

AGENDA

House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

Wednesday, April 28, 2021

Committee Room 3

9:30 a.m.

Chairman: John M. Stefanski
Vice Chairman: Royce Duplessis

Staff: Patricia Lowrey-Dufour, legislative analyst
Lorriane Lucas, attorney
Rosalie Ammersbach, committee administrative assistant

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

_____	HB 113	GADBERRY	ETHICS/CODE Allows the spouse of a public servant to be employed by a person who has or who is seeking a business or financial relationship with the agency of the public servant under specified circumstances
_____	HB 176	THOMPSON	ETHICS/FINANCIAL DISCLOS Provides relative to the assessment of late fees and penalties relative to certain reports and financial disclosure statements required to be filed with the Board of Ethics
_____	HB 306	MUSCARELLO	ETHICS/NEPOTISM Provides an exception to allow an immediate family member of a local school board member to be employed as a certified school bus operator
_____	HB 491	GADBERRY	ETHICS/CODE Provides an exception to allow certain public servants and related persons and legal entities to enter into certain transactions with the public servant's agency regarding specified property under certain circumstances
_____	HB 496	HARRIS, LANCE	JUDGES Establishes certain requirements for financial disclosure statements filed by judges and judicial candidates and provides for the availability of such statements

IV. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Persons who do not feel comfortable giving testimony in person at this time may submit a prepared statement in accordance with House Rule 14.33 in lieu of appearing before the committee:

A. Any interested person or any committee member may file with the committee a prepared statement concerning a specific instrument or matter under consideration by the committee or concerning any matter within the committee's scope of authority, and the committee records shall reflect receipt of such statement and the date and time thereof.

B. Any person who files a prepared statement which contains data or statistical information shall include in such prepared statement sufficient information to identify the source of the data or statistical information. For the purposes of this Paragraph, the term "source" shall mean a publication, website, person, or other source from which the data or statistical information contained in the prepared statement was obtained by the person or persons who prepared the statement.

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V. ADJOURNMENT

PLEASE SUBMIT A WITNESS CARD TO THE COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT BEFORE THE MEETING BEGINS IF YOU WANT TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE.