



DAILY BRIEF

For the 2018 Legislative Session

From February 5, 2017

ENERGY

SB 462-Relating to Advanced Well Stimulation Treatment

On Monday, February 5th, SB 462 by Senator Dana Young (R-Tampa) was heard before the Senate Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation and passed. **AIF's Senior Vice President of State and Federal Affairs, Brewster Bevis, stood in opposition to this bill.**

This bill prohibits the performance of advanced well stimulation treatments on oil or gas wells in the state. The bill defines the term "advanced well stimulation treatment" to include all stages of well intervention performed by injecting fluids into a rock formation.

SB 462 will go on to the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on the Environment and Natural Resources.

AIF opposes the prohibition of advanced well stimulation treatments as it could cause a deficit when it comes to meeting the energy needs of the state.