Yarkosky

So the bill passed and was certified to the Senate.

HB 5003—A bill to be entitled An act implementing the 2024-2025 General Appropriations Act; providing legislative intent; incorporating by reference certain calculations of the Florida Education Finance Program; requiring a specified school district to use a taxable value provided by the Department of Revenue; requiring such value be used for certain remaining calculations for a specified fiscal year; providing an expiration date; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration, in consultation with the Department of Health, to submit a budget amendment to realign funding for specified purposes; specifying requirements for such realignment; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to request nonoperating budget authority for transferring certain federal funds to the Department of Health; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to submit a budget amendment to realign Medicaid funding for specified purposes, subject to certain limitations; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to submit a budget amendment to realign funding for a specified purpose within a specified fiscal year; specifying requirements for such realignment; authorizing the Agency for Health Care

Administration and the Department of Health to each submit a budget amendment to realign funding within the Florida Kidcare program appropriation categories or increase budget authority for certain purposes; specifying the time period within which each budget amendment must be submitted; amending s. 381.986, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the exemption of certain rules pertaining to the medical use of marijuana from certain rulemaking requirements; amending s. 14(1), ch. 2017-232, Laws of Florida; exempting certain rules pertaining to medical marijuana adopted to replace emergency rules from specified rulemaking requirements; providing for the future expiration and reversion of specified law; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to submit budget amendments seeking additional spending authority to implement specified programs and payments; requiring institutions participating in a specified workforce expansion and education program to provide quarterly reports to the agency; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to submit budget amendments for a specified purpose; requiring such amendment include executed Letters of Agreement from a specified fiscal year providing certain information; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to submit a budget amendment seeking additional spending authority to implement the Low Income Pool component of the Florida Managed Medical Assistance Demonstration; requiring a signed attestation and acknowledgment for entities relating to the Low Income Pool; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to submit a budget amendment to implement certain payments and specified programs; requiring such amendment include executed Letters of Agreement from a specified fiscal year providing certain information; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to submit a budget amendment requesting additional spending authority to implement a specified program; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to submit a budget amendment for implement a specified program; requiring such amendment include specified information; authorizing the Department of Children and Families to submit a budget amendment to realign funding within the specified areas of the department based on implementation of the Guardianship Assistance Program; authorizing the Department of Children and Families, Department of Health, and Agency for Health Care Administration to submit budget amendments to increase budget authority to support certain refugee programs; requiring the Department of Children and Families to submit quarterly reports to the Executive Office of the Governor and the Legislature; authorizing the Department of Children and Families to submit budget amendments to increase budget authority to support specified federal grant programs; authorizing the Department of Health to submit a budget amendment to increase budget authority for the Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) and the Child Care Food Program if a certain condition is met; authorizing the Department of Health to submit a budget amendment to increase budget authority for the HIV/AIDS Prevention and Treatment Program if a certain condition is met; authorizing the Department of Health to submit a budget amendment to increase budget authority for the department if additional federal revenues specific to COVID-19 relief funds become available; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to replace the Florida Medicaid Management Information System (FMMIS) and fiscal agent operations with a specified new system; specifying items that may not be included in the new system; providing directives to the Agency for Health Care Administration related to the new system, the Florida Health Care Connection (FX) system; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to meet certain requirements in replacing FMMIS and the current Medicaid fiscal agent; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to implement a project governance structure that includes an executive steering committee; providing procedures for use by the executive steering committee; providing responsibilities of the executive steering committee; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration, in consultation with the Department of Health, the Agency for Persons with Disabilities, the Department of Children and Families, and the Department of Corrections, to competitively procure a contract with a vendor to negotiate prices for certain prescribed drugs and biological products; providing requirements for such contract; authorizing the Agency for Persons with Disabilities to submit budget amendments to transfer funding from the Salaries and Benefits appropriation categories for a specified purpose; authorizing the Agency for Persons with Disabilities, in

consultation with the Agency for Health Care Administration, to submit a budget amendment for a specified purpose; amending s. 216.262, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the authority of the Department of Corrections to submit a budget amendment for additional positions and appropriations under certain circumstances; requiring review and approval by the Legislative Budget Commission; amending s. 215.18, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the authority and related repayment requirements for temporary trust fund loans to the state court system which are sufficient to meet the system's appropriation; requiring the Department of Juvenile Justice to review county juvenile detention payments to determine whether a county has met specified financial responsibilities; requiring amounts owed by the county for such financial responsibilities to be deducted from certain county funds; requiring the Department of Revenue to transfer withheld funds to a specified trust fund; requiring the Department of Revenue to ensure that such reductions in amounts distributed do not reduce distributions below amounts necessary for certain payments due on bonds and to comply with bond covenants; requiring the Department of Revenue to notify the Department of Juvenile Justice if bond payment requirements mandate a reduction in deductions for amounts owed by a county; reenacting s. 27.40(1), (2)(a), (3)(a), (5), (6), and (7), F.S., relating to court-appointed counsel; extending for 1 fiscal year provisions governing the appointment of court-appointed counsel; providing for the future expiration and reversion of specified statutory text; reenacting and amending s. 27.5304, F.S.; revising compensation limits for representation pursuant to a court appointment for specified proceedings; extending for 1 fiscal year limitations on compensation for representation in criminal proceedings; providing for the future expiration and reversion of specified statutory text; requiring the Department of Management Services to use tenant broker services to renegotiate or reprocure certain private lease agreements for office or storage space; requiring the Department of Management Services to provide a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; prohibiting an agency from transferring funds from a data processing category to another category that is not a data processing category; authorizing the Executive Office of the Governor to transfer funds between departments for purposes of aligning amounts paid for risk management insurance and for human resources services purchased per statewide contract; authorizing the Department of Management Services to use certain facility disposition funds from the Architects Incidental Trust Fund to pay for certain relocation expenses; authorizing the Department of Management Services to submit budget amendments for certain purposes related to the relocation; authorizing the Department of Management Services to acquire additional state-owned office buildings or property for inclusion in the Florida Facilities Pool; requiring the Department of Financial Services to replace specified components of the Florida Accounting Information Resource Subsystem (FLAIR) and the Cash Management Subsystem (CMS); specifying certain actions to be taken by the Department of Financial Services regarding FLAIR and CMS replacement; providing for the composition of an executive steering committee to oversee FLAIR and CMS replacement; prescribing duties and responsibilities of the executive steering committee; reenacting s. 282.709(3), F.S., relating to the state agency law enforcement radio system and interoperability network; providing for future expiration and reversion of specified statutory text; authorizing state agencies and other eligible users of the Statewide Law Enforcement Radio System to use the Department of Management Services contract to purchase equipment and services; requiring a specified transaction fee percentage for use of the online procurement system; amending s. 24.105, F.S.; specifying how Department of the Lottery rules are to be adopted, except certain rules for 1 fiscal year regarding the commission for lottery ticket sales; limiting additional retailer compensation in a specified manner; providing for the future expiration and reversion of specified statutory text; amending s. 627.351, F.S.; extending for 1 year the specified authority of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; amending s. 110.116, F.S.; directing the Department of Management Services to renew a specified contract with a current vendor for a specified period of time with certain conditions; requiring the Department of Management Services submit a specified planning and cost estimate to specified parties by a certain date; authorizing the Executive Office of the Governor to transfer certain funds between departments to align costs; prohibiting certain contract management services from exceeding a certain amount; creating s. 284.51, F.S.; creating a

specified pilot program for a certain purpose; providing definitions; directing the Division of Risk Management at the Department of Financial Services to select a provider for such program; providing program eligibility; providing requirements for choosing a provider; requiring rulemaking; amending s. 215.18, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the authority of the Governor, if there is a specified temporary deficiency in a land acquisition trust fund in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of State, or the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, to transfer funds from other trust funds in the State Treasury as a temporary loan to such trust fund; providing a deadline for the repayment of a temporary loan; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to transfer designated proportions of the revenues deposited in the Land Acquisition Trust Fund within the department to land acquisition trust funds in the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, the Department of State, and the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission according to specified parameters and calculations; defining the term "department"; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to make transfers to land acquisition trust funds monthly; specifying the method of determining transfer amounts; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to advance funds from its land acquisition trust fund to the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's land acquisition trust fund for specified purposes; reenacting s. 376.3071(15)(g), F.S., relating to the Inland Protection Trust Fund; exempting specified costs incurred by certain petroleum storage system owners or operators during a specified period from the prohibition against making payments in excess of amounts approved by the Department of Environmental Protection; providing for the future expiration and reversion of specified statutory text; amending s. 259.105, F.S.; providing that proceeds from a specified trust fund shall be distributed as provided in the General Appropriations Act; amending s. 10, ch. 2022-272, Laws of Florida; extending the Hurricane Restoration Reimbursement Grant Program for 1 fiscal year; revising reimbursement and cost sharing for specified projects; authorizing specified entities to apply for certain funds that meet specified requirements; providing purpose of such funding; requiring funding to be distributed in a specified manner; providing applicability; revising the expiration date for certain emergency rules; authorizing the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to use specified funds to provide grants for a specified purpose; amending s. 321.04, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the requirement that the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles assign one or more patrol officers to the office of Lieutenant Governor for security purposes, upon request of the Governor; extending for 1 fiscal year the requirement that the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles assign a patrol officer to a Cabinet member under certain circumstances; amending s. 288.80125, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year a requirement that funds in the Triumph Gulf Coast Trust Fund be related to Hurricane Michael recovery; reenacting s. 288.8013, F.S., relating to the Triumph Gulf Coast, Inc. Trust Fund; providing for the future expiration and reversion of specified statutory text; amending s. 339.08, F.S.; extending 1 fiscal year the appropriations of certain funds to the State Transportation Trust Fund from the General Revenue Fund as provided in the General Appropriations Act; amending s. 339.135, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the authority for the chair and vice chair of the Legislative Budget Commission to approve certain work program amendments under specified circumstances; amending s. 250.245, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the Florida National Guard Joint Enlistment Enhancement Program within the Department of Military Affairs; amending s. 288.0655, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year a requirement that certain appropriated funds relating to the Rural Infrastructure Fund be distributed in a specified manner; authorizing the Division of Emergency Management to submit budget amendments to increase budget authority for certain project expenditures; amending s. 112.061, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the authorization for the Lieutenant Governor to designate an alternative official headquarters under certain conditions; specifying restrictions, limitations, eligibility for the subsistence allowance, reimbursement of transportation expenses, and payment thereof; requiring the Department of Management Services to maintain and offer the same health insurance options for participants of the State Group Health Insurance Program for the 2024-2025 fiscal year as applied in the preceding fiscal year; requiring the Department of Management Services to assess an administrative health

insurance assessment on each state agency; providing the rate of such assessment; defining the term "state agency"; providing how a state agency shall remit certain funds; requiring the Department of Management Services to take certain actions in case of delinquencies; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to transfer funds under specified circumstances; providing an exception; requiring state agencies to provide a list of positions that qualify for such exception by a specified date and to update the list monthly thereafter; requiring state agencies to include the administrative health insurance assessment in their indirect cost plan; requiring agencies to notify the Department of Management Services regarding the approval of their updated indirect cost plans; authorizing the Executive Office of the Governor to transfer budget authority between agencies in specified circumstances; providing that the annual salaries of the members of the Legislature be maintained at a specified level; providing an exception; reenacting s. 215.32(2)(b), F.S., relating to the authorization for transferring unappropriated cash balances from selected trust funds to the Budget Stabilization Fund and General Revenue Fund; providing for future expiration and reversion of specific statutory text; specifying the type of travel which may be used with state employee travel funds; providing exceptions; providing a monetary cap on lodging costs for state employee travel to certain meetings organized or sponsored by a state agency or the judicial branch; authorizing employees to expend their own funds for lodging expenses that exceed the monetary caps; amending s. 216.181, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the authority of the Legislative Budget Commission to approve budget amendments for certain fixed capital outlay projects; amending s. 216.292, F.S.; extending for 1 fiscal year the requirements for certain transfers; a authorizing state agencies to purchase vehicles from nonstate term contract vendors without prior approval from the Department of Management Services under certain circumstances; authorizing the Department of Management Services, the Executive Office of the Governor, the Commissioner of Agriculture, the Chief Financial Officer, the Legislature, and the Attorney General to enter into specified leases as a lessee without having to advertise or receive competitive solicitations; amending s. 110.12315, F.S.; revising the plan year during which the Department of Management Services must implement formulary management; revising an exception for drugs excluded from such formulary; revising the date after which drugs may not be covered by the prescription drug program until a certain event occurs; providing for future expiration and reversion of specific statutory text; authorizing the Executive Office of the Governor's Office of Policy and Budget to submit a budget amendment to the Legislative Budget Commission to realign certain funding for specified categories by a specified date; providing requirements for such realignment; authorizing the annual salary rate for certain entities be controlled at the budget entity level; providing conditions under which the veto of certain appropriations or proviso language in the General Appropriations Act voids language that implements such appropriation; providing for the continued operation of certain provisions notwithstanding a future repeal or expiration provided by the act; providing severability; providing for contingent retroactivity; providing effective dates.

