Energy, Communications & Cybersecurity Subcommittee

Wednesday, February 15, 2023
9:00 am - 11:00 am
Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Action Packet

Paul Renner
Speaker

Mike Giallombardo
Chair

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT

Energy, Communications & Cybersecurity Subcommittee

2/15/2023 9:00AM

Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Summary:

Energy, Communications & Cybersecurity Subcommittee

Wednesday February 15, 2023 09:00 am

HB 125 Favorable With Committee Substitute Yeas: 18 Nays: 0

Amendment 908735 Adopted Without Objection

Committee meeting was reported out: Wednesday, February 15, 2023 2:49PM

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Energy, Communications & Cybersecurity Subcommittee

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Attendance:

	Present	*Absent*	*Excused*
Mike Giallombardo (Chair)	X		
Daniel Alvarez	X		
Bruce Antone	X		
Daryl Campbell	X		
Jennifer Canady	X		
Michael Caruso	X		
Hillary Cassel	X		
Kevin Chambliss	X		
Charles Clemons, Sr.	X		
Wyman Duggan	X		
Juan Fernandez-Barquin	X		
Peggy Gossett-Seidman	X		
Philip Griffitts, Jr.	X		
Dotie Joseph	X		
Chip LaMarca	X		
Fiona McFarland	X		
William Robinson	X		
Bradford Yeager	X		
Totals:	**18**	**0**	**0**

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Location: Reed Hall (102 HOB)

HB 125 : Utility System Rate Base Values

[X] *Favorable With Committee Substitute*

	Yea	*Nay*	*No Vote*	*Absentee Yea*	*Absentee Nay*
Daniel Alvarez	X				
Bruce Antone	X				
Daryl Campbell	X				
Jennifer Canady	X				
Michael Caruso	X				
Hillary Cassel	X				
Kevin Chambliss	X				
Charles Clemons, Sr.	X				
Wyman Duggan	X				
Juan Fernandez-Barquin	X				
Peggy Gossett-Seidman	X				
Philip Griffitts, Jr.	X				
Dotie Joseph	X				
Chip LaMarca	X				
Fiona McFarland	X				
William Robinson	X				
Bradford Yeager	X				
Mike Giallombardo (Chair)	X				
	Total Yeas: 18	**Total Nays: 0**			

HB 125 Amendments

Amendment 908735

[X] *Adopted Without Objection*

Appearances:

Cleary, Kevin (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
Sunshine Water
215 South Monroe St.
Tallahassee, FL
Phone: 850-521-1709

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HB 125 : Utility System Rate Base Values (continued)

Appearances: (continued)

Hansen, Chris (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
Florida Rural Water Association (FRWA)
Ballard Partners
201 E. Park Ave.
Tallahassee, FL 32312
Phone: 850-577-0444

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Presentation/Workshop/Other Business Appearances:

Melnick, Ben (State Employee) (At Request Of Chair) - Information Only
Department of Economic Opportunity
Deputy Secretary of Community Development
107 E. Madison St.
Tallahassee, FL 32399
Phone: 850-245-7109

Smith, Katie (State Employee) (At Request Of Chair) - Information Only
Department of Economic Opportunity
Director, Florida Office of Broadband
107 E. Madison St.
Tallahassee, FL 32399
Phone: 850-245-7109

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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	____

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Energy, Communications & Cybersecurity Subcommittee

Representative McClain offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove lines 85-99 and insert:

(b) The commission may grant the petition, in whole or in part, or with modifications in the public interest, or may deny the petition if it finds the petition is not in the public interest.

(c) The commission may not approve a rate base value higher than that requested in the petition.

(5) Notwithstanding any provision in this section, the commission may, pursuant to this chapter, set rates for the acquired utility system in future rate cases and may classify

the acquired utility system as a separate entity for ratemaking purposes if it is deemed to be in the public interest.

(6) This section applies to acquiring utilities that are engaged in an arms-length acquisition of a water or wastewater system, or both, and:

(a) Provide water or wastewater service, or both, to more than 10,000 customers; or

(b) Are permitted to produce at least 3 million gallons per day of drinking water.

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Remove line 3 and insert:

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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE APPEARANCE RECORD

Committee/Subcommittee: Energy, Communications & Cybersecurity

Meeting Date: 2/13/23

☐ Bill/PCS/PCB Number: HB 125

☑ Amendment Barcode Number: 908735

☐ Presentation/Workshop Topic:

Name: Kevin Cleary

Representing: Sunshine Water

Title:

Address: 215 South Monroe St.

City: Tallahassee State/Zip: FL

Phone Number: 850-521-1709

Registered Lobbyist: YES ☑* NO ☐

**Registered lobbyists must have a House appearance record on file with the Public Integrity & Elections Committee (Rule 17.1(h))*

State Employee: YES ☐ NO ☑

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☐ Appearing at the written request of the chair

☐ Judge or elected officer appearing in official capacity

(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 ☐ Waive in Support ☑ Waive in Opposition ☐ Info only ☐

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w/s

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Committee/Subcommittee: Energy, Comm. & Cybersecurity Subcommittee

Meeting Date: 2/15/23

- [x] Bill/PCS/PCB Number: 125 by McClain
- [ ] Amendment Barcode Number:
- [ ] Presentation/Workshop Topic:

Name: Chris Hansen

Representing: FL Rural Water Assoc. (FRWA)

Title: Ballard Partners

Address: 201 E. Park Ave

City: Tallahassee FL 32312 State/Zip: FL

Phone Number: 850/577-0444

Registered Lobbyist: YES [x]* NO [ ]

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Committee/Subcommittee: Energy, Communication & Cybersecurity

Meeting Date: 2/15/23

☐ Bill/PCS/PCB Number: _____

☐ Amendment Barcode Number: _____

☑ Presentation/Workshop Topic: Broadband Presentation

Name: Ben Melnick

Representing: Department of Economic Opportunity

Title: Deputy Secretary of Community Development

Address: 107 E Madison st

City: Tallahassee State/Zip: FL 32399

Phone Number: 8502457109

Registered Lobbyist: YES ☐ * NO ☐

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Meeting Date: 2/15/23

☐ Bill/PCS/PCB Number:

☐ Amendment Barcode Number:

☑ Presentation/Workshop Topic: Broadband Presentation

Name: Katie Smith

Representing: Department of Economic Opportunity

Title: Director - Office of Broadband

Address: 107 E Madison St

City: Tallahassee State/Zip: FL 32399

Phone Number: 850 245-7109

Registered Lobbyist: YES ☐ * NO ☑

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