



DAILY LEGISLATIVE BRIEF FROM MARCH 31, 2008

The fifth week of session began rather quietly, with no substantive committees meeting today. The Taxation and Budget Reform Commission's (TBRC) Style and Drafting Committee was supposed to meet this morning, but the meeting was canceled. Instead, the Committee will be meeting this Thursday to continue the process of developing the title and 75-word ballot language for Commissioner John McKay's property tax swap (CP 002).

Tuesday promises to be quite the opposite as several important issues for the business community will be taken up. The Senate Commerce committee will be having "Space Day" as a number of AIF supported space bills will be considered. These bills seek to maintain Florida's leadership in aerospace industries by providing critical funding for Space Florida and other infrastructure improvements. Investments in Florida's space infrastructure is one of the recommendations found in AIF's Economic Stimulus Package, which provides the Legislature with innovative ways to kick-start Florida's lagging economy.