

PROPOSED SENATE FIRST READERS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2014

TWENTY-FIRST LEGISLATIVE DAY

SB 370. By Senator Carter of the 1st:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 4 of Title 26 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to pharmacists and pharmacies, so as to define certain terms; to provide for substitutions of interchangeable biological products; to provide for requirements and limitations; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 371. By Senator McKoon of the 29th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Title 37 of the O.C.G.A., relating to mental health, so as to provide for a psychiatric advance directive; to amend Code Section 16-5-5 and Title 31 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to assisted suicide and health, respectively, so as to include cross-references to the psychiatric advance directive and provide for consistent terminology; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 372. By Senator McKoon of the 29th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 20-2-157 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to a uniform reporting system for certain purposes and academic eligibility requirements to receive a HOPE scholarship, so as to require local school systems to calculate and provide a grade point average for freshman, sophomore, and junior students for purposes of determining HOPE eligibility; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 373. By Senators Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, McKoon of the 29th, Henson of the 41st, Williams of the 19th, Crosby of the 13th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 1 of Chapter 27 of Title 50 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to general provisions regarding the lottery, so as to enact the "HOPE Chest Act"; to require that net proceeds equal at least 35 percent of lottery proceeds; to require the Georgia Lottery Corporation to submit certain financial reports to the legislative oversight committee; to require the legislative oversight committee to meet quarterly to review the operations of the Georgia Lottery Corporation; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 374. By Senators Cowser of the 46th, Hill of the 6th, Millar of the 40th and Jackson of the 2nd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 61 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, the "Urban Redevelopment Law," so as to revise terminology from "slums" to "pockets of blight"; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 375. By Senators Fort of the 39th, Lucas of the 26th, Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, Tate of the 38th, Henson of the 41st and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 5 of Chapter 8 of Title 48 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the special district transportation sales and use tax, so as to provide for a legislative purpose; to provide for the method for creation of special districts for the purpose of a special district transportation sales and use tax; to provide for the expiration of special districts in certain instances; to revise exemptions to such tax; to revise and repeal certain definitions; to provide for a sunset date for certain provisions; to provide for the election, ballot, imposition, collection, and cessation of a special district transportation sales and use tax; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 376. By Senator Harper of the 7th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act creating the Fitzgerald and Ben Hill County Development Authority, approved February 26, 1963 (Ga. L. 1963, p. 2003), as amended, so as to repeal provisions relating to allowable expenditures of the authority; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SR 892. By Senators Hill of the 6th, Williams of the 19th, Tolleson of the 20th, Jackson of the 24th, Jones of the 25th and others:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending the Junior League of Atlanta, Inc.; and for other purposes.

SR 893. By Senator Hufstetler of the 52nd:

A RESOLUTION dedicating the Shannon Industrial Parkway; and for other purposes.

SR 894. By Senators Albers of the 56th, Crane of the 28th, Hufstetler of the 52nd, Hill of the 6th, Millar of the 40th and others:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Capitol Commission, Pastor Ron J. Bigalke, and Pastor Jim Young; and for other purposes.

SR 895. By Senator McKoon of the 29th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending the work of "Alton Russell, The Georgia Tale Teller"; and for other purposes.

- [SR 896.](#) By Senators Tolleson of the 20th, Jeffares of the 17th and Harper of the 7th:

A RESOLUTION creating the Joint Study Committee on the Georgia Legacy Program; and for other purposes.
- [SR 897.](#) By Senators Fort of the 39th, Lucas of the 26th, Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, Henson of the 41st, Tate of the 38th and others:

A RESOLUTION creating the Senate State Health Benefit Plan Study Committee; and for other purposes.
- [SR 898.](#) By Senators Jeffares of the 17th, Thompson of the 14th, Stone of the 23rd, Beach of the 21st, Albers of the 56th and others:

A RESOLUTION commending the State YMCA of Georgia's Youth Assembly; and for other purposes.
- [SR 899.](#) By Senators Chance of the 16th, Staton of the 18th, Hill of the 6th and Jeffares of the 17th:

A RESOLUTION celebrating the birth of Elliot Charles Donnelly; and for other purposes.
- [SR 900.](#) By Senators Chance of the 16th and Mullis of the 53rd:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Iris Lee Gay Jordan; and for other purposes.
- [SR 902.](#) By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Orrock of the 36th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Gautam Choudhury Goel of Georgia Institute of Technology on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.
- [SR 903.](#) By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Orrock of the 36th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Lakeshia A. Marshall of Atlanta Metropolitan State College on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.
- [SR 904.](#) By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Jones of the 25th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Caroline L. Daigle of Georgia College & State University on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.
- [SR 905.](#) By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Hufstetler of the 52nd, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Gerri Owen of Georgia Highlands College on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 906. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Hill of the 4th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Natalie Michelle Love of East Georgia State College on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 907. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Anna Makova of College of Coastal Georgia on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 908. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Bethel of the 54th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Jensen Faith O'Neal of Dalton State College on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 909. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Kayla Brown of Columbus State University on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 910. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Balfour of the 9th, Staton of the 18th and Unterman of the 45th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Jessica A. Wilkinson of Georgia Gwinnett College on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 911. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Rena E. Ingram of Fort Valley State University on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 912. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Sims of the 12th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Darby Oliver of Darton State College on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 913. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, McKoon of the 29th, Staton of the 18th and Sims of the 12th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Taylar Martin of Albany State University on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 914. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Cassandra Allen of Clayton State University on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 915. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Troy Peco; and for other purposes.

SR 916. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Burke of the 11th, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Tayler R. Adams of Bainbridge State College on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 917. By Senators Cowsert of the 46th, Jackson of the 2nd, McKoon of the 29th and Staton of the 18th:

A RESOLUTION commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Thomas Smith Reams of Armstrong Atlantic State University on Academic Recognition Day for 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 918. By Senator Harbison of the 15th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Edward DuBose; and for other purposes.

SR 919. By Senator Wilkinson of the 50th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing February 10-14, 2014, as Family, Career and Community Leaders of America Week at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

SR 920. By Senators Jackson of the 24th and Jeffares of the 17th:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life of Mr. Thomas Watson Cullars and dedicating a road in his memory; and for other purposes.

SR 921. By Senator Harper of the 7th:

A RESOLUTION commending Tom Bragg for his military service and recognizing his induction into the Ranger Hall of Fame; and for other purposes.