

PROPOSED SENATE FIRST READERS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2013

TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

SB 225. By Senators Stone of the 23rd and Shafer of the 48th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 6 of Title 17 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to proceedings for forfeiture of bonds or recognizances, so as to relieve a surety from liability under certain circumstances; to change certain provisions relating to remission of forfeiture; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 226. By Senators Gooch of the 51st, Jackson of the 24th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Bethel of the 54th, Mullis of the 53rd and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 16 of Title 45 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to coroners, so as to change certain provisions relating to investigation fees; to provide for changes to compensation options of coroners; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 227. By Senators Millar of the 40th, Bethel of the 54th, Albers of the 56th and Crane of the 28th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 7 of Chapter 8 of Title 34 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to benefits relative to employment security, so as to provide changes to the determination of eligibility for unemployment benefits of certain persons performing certain services; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 228. By Senators Beach of the 21st, McKoon of the 29th, Murphy of the 27th and Mullis of the 53rd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 36-62-4 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to creation of development authorities, appointment and terms of directors, quorum, and adoption and filing of resolution of need, so as to define the area of operation of a development authority; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date and applicability; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 229. By Senators Mullis of the 53rd, Staton of the 18th, Harper of the 7th, Hufstetler of the 52nd, Murphy of the 27th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 16-7-80 of the O.C.G.A., relating to definitions applicable to bombs, explosives, and chemical and biological weapons, and Chapter 10 of Title 25 of the O.C.G.A., relating to the regulation of fireworks, so as to authorize the possession and transportation of consumer fireworks and to authorize the sale of consumer fireworks under certain circumstances as determined by the local governing authority of municipalities and counties; to amend Title 48 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to revenue and taxation, so as to provide for an excise tax on the sale of consumer fireworks to be dedicated equally to the Georgia Trauma Care Network Commission and the Georgia Firefighter Standards and Training Council; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 230. By Senators Harper of the 7th, Tolleson of the 20th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Mullis of the 53rd, Williams of the 19th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 4 of Title 4 of the O.C.G.A., relating to prevention and control of disease in livestock, so as to provide for regulation of importation of white-tailed deer from other states into this state for breeding purposes; to define certain terms; to provide for deer breeding permits; to provide for terms and conditions; to regulate deer breeders and deer breeding facilities; to prohibit certain acts; to amend Chapter 5 of Title 27 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to wild animals, so as to change certain provisions relating to importation restrictions relative to live cervids and prohibitions on possession of cervid carcasses and to change certain provisions relating to wild animal licenses and permits generally; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 231. By Senators Loudermilk of the 14th, Albers of the 56th, Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd, Hill of the 4th and Bethel of the 54th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 10 of Chapter 21 of Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to Georgia Driver's Education Commission, so as to extend the sunset provisions for the additional sums collected on fines for the purpose of funding the commission and driver education and training in Georgia; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 232. By Senators Crane of the 28th, Unterman of the 45th, McKoon of the 29th and Harper of the 7th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 17-17-8 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to notification by prosecuting attorney of legal procedures and of victim's rights in relation thereto, so as to provide for notification regarding certain assistance available pursuant to federal law; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 233. By Senators Crane of the 28th, Unterman of the 45th, McKoon of the 29th and Harper of the 7th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 21 of Title 15 and Code Section 16-3-6 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to payment and distribution of fines and forfeitures and affirmative defense to certain sexual crimes, respectively, so as to create the Safe Harbor for Sexually Exploited Children Fund; to change provisions relating to affirmative defenses for certain sexual crimes; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SR 406. By Senator Shafer of the 48th:

A RESOLUTION congratulating Mr. Chase Czaykowski on being named one of the top youth volunteers in Georgia for 2013, in the 18th annual Prudential Spirit of Community Awards; and for other purposes.

SR 407. By Senators Fort of the 39th, Orrock of the 36th and James of the 35th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Reverend Toney Mosley on the occasion of his 20th pastoral anniversary; and for other purposes.

SR 408. By Senators Hill of the 4th, Carter of the 1st, Burke of the 11th and Unterman of the 45th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending W. Scott Bohlke, M.D.; and for other purposes.

SR 409. By Senators Henson of the 41st, Butler of the 55th, Seay of the 34th, Tate of the 38th, Fort of the 39th and others:

A RESOLUTION congratulating the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers on the occasion of its 125th anniversary; and for other purposes.

SR 410. By Senators Orrock of the 36th, Henson of the 41st, Fort of the 39th, Davenport of the 44th, Jackson of the 2nd and others:

A RESOLUTION requesting that the United States Congress and the President of the United States work to amend the Constitution of the United States to prohibit corporations and other entities from making unlimited independent expenditures supporting or opposing candidates for public office; and for other purposes.

SR 411. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Unterman of the 45th, Tippins of the 37th and Jones of the 25th:

A RESOLUTION congratulating the Loganville Middle School Lady Red Devils Basketball Team on winning the 2013 Piedmont Athletic Conference Championship; and for other purposes.

SR 412. By Senators Shafer of the 48th, Chance of the 16th, Staton of the 18th, Miller of the 49th, Hill of the 32nd and others:

A RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution so as to prohibit any additional sales taxes and to prohibit raising the rate of sales taxes currently in effect; to provide for conditions and limitations; to provide for submission of this amendment for ratification or rejection; and for other purposes.

SR 413. By Senators Orrock of the 36th, Unterman of the 45th, Hufstetler of the 52nd and Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd:

A RESOLUTION urging adult citizens of Georgia to strongly consider preparing an advance directive for health care that appoints their health care agent and states their treatment preferences; and for other purposes.

SR 414. By Senators Jones of the 10th, Davenport of the 44th, Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, Butler of the 55th, Millar of the 40th and others:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Mr. Buck Godfrey on the occasion of his retirement; and for other purposes.

SR 415. By Senators Shafer of the 48th, Chance of the 16th, Staton of the 18th, Miller of the 49th, Hill of the 32nd and others:

A RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution so as to prohibit raising the rate of state income taxes currently in effect; to provide for submission of this amendment for ratification or rejection; and for other purposes.

SR 416. By Senators Crane of the 28th, Unterman of the 45th, McKoon of the 29th and Harper of the 7th:

A RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution so as to authorize the General Assembly to provide by law for additional fees in any case in which a person is adjudged guilty of trafficking a person for sexual servitude, pimping, pandering, keeping a place of prostitution, prostitution, masturbation for hire, or sexual exploitation of children to fund the Safe Harbor for Sexually Exploited Children Fund; to provide that such funds shall not lapse; to provide for the submission of this amendment for ratification or rejection; and for other purposes.