—was read the third time by title. On passage, the vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 577

Representative Clemons in the Chair.

Yeas—115

Abbott	Bell	Campbell	Driskell
Altman	Beltran	Canady	Duggan
Amesty	Benjamin	Caruso	Dunkley
Anderson	Berfield	Casello	Edmonds
Andrade	Black	Cassel	Eskamani
Antone	Borrero	Chamberlin	Esposito
Arrington	Botana	Chambliss	Fabricio
Baker	Brackett	Chaney	Fine
Bankson	Bracy Davis	Clemons	Franklin
Barnaby	Brannan	Cross	Gantt
Bartleman	Buchanan	Daley	Garcia
Basabe	Busatta Cabrera	Daniels	Garrison

Giallombardo	Leek	Plasencia	Smith
Gonzalez Pittman	López, J.	Porras	Snyder
Gossett-Seidman	Lopez, V.	Rayner	Stark
Gottlieb	Maney	Redondo	Stevenson
Grant	Massullo	Renner	Tant
Gregory	McClain	Rizo	Temple
Griffitts	McClure	Roach	Tomkow
Harris	McFarland	Robinson, F.	Trabulsy
Hart	Melo	Robinson, W.	Truenow
Hinson	Michael	Rommel	Tuck
Holcomb	Mooney	Roth	Valdés
Hunchofsky	Nixon	Rudman	Waldron
Jacques	Overdorf	Salzman	Williams
Keen	Payne	Shoaf	Woodson
Killebrew	Perez	Silvers	Yarkosky
Koster	Persons-Mulicka	Sirois	Yeager
LaMarca	Plakon	Skidmore	

Nays—None

Explanation of Vote for Sequence Number 577

I do not believe that Florida needs to continue funding what is an unnecessary and intentionally cruel program that traffics asylum seekers. We also need to stop funding litigation to defend unconstitutional bills. I would instead recommend that we just not pass unconstitutional bills and allocate those funds towards meeting the needs of everyday Floridians. There are also parts of the budget where we are missing important funding needs, like rental assistance and additional support to eliminate the APD wait list. Parts of the budget that I do support are arts and culture funding -- but even there we need to boost funding for programs to be funded at 100%. I would be remiss if I also did not recognize the funding disparities between Republicans and Democrats in our funding requests. Right now, there are 853 Republican projects funded, and only 140 Democratic projects funded. This is only the draft budget, so I voted yes knowing that there is time and room for improvement.

*Rep. Anna V. Eskamani
District 42*

So the bill passed and was certified to the Senate.

HB 5005—A bill to be entitled An act relating to collective bargaining; providing for resolution pursuant to specified instructions of collective bargaining issues at impasse between the state and certified representatives of the bargaining units for state employees; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title. On passage, the vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 578

Representative Clemons in the Chair.

Yeas—115

Abbott	Buchanan	Franklin	López, J.
Altman	Busatta Cabrera	Gantt	Lopez, V.
Amesty	Campbell	Garcia	Maney
Anderson	Canady	Garrison	Massullo
Andrade	Caruso	Giallombardo	McClain
Antone	Casello	Gonzalez Pittman	McClure
Arrington	Cassel	Gossett-Seidman	McFarland
Baker	Chamberlin	Gottlieb	Melo
Bankson	Chambliss	Grant	Michael
Barnaby	Chaney	Gregory	Mooney
Bartleman	Clemons	Griffitts	Nixon
Basabe	Cross	Harris	Overdorf
Bell	Daley	Hart	Payne
Beltran	Daniels	Hinson	Perez
Benjamin	Driskell	Holcomb	Persons-Mulicka
Berfield	Duggan	Hunchofsky	Plakon
Black	Dunkley	Jacques	Plasencia
Borrero	Edmonds	Keen	Porras
Botana	Eskamani	Killebrew	Rayner
Brackett	Esposito	Koster	Redondo
Bracy Davis	Fabricio	LaMarca	Renner
Brannan	Fine	Leek	Rizo

Roach	Shoaf	Stevenson	Valdés
Robinson, F.	Silvers	Tant	Waldron
Robinson, W.	Sirois	Temple	Williams
Rommel	Skidmore	Tomkow	Woodson
Roth	Smith	Trabulsy	Yarkosky
Rudman	Snyder	Truenow	Yeager
Salzman	Stark	Tuck	

Nays—None

So the bill passed and was certified to the Senate.

HB 5007—A bill to be entitled An act relating to compensation of elected officers and judges; amending s. 11.13, F.S.; removing provisions specifying and providing for an annual adjustment of the annual salaries of members of the Senate and the House of Representatives; requiring the Legislature to establish annual salaries for elected officers and judges in a certain manner beginning in a certain fiscal year; specifying minimum annual salaries; authorizing the voluntary reduction of such salaries; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title. On passage, the vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 579

Representative Clemons in the Chair.

Yeas—79

Abbott	Chamberlin	LaMarca	Roach
Altman	Chaney	Leek	Robinson, W.
Amesty	Clemons	Lopez, V.	Rommel
Anderson	Duggan	Maney	Roth
Andrade	Edmonds	Massullo	Rudman
Bankson	Esposito	McClain	Salzman
Barnaby	Fabricio	McClure	Shoaf
Basabe	Fine	McFarland	Sirois
Bell	Franklin	Melo	Smith
Beltran	Garrison	Michael	Snyder
Benjamin	Giallombardo	Mooney	Stark
Berfield	Gonzalez Pittman	Overdorf	Stevenson
Black	Gossett-Seidman	Payne	Temple
Borrero	Grant	Perez	Tomkow
Botana	Gregory	Persons-Mulicka	Trabulsy
Brackett	Griffitts	Plakon	Truenow
Brannan	Holcomb	Plasencia	Tuck
Buchanan	Jacques	Redondo	Yarkosky
Busatta Cabrera	Killebrew	Renner	Yeager
Caruso	Koster	Rizo	

Nays—35

Antone	Cross	Harris	Robinson, F.
Arrington	Daley	Hart	Silvers
Baker	Daniels	Hinson	Skidmore
Bartleman	Driskell	Hunschofsky	Tant
Bracy Davis	Dunkley	Keen	Valdés
Campbell	Eskamani	López, J.	Waldron
Casello	Gantt	Nixon	Williams
Cassel	Garcia	Porras	Woodson
Chambliss	Gottlieb	Rayner	

Explanation of Vote for Sequence Number 579

The Governor already benefits from living in a mansion with some of the best health insurance in the state. Before we increase the salary of this position, let us take care of Floridians and ensure the economic security of our constituents.

*Rep. Anna V. Eskamani
District 42*

So the bill passed and was certified to the Senate.

HB 5101—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 1002.31, F.S.; providing for certain students to receive a stipend for

transportation to certain public schools, subject to legislative appropriation; providing eligibility requirements; providing requirements for the award and distribution of the stipends; providing duties for the Department of Education; providing for the amount of the stipend; providing that each household may only receive one stipend; providing that the stipend is not taxable income; providing liability; amending s. 1002.32, F.S.; revising the list of universities exempt from a certain limitation relating to charter lab schools; deleting the Lab School Educational Facility Trust Fund; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; revising provisions relating to budget projections for charter schools; requiring charter schools to report full-time equivalent student membership rather than student enrollments for funding purposes; providing that a specified funding calculation applies to charter schools sponsored by a school district; authorizing charter schools to receive specified funding under certain circumstances; providing that funding for students enrolled in charter schools sponsored by state universities or Florida College System institutions is provided in the Florida Education Finance Program and General Appropriations Act; providing calculations for such funding; providing for the recalculation of such funding; providing a calculation for such charter school's capital outlay funding; deleting charter school eligibility for a specified incentive program; amending s. 1002.394, F.S.; revising the authorized uses of funds from the Family Empowerment Scholarship Program; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1002.395, F.S.; revising authorized uses of funds from the Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 1002.68, F.S.; revising the program year for the Department of Education to adopt a specified methodology for the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program; revising the program year that specified provisions take effect relating to program providers and public schools; deleting provisions relating to program providers and public schools assessment composite scores; amending s. 1006.27, F.S.; deleting the Driving Choice Grant Program; amending s. 1008.25, F.S.; revising the criteria for a student to be referred to his or her local school district to receive specified early literacy support; requiring such students to receive such support through a certain summer bridge program; providing requirements for such program; deleting a requirement for certain students with an individual education plan to receive instruction in early literacy skills; amending s. 1011.62, F.S.; revising specified percentages within the Florida Education Finance Program; providing that certain charter schools are eligible for the state-funded discretionary contribution; providing requirements for the calculation of the base amount for school districts' educational enrichment allocation; amending s. 1011.765, F.S.; including specified organizations and foundations as public school district education foundations for specified purposes; amending s. 1013.62, F.S.; providing that charter schools sponsored by Florida College System institutions and state universities are ineligible for specified funding; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title. On passage, the vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 580

Representative Clemons in the Chair.

Yeas—114

Abbott	Black	Clemons	Gonzalez Pittman
Altman	Borrero	Cross	Gossett-Seidman
Amesty	Botana	Daley	Gottlieb
Anderson	Brackett	Daniels	Grant
Andrade	Bracy Davis	Driskell	Gregory
Antone	Brannan	Duggan	Griffitts
Arrington	Buchanan	Edmonds	Harris
Baker	Busatta Cabrera	Eskamani	Hart
Bankson	Campbell	Esposito	Hinson
Barnaby	Canady	Fabricio	Holcomb
Bartleman	Caruso	Fine	Hunschofsky
Basabe	Casello	Franklin	Jacques
Bell	Cassel	Gantt	Keen
Beltran	Chamberlin	Garcia	Killebrew
Benjamin	Chambliss	Garrison	Koster
Berfield	Chaney	Giallombardo	LaMarca

Leek	Payne	Rommel	Temple
López, J.	Perez	Roth	Tomkow
Lopez, V.	Persons-Mulicka	Rudman	Trabulsy
Maney	Plakon	Salzman	Truenow
Massullo	Plasencia	Shoaf	Tuck
McClain	Porras	Silvers	Valdés
McClure	Rayner	Sirois	Waldron
McFarland	Redondo	Skidmore	Williams
Melo	Renner	Smith	Woodson
Michael	Rizo	Snyder	Yarkosky
Mooney	Roach	Stark	Yeager
Nixon	Robinson, F.	Stevenson	
Overdorf	Robinson, W.	Tant	

Nays—None

So the bill passed and was certified to the Senate.

HB 5201—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; creating s. 16.717, F.S.; creating the Federal Law Enforcement Trust Fund within the Florida Gaming Control Commission; providing for sources of funds and purpose; authorizing any unexpended balance at a specified time to remain in such trust fund for certain purpose; providing for future review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title. On passage, the vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 581

Representative Clemons in the Chair.

Yeas—114			
Abbott	Chamberlin	Hunschofsky	Roach
Altman	Chambliss	Jacques	Robinson, F.
Amesty	Chaney	Keen	Robinson, W.
Anderson	Clemons	Killebrew	Rommel
Andrade	Cross	Koster	Roth
Antone	Daley	LaMarca	Rudman
Arrington	Daniels	Leek	Salzman
Baker	Driskell	López, J.	Shoaf
Bankson	Duggan	Lopez, V.	Silvers
Barnaby	Edmonds	Maney	Sirois
Bartleman	Eskamani	Massullo	Skidmore
Basabe	Esposito	McClain	Smith
Bell	Fabricio	McClure	Snyder
Beltran	Fine	McFarland	Stark
Benjamin	Franklin	Melo	Stevenson
Berfield	Gantt	Michael	Tant
Black	Garcia	Mooney	Temple
Borrero	Garrison	Nixon	Tomkow
Botana	Giallombardo	Overdorf	Trabulsy
Brackett	Gonzalez Pittman	Payne	Truenow
Bracy Davis	Gossett-Seidman	Perez	Tuck
Brannan	Gottlieb	Persons-Mulicka	Valdés
Buchanan	Grant	Plakon	Waldron
Busatta Cabrera	Gregory	Plasencia	Williams
Campbell	Griffitts	Porras	Woodson
Canady	Harris	Rayner	Yarkosky
Caruso	Hart	Redondo	Yeager
Casello	Hinson	Renner	
Cassel	Holcomb	Rizo	

Nays—None

So the bill passed by the required constitutional three-fifths vote of the membership and was certified to the Senate.

HB 5203—A bill to be entitled An act relating to property seized by the Florida Gaming Control Commission; amending s. 849.19, F.S.; providing that any seized machine and the cash therein shall be deposited into the Florida Gaming Control Commission Pari-Mutuel Wagering Trust Fund; amending s. 849.44, F.S.; providing that the proceeds from a sale or other disposition of seized property shall be deposited into the Florida Gaming Control Commission Pari-Mutuel Wagering Trust Fund; amending s.

932.7055, F.S.; providing an exemption for the proceeds accrued under the provisions of the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title. On passage, the vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 582

Representative Clemons in the Chair.

