

PROPOSED SENATE FIRST READERS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2012

TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATIVE DAY

SB 460. By Senators McKoon of the 29th, Shafer of the 48th and Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 24 of Title 33 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating generally to insurance, so as to provide a religious exception for the requirement that every health benefit policy in this state provide coverage for contraceptives; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 461. By Senators McKoon of the 29th, Jeffares of the 17th and Unterman of the 45th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 17-10-1 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the fixing of sentence, suspension or probation of sentence, change in sentence, eligibility for parole, prohibited modifications, and exceptions, so as to provide that any convicted person who is sentenced to probation shall have such probated sentence demarcated on his or her driver's license for the length of his or her sentence; to provide for procedure; to amend Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to drivers' licenses, so as to provide for license suspension under certain circumstances; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 462. By Senators Jeffares of the 17th and Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act creating the Board of Elections and Registration of Rockdale County, approved March 29, 1995 (Ga. L. 1995, p. 3929), so as to revise procedures relating to appointment of the at-large member; to provide for related matters; to provide for submission for preclearance under Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 463. By Senators Hill of the 32nd, Mullis of the 53rd, Loudermilk of the 52nd, Gooch of the 51st and Miller of the 49th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 32-2-81 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to procedures for design-build contracts with the Department of Transportation, so as to remove the requirement that the department accept the lowest bid in proposals for design-build projects; to provide for the percentage of design-build projects the department may award; to remove certain limitations on the percentage of design-build contracts the department may award; to remove certain reporting requirements of the department related to design-build proposal awards; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 464. By Senators Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd and Jackson of the 2nd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Part 2 of Article 4 of Chapter 4 of Title 27 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to crabs, so as to limit the number of commercial crabbing licenses issued; to provide for the requirement of a court document when transferring a commercial crabbing licenses upon a death; to provide for the sale of commercial crabbing licenses in certain instances; to provide for specific penalties for the unlawful taking of crabs from the traps of another; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 465. By Senators Thompson of the 5th, Unterman of the 45th, Crosby of the 13th, Golden of the 8th and McKoon of the 29th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 5 of Title 16 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to assault and battery, so as to increase the punishment for aggravated assault, battery, and aggravated battery upon a nurse while he or she is engaged in or on account of his or her official duties; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 466. By Senators Tippins of the 37th, Williams of the 19th, Rogers of the 21st, Gooch of the 51st, Jackson of the 24th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 14 of Title 44 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to mortgages, conveyances to secure debt, and liens, so as to provide for lenders to give notice to contractors when a construction loan is nearing default; to provide for definitions; to provide for procedures and limitations; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 467. By Senators Tippins of the 37th, Williams of the 19th, Rogers of the 21st, Jackson of the 24th, Bethel of the 54th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 2A of Title 31 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the Department of Public Health, so as to provide for a disposal method for septage from an on-site sewage management system; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SR 948. By Senator Unterman of the 45th:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life and memory of Selma Medlock Cheeley; and for other purposes.

SR 949. By Senator Rogers of the 21st:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Creekview High School for being named an Advanced Placement Honor School and an AP STEM Achievement School; and for other purposes.

SR 950. By Senator Rogers of the 21st:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Cherokee High School for being named an Advanced Placement Honor School and an AP STEM Achievement School; and for other purposes.

- SR 951. By Senator Rogers of the 21st:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Etowah High School for being named an Advanced Placement Honor School and an AP STEM Achievement School; and for other purposes.
- SR 952. By Senator Rogers of the 21st:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Woodstock High School for being named an Advanced Placement Honor School and an AP STEM Achievement School; and for other purposes.
- SR 953. By Senator Tolleson of the 20th:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Ms. Inez Wilder Wheeler Ellis on the occasion of her 100th birthday; and for other purposes.
- SR 954. By Senators Mullis of the 53rd and Bethel of the 54th:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending American Idol's Lauren Alaina; and for other purposes.
- SR 955. By Senators Hill of the 4th and Grant of the 25th:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Trooper First Class Thomas Kustra; and for other purposes.
- SR 956. By Senators Hill of the 4th, Grant of the 25th and Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending SRO Mark Hopper; and for other purposes.
- SR 957. By Senators Hill of the 4th, Grant of the 25th and Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending School Resource Officer Shane Hope; and for other purposes.
- SR 958. By Senators Hill of the 4th, Harbison of the 15th and Tolleson of the 20th:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and honoring Georgia Guard soldiers and airmen and others who have fallen during Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom; and for other purposes.
- SR 959. By Senator Hooks of the 14th:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Morgan Bowen; and for other purposes.
- SR 960. By Senator Chance of the 16th:
A RESOLUTION celebrating the birth of Smith Brian Million; and for other purposes.
- SR 961. By Senator Chance of the 16th:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Carson Joseph Sowell; and for other purposes.

- SR 962. By Senator Chance of the 16th:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Hunter Whitehurst; and for other purposes.
- SR 963. By Senators Chance of the 16th, Staton of the 18th and Rogers of the 21st:
A RESOLUTION celebrating the birth of Stellan Erik Tai; and for other purposes.
- SR 964. By Senator Harbison of the 15th:
A RESOLUTION honoring the life and memory of Mrs. Jeanette Moss Harmon; and for other purposes.
- SR 965. By Senators Staton of the 18th and Paris of the 26th:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending the Tattnall Square Academy Trojans football team on their GISA AAA State Championship; and for other purposes.
- SR 966. By Senators Paris of the 26th, Staton of the 18th, Henson of the 41st, Stoner of the 6th, Butler of the 55th and others:
A RESOLUTION welcoming citizens and public officials from Macon and Bibb County and observing February 29, 2012, as Macon Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.
- SR 967. By Senators Davis of the 22nd, Crane of the 28th, Ginn of the 47th, Carter of the 42nd, Butler of the 55th and others:
A RESOLUTION recognizing February 19 to February 25, 2012, as Engineers Week at the capitol; and for other purposes.
- SR 968. By Senators James of the 35th, Seay of the 34th, Butler of the 55th, Davenport of the 44th, Fort of the 39th and others:
A RESOLUTION commending the contributions of members of the clergy in Georgia and recognizing March 5, 2012, as the 11th annual Clergy Day at the capitol; and for other purposes.
- SR 969. By Senators Mullis of the 53rd, Chance of the 16th, Gooch of the 51st, Unterman of the 45th, James of the 35th and others:
A RESOLUTION recognizing February 21, 2012, as Turkish American Day at the capitol; and for other purposes.
- SR 970. By Senator Chance of the 16th:
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Alice McKnight Ramsey; and for other purposes.
- SR 971. By Senator Unterman of the 45th:
A RESOLUTION recognizing Wednesday, February 22, 2012, as Gwinnett County Day at the capitol; and for other purposes.