

PROPOSED SENATE FIRST READERS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2014

TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATIVE DAY

**SB 385.** By Senators Jackson of the 2nd and Carter of the 1st:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act creating the Georgia International and Maritime Trade Center Authority, approved April 21, 1995 (Ga. L. 1995, p. 4499), as amended, so as to change the provisions relating to the membership of such authority; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 386.** By Senators Albers of the 56th, McKoon of the 29th, Hufstetler of the 52nd, Millar of the 40th, Harper of the 7th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 11 of Title 9 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to civil practice, so as to prohibit the public disclosure of social security numbers, taxpayer identification numbers, and financial account numbers in court documents; to provide for procedures for such filings; to provide for exceptions; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 387.** By Senators Wilkinson of the 50th, Mullis of the 53rd, Harper of the 7th, Chance of the 16th and Murphy of the 27th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 19 of Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the regulation of the practice of law, so as to provide that creation and distribution of certain self-help legal documents is not unlawful if a disclaimer is provided; to provide for a civil action for damages; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 388.** By Senators McKoon of the 29th, Albers of the 56th, Crane of the 28th, Hufstetler of the 52nd and Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 10 of Chapter 2 of Title 20 and Article 4 of Chapter 91 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to contracts and purchases by public schools and bidding for government works projects, respectively, so as impose requirements on certain contracts and purchases by local boards of education; to require that professional services contracts exceeding \$50,000.00 be competitively bid; to require that the guaranteed maximum price submitted by a construction manager at risk to a local board of education not be changed after execution of a contract; to provide for related matters; to provide for applicability and an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 389.** By Senators McKoon of the 29th and Harbison of the 15th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act establishing the Municipal Court of Columbus, Georgia, approved August 12, 1915 (Ga. L. 1915, p. 63), as amended, particularly by an Act approved April 21, 1997 (Ga. L. 1997, p. 4271), so as to change fees and costs and the provisions relating thereto; to impose a technology fee for the service of dispossessory warrants; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 390.** By Senator McKoon of the 29th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Title 21 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to elections, so as to revise the dates for primaries and elections and runoffs resulting therefrom; to revise times for qualifying for office; to revise the time for calling certain special elections; to provide definitions; to provide that electors who are eligible to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, as amended, shall vote by instant runoff ballot; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SR 935.** By Senator Dugan of the 30th:

A RESOLUTION commending and recognizing the University of West Georgia coed cheerleading squad and coaches; and for other purposes.

**SR 936.** By Senator Dugan of the 30th:

A RESOLUTION commending the University of West Georgia and recognizing February 18, 2014, as University of West Georgia Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

**SR 937.** By Senator Stone of the 23rd:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life of Mr. Albert Sidney "Sid" Newton and dedicating a road in his memory; and for other purposes.

**SR 938.** By Senators Beach of the 21st and Albers of the 56th:

A RESOLUTION commending the Milton High School Baseball Team on its numerous accomplishments; and for other purposes.

**SR 939.** By Senators Thompson of the 14th, McKoon of the 29th, Bethel of the 54th, James of the 35th, Hufstetler of the 52nd and others:

A RESOLUTION commending and recognizing Donna Angel; and for other purposes

**SR 940.** By Senators Shafer of the 48th, Thompson of the 5th and Unterman of the 45th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending the Honorable Michael C. Clark; and for other purposes.

- SR 941. By Senators Shafer of the 48th, Hill of the 6th and Mullis of the 53rd:  
A RESOLUTION urging Congress to grow the United States economy by increasing the number of visas designed to permit Korean citizens possessing skills in a specialty occupation to work in the United States; and for other purposes.
- SR 942. By Senators Staton of the 18th and Tolleson of the 20th:  
A RESOLUTION commending and recognizing Bonnie J. Hopkins; and for other purposes.
- SR 943. By Senator Golden of the 8th:  
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Frank Butenschon; and for other purposes.
- SR 944. By Senators Jones of the 25th and Chance of the 16th:  
A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Keri Davis, Rick Steele, Derek Ansley, Macie Giordano, and Carlisle Vidourek; and for other purposes.
- SR 945. By Senator Jones of the 25th:  
A RESOLUTION honoring the life and memory of Hilda K. James; and for other purposes.
- SR 946. By Senators Henson of the 41st, Butler of the 55th, Tolleson of the 20th, Seay of the 34th, Tate of the 38th and others:  
A RESOLUTION recognizing the month of October as Plastic Awareness Month in the State of Georgia; and for other purposes.
- SR 947. By Senator Unterman of the 45th:  
A RESOLUTION recognizing the Healthy Weight Commitment Foundation and its supporters; and for other purposes.
- SR 948. By Senator Unterman of the 45th:  
A RESOLUTION commending the Georgia Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association and recognizing Thursday, February 13, 2014, as Alzheimer's Awareness Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.
- SR 949. By Senators Jeffares of the 17th, Jones of the 25th, Harper of the 7th, Carter of the 42nd, Heath of the 31st and others:  
A RESOLUTION commending and recognizing Jake Carter; and for other purposes.
- SR 950. By Senators Gooch of the 51st, Miller of the 49th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Seay of the 34th, Chance of the 16th and others:  
A RESOLUTION recognizing February 19, 2014, as the 2nd Annual Legislative Fly-In at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

SR 951. By Senators Staton of the 18th, Tolleson of the 20th, Carter of the 1st and Wilkinson of the 50th:

A RESOLUTION commending the Georgia Peach Festival and the 2013 Georgia Peach Queens; and for other purposes.

SR 952. By Senators Staton of the 18th and Jones of the 25th:

A RESOLUTION commending and recognizing Representative Nikki Randall; and for other purposes.

SR 953. By Senators James of the 35th, Henson of the 41st, Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, Davenport of the 44th, Fort of the 39th and others:

A RESOLUTION creating the Senate Mold and Mildew Remediation Contractor Study Committee; and for other purposes.

SR 954. By Senators Carter of the 1st and Jackson of the 2nd:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life and memory of William Charles "Buddy" Meyer; and for other purposes.

SR 955. By Senator Gooch of the 51st:

A RESOLUTION commending and recognizing Mary Ashley Tucker for winning Miss Apple Capital 2014; and for other purposes.

SR 956. By Senators Carter of the 1st and Jackson of the 2nd:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life and memory of John E. Matthews; and for other purposes.

SR 957. By Senator McKoon of the 29th:

A RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution so as to provide for a budget session and a general law session for the General Assembly each year; to provide for related matters; to provide for the submission of this amendment for ratification or rejection; and for other purposes.

SR 958. By Senator Shafer of the 48th:

A RESOLUTION requesting the enactment of a Regulation Freedom Amendment to the Constitution of the United States by the United States Congress; and for other purposes.