Yeas—113			
Abbott	Chamberlin	Jacques	Robinson, F.
Altman	Chambliss	Keen	Robinson, W.
Amesty	Chaney	Killebrew	Rommel
Anderson	Clemons	Koster	Roth
Andrade	Cross	LaMarca	Rudman
Antone	Daley	Leek	Salzman
Arrington	Daniels	López, J.	Shoaf
Baker	Driskell	Lopez, V.	Silvers
Bankson	Duggan	Maney	Sirois
Barnaby	Eskamani	Massullo	Skidmore
Bartleman	Esposito	McClain	Smith
Basabe	Fabricio	McClure	Snyder
Bell	Fine	McFarland	Stark
Beltran	Franklin	Melo	Stevenson
Benjamin	Gantt	Michael	Tant
Berfield	Garcia	Mooney	Temple
Black	Garrison	Nixon	Tomkow
Borrero	Giallombardo	Overdorf	Trabulsy
Botana	Gonzalez Pittman	Payne	Truenow
Brackett	Gossett-Seidman	Perez	Tuck
Bracy Davis	Gottlieb	Persons-Mulicka	Valdés
Brannan	Grant	Plakon	Waldron
Buchanan	Gregory	Plasencia	Williams
Busatta Cabrera	Griffitts	Porras	Woodson
Campbell	Harris	Rayner	Yarkosky
Canady	Hart	Redondo	Yeager
Caruso	Hinson	Renner	
Casello	Holcomb	Rizo	
Cassel	Hunschofsky	Roach	

Nays—None

Votes after roll call:

Yeas—Edmonds

So the bill passed and was certified to the Senate.

CS/HB 151—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.053, F.S.; authorizing certain elected officers to receive a specified payment while remaining in office; amending s. 121.091, F.S.; authorizing certain retirees to be reemployed after terminating employment; providing conditions for such reemployment; requiring reimbursement of certain payments in specified circumstances; revising an obsolete provision; amending s. 121.1001, F.S.; prohibiting new participation in a specified plan beginning on a specified date; amending s. 121.101, F.S.; revising the calculation for the cost-of-living factor for certain members; requiring the Department of Management Services to annually adjust a specified value beginning on a specified date; providing applicability; requiring the Division of Retirement to annually submit a specified analysis beginning on a specified date; revising a provision requiring the expiration of a specified formula; amending s. 121.71, F.S.; increasing employee contributions to the Florida Retirement System; amending s. 121.72, F.S.; increasing the allocations to investment plan member accounts; amending s. 121.591, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title. On passage, the vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 583

Representative Clemons in the Chair.

Yeas—113

Abbott	Chamberlin	Jacques	Robinson, F.
Altman	Chambliss	Keen	Robinson, W.
Amesty	Chaney	Killebrew	Rommel
Anderson	Clemons	Koster	Roth
Andrade	Cross	LaMarca	Rudman
Antone	Daley	Leek	Salzman
Arrington	Daniels	López, J.	Shoaf
Baker	Driskell	Lopez, V.	Silvers
Bankson	Duggan	Maney	Sirois
Barnaby	Eskamani	Massullo	Skidmore
Bartleman	Esposito	McClain	Smith
Basabe	Fabricio	McClure	Snyder
Bell	Fine	McFarland	Stark
Beltran	Franklin	Melo	Stevenson
Benjamin	Gantt	Michael	Tant
Berfield	Garcia	Mooney	Temple
Black	Garrison	Nixon	Tomkow
Borrero	Giallombardo	Overdorf	Trabulsy
Botana	Gonzalez Pittman	Payne	Truenow
Brackett	Gossett-Seidman	Perez	Tuck
Bracy Davis	Gottlieb	Persons-Mulicka	Valdés
Brannan	Grant	Plakon	Waldron
Buchanan	Gregory	Plasencia	Williams
Busatta Cabrera	Griffitts	Porras	Woodson
Campbell	Harris	Rayner	Yarkosky
Canady	Hart	Redondo	Yeager
Caruso	Hinson	Renzo	
Casello	Holcomb	Rizo	
Cassel	Hunschofsky	Roach	

Yeager
Nays—None

So the bill passed and was certified to the Senate.

HB 5401—A bill to be entitled An act relating to judges; amending ss. 26.031 and 34.022, F.S.; revising the number of circuit court judges and county court judges, respectively; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title.

THE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR

The question recurred on passage of **HB 5401**. The vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 585

Speaker Renner in the Chair.

Yeas—115

Abbott	Chamberlin	Holcomb	Rizo
Altman	Chambliss	Hunschofsky	Roach
Amesty	Chaney	Jacques	Robinson, F.
Anderson	Clemons	Keen	Robinson, W.
Andrade	Cross	Killebrew	Rommel
Antone	Daley	Koster	Roth
Arrington	Daniels	LaMarca	Rudman
Baker	Driskell	Leek	Salzman
Bankson	Duggan	López, J.	Shoaf
Barnaby	Dunkley	Lopez, V.	Silvers
Bartleman	Edmonds	Maney	Sirois
Basabe	Eskamani	Massullo	Skidmore
Bell	Esposito	McClain	Smith
Beltran	Fabricio	McClure	Snyder
Benjamin	Fine	McFarland	Stark
Berfield	Franklin	Melo	Stevenson
Black	Gantt	Michael	Tant
Borrero	Garcia	Mooney	Temple
Botana	Garrison	Nixon	Tomkow
Brackett	Giallombardo	Overdorf	Trabulsy
Bracy Davis	Gonzalez Pittman	Payne	Truenow
Brannan	Gossett-Seidman	Perez	Tuck
Buchanan	Gottlieb	Persons-Mulicka	Valdés
Busatta Cabrera	Grant	Plakon	Waldron
Campbell	Gregory	Plasencia	Williams
Canady	Griffitts	Porras	Woodson
Caruso	Harris	Rayner	Yarkosky
Casello	Hart	Redondo	Yeager
Cassel	Hinson	Renner	

Nays—None

So the bill passed and was certified to the Senate.

HB 83—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trust funds; re-creating the State-Operated Institutions Inmate Welfare Trust Fund within the Department of Corrections; amending s. 944.73, F.S.; abrogating provisions relating to the termination of the trust fund; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title. On passage, the vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 586

Speaker Renner in the Chair.

Yeas—114

Abbott	Arrington	Bell	Botana
Altman	Baker	Beltran	Brackett
Amesty	Bankson	Benjamin	Bracy Davis
Anderson	Barnaby	Berfield	Brannan
Andrade	Bartleman	Black	Buchanan
Antone	Basabe	Borrero	Busatta Cabrera

Nays—None

Votes after roll call:

Yeas—Edmonds

So the bill passed and was certified to the Senate.

HB 5301—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Medicaid supplemental payment programs; amending s. 409.901, F.S.; providing definitions relating to certain Medicaid supplemental payment programs; amending s. 409.908, F.S.; providing requirements for hospital participation in certain Medicaid supplemental payment programs; providing a definition; amending s. 409.910, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was read the third time by title. On passage, the vote was:

Session Vote Sequence: 584

Representative Clemons in the Chair.

Yeas—113

Abbott	Cassel	Holcomb	Renner
Altman	Chamberlin	Hunschofsky	Rizo
Amesty	Chambliss	Jacques	Roach
Anderson	Clemons	Keen	Robinson, F.
Andrade	Cross	Killebrew	Robinson, W.
Antone	Daley	Koster	Rommel
Arrington	Daniels	LaMarca	Roth
Baker	Driskell	Leek	Rudman
Bankson	Duggan	López, J.	Salzman
Barnaby	Edmonds	Lopez, V.	Shoaf
Bartleman	Eskamani	Maney	Silvers
Basabe	Esposito	Massullo	Sirois
Bell	Fabricio	McClain	Skidmore
Beltran	Fine	McClure	Smith
Benjamin	Franklin	McFarland	Snyder
Berfield	Gantt	Melo	Stark
Black	Garcia	Michael	Stevenson
Borrero	Garrison	Mooney	Tant
Botana	Giallombardo	Nixon	Temple
Brackett	Gonzalez Pittman	Overdorf	Tomkow
Bracy Davis	Gossett-Seidman	Payne	Trabulsy
Brannan	Gottlieb	Perez	Truenow
Buchanan	Grant	Persons-Mulicka	Tuck
Busatta Cabrera	Gregory	Plakon	Valdés
Campbell	Griffitts	Plasencia	Waldron
Canady	Harris	Porras	Williams
Caruso	Hart	Rayner	Woodson
Casello	Hinson	Redondo	Yarkosky

Campbell	Garrison	McClain	Salzman
Canady	Giallombardo	McClure	Shoaf
Caruso	Gonzalez Pittman	McFarland	Silvers
Casello	Gossett-Seidman	Melo	Sirois
Cassel	Gottlieb	Michael	Skidmore
Chamberlin	Grant	Mooney	Smith
Chambliss	Gregory	Overdorf	Snyder
Chaney	Griffitts	Payne	Stark
Clemons	Harris	Perez	Stevenson
Cross	Hart	Persons-Mulicka	Tant
Daley	Hinson	Plakon	Temple
Daniels	Holcomb	Plasencia	Tomkow
Driskell	Hunschofsky	Porras	Trabulsy
Duggan	Jacques	Rayner	Truenow
Dunkley	Keen	Redondo	Tuck
Edmonds	Killebrew	Renner	Valdés
Eskamani	Koster	Rizo	Waldron
Espósito	LaMarca	Roach	Williams
Fabricio	Leek	Robinson, F.	Woodson
Fine	López, J.	Robinson, W.	Yarkosky
Franklin	Lopez, V.	Rommel	Yeager
Gantt	Maney	Roth	
Garcia	Massullo	Rudman	

Nays—None

So the bill passed by the required constitutional three-fifths vote of the membership and was certified to the Senate.

Motion

On motion by Rep. Perez, the House requested that the Senate pass **HB 5001, HB 5003, HB 5005, HB 5007, HB 5101, HB 5201, HB 5203, CS/HB 151, HB 5301, HB 5401, and HB 83**, as passed by the House or agree to include the bills in the budget conference.

Motion to Adjourn

Rep. Perez moved that the House, after receiving reports, adjourn for the purpose of holding committee and subcommittee meetings and conducting other House business, to reconvene at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, February 15, 2024, or upon call of the Chair. The motion was agreed to.

Cosponsors

CS/HB 151—Basabe, Eskamani, Franklin, Hart

HB 301—Bartleman, Valdés

CS/HB 415—Persons-Mulicka, Plakon, Salzman

HB 417—Valdés

CS/HB 499—Antone

CS/HB 593—Melo

CS/HB 625—Hunschofsky, V. Lopez

HB 627—V. Lopez

CS/HB 651—Beltran

HB 723—Botana, Smith

CS/HB 801—Basabe, Garcia, Tant

CS/HB 1045—Porras, Redondo

HB 1077—Bell, Stark

CS/HB 1149—Cassel

CS/CS/HB 1271—Melo

CS/HB 1343—Grant

CS/HM 1411—Caruso

HB 1443—J. López

CS/HJR 7017—Garcia, Melo

CS/HB 7019—Garcia, Melo

Introduction and Reference

By the State Affairs Committee; Representative Alvarez—

HCR 7055—A concurrent resolution applying to the Congress of the United States to call a convention for the sole purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States stating that the United States Congress shall make no law applying to the citizens of the United States that does not also equally apply to all United States Representatives, United States Senators, and all members of the federal legislative branch.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the State Affairs Committee; Representative Alvarez—

HCR 7057—A concurrent resolution applying to the Congress of the United States to call a constitutional convention for the sole purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States which would authorize the President of the United States to eliminate one or more items of appropriation while approving other portions of a bill.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the State Affairs Committee; Representative Fabricio—

HJR 7059—A joint resolution proposing the repeal of Section 7 of Article VI of the State Constitution which requires the availability of public financing for campaigns of candidates for elective statewide office who agree to campaign spending limits.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the State Affairs Committee; Representative Fabricio—

HB 7061—A bill to be entitled An act relating to campaign finance; repealing ss. 106.30, 106.31, 106.32, 106.33, 106.34, 106.35, 106.353, 106.355, and 106.36, F.S., relating to the Florida Election Campaign Financing Act; deleting provisions governing the public funding of campaigns for candidates for statewide office who agree to certain expenditure limits; amending ss. 106.021, 106.141, 106.22, and 328.72, F.S.; conforming cross-references and provisions to changes made by the act; providing a contingent effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Judiciary Committee; Representative Overdorf—

HB 7063—A bill to be entitled An act relating to anti-human trafficking; amending s. 16.618, F.S.; extending the future repeal date of the direct-support organization for the Statewide Council on Human Trafficking; amending ss. 394.875, 456.0341, and 480.043, F.S.; revising the hotline number to be included on human trafficking awareness signs; amending s. 509.096, F.S.; removing obsolete provisions; revising the hotline number to be included on human trafficking awareness signs; amending s. 787.06, F.S.; requiring that contractors with governmental entities attest that the contractors do not use

human trafficked labor; providing a definition; amending s. 787.29, F.S.; revising the hotline number to be included in human trafficking awareness signs; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Judiciary Committee; Representative Giallombardo—

HM 7065—A memorial to the United States Department of State, urging the United States Secretary of State to designate drug cartels as Foreign Terrorist Organizations.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Judiciary Committee; Representative Jacques—

HB 7067—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pretrial detention hearings; amending s. 907.041, F.S.; authorizing a court to base an order of pretrial detention solely on hearsay; making technical changes; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Ways & Means Committee; Representative McClain—

HB 7069—A bill to be entitled An act relating to private activity bonds; amending s. 159.608, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 159.802, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; amending s. 159.803, F.S.; revising and defining terms; repealing s. 159.804, F.S., relating to allocation of state volume limitation; creating s. 159.8041, F.S.; requiring the Division of Bond Finance of the State Board of Administration to annually determine the state volume limitation and publicize such information; specifying how the division must allocate the state volume limitation; repealing s. 159.805, F.S., relating to procedures for obtaining allocations, requirements, limitations on allocations, and issuance reports; creating s. 159.8051, F.S.; establishing procedures for the issuance of private activity bonds; providing requirements for notices of intent to issue private activity bonds; requiring that a separate notice of intent to issue be filed for each proposed issuance of a private activity bond; creating s. 159.8052, F.S.; providing procedures for the evaluation, approval, and confirmation of notices of intent to issue private activity bonds; providing that certain confirmations expire on a specified date unless a certain requirement is met; requiring that certain confirmations include specified information; providing conditions under which a confirmation of allocation is effective or not effective; providing requirements for the issuance of private activity bonds in excess of the amount set forth in the confirmation; requiring the division to cancel a confirmation of allocation and reallocate the state volume limitation under certain circumstances; creating s. 159.8053, F.S.; prohibiting the allocation of state volume limitation before an issuance report is filed; providing an exception; providing that failure to file an issuance report will result in specified action; providing requirements for issuance reports; providing for the reversion and reallocation of certain unissued state volume limitation n; requiring the director of the division to sign a final certification of allocation after timely filing of an issuance report; repealing s. 159.806, F.S., relating to regional allocation pools; creating s. 159.8061, F.S.; establishing affordable housing allocation pools for a specified purpose; requiring allocation and distribution of specified state volume limitation during specified time period annually; providing requirements for such allocations; establishing regions within the regional affordable housing allocation pool; requiring allocations be transferred to the statewide affordable housing allocation pool in certain circumstances; providing requirements for issuance of confirmations by the division; creating s. 159.8062, F.S.; establishing the Florida Housing Finance Corporation pool for a specified timeframe each year; providing purpose of the pool; requiring the Florida Housing Finance Corporation to use a specified pool before a date certain; providing requirements for the corporation's use of such pool; authorizing the corporation to assign certain state volume limitation

to specified pools; creating s. 159.8063, F.S.; establishing the economic development allocation pool; providing the availability of such pool for specified purposes; providing requirements for processing certain notices of intent; repealing s. 159.807, F.S., relating to the state allocation pool; creating s. 159.8071, F.S.; establishing the state allocation pool to issue confirmations for certain purposes during a specified timeframe each year; repealing s. 159.8075, F.S., relating to qualified mortgage credit certificates; creating s. 159.80751, F.S.; authorizing conversion of state volume limitation for certain bonds to mortgage credit certificates in certain situations; providing requirements for the issuance such certificates; providing that certain expiration dates do not apply under certain circumstances; requiring certain unissued mortgage credit certificates to automatically receive a carryforward confirmation; requiring that certain elections and certifications be filed with the division; designating the director of the division to be the state official authorized to make a required certification; repealing s. 159.8081, F.S., relating to the Manufacturing Facility Bond Pool; repealing s. 159.8083, F.S., relating to the Florida First Business allocation pool; repealing s. 159.809, F.S., relating to recapture of unused amounts; creating s. 159.8091, F.S.; establishing the carryforward allocation pool; providing the purpose of such pool; providing requirements for carryforward confirmations; repealing s. 159.81, F.S., relating to unused allocations; creating s. 159.8101, F.S.; requiring an issuer to request and obtain carryforward confirmation from the division in certain circumstances; authorizing the division to issue a carryforward confirmation when certain conditions are met; providing requirements for requesting a carryforward confirmation; repealing s. 159.8105, F.S., relating to allocation of bonds for water and wastewater infrastructure projects; amending s. 159.811, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; repealing s. 159.812, F.S., relating to a grandfather clause; amending s. 159.814, F.S.; revising requirements for applications for allocations; authorizing electronic submission; providing that certain notices of intent and applications are only timely filed within specified timeframes; deleting obsolete provisions; repealing s. 159.815, F.S., relating to rules; amending s. 159.816, F.S.; revising procedures for the execution of a final certification of allocation; amending ss. 420.504 and 163.2520, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By Representative Eskamani—

HR 8049—A resolution designating March 2024 as "Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month" in Florida.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By Representative Eskamani—

HR 8051—A resolution designating March 21, 2024, as "Persian New Year's Day" in Florida, celebrating the historical and cultural significance of Nowruz, and expressing appreciation for the contributions of Iranian Americans.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By Representative Harris—

HR 8053—A resolution recognizing September 15 to October 15, 2024, as "Latin and Hispanic Heritage Month" in Florida.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By Representative Eskamani—

HR 8055—A resolution designating February 24, 2024, as "Ukrainian Festival Day" in the State of Florida.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By Representative Clemons—

HR 8057—A resolution recognizing February 14, 2024, as "Gator Day" in Florida.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

First Reading of Committee and Subcommittee Substitutes by Publication

By the Judiciary Committee; Representatives Salzman, Michael, and Waldron—

CS/HB 21—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Dozier School for Boys and Okeechobee School Victim Compensation Program; creating s. 16.63, F.S.; establishing the Dozier School for Boys and Okeechobee School Victim Compensation Program within the Department of Legal Affairs; specifying the purpose of the program; requiring the department to provide specified notice of the program; requiring the department to accept and process applications for the payment of compensation claims under the program; specifying application procedures and requirements; requiring the department to issue application approvals or denials under specified conditions; requiring notice of application approval or denial; requiring the department to pay a specified compensation amount to approved applicants; limiting the compensation an applicant may receive related to the claim; providing for rulemaking; authorizing the Commissioner of Education to award a standard high school diploma to specified persons; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Judiciary Committee; Representatives Salzman, Michael, and Waldron—

CS/HB 23—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 16.64, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying information in an application submitted to the Department of Legal Affairs by a person seeking compensation through the Dozier School for Boys and Okeechobee School Victim Compensation Program; providing exceptions; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Infrastructure Strategies Committee; and Transportation & Modals Subcommittee; Representatives Maney, Salzman, and Stark—

CS/CS/HB 247—A bill to be entitled An act relating to services provided by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles or its agents; amending s. 319.28, F.S.; providing that a certain affidavit establishes a presumption of ownership and right of possession to a motor vehicle or mobile home the previous owner of which died testate; amending s. 319.29, F.S.; prohibiting the department or a tax collector from charging a fee for reissuance of certain certificates of title; amending s. 320.06, F.S.; authorizing permanent registration of certain rental trucks; authorizing the department to deem a license plate with reduced dimensions to be necessary to accommodate trailers; amending s. 320.084, F.S.; authorizing certain disabled veterans to be issued a military license plate or specialty license plate in lieu of a "DV" license plate; specifying applicable fees; specifying nonapplicability of certain provisions; amending s. 320.131, F.S.; authorizing the department to design, issue, and regulate the use of temporary tags where

the existing owner of a vehicle has submitted an application to transfer a valid out-of-state title that is subject to a lien; authorizing the department to design, issue, and regulate the use of temporary tags where an active-duty military servicemember who has a valid Florida driver license provides evidence satisfactory to the department that he or she is deployed outside this state; providing the period of validity of such temporary tags; removing provisions requiring a written, notarized request for the purchase of a temporary tag; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the State Affairs Committee; and Local Administration, Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee; Representatives V. Lopez and Busatta Cabrera—

CS/CS/HB 271—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle parking on private property; amending s. 715.075, F.S.; providing requirements for signage for certain parking facilities; authorizing certain entities to regulate such signage; providing requirements for invoices for certain parking charges; prohibiting the assessment of a late fee before a certain period; requiring such invoices to include a dispute and appeal method; providing requirements for such method; providing applicability; requiring a specified grace period before parking charges may be incurred; providing an exception; prohibiting personal information from being sold, offered for sale, or transferred for sale by such owners or operators; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Infrastructure Strategies Committee; and Ways & Means Committee; Representative Killebrew—

CS/CS/HB 475—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a temporary sales tax exemption for items related to electric transportation; defining the terms "electric bicycle," "electric scooter," and "protective clothing and equipment"; providing a sales tax exemption during specified periods on the retail sale of certain electric bicycles, electric scooters, and protective clothing and equipment; providing applicability; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing that such rules are effective for a certain period and may be renewed in specified circumstances; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Infrastructure Strategies Committee; and Water Quality, Supply & Treatment Subcommittee; Representative McClain—

CS/CS/HB 1163—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of water resources; amending s. 373.323, F.S.; revising the qualification requirements a person must meet in order to take the water well contractor license examination; updating the reference to the Florida Building Code standards that a licensed water well contractor's work must meet; amending s. 373.333, F.S.; authorizing certain authorities who have been delegated enforcement powers by water management districts to apply disciplinary guidelines adopted by the districts; requiring that certain notices be delivered by certified, rather than registered, mail; making technical changes; amending s. 373.336, F.S.; prohibiting a person or business entity from advertising water well drilling or construction services in specified circumstances; amending s. 381.0065, F.S.; requiring that rules adopted by Department of Environmental Protection relating to the location of onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems allow a licensed water well contractor to apply for and receive a variance for the installation of a private or public potable water well under certain conditions; providing that the Department of Environmental Protection's variance review and advisory committee is not responsible for reviewing water well permitting; requiring the committee to consider certain

requirements when making recommendations on variance requests for onsite sewage treatment and disposal system permits; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Judiciary Committee; and Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Representatives Jacques, Garcia, and Yarkosky—

CS/CS/HB 1181—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile justice; amending s. 790.115, F.S.; removing a provision requiring specified treatment of minors charged with possessing or discharging a firearm on school property; amending s. 790.22, F.S.; revising penalties for minors committing specified firearms violations; removing provisions concerning minors charged with or convicted of certain firearms offenses; amending s. 985.101, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 985.12, F.S.; redesignating civil citation programs as prearrest delinquency citation programs; revising program requirements; providing that certain existing programs meeting certain requirements shall be deemed authorized; amending s. 985.125, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 985.126, F.S.; requiring the Department of Juvenile Justice to publish a quarterly report concerning entities using delinquency citations for less than a specified amount of eligible offenses; amending s. 985.245, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 985.25, F.S.; requiring that youths who are arrested for certain electronic monitoring violations be placed in secure detention until a detention hearing; requiring that a child on probation for an underlying felony firearm offense who is taken into custody be placed in secure detention; providing for renewal of secure detention periods in certain circumstances; amending s. 985.255, F.S.; providing that when there is probable cause that a child committed one of a specified list of offenses that he or she is presumed to be a risk to public safety and danger to the community and must be held in secure detention before an adjudicatory hearing; providing requirements for release of such a child despite the presumption; revising language concerning the use of risk assessments; amending s. 985.26, F.S.; revising requirements for holding a child in secure detention for more than 21 days; amending s. 985.433, F.S.; requiring conditional release conditions for children released after confinement for specified firearms offenses; requiring specified sanctions for certain children adjudicated for certain firearms offenses who are not committed to a residential program; providing that children who previously have had adjudication withheld for certain offenses may not have adjudication withheld for specified offenses; amending s. 985.435, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 985.438, F.S.; requiring the Department of Juvenile Justice to create and administer a graduated response matrix to hold youths accountable to the terms of their court ordered probation and the terms of their conditional release; providing requirements for the matrix; amending s. 985.439, F.S.; requiring a state attorney to file a probation violation within a specified period or inform the court and the Department of Juvenile Justice why such violation is not filed; removing provisions concerning an alternative consequence program; allowing placement of electronic monitoring for probation violations in certain circumstances; amending s. 985.455, F.S.; authorizing a court to make an exception to an order of revocation or suspension of driving privileges in certain circumstances; amending s. 985.46, F.S.; revising legislative intent concerning conditional release; revising the conditions of conditional release; providing for assessment of conditional release violations and possible recommitment of violators; amending ss. 985.48 and 985.4815, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 985.601, F.S.; requiring the Department of Juvenile Justice to establish a specified class for firearms offenders; amending s. 985.711, F.S.; revising provisions concerning introduction of contraband into department facilities; authorizing department staff to use canine units on the grounds of juvenile detention facilities and commitment programs for specified purposes; revising criminal penalties for violations; amending s. 1002.221, F.S.; revising provisions concerning educational records for certain purposes; amending ss. 943.051, 985.11, and 1006.07, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Judiciary Committee; and Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Representative Baker—

