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# **Agriculture & Natural Resources Subcommittee**

**Monday, March 24, 2014  
4:00 PM  
Reed Hall (102 HOB)**

## **ACTION REPORT**

**COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT**  
**Agriculture & Natural Resources Subcommittee**

**3/24/2014 4:00:00PM**

**Location:** Reed Hall (102 HOB)

**Summary:**

**Agriculture & Natural Resources Subcommittee**

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HB 493	Favorable With Committee Substitute	Yeas: 7	Nays: 6
	Amendment 162273 Adopted	Yeas: 7	Nays: 6
HB 1135	Favorable With Committee Substitute	Yeas: 13	Nays: 0
	Amendment 472987 Adopted		
	Between lines 19 and 20, insert:		

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**Attendance:**

	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Excused</i>
Matthew Caldwell (Chair)	X		
Halsey Beshears	X		
Jim Boyd	X		
Katie Edwards	X		
Tom Goodson	X		
Larry Lee, Jr.	X		
Cary Pigman	X		
Ray Pilon	X		
Elizabeth Porter	X		
Kevin Rader	X		
Betty Reed	X		
Patrick Rooney, Jr.	X		
Clovis Watson, Jr.	X		
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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**Location:** Reed Hall (102 HOB)

**HB 493 : State Parks**

Favorable With Committee Substitute

	Yea	Nay	No Vote	Absentee Yea	Absentee Nay
Halsey Beshears	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Katie Edwards		X			
Tom Goodson	X				
Larry Lee, Jr.		X			
Cary Pigman	X				
Ray Pilon	X				
Elizabeth Porter		X			
Kevin Rader		X			
Betty Reed		X			
Patrick Rooney, Jr.	X				
Clovis Watson, Jr.		X			
Matthew Caldwell (Chair)	X				
<b>Total Yeas: 7</b>		<b>Total Nays: 6</b>			

**HB 493 Amendments**

**Amendment 162273**

Adopted

	Yea	Nay	No Vote	Absentee Yea	Absentee Nay
Halsey Beshears	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Katie Edwards		X			
Tom Goodson	X				
Larry Lee, Jr.		X			
Cary Pigman	X				
Ray Pilon	X				
Elizabeth Porter		X			
Kevin Rader		X			
Betty Reed		X			
Patrick Rooney, Jr.	X				
Clovis Watson, Jr.		X			
Matthew Caldwell (Chair)	X				
<b>Total Yeas: 7</b>		<b>Total Nays: 6</b>			

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**HB 493 : State Parks (continued)**

**Appearances:**

McCallister, David R. (General Public) - Proponent  
PO Box 7343  
Wesley Chapel Florida 33545  
Phone: 813-778-1202

Siegel, Lunele (General Public) - Waive In Support  
606 Vanderbaker Rd  
Temple Terrace Florida 33617  
Phone: 813-227-3920

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**Location:** Reed Hall (102 HOB)

**HB 1135 : Limitation of Civil Liability for Farmers**

*Favorable With Committee Substitute*

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Halsey Beshears	X				
Jim Boyd	X				
Katie Edwards	X				
Tom Goodson	X				
Larry Lee, Jr.	X				
Cary Pigman	X				
Ray Pilon	X				
Elizabeth Porter	X				
Kevin Rader	X				
Betty Reed	X				
Patrick Rooney, Jr.	X				
Clovis Watson, Jr.	X				
Matthew Caldwell (Chair)	X				
<b>Total Yeas: 13</b>		<b>Total Nays: 0</b>			

**HB 1135 Amendments**

**Amendment 472987**

*Adopted*

**Appearances:**

Amendment

Jess, Paul (Lobbyist) - Opponent  
 Florida Justice Association  
 218 S Monroe St  
 Tallahassee Florida 32301  
 Phone: 850-224-9403

Basford, Adam, Director Legislative Affairs (Lobbyist) - Proponent  
 Florida Farm Bureau Federation  
 315 S Calhoun St, Suite 850  
 Tallahassee Florida 32301  
 Phone: 850-222-2557

Calhoun, Butch (Lobbyist) - Proponent  
 FL Fruit & Vegetable Association  
 119 S. Monroe St, 300  
 Tallahassee Florida 32301  
 Phone: 850-681-0496

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**HB 1135 : Limitation of Civil Liability for Farmers (continued)**

**Appearances: (continued)**

DeLaRosa, Rebecca (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support  
Palm Beach County  
200 West Colege, Suite 219  
Tallahassee Florida 32301  
Phone: 850-284-7235

Mann, Doug (Lobbyist) - Proponent  
AIF  
310 West College Ave  
Tallahassee FL 32301  
Phone: 850-222-7535

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Amendment No. 1

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	___	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	___	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	___	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	___	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	___	(Y/N)
OTHER	_____	

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1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Agriculture & Natural  
 2 Resources Subcommittee

3 Representative Rader offered the following:

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**Amendment (with directory and title amendments)**

Between lines 19 and 20, insert:

(3) The exemption from civil liability provided for in  
 this section does ~~shall~~ not apply if injury or death directly  
 results from the gross negligence or intentional act of, ~~or~~  
~~from known dangerous conditions not disclosed by the farmer.~~

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**D I R E C T O R Y   A M E N D M E N T**

Remove lines 9-10 and insert:



Amendment No. 1

17 Section 1. Subsections (2) and (3) of section 768.137, Florida  
18 Statutes, are amended to read:

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**T I T L E   A M E N D M E N T**

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Remove line 5 and insert:

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civil liability; revising exceptions to the exemption from civil

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liability; providing an effective date.

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