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**Florida House Minority Leader Bobby DuBose's Statement on
Special Session for Banning Vaccine Requirements**

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. – Governor DeSantis called for a [special session](#) to ban vaccine requirements this morning during a press conference he held. Florida House of Representatives Minority **Leader Bobby DuBose (D-Ft. Lauderdale)** issued the following statement.

“It’s disappointing to see the governor prioritize his personal ambitions above the safety and wellbeing of all Floridians yet again when pressing issues affecting Floridians like affordable housing, the broken unemployment system, and providing aide to struggling small businesses are still present,” said **Leader DuBose**. “Polls also show that a strong majority of Americans believe that requiring the vaccine or testing is our best way out of this pandemic and a return to our lives. Floridians want the freedom to get back to their daily lives and the most effective way to do that is by vaccine and testing requirements that slow the spread of the virus.”

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