CS/CS/HB 1235—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual predators and sexual offenders; amending s. 775.21, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms "conviction," "permanent residence," "temporary residence," and "transient residence"; specifying that, in order to qualify for removal of certain registration requirements, certain sexual offenders must meet specified criteria; authorizing sexual predators to report to the Department of Law Enforcement through the department's online system within a specified timeframe required vehicle information changes after any change in vehicles owned; requiring sheriffs' offices to report to the department transient residence information in a manner prescribed by the department; requiring sheriffs' offices to electronically submit to and update with the department specified information within a specified timeframe after the sexual predator provides it to the sheriff's office; requiring sexual predators to register all changes to vehicles owned through the department's online system; requiring the department to establish an online system through which sexual predators may securely access, submit, and update all vehicles owned; revising the reporting requirements and applicable timeframes with which a sexual predator must comply if he or she intends to establish a certain permanent, temporary, or transient residence or to travel; requiring sheriffs' offices to electronically submit to and update with the department, in a manner specified by the department, specified information within a specified timeframe after the sexual predator provides it to the sheriff's office; revising the list of requirements for which a sexual predator's failure to comply constitutes a criminal offense; specifying that each instance of a failure to register or report changes to specified required information constitutes a separate offense; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; making technical changes; amending s. 943.0435, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "convicted"; authorizing sexual offenders to report to the department through the department's online system within a specified timeframe required vehicle information changes after any change in vehicles owned; requiring sheriffs' offices to report to the department transient residence information in a manner prescribed by the department; requiring sheriffs' offices to electronically submit to and update with the department specified information within a specified timeframe after the sexual offender provides it to the sheriff's office; requiring sexual offenders to register all changes to vehicles owned through the department's online system; requiring the department to establish an online system through which sexual offenders may securely access, submit, and update all vehicles owned; requiring that, if a sexual offender is in the custody of a local jail, the custodian of the local jail register a sexual offender within a specified timeframe after intake of the sexual offender for any reason and upon release; requiring the custodian to take a digitized photograph of the sexual offender and forward the photograph and such registration information to the department; revising the reporting requirements and applicable timeframes with which a sexual offender must comply if he or she intends to establish a certain permanent, temporary, or transient residence or to travel; revising the list of requirements for which a sexual offender's failure to comply constitutes a criminal offense; specifying that each instance of a failure to register or report changes to specified required information constitutes a separate offense; specifying that, in order to qualify for removal of certain registration requirements, certain sexual offenders must meet specified criteria; requiring sheriffs' offices to electronically submit to and update with the department, in a manner specified by the department, specified information within a specified timeframe after the sexual offender provides it to the sheriff's office; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; making technical changes; reenacting s. 944.606(1)(d), F.S., relating to the definitions of the terms "permanent residence," "temporary residence," and "transient residence," to incorporate the amendment made to s. 775.21, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting s. 1012.467(1)(b), F.S., relating to the definition of the term "convicted," to incorporate the amendment made to s. 943.0435, F.S., in a reference thereto; reenacting ss. 320.02(4), 775.25, 938.10(1),

944.607(4)(a) and (9), 985.481(1)(a) and (d), and 985.4815(1)(b) and (f) and (9), F.S., relating to registration required, application for registration, and forms; prosecutions for acts or omissions; additional court cost imposed in cases of certain crimes; notification to department of information on sexual offenders; sexual offenders adjudicated delinquent and notification upon release; and notification to department of information on juvenile sexual offenders, respectively, to incorporate the amendments by to ss. 775.21 and 943.0435, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the State Affairs Committee; Representatives V. Lopez, Garcia, Gossett-Seidman, and Porras—

CS/HB 1239—A bill to be entitled An act relating to affordable housing; amending ss. 125.01055 and 166.04151, F.S.; clarifying application; prohibiting counties and municipalities, respectively, from restricting the floor area ratio of certain proposed developments under certain circumstances; providing that the density, floor area ratio, or height of certain developments, bonuses, variances, or other special exceptions are not included in the calculation of the currently allowed density, floor area ratio, or height by counties and municipalities, respectively; authorizing counties and municipalities, respectively, to restrict the height of proposed developments under certain circumstances; prohibiting the administrative approval by counties and municipalities, respectively, of a proposed development within a specified proximity to a military installation; requiring counties and municipalities, respectively, to maintain a certain policy on their websites; requiring counties and municipalities, respectively, to consider reducing parking requirements under certain circumstances; requiring counties and municipalities, respectively, to reduce or eliminate parking requirements for certain proposed mixed-use developments that meet certain requirements; providing certain requirements for developments located within a transit-oriented development or area; defining the term "major transportation hub"; providing requirements for developments authorized located within a transit-oriented development or area; clarifying that a county or municipality, respectively, is not precluded from granting additional exceptions; clarifying that a proposed development is not precluded from receiving a bonus for density, height, or floor area ratio if specified conditions are satisfied; requiring that such bonuses be administratively approved by counties and municipalities, respectively; revising applicability; authorizing that specified developments be treated as a conforming use under certain circumstances; authorizing that specified developments be treated as a nonconforming use under certain circumstances; authorizing an applicant for certain proposed development to notify a county or municipality, as applicable, of its intent to proceed under certain provisions; requiring counties and municipalities to allow certain applicants to submit a revised application, written request, or notice of intent; amending s. 196.1978, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "newly constructed"; revising conditions for when multifamily projects are considered property used for a charitable purpose and are eligible to receive an ad valorem property tax exemption; requiring property appraisers to make certain exemptions from ad valorem property taxes; providing the method for determining the value of a unit for certain purposes; requiring property appraisers to review certain applications and make certain determinations; authorizing property appraisers to request and review additional information; authorizing property appraisers to grant exemptions only under certain conditions; revising requirements for property owners seeking a certification notice from the Florida Housing Finance Corporation; providing that a certain determination by the corporation does not constitute an exemption; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 196.1979, F.S.; revising the value to which a certain ad valorem property tax exemption applies; revising a condition of eligibility for vacant residential units to qualify for a certain ad valorem property tax exemption; revising the deadline for an application for exemption; revising deadlines by which boards and governing bodies must deliver to or notify the Department of Revenue of the adoption, repeal, or expiration of certain ordinances; requiring property appraisers to review certain applications and make certain determinations;

authorizing property appraisers to request and review additional information; authorizing property appraisers to grant exemptions only under certain conditions; providing the method for determining the value of a unit for certain purposes; providing for retroactive application; amending s. 333.03, F.S.; excluding certain proposed developments from specified airport zoning provisions; amending s. 420.507, F.S.; revising the enumerated powers of the corporation; amending s. 420.5096, F.S.; deleting required working hours under the Florida Hometown Hero Program; amending s. 420.518, F.S.; specifying conditions under which the corporation may preclude applicants from corporation programs; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Education & Employment Committee; Representatives Snyder and Jacques—

CS/HB 1291—A bill to be entitled An act relating to educator preparation programs; amending ss. 1004.04, 1004.85, 1012.56, and 1012.562, F.S.; prohibiting the courses and curriculum of teacher preparation programs, postsecondary educator preparation institutes, professional learning certification programs, and school leader preparation programs from distorting certain events and including certain curriculum and instruction; requiring teacher preparation programs, postsecondary educator preparation institutes, professional learning certification programs, and school leader preparation programs to afford candidates certain opportunities; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Judiciary Committee; Representatives Garrison, Jacques, and Rudman—

CS/HB 1365—A bill to be entitled An act relating to unauthorized public camping and public sleeping; creating ss. 125.0231 and 166.0453, F.S.; defining the terms "public camping" and "public sleeping"; prohibiting counties and municipalities, respectively, from authorizing or otherwise permitting public sleeping or public camping on public property without a specified permit; authorizing counties and municipalities to designate certain public property for such uses for a specified time period; requiring counties and municipalities to establish specified standards and procedures relating to such property; requiring the Department of Children and Families to conduct inspections of such property at specified intervals and to issue a report; providing applicability; providing an exception to applicability during specified emergencies; providing a declaration of important state interest; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Judiciary Committee; Representative Amesty—

CS/HB 1379—A bill to be entitled An act relating to human trafficking; amending s. 562.13, F.S.; revising applicability; creating s. 787.30, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting the employment of persons younger than 21 years of age in adult entertainment establishments; providing criminal penalties; requiring adult entertainment establishments to check identification of entertainers; specifying forms of identification that may be used; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Representative Grant—

CS/HB 1549—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care; amending s. 381.4018, F.S.; requiring physician licensees to provide to the Department

of Health specified information; requiring the department to collect and compile such information in consultation with the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability; amending s. 381.4019, F.S.; revising the purpose of the Dental Student Loan Repayment Program; defining the term "free clinic"; including dental hygienists in the program; revising eligibility requirements for the program; specifying limits on award amounts for and participation of dental hygienists under the program; deleting the maximum number of new practitioners who may participate in the program each fiscal year; specifying that dentists and dental hygienists must provide specified documentation; requiring practitioners who receive payments under the program to furnish certain information requested by the Department of Health; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to seek federal authority to use specified matching funds for the program; providing for future repeal of the program; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 1009.65, F.S.; renaming the Medical Education Reimbursement and Loan Repayment Program as the "Florida Reimbursement Assistance for Medical Education Program"; revising the types of providers who are eligible to participate in the program; revising requirements for the distribution of funds under the program; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to seek federal authority to use specified matching funds for the program; creating s. 381.4021, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to provide to the Governor and the Legislature an annual report on specified student loan repayment programs; providing requirements for the report; requiring the department to contract with an independent third party to develop and conduct a design study for evaluating the effectiveness of specified student loan repayment programs; specifying requirements for the design study; requiring the department to submit the study results to the Governor and the Legislature by dates certain; requiring the department to participate in a certain multistate collaborative for a specified purpose; providing for future repeal of the requirement; creating s. 381.9855, F.S.; requiring the department to implement a health care screening and services grant program for a specified purpose; specifying duties of the department; authorizing nonprofit entities to apply for grant funds to implement new health care screening, service programs, or mobile clinics or units to expand the program's delivery capabilities; specifying requirements for grant recipients; authorizing the department to adopt rules; requiring the department to create and maintain an Internet-based portal to provide specified information relating to available health care screenings and services and volunteer opportunities; authorizing the department to contract with a third-party vendor to create and maintain the portal; specifying requirements for the portal; requiring the department to coordinate with county health departments for a specified purpose; requiring the department to include a clear and conspicuous link to the portal on the homepage of its website; requiring the department to publicize and encourage the use of the portal and enlist the aid of county health departments for such outreach; amending s. 383.2163, F.S.; expanding the telehealth minority maternity care program from a pilot program to a statewide program; requiring the department to submit to the Governor and the Legislature an annual report; providing requirements for the report; amending s. 383.302, F.S.; providing and revising definitions; creating s. 383.3081, F.S.; providing requirements for birth centers to be designated as advanced birth centers with respect to operating procedures, staffing, and equipment; requiring an advanced birth center to enter into a written agreement with a blood bank for emergency blood bank services; requiring that a patient who receives an emergency blood transfusion at an advanced birth center be immediately transferred to a hospital for further care; requiring the agency to establish by rule a process for birth centers to be designated as advanced birth centers; amending s. 383.309, F.S.; providing minimum standards for advanced birth centers; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to enforce specified provisions of the Florida Building Code and the Florida Fire Prevention Code for advanced birth centers; amending s. 383.313, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 383.3131, F.S.; providing requirements for laboratory and surgical services at advanced birth centers; providing conditions for administration of anesthesia; authorizing the intrapartum use of chemical agents; amending s. 383.315, F.S.; requiring advanced birth centers to employ or maintain an agreement with an obstetrician for specified purposes; amending s. 383.316, F.S.; requiring advanced birth centers to provide for the transport of emergency patients to a hospital; requiring each

advanced birth center to enter into a written transfer agreement with a local hospital or an obstetrician for such transfers; requiring birth centers and advanced birth centers to assess and document transportation services and transfer protocols annually; amending s. 383.318, F.S.; providing protocols for postpartum care of clients and infants at advanced birth centers; providing requirements for followup care; amending s. 394.455, F.S.; revising definitions; amending s. 394.457, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families to adopt certain minimum standards for mobile crisis response services; amending s. 394.4598, F.S.; authorizing certain psychiatric nurses to provide opinions to the court for the appointment of guardian advocates; authorizing certain psychiatric nurses to consult with guardian advocates for purposes of obtaining consent for treatment; amending s. 394.4615, F.S.; authorizing psychiatric nurses to make certain determinations related to the release of clinical records; amending s. 394.4625, F.S.; requiring certain treating psychiatric nurses to document specified information in a patient's clinical record within a specified timeframe of his or her voluntary admission for mental health treatment; requiring clinical psychologists who make determinations of involuntary placement at certain mental health facilities to have specified clinical experience; authorizing certain psychiatric nurses to order emergency treatment for certain patients; amending s. 394.463, F.S.; authorizing certain psychiatric nurses to order emergency treatment of certain patients; requiring a clinical psychologist to have specified clinical experience to approve the release of an involuntary patient at certain mental health facilities; amending s. 394.4655, F.S.; requiring clinical psychologists to have specified clinical experience in order to recommend involuntary outpatient services for mental health treatment; authorizing certain psychiatric nurses to recommend involuntary outpatient services for mental health treatment; providing an exception; authorizing psychiatric nurses to make certain clinical determinations that warrant bringing a patient to a receiving facility for an involuntary examination; amending s. 394.467, F.S.; requiring clinical psychologists to have specified clinical experience in order to recommend involuntary inpatient services for mental health treatment; authorizing certain psychiatric nurses to recommend involuntary inpatient services for mental health treatment; amending s. 394.4781, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "psychotic or severely emotionally disturbed child"; amending s. 394.4785, F.S.; authorizing psychiatric nurses to admit individuals over a certain age into certain mental health units of a hospital under certain conditions; requiring the agency to seek federal approval for Medicaid coverage and reimbursement authority for mobile crisis response services; requiring the Department of Children and Families to coordinate with the agency to provide specified education to contracted mobile response team services providers; amending s. 394.875, F.S.; authorizing certain psychiatric nurses to prescribe medication to clients of crisis stabilization units; amending s. 395.1055, F.S.; requiring the agency to adopt rules ensuring that hospitals do not accept certain payments and requiring certain hospitals to submit an emergency department diversion plan to the agency for approval before initial licensure or licensure renewal; providing that, beginning on a date certain, such plan must be approved before a license may be issued or renewed; requiring such hospitals to submit specified data to the agency on an annual basis and update their plans as needed, or as directed by the agency, before each licensure renewal; specifying requirements for the diversion plans; requiring the agency to establish a process for hospitals to share certain information with certain patients' managed care plans; amending s. 395.301, F.S.; requiring a licensed facility to post on its website a consumer-friendly list of standard charges for a minimum number of shoppable health care services; providing definitions; requiring a licensed facility to provide an estimate to a patient or prospective patient and the patient's health insurer within specified timeframes; requiring a licensed facility to establish an internal grievance process for patients to dispute charges; requiring a facility to make available information necessary for initiating a grievance; requiring a facility to respond to a patient grievance within a specified timeframe; requiring licensed a facility to disclose specified information relating to cost sharing obligations to certain persons; providing a penalty; creating s. 395.3011, F.S.; defining the term "extraordinary collection action"; prohibiting certain collection activities by a licensed facility; amending s. 408.051, F.S.; requiring certain hospitals to make available certain data to the agency's Florida Health Information

Exchange program for a specified purpose; authorizing the agency to adopt rules; amending s. 409.909, F.S.; authorizing the agency to allocate specified funds under the Slots for Doctors Program for existing resident positions at hospitals and qualifying institutions if certain conditions are met; requiring hospitals and qualifying institutions that receive certain state funds to report specified data to the agency annually; requiring certain hospitals and qualifying institutions to annually report to the agency specified data; defining the term "sponsoring institution"; requiring such hospitals and qualifying institutions, beginning on a date certain, to produce certain financial records or submit to certain financial audits; providing applicability; providing that hospitals and qualifying institutions that fail to produce such financial records to the agency are no longer eligible to participate in the Statewide Medicaid Residency Program until a certain determination is made by the agency; requiring hospitals and qualifying institutions to request exit surveys of residents upon completion of residency; providing requirements for the exit surveys; creating the Graduate Medical Education Committee within the agency; providing for membership and meetings of the committee; requiring the committee, beginning on a specified date, to submit to the Governor and the Legislature an annual report detailing specified information; requiring the agency to provide administrative support to assist the committee in the performance of its duties and to provide certain information to the committee; creating s. 409.91256, F.S.; creating the Training, Education, and Clinicals in Health (TEACH) Funding Program for a specified purpose; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; requiring the agency to develop an application process and enter into certain agreements to implement the program; specifying requirements to qualify to receive reimbursements under the program; requiring the agency, in consultation with the Department of Health, to develop, or contract for the development of, specified training for, and to provide assistance to, preceptors; providing for reimbursement under the program; requiring the agency to submit to the Governor and the Legislature an annual report; providing requirements for the report; requiring the agency to contract with an independent third party to develop and conduct a design study for evaluating the impact of the program; specifying requirements for the design study; requiring the agency to begin collecting data for the study and submit the study results to the Governor and the Legislature by dates certain; authorizing the agency to adopt rules; requiring the agency to seek federal approval to use specified matching funds for the program; providing for future repeal of the program; amending s. 409.967, F.S.; requiring the agency to produce an annual report on patient encounter data under the statewide managed care program; providing requirements for the report; requiring the agency to submit to the Governor and the Legislature the report by a date certain; authorizing the agency to contract with a third-party vendor to produce the report; amending s. 409.973, F.S.; requiring Medicaid managed care plans to continue assisting certain enrollees in scheduling an initial appointment with a primary care provider; requiring such plans to coordinate with hospitals that contact them for a specified purpose; requiring the plans to coordinate with their members and members' primary care providers for such purpose; requiring the agency to seek federal approval necessary to implement an acute hospital care at home program meeting specified criteria; creating s. 456.0145, F.S.; providing a short title; providing definitions; requiring an applicable health care regulatory board, or the department if there is no board, to issue a license or certification to applicants who meet specified conditions; requiring the department and the board to list on their respective websites jurisdictions that meet the minimum requirements for interstate licensure; authorizing the board or the department, as applicable, to require applicants to pass a specified examination under certain circumstances; creating a presumption that an applicant is qualified for interstate licensure, unless the board or department, as applicable, demonstrates otherwise; requiring the board or the department, as applicable, to provide applicants with a written decision within a specified timeframe; authorizing applicants to appeal certain decisions of a board or the department, as applicable; specifying that applicants granted an interstate license are still subject to the applicable laws and rules in this state and the jurisdiction of the applicable board, or the department if there is no board; providing applicability and construction; requiring the department to submit to the Governor and the Legislature an annual report by a date certain; providing requirements for the

report; requiring the boards and the department to adopt rules, as applicable; amending s. 456.073, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to report certain investigative information to the data system; amending s. 456.076, F.S.; requiring that monitoring contracts for certain impaired practitioners participating in treatment programs contain specified terms; creating s. 456.4501, F.S.; enacting the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact in this state; providing purposes of the compact; providing that state medical boards of member states retain jurisdiction to impose adverse action against licenses issued under the compact; providing definitions; specifying eligibility requirements for physicians seeking an expedited license under the compact; providing requirements for designation of a state of principal license for purposes of the compact; authorizing the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Commission to develop certain rules; providing an application and verification process for expedited licensure under the compact; providing for expiration and termination of expedited licenses; authorizing the Interstate Commission to develop certain rules; providing requirements for renewal of expedited licenses; authorizing the Interstate Commission to develop certain rules; providing for the establishment of a database for coordinating licensure data amongst member states; requiring and authorizing member boards to report specified information to the database; providing for confidentiality of such information; providing construction; authorizing the Interstate Commission to develop certain rules; authorizing member states to conduct joint investigations and share certain materials; providing for disciplinary action of physicians licensed under the compact; creating the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Commission; providing purpose and authority of the commission; providing for membership and meetings of the commission; providing public meeting and notice requirements; authorizing closed meetings under certain circumstances; providing public record requirements; requiring the commission to establish an executive committee; providing for membership, powers, and duties of the committee; authorizing the commission to establish other committees; specifying powers and duties of the commission; providing for financing of the commission; providing for organization and operation of the commission; providing limited immunity from liability for commissioners and other agents or employees of the commission; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; providing for rulemaking procedures, including public notice and meeting requirements; providing for judicial review of adopted rules; providing for oversight and enforcement of the compact in member states; requiring courts in member states to take judicial notice of the compact and the commission rules for purposes of certain proceedings; providing that the commission is entitled to receive service of process and has standing in certain proceedings; rendering judgments or orders void as to the commission, the compact, or commission rules under certain circumstances; providing for enforcement of the compact; specifying venue and civil remedies in such proceedings; providing for attorney fees; providing construction; specifying default procedures for member states; providing for dispute resolution between member states; providing for eligibility and procedures for enactment of the compact; providing for amendment to the compact; specifying procedures for withdrawal from and subsequent reinstatement of the compact; authorizing the Interstate Commission to develop certain rules; providing for dissolution of the compact; providing severability and construction; creating s. 456.4502, F.S.; providing that a formal hearing before the Division of Administrative Hearings must be held if there are any disputed issues of material fact when the licenses of certain physicians and osteopathic physicians are suspended or revoked by this state under the compact; requiring the Department of Health to notify the Division of Administrative Hearings of a petition for a formal hearing within a specified timeframe; requiring the administrative law judge to issue a recommended order; requiring the Board of Medicine or the Board of Osteopathic Medicine, as applicable, to determine and issue final orders in certain cases; providing the department with standing to seek judicial review of any final order of the boards; creating s. 456.4504, F.S.; authorizing the department to adopt rules; specifying that provisions of the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact do not authorize the Department of Health, the Board of Medicine, or the Board of Osteopathic Medicine to collect a fee for expedited licensure, but rather state that fees of that kind are allowable under the compact; amending s. 457.105, F.S.; revising requirements for a person to become licensed to practice acupuncture; amending s. 458.311, F.S.; revising

an education and training requirement for physician licensure; exempting certain foreign-trained applicants for physician licensure from the residency requirement; providing certain employment requirements for such applicants; requiring such applicants to notify the Board of Medicine of any changes in employment within a specified timeframe; repealing s. 458.3124, F.S., relating to restricted licenses of certain experienced foreign-trained physicians; amending s. 458.313; revising requirements for an applicant for licensure by endorsement to practice as a physician; amending s. 458.314, F.S.; authorizing the board to exclude certain foreign medical schools from consideration as an institution that provides medical education that is reasonably comparable to similar accredited institutions in the United States; providing construction; deleting obsolete language; amending s. 458.3145, F.S.; revising criteria for medical faculty certificates; deleting a cap on the maximum number of extended medical faculty certificates that may be issued at specified institutions; amending ss. 458.315 and 459.0076, F.S.; authorizing temporary certificates for practice in areas of critical need to be issued to physician assistants, rather than only to physicians, who meet specified criteria; amending ss. 458.317 and 459.0075, F.S.; specifying who may be considered a graduate assistant physician; creating limited licenses for graduate assistant physicians; specifying criteria a person must meet to obtain such licensure; requiring the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine, respectively, to establish certain requirements by rule; providing for a one-time renewal of such licenses; authorizing limited licensed graduate assistant physicians to provide health care services only under the direct supervision of a physician and pursuant to a written protocol; providing requirements for, and limitations on, such supervision and practice; providing requirements for the supervisory protocols; providing that supervising physicians are liable for any acts or omissions of such graduate assistant physicians acting under their supervision and control; authorizing third-party payors to provide reimbursement for covered services rendered by graduate assistant physicians; authorizing the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine, respectively, to adopt rules; amending s. 464.009, F.S.; revising requirements for an applicant for licensure by endorsement to practice by endorsement to practice professional or practical nursing; creating s. 464.0121, F.S.; providing that temporary certificates for practice in areas of critical need may be issued to advanced practice registered nurses who meet specified criteria; providing restrictions on the issuance of temporary certificates; waiving licensure fees for such applicants under certain circumstances; amending s. 464.0123, F.S.; requiring certain certified nurse midwives, as a condition precedent to providing out-of-hospital intrapartum care, to maintain a written policy for the transfer of patients needing a higher acuity of care or emergency services; requiring that such policy prescribe and require the use of an emergency plan-of-care form; providing requirements for the form; requiring such certified nurse midwives to document specified information on the form if a transfer of care is determined to be necessary; requiring certified nurse midwives to verbally provide the receiving provider with specified information and make himself or herself immediately available for consultation; requiring certified nurse midwives to provide the patient's emergency plan-of-care form, as well as certain patient records, to the receiving provider upon the patient's transfer; requiring the Board of Nursing to adopt certain rules; amending s. 464.019, F.S.; deleting the sunset date of a certain annual report required of the Florida Center for Nursing; amending ss. 465.0075, 467.0125, 468.1705, 468.3065, 478.47, 480.041, and 491.006; revising licensure requirements to include licensure by endorsement to practice as a pharmacist; midwife; nursing home administrator; radiologist, radiologic technologist, and specialty technologist; electrologist; or psychologist or school psychologist, respectively; repealing ss. 468.213 and 468.358, F.S., relating to licensure by endorsement for occupational therapists and respiratory therapists, respectively; creating s. 458.3129 and 459.074, F.S.; providing that an allopathic physician or an osteopathic physician, respectively, licensed under the compact is deemed to be licensed under ch. 458, F.S., or ch. 459, F.S., as applicable; amending s. 468.1135, F.S.; requiring the Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology to appoint two of its board members to serve as the state's delegates on the compact commission; amending s. 468.1185, F.S.; removing provisions relating to licensure by endorsement and refusal of certification for speech-language pathologists and audiologists; exempting audiologists and speech-language

pathologists from licensure requirements who are practicing in this state pursuant to a compact privilege under the compact; amending s. 468.1295, F.S.; authorizing the board to take adverse action against the compact privilege of audiologists and speech-language pathologists for specified prohibited acts; creating s. 468.1335, F.S.; creating the Practice of Audiology and Speech-language Pathology Interstate Compact; providing purpose, objectives, and definitions; specifying requirements for state participation in the compact and duties of member states; specifying that the compact does not affect an individual's ability to apply for, and a member state's ability to grant, a single-state license pursuant to the laws of that state; providing for recognition of compact privilege in member states; specifying criteria a licensee must meet for compact privilege; providing for the expiration and renewal of compact privilege; specifying that a licensee with compact privilege in a remote state must adhere to the laws and rules of that state; authorizing member states to act on a licensee's compact privilege under certain circumstances; specifying the consequences and parameters of practice for a licensee whose compact privilege has been acted on or whose home state license is encumbered; specifying that a licensee may hold a home state license in only one member state at a time; specifying requirements and procedures for changing a home state license designation; providing for the recognition of the practice of audiology and speech-language pathology through telehealth in member states; specifying that a licensee must adhere to the laws and rules of the remote state in which he or she provides audiology or speech-language pathology through telehealth; authorizing active duty military personnel and their spouses to keep their home state designation during active duty; specifying how such individual may subsequently change his or her home state license designation; authorizing member states to take adverse actions against licensees and issue subpoenas for hearings and investigations under certain circumstances; providing requirements and procedures for such adverse action; authorizing member states to engage in joint investigations under certain circumstances; providing that a licensee's compact privilege must be deactivated in all member states for the duration of an encumbrance imposed by the licensee's home state; providing for notice to the data system and the licensee's home state of any adverse action taken against a licensee; establishing the Audiology and Speech-language Pathology Interstate Compact Commission; providing for jurisdiction and venue for court proceedings; providing for membership and powers of the commission; specifying powers and duties of the commission's executive committee; providing for the financing of the commission; providing specified individuals immunity from civil liability under certain circumstances; providing exceptions; requiring the commission to defend the specified individuals in civil actions under certain circumstances; requiring the commission to indemnify and hold harmless specified individuals for any settlement or judgment obtained in such actions under certain circumstances; providing for the development of the data system, reporting procedures, and the exchange of specified information between member states; requiring the commission to notify member states of any adverse action taken against a licensee or applicant for licensure; authorizing member states to designate as confidential information provided to the data system; requiring the commission to remove information from the data system under certain circumstances; providing rulemaking procedures for the commission; providing for member state enforcement of the compact; authorizing the commission to receive notice of process, and have standing to intervene, in certain proceedings; rendering certain judgments and orders void as to the commission, the compact, or commission rules under certain circumstances; providing for defaults and termination of compact membership; providing procedures for the resolution of certain disputes; providing for commission enforcement of the compact; providing for remedies; providing for implementation of, withdrawal from, and amendment to the compact; specifying that licensees practicing in a remote state under the compact must adhere to the laws and rules of that state; specifying that the compact, commission rules, and commission actions are binding on member states; providing construction; providing for severability; specifying that the provisions of the Physical Therapy Licensure Compact do not authorize the Department of Health or the Board of Physical Therapy to collect a compact privilege fee, but rather state that fees of that kind are allowable under the compact; authorizing the Department of Health or the Board of Speech-

Language Pathology and Audiology to collect a compact privilege fee; amending ss. 486.028, 486.031, 486.081, 486.102, 486.107, and 490.006, F.S.; exempting from licensure requirements physical therapists and physical therapist assistants who are practicing in this state pursuant to a compact privilege under the compact; revising licensure requirements to include licensure by endorsement to practice as a physical therapist; creating s. 486.112, F.S.; creating the Physical Therapy Licensure Compact; providing a purpose and objectives of the compact; providing definitions; specifying requirements for state participation in the compact; authorizing member states to obtain biometric-based information from and conduct criminal background checks on licensees applying for a compact privilege; requiring member states to grant the compact privilege to licensees who meet specified criteria; specifying criteria licensees must meet to exercise the compact privilege under the compact; providing for the expiration of the compact privilege; requiring licensees practicing in a remote state under the compact privilege to comply with the laws and rules of that state; subjecting licensees to the regulatory authority of remote states where they practice under the compact privilege; providing for disciplinary action; specifying circumstances under which licensees are ineligible for a compact privilege; specifying conditions that a licensee must meet to regain his or her compact privilege after an adverse action; specifying locations active duty military personnel and their spouses may use to designate their home state for purposes of the compact; providing that only a home state may impose adverse action against a license issued by that state; authorizing home states to take adverse action based on investigative information of a remote state, subject to certain requirements; directing member states that use alternative programs in lieu of discipline to require the licensee to agree not to practice in other member states while participating in the program, unless authorized by the member state; authorizing member states to investigate violations by licensees in other member states; authorizing member states to take adverse action against compact privileges issued in their respective states; providing for joint investigations of licensees under the compact; establishing the Physical Therapy Compact Commission; providing for the venue and jurisdiction for court proceedings by or against the commission; providing construction; providing for commission membership, voting, and meetings; authorizing the commission to convene closed, nonpublic meetings under certain circumstances; specifying duties and powers of the commission; providing for membership and duties of the executive board of the commission; providing for financing of the commission; providing for qualified immunity, defense, and indemnification of the commission; requiring the commission to develop and maintain a coordinated database and reporting system for certain information about licensees under the compact; requiring member states to submit specified information to the system; requiring that information contained in the system be available only to member states; requiring the commission to promptly notify all member states of reported adverse action taken against licensees or applicants for licensure; authorizing member states to designate reported information as exempt from public disclosure; providing for the removal of submitted information from the system under certain circumstances; providing for commission rulemaking; providing construction; providing for state enforcement of the compact; providing for the default and termination of compact membership; providing for appeals and costs; providing procedures for the resolution of certain disputes; providing for enforcement against a defaulting state; providing construction; providing for implementation and administration of the compact and associated rules; providing that compact states that join after initial adoption of the commission's rules are subject to such rules; specifying procedures for compact states to withdraw from the compact; providing construction; providing for amendment of the compact; providing construction and severability; specifying that the provisions of the Physical Therapy Licensure Compact do not authorize the Department of Health or the Board of Physical Therapy to collect a compact privilege fee, but rather state that fees of that kind are allowable under the compact; amending s. 486.023, F.S.; requiring the Board of Physical Therapy Practice to appoint a person to serve as the state's delegate on the Physical Therapy Compact Commission; amending s. 486.125, F.S.; authorizing the board to take adverse action against the compact privilege of physical therapists and physical therapist assistants for specified prohibited acts; amending s. 624.27,

F.S.; revising the definition of the term "health care provider"; amending s. 95.11, F.S.; establishing a 3-year statute of limitations for an action to collect medical debt for services rendered by a health care provider or facility; creating s. 222.26, F.S.; providing additional personal property exemptions from legal process for medical debts resulting from services provided in certain licensed facilities; creating s. 627.446, F.S.; providing a definition; requiring each health insurer to provide an insured with an advanced explanation of benefits after receiving a patient estimate from a facility for scheduled services; providing requirements for the advanced explanation of benefits; amending s. 627.447, F.S.; prohibiting a health insurer from disclosing specified information relating to discounted cash prices to certain persons; defining the term "discounted cash price"; amending s. 627.6387, F.S.; revising definitions; requiring, rather than authorizing, a health insurer to offer a shared savings incentive program for specified purposes; requiring a health insurer to notify an insured that participation in such program is voluntary and optional; amending ss. 627.6648 and 641.31076, F.S.; providing that a shared savings incentive offered by a health insurer or health maintenance organization constitutes a medical expense for rate development and rate filing purposes; amending s. 766.1115, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "low-income" for purposes of certain government contracts for health care services; amending s. 768.28, F.S.; designating the state delegates and other members or employees of the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Commission, the Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact Commission, and the Physical Therapy Compact Commission as state agents for the purpose of applying sovereign immunity and waivers of sovereign immunity; requiring the commission to pay certain claims or judgments; authorizing the commission to maintain insurance coverage to pay such claims or judgments; amending s. 1002.32, F.S.; requiring developmental research schools to develop programs for a specified purpose; requiring schools to offer technical assistance to any school district seeking to replicate the school's programs; requiring schools, beginning on a date certain, to annually report to the Legislature on the development of such programs and the results, when available; amending s. 1004.015, F.S.; requiring the Commission for Independent Education and the Independent Colleges and Universities of Florida to annually report specified data for each medical school graduate; amending s. 1009.8962, F.S.; revising the definition of the term "institution" for purposes of the Linking Industry to Nursing Education (LINE) Fund; requiring the Board of Governors and the Department of Education to submit to the Governor and the Legislature a specified report; amending ss. 486.025, 486.0715, and 486.1065, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending ss. 395.602, 458.316, 458.3165, 468.209, 468.511, 475.01, 475.611, 517.191, and 787.061, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing appropriations; providing a directive to the department; providing effective dates.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

By the Higher Education Appropriations Subcommittee; and Postsecondary Education & Workforce Subcommittee; Representative Melo—

CS/HB 7051—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 445.009, F.S.; revising the services for which the one-stop delivery system is intended to provide access to; amending s. 1003.21, F.S.; requiring a student's certified school counselor or other school personnel to inform the student of opportunities in specified programs; amending s. 1003.435, F.S.; requiring district school boards to notify all candidates for the high school equivalency diploma of adult secondary and postsecondary education options, including specified eligibility requirements; creating s. 1004.933, F.S.; providing definitions; establishing the Graduation Alternative to Traditional Education (GATE) Program for a specified purpose; requiring institutions to waive payments for specified student fees; providing eligibility requirements; providing that students participating in the program are eligible for a specified stipend under certain circumstances; prohibiting an institution from imposing additional eligibility requirements; providing Department of Education responsibilities; providing department reporting requirements;

requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules; creating s. 1009.711, F.S.; creating the GATE Scholarship Program; requiring the department to administer the program; requiring the program to reimburse eligible institutions for specified student fees and costs; requiring participating institutions to report specified information to the department; requiring the department to reimburse participating institutions within a specified timeframe; providing that reimbursements are contingent upon legislative appropriation and must be prorated under certain circumstances; requiring the state board to adopt rules; amending s. 1011.80, F.S.; revising the number of courses for which certain students may be reported for certain funding purposes; providing that such courses do not have to be core curricula courses; deleting a requirement for the department to develop a list of courses to be designated as core curricula courses; creating s. 1011.804, F.S.; establishing the GATE Startup Grant Program within the department for a specified purpose; providing eligibility requirements; providing department duties; providing requirements for grant proposals, grant awards, and the use of grant funds; providing reporting requirements; authorizing the state board to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

First reading by publication (Art. III, s. 7, Florida Constitution).

House Resolutions Adopted by Publication

At the request of Rep. Eskamani—

HR 8025—A resolution recognizing March 8, 2024, as "International Women's Day" in Florida.

WHEREAS, International Women's Day is an annual celebration of women's cultural, educational, economic, political, and social accomplishments, and recognizes the achievements of women, regardless of their cultural, economic, ethnic, linguistic, national, or political divisions, and

WHEREAS, on February 28, 1909, the first national Women's Day was observed in the United States, and

WHEREAS, on June 26, 1945, the Charter of the United Nations was signed, marking the first affirmation of equality between women and men by international agreement, and

WHEREAS, the United Nations celebrated International Women's Day for the first time on March 8, 1975, and 2 years later, declared a day for international peace and women's rights by resolution in the United Nations General Assembly, and

WHEREAS, every year, approximately 12 million girls worldwide are married before they reach the age of 18, and

WHEREAS, according to the International Labour Organization, 71 percent of the estimated 40 million victims of modern slavery in 2016 were women and girls, and

WHEREAS, according to the World Health Organization, an estimated one out of three women around the world has experienced some form of physical or sexual violence, and

WHEREAS, women also occupy statewide leadership positions including Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, and Senate President, and

WHEREAS, currently, approximately 41 percent of the members of the Florida Legislature are women, including 50 representatives and 16 senators, and

WHEREAS, in continuing the tradition of honoring Florida women, Governor Ron DeSantis has selected Senate President Kathleen Passidomo, Audrey Schiebler, and Lilly Pulitzer to be inducted to the Florida Women's Hall of Fame for making significant contributions in the life of women and residents of Florida, and

WHEREAS, approximately 58 percent of women are active in the workforce, with teachers; nurses; and nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides comprising the top three most popular career occupations for women, and

WHEREAS, the theme of International Women's Day 2024 is "Inspire Inclusion," NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

That March 8, 2024, is recognized as "International Women's Day" in Florida to celebrate by honoring the achievements and accomplishments of women.

—was read and adopted by publication pursuant to Rule 10.17.

At the request of Rep. Salzman—

HR 8031—A resolution recognizing October 15, 2024, as "National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day" in Florida.

