



Civil Justice & Claims Subcommittee

**October 25, 2017
1:30 PM – 3:30 PM
404 HOB**

Action Packet

**Richard Corcoran
Speaker**

**Heather Fitzenhagen
Chair**

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT
Civil Justice & Claims Subcommittee

10/25/2017 1:30PM

Location: Sumner Hall (404 HOB)

Summary:

Civil Justice & Claims Subcommittee

Wednesday October 25, 2017 01:30 pm

HB 57	Favorable	Yeas: 14	Nays: 0
HB 6501	Favorable	Yeas: 14	Nays: 0
HB 6505	Favorable	Yeas: 14	Nays: 0

Committee meeting was reported out: Wednesday, October 25, 2017 3:03PM

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Attendance:

	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Excused</i>
Heather Fitzenhagen (Chair)	X		
Colleen Burton			X
Cord Byrd	X		
John Cortes	X		
Ben Diamond	X		
Erin Grall	X		
James Grant	X		
Shawn Harrison	X		
George Moraitis, Jr.	X		
Daniel Perez	X		
Sean Shaw	X		
Cynthia Stafford	X		
Jackie Toledo	X		
Barbara Watson	X		
Frank White	X		
Totals:	14	0	1

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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL**

The Subcommittee on

Civil Justice & Claims Subcommittee

met at 1:30PM

on 10/25/17 with the following attendance:

<u>Member</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Absent*</u>	<u>Excused</u>
Chair: Fitzenhagen, Heather	✓		
Vice Chair: Grall, Erin	✓		
Ranking Member: Watson, Barbara	✓		
Burton, Colleen			✓
Byrd, Cord	✓		
Cortes, John	✓		
Diamond, Ben	✓		
Grant, James "J.W."	✓		
Harrison, Shawn	✓		
Moraitis, Jr., George R.	✓		
Perez, Daniel	✓		
Shaw, Sean	✓		
Stafford, Cynthia A.	✓		
Toledo, Jackie	✓		
White, Frank	✓		

Representative Heather Fitzenhagen
Chair

*A member must be excused by Chair or Speaker. A member answering roll call is presumed "present" thereafter.

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT
Civil Justice & Claims Subcommittee

10/25/2017 1:30PM

Location: Sumner Hall (404 HOB)

HB 57 : Appointment of Attorneys for Dependent Children with Special Needs

Favorable

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Colleen Burton			X		
Cord Byrd	X				
John Cortes	X				
Ben Diamond	X				
Erin Grall	X				
James Grant	X				
Shawn Harrison	X				
George Moraitis, Jr.	X				
Daniel Perez	X				
Sean Shaw	X				
Cynthia Stafford	X				
Jackie Toledo	X				
Barbara Watson	X				
Frank White	X				
Heather Fitzenhagen (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 14		Total Nays: 0			

Appearances:

Appointment of Attorneys for Dependent Children with Special Needs

Fried, Nicole (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support

Florida's Children First, Inc

Attorney

3980 W. Broward Blvd. Suite 215

Fort Lauderdale FL 33312

Phone: (954) 734-3799

Appointment of Attorneys for Dependent Children with Special Needs

Abramowitz, Alan (Lobbyist) (State Employee) - Proponent

Guardian Ad Litem Program

Executive Director

600 Calhoun Ave.

Tallahassee FL 32399

Phone: (850) 241-3232

Appointment of Attorneys for Dependent Children with Special Needs

Pitts, Brian - Information Only

Justice-2-Jesus

Trustee

1119 Newton Ave. S.

St. Petersburg FL 33705

Phone: 727-897-9291

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**House of Representatives
COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE BILL ACTION WORKSHEET**

Committee/Subcommittee: CJC
Meeting Date: _____
Place: 404 HOB
Time: _____

Bill Number: HB 57
Date Received: _____
Date Reported: _____
Subject: _____

Council/Committee Action:

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Favorable | <input type="checkbox"/> Retained for Reconsideration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Favorable w/ _____ amendments | <input type="checkbox"/> Reconsidered |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Favorable w/Committee/Subcommittee Substitute | <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Postponed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Action: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Unfavorable |

MEMBERS	Final Vote On Bill		Yeas	Nays	Yeas	Nays	Yeas	Nays	Yeas	Nays
	Yea	Nay								
Burton, Colleen	<u> </u>	<u> </u>								
Byrd, Cord	<u>1</u>									
Cortes, John	<u>2</u>									
Diamond, Ben	<u>3</u>									
Grant, James "J.W."	<u>4</u>									
Grall, Erin	<u>5</u>									
Harrison, Shawn	<u>6</u>									
Moraitis, Jr., George R.	<u>7</u>									
Perez, Daniel	<u>8</u>									
Shaw, Sean	<u>9</u>									
Stafford, Cynthia A.	<u>10</u>									
Toledo, Jackie	<u>11</u>									
Watson, Barbara	<u>12</u>									
White, Frank	<u>13</u>									
Chair Fitzenhagen, Heather	<u>14</u>									
TOTALS	<u>Yeas</u> <u>14</u>	<u>Nays</u> <u>0</u>								



COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE APPEARANCE RECORD

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Please fill out the entire form and submit both copies to the Committee Administrative Assistant at the meeting.

Bill Amendment
 Bill/PCS/PCB Number: AB 57
 Amendment Number: _____

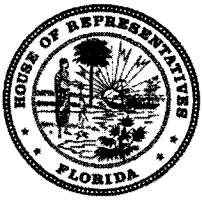
Name: Nikki Fried
 Representing: Children's Family First
 Title: attorney
 Address: 380 W. BOWARD
 City: FTL State/Zip: 33312
 Phone Number: 954-734-5799 Meeting Date: 10/25/17
 Committee/Subcommittee: Claims
 Presentation/Workshop Topic: _____

Registered Lobbyist: YES NO
 State Employee: YES NO

- I wish to speak
- Appearing in response to an inquiry for information made by member, committee, or staff
- Appearing in response to subpoena
- Appearing at the written request of the chair
- Judge or elected officer appearing in official capacity
- Lobbyist Appearance form submitted online

(If you are testifying on an amendment, please also indicate your position as a proponent or opponent on the bill as a whole.)

Bill: Proponent Opponent Info only
 Amendment: Proponent Opponent Info only



COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE APPEARANCE RECORD

Please fill out the entire form and submit both copies to the Committee Administrative Assistant at the meeting.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Bill	<input type="checkbox"/>	Amendment
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Bill/PCS/PCB Number: <u>57</u>		
Amendment Number: _____			

Name: ALAN ABRAMOVITZ

Representing: GUARDIAN AD LITEM PROGRAM

Title: Executive Director

Address: 600 So Calhoun Av

City: Tallahassee State/Zip: FL

Phone Number: 850-241-3232 Meeting Date: 10/25/17

Committee/Subcommittee: Civil Justice & Claims Subcommittee

Presentation/Workshop Topic: N/A

Registered Lobbyist: YES NO

State Employee: YES NO

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Type or Print Clearly

Bill Number: 57 Meeting Date: 10-25-2017

Fill in appropriate information:

PCB/PCS/Amendment # or Presentation/Workshop Topic: _____

Committee/Subcommittee: CJC

Name: Brian Pitts

Title: Trustee

Address: 1119 Newton Ave S

City: St. Petersburg State/Zip: FL/33705

Phone Number: 727/897-9291

Representing: Justice-2-Jesus

Registered Lobbyist: YES NO

State Employee: YES NO

I Wish To Speak: YES NO

I Have Been Requested to Speak: YES NO

Bill		Amendment	
Proponent <input type="checkbox"/>	Opponent <input type="checkbox"/>	Proponent <input type="checkbox"/>	Opponent <input type="checkbox"/>
Info Only <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Info Only <input type="checkbox"/>	

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT
Civil Justice & Claims Subcommittee

10/25/2017 1:30PM

Location: Sumner Hall (404 HOB)

HB 6501 : Relief/Cristina Alvarez and George Patnode/Department of Health

Favorable

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Colleen Burton			X		
Cord Byrd	X				
John Cortes	X				
Ben Diamond	X				
Erin Grall	X				
James Grant	X				
Shawn Harrison	X				
George Moraitis, Jr.	X				
Daniel Perez	X				
Sean Shaw	X				
Cynthia Stafford	X				
Jackie Toledo	X				
Barbara Watson	X				
Frank White	X				
Heather Fitzenhagen (Chair)	X				
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Appearances:

Relief/Cristina Alvarez and George Patnode/Department of Health

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Committee/Subcommittee: CJC
Meeting Date: _____
Place: 404 HOB
Time: _____

Bill Number: HB 6501
Date Received: _____
Date Reported: _____
Subject: _____

Council/Committee Action:

- Favorable
- Favorable w/ _____ amendments
- Favorable w/Committee/Subcommittee Substitute
- Other Action: _____

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Chair Fitzenhagen, Heather	14									
TOTALS	Yeas	Nays	Yeas	Nays	Yeas	Nays	Yeas	Nays	Yeas	Nays



COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE APPEARANCE RECORD

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bill	<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment
Bill/PCS/PCB Number: <u>6501</u>	
Amendment Number: _____	

Name: BRIAN PITTS

Representing: Justice-2-JESUS

Title: St. Petersburg

Address: 1119 Newton Ave S.

City: St. Petersburg State/Zip: _____

Phone Number: 727/847-9291 Meeting Date: 10/25/2017

Committee/Subcommittee: CJC

Presentation/Workshop Topic: ~~CJC~~

Registered Lobbyist: YES NO

State Employee: YES NO

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HB 6505 : Relief/Vonshelle Brothers/Department of Health

Favorable

	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>No Vote</i>	<i>Absentee Yea</i>	<i>Absentee Nay</i>
Colleen Burton			X		
Cord Byrd	X				
John Cortes	X				
Ben Diamond	X				
Erin Grall	X				
James Grant	X				
Shawn Harrison	X				
George Moraitis, Jr.	X				
Daniel Perez	X				
Sean Shaw	X				
Cynthia Stafford	X				
Jackie Toledo	X				
Barbara Watson	X				
Frank White	X				
Heather Fitzenhagen (Chair)	X				
Total Yeas: 14		Total Nays: 0			

Appearances:

Relief/Vonshelle Brothers/Department of Health

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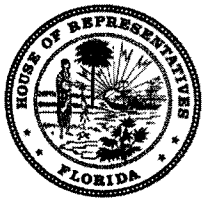
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Bill/PCS/PCB Number: <u>6505</u>	
Amendment Number: _____	

Name: BRIAN PITTS

Representing: Justice-2-Jesus

Title: Trustee

Address: 1119 Newton Ave S

City: St. Petersburg State/Zip: FL/33705

Phone Number: 727/897-9291 Meeting Date: _____

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