WHEREAS, the loss of an infant is a devastating occurrence, yet many parents and families feel they cannot talk openly about such grief and trauma due to social and cultural taboos against miscarriage, stillbirth, and medical complications, and

WHEREAS, in 1988, the United States Congress chose the month of October as "Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Month," and President Ronald Reagan subsequently issued a proclamation observing this month, and

WHEREAS, on September 28, 2006, the United States Congress passed Concurrent Resolution 222 supporting the goals and ideals of National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day, and

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization reports that, in 2020, 2.4 million infants died within the first month of life; that there are nearly 2 million stillbirths every year, or one in every 16 seconds; and that one in four pregnancies result in miscarriage, and

WHEREAS, among the approaches to combat infant mortality is Florida's Healthy Start program, which offers home visits, parent education, stress management education, and care coordination services to pregnant women and families of young children and, through its manifold services, strives to reduce risk factors associated with preterm labor, low birth weight, infant mortality, and poor developmental outcomes, and

WHEREAS, National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day is a day to shatter the culture of silence surrounding infant and pregnancy loss and to help parents and their families defy the social and cultural taboos against disclosing and remembering the loss of their young ones, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

That October 15, 2024, is recognized as "National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day" in Florida.

—was read and adopted by publication pursuant to Rule 10.17.

At the request of Rep. Eskamani—

HR 8033—A resolution recognizing the week of February 26-March 3, 2024, as "Eating Disorders Awareness Week" in Florida.

WHEREAS, eating disorders affect 28.8 million Americans, including 1.8 million Floridians, without regard to gender, gender identity, age, race, ethnicity, body shape and weight, ability, sexual orientation, or socioeconomic status, and

WHEREAS, eating disorders, specifically anorexia nervosa, bulimia nervosa, binge eating disorder, avoidant restrictive food intake disorder, and other feeding or eating disorders, are complex, biologically influenced mental illnesses, and

WHEREAS, eating disorders are highly prevalent among servicemembers and veterans of the United States Armed Forces, and

WHEREAS, eating disorders are associated with serious physical health consequences, including irregular heartbeat, heart disease and heart failure, kidney failure, osteoporosis, gastric rupture, tooth decay, obesity, gallbladder disease, diabetes, and death, and

WHEREAS, in the United States, 10,200 deaths occur annually as a direct result of an eating disorder, equating to one death every 52 minutes, and

WHEREAS, eating disorders have the second highest mortality rate of any psychiatric illness in the United States, and

WHEREAS, with early detection and intervention, long-term recovery from an eating disorder is possible, and

WHEREAS, the National Alliance for Eating Disorders, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, is a leading, national eating disorders organization, headquartered in Florida, dedicated to the outreach, education, support, and early intervention for all eating disorders, and

WHEREAS, the National Eating Disorders Association, the largest nonprofit organization dedicated to supporting individuals and families affected by eating disorders, serves as a catalyst for prevention, cures, and access to quality care, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

That the week of February 26-March 3, 2024, is recognized as "Eating Disorders Awareness Week" in Florida to increase awareness and education concerning eating disorders.

—was read and adopted by publication pursuant to Rule 10.17.

At the request of Rep. Harris—

HR 8035—A resolution designating May 17, 2024, as "Endangered Species Day" in Florida.

WHEREAS, annually on the third Friday in May, thousands of people around the world participate in a global day of action celebrating, learning about, and taking action to protect endangered species, and

WHEREAS, wildlife refuges, gardens, schools, libraries, museums, community groups, nonprofits, and individuals hold special programs or events highlighting the significance of protecting endangered species, and

WHEREAS, endangered species include plants and animals that are determined to be threatened or endangered and are provided protections under the United States Endangered Species Act, and

WHEREAS, there are over 1,300 threatened or endangered species in the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission maintains that endangered species in this state include the leatherback sea turtle, the ivory-billed woodpecker, the finback whale, the Florida panther, the humpback whale, the Key Largo cotton mouse, the sperm whale, and many others, and

WHEREAS, education about threatened or endangered species, growing native plants, reducing the use of outdoor chemicals, and protecting wildlife habitats contribute to the protection of threatened or endangered species, and

WHEREAS, education and advocacy have protected endangered species such as the American alligator through conservation efforts, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

That May 17, 2024, is designated as "Endangered Species Day" and Floridians are encouraged to take actions to protect endangered species.

—was read and adopted by publication pursuant to Rule 10.17.

At the request of Rep. Salzman—

HR 8037—A resolution designating February 2024 as "VATER Syndrome Awareness Month" in Florida.

WHEREAS, the health and well-being of all Floridians contributes greatly to the prosperity and livelihood of our state's families and communities, and

WHEREAS, VATER syndrome, also known as VACTERL association, refers to several different defects that frequently occur in conjunction with each other, specifically vertebral abnormalities, anal atresia, cardiac malformations, tracheoesophageal fistula, renal abnormalities, and limb abnormalities, causing devastating damage to the people who are afflicted

with the disease, yet the syndrome is not well-known outside of those impacted, and

WHEREAS, up to 80 percent of those with VATER syndrome are impacted by vertebral anomalies, and 40 to 50 percent have limb defects, and

WHEREAS, since babies born with VATER syndrome exhibit a wide variety of symptoms, it is difficult to pinpoint exactly how many individuals are impacted, resulting in a broad estimate of 1 in 10,000 to 40,000 newborns affected by the syndrome, and

WHEREAS, doctors and hospitals in Florida diagnose and treat VATER syndrome, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

That February 2024 is designated as "VATER Syndrome Awareness Month" in Florida to raise awareness of the disease, which may result in more research on the syndrome, treatment, and diagnosis.

—was read and adopted by publication pursuant to Rule 10.17.

At the request of Rep. Harris—

HR 8041—A resolution recognizing March 2024 as "Developmental Disability Awareness Month" in Florida.

WHEREAS, developmental disabilities are a group of conditions related to an impairment in physical, learning, language, or behavior areas often impacting day-to-day functioning, which begin during the developmental period and usually last throughout a person's lifetime, and

WHEREAS, common developmental disabilities include autism spectrum disorder, cerebral palsy, Down syndrome, hearing or vision loss, learning disorders, and attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder, and

WHEREAS, genetics, parental health and behaviors during pregnancy, and complications during birth are among the many possible factors that cause developmental disabilities, and

WHEREAS, the Centers for Disease Control estimates that 17 percent of children of all racial, ethnic, and socioeconomic groups between the ages of 3 and 17 have at least one developmental disability, and

WHEREAS, living with developmental disabilities can mean navigating difficulties with mobility, communication, independent living, and physical and mental health issues as well as being vulnerable to physical, psychological, legal, and systemic abuse and neglect, and

WHEREAS, developmentally disabled Floridians have contributed greatly to the cultural and historical landscape of the state and are an important part of our community worthy of inclusion, acceptance, and respect for their autonomy and experiences, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

That March 2024 is recognized as "Developmental Disability Awareness Month" in Florida.

—was read and adopted by publication pursuant to Rule 10.17.

At the request of Rep. Salzman—

HR 8043—A resolution designating April 16, 2024, as "Wolf-Hirschhorn/4p- Syndrome Awareness Day."

WHEREAS, the health and well-being of all Floridians contributes greatly to the prosperity and livelihood of our state's families and communities, and

WHEREAS, Wolf-Hirschhorn syndrome, also known as 4p- syndrome, is a genetic disorder caused by a partial deletion of the short arm of chromosome 4, and

WHEREAS, children with 4p- syndrome are usually born with weak muscle tone and develop slowly, both cognitively and physically, compared to their same-age peers, and experience medical complications while still trying to maintain a normal childhood, and

WHEREAS, medical professionals are presently researching this rare disease, its misdiagnosis, and the exploration of new therapies and diagnostic tools to help individuals with 4p- syndrome and their families, and

WHEREAS, 4p- syndrome affects an estimated 1 in 50,000 births, which may be an underestimate because some affected individuals may go undiagnosed, and

WHEREAS, effective diagnostic screenings, early intervention, treatments, and families and advocates can increase knowledge and awareness of 4p- syndrome, and

WHEREAS, doctors in Florida continue to diagnose, study, and provide treatment for specific symptoms of Wolf-Hirschhorn/4p- syndrome, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

That April 16, 2024, is designated as "Wolf-Hirschhorn/4p- Syndrome Awareness Day" in Florida.

—was read and adopted by publication pursuant to Rule 10.17.

At the request of Reps. Fine and Gottlieb—

HR 8045—A resolution designating February 29, 2024, as "Israel Day at the Capitol."

WHEREAS, for seven decades, the United States and Israel have maintained a special relationship based on shared democratic values, common strategic interests, and moral bonds of friendship and mutual respect, and

WHEREAS, Florida has long had a large and vibrant Israeli and Jewish community, and

WHEREAS, student groups from universities across the state, including NolePac at Florida State University, have worked diligently to combat antisemitism on campus and strengthen the United States-Israel alliance, and

WHEREAS, in May 2019 more than 20 strategic partnerships and memoranda of understanding were established between entities in Florida and Israel, including agreements between leading universities and an extension of the Florida-Israel Innovation Partnership in which Space Florida entered into a pioneering bilateral collaboration with the Israel Innovation Authority to support joint aerospace research and development projects, and

WHEREAS, Florida benefits economically from the liaison with Israel, with more than \$400 million in exports in 2022, and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida has had a longstanding alliance with the State of Israel, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida:

That February 29, 2024, is designated as "Israel Day at the Capitol."

—was read and adopted by publication pursuant to Rule 10.17.

Reports of Standing Committees and Subcommittees

Received February 7:

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 21 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, HB 21 was laid on the table.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 23 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, HB 23 was laid on the table.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 117

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 175

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The State Affairs Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 271 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, CS/HB 271 was laid on the table.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 513

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 601

The above bill was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/CS/HB 619

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 799

The above bill was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 801

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 869

The above bill was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 1181 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, CS/HB 1181 was laid on the table.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 1235 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, CS/HB 1235 was laid on the table.

The State Affairs Committee reported the following favorably:

HB 1239 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, HB 1239 was laid on the table.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 1281

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 1365 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, HB 1365 was laid on the table.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 1379 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, HB 1379 was laid on the table.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 1447

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the State Affairs Committee.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 1517

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the Infrastructure Strategies Committee.

The Judiciary Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 1595

The above bill was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Higher Education Appropriations Subcommittee reported the following favorably:
HB 7051 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, HB 7051 was laid on the table.

Received February 8:

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 63

The above bill was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 89

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 91

The above bill was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 99

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 115

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/CS/HB 197

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 247 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, CS/HB 247 was laid on the table.

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 309

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 321

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Ways & Means Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 337

The above bill was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the Commerce Committee.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 379

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 415

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 455

The above bill was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Commerce Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 471

The above bill was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 475 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, CS/HB 475 was laid on the table.

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 505

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the Appropriations Committee.

The Commerce Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 583

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 591

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 725

The above bill was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 821

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the State Affairs Committee.

The Health & Human Services Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 827

The above committee substitute was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Commerce Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 1147

The above bill was placed on the Calendar of the House.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 1163 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, CS/HB 1163 was laid on the table.

The Education & Employment Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 1291 with committee substitute

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the Office of the Speaker, subject to referral under Rule 7.18(c). Under the rule, HB 1291 was laid on the table.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 1407

The above bill was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the State Affairs Committee.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 1487

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the State Affairs Committee.

The Infrastructure Strategies Committee reported the following favorably:
CS/HB 1571

The above committee substitute was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the State Affairs Committee.

The Ways & Means Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 1573

The above bill was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the State Affairs Committee.

The Ways & Means Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 1575

The above bill was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the State Affairs Committee.

The Ways & Means Committee reported the following favorably:
HB 1577

The above bill was transmitted to the next committee or subcommittee of reference, the State Affairs Committee.

Excused

Reps. Alvarez, Joseph, Maggard, Steele, Tramont

Adjourned

Pursuant to the motion previously agreed to, the House adjourned at 2:45 p.m., to reconvene at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, February 15, 2024, or upon call of the Chair.

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Thursday, February 8, 2024

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CS/HB	151 — Read 3rd time; CS passed; YEAS 113, NAYS 0; Requests that the Senate pass the bill as passed by the House or agree to include the bill in the Budget Conference	HB	5201 — Read 3rd time; Passed; YEAS 114, NAYS 0; Requests that the Senate pass the bill as passed by the House or agree to include the bill in the Budget Conference
HB	5001 — Read 3rd time; Passed; YEAS 112, NAYS 2; Requests that the Senate pass the bill as passed by the House or agree to include the bill in the Budget Conference	HB	5203 — Read 3rd time; Passed; YEAS 113, NAYS 0; Requests that the Senate pass the bill as passed by the House or agree to include the bill in the Budget Conference
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HB	5005 — Read 3rd time; Passed; YEAS 115, NAYS 0; Requests that the Senate pass the bill as passed by the House or agree to include the bill in the Budget Conference	HB	5401 — Read 3rd time; Passed; YEAS 115, NAYS 0; Requests that the Senate pass the bill as passed by the House or agree to include the bill in the Budget Conference
HB	5007 — Read 3rd time; Passed; YEAS 79, NAYS 35; Requests that the Senate pass the bill as passed by the House or agree to include the bill in the Budget Conference		

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