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On key business issues

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VOTING RECORDS ARE THE KEY

The voting records contained in this booklet are of the utmost importance to your business. These records reflect how each member of the 1993 Florida Legislature voted on key issues affecting industry thus far this year.

While these are not all of the issues debated in the Legislature, they are those which had the greatest impact on the business community — either in a fiscal or a regulatory manner. Each issue required a legislator's deliberate vote, either for or against a positive economic climate.

During a campaign it matters very little what a candidate professes he or she will do regarding a particular issue if his or her voting record cannot support that stand. Your company, its employees and its stockholders have a stake in the legislative process. We hope this information will give you the insight needed to draw your own conclusions as to whether your legislators' voting patterns have been in the best interest of your business. We urge you to become involved in the electoral process by supporting those candidates who have supported you — and industry as a whole.

The AIF voting records are complete. In addition to votes on final passage for each business bill, we have also included committee and amendment votes. In many cases these votes are more crucial than votes on final passage. An amendment can completely alter the character of a bill. A committee vote can stall a bill or send it speeding toward final passage. AIF only tallies those votes on which we had a public position. These positions will be defined in the accompanying vote keys.

All votes taken in each chamber are tallied in the respective sections of this booklet. For example, a vote taken in the Senate on a House bill is included in the Senate section.

The votes contained in this booklet are the actual votes cast, as reported in official state records. We do not include changed or paired votes. These were made available in the bound Senate and House Journals in October of 1993; changes were not made to this publication. AIF records positions of members of the legislature at the time the vote is recorded.

Sincerely,

Jon L. Shebel

President & Chief Executive Officer

How to Read *Voting Records*

The *Voting Records* are divided by House and Senate and then divided in each chamber by topic (i.e. Employment, Environment, etc.). The section on each topic begins with a key that summarizes the content and action on each selected bill. The bills are assigned issue numbers and are numbered consecutively (1, 2, 3, etc.). Each vote on an issue (bill) is identified by a lower case letter in alphabetical order. See the following example.

EMPLOYMENT

**SB 1560 Personnel
Files — by Sen. Patsy
Kurth (D-Palm Bay)**

Requires private sector employers permit employees to inspect, examine and duplicate their personnel files. This bill would have imposed a duty on employers to keep personnel files and investigate material contained in the files, and would have created a civil action (with attorney fees) to enforce the law. This is an unreasonable burden on employers. AIF opposes this bill.

- Record 1-a On March 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 7 yeas to 3 nays. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Following the keys in each section will be a chart that shows the voting tallies for each action on each selected issue. The first row will identify the issue and issue number (1-a, 1-b, etc.). The columns record how each senator or representative voted on the action. The letter “F” signifies that the legislator voted for the AIF position; an “A” indicates that the legislator voted against the AIF position. The last column gives the percentage of pro-business votes recorded by each legislator on that topic during the 1993 Regular and Special Sessions.

The first part of *Voting Records* carries the entire report of the Senate, beginning with the overall ranking for each senator on all the issues selected by AIF, followed by the section reports. The second half gives the entire report on the House of Representatives.

The Florida Senate

1993 Regular and Special Sessions

Ranking and Record on Issues

Senators by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Senator	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
1	Dyer	34	0	1	100
1	Grogan	10	0	1	100
1	Kirkpatrick	27	0	13	100
1	Kiser	31	0	13	100
1	Kurth	24	0	3	100
1	Turner	29	0	1	100
7	Dantzler	31	1	11	97
7	Diaz-Balart	28	1	5	97
9	Bankhead	23	1	15	96
9	Gutman	25	1	9	96
9	Jones	27	1	3	96
9	Myers	27	1	15	96
9	Sullivan	23	1	1	96
14	Brown-Waite	32	2	1	94
14	Crenshaw	17	1	8	94
16	McKay	28	2	3	93
16	Siegel	26	2	1	93
16	Weinstein	27	2	11	93
19	Childers	35	3	15	92
19	Foley	23	2	3	92
19	Harden	22	2	7	92
19	Meadows	23	2	1	92
19	Thomas	22	2	15	92
24	Grant	31	3	14	91
24	Williams	31	3	1	91
26	Burt	27	3	2	90
26	Johnson	27	3	1	90
28	Dudley	32	4	11	89
28	Jennings	33	4	15	89

Senators by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Senator	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
30	Casas	29	4	12	88
31	Silver	30	5	15	86
32	Forman	31	6	5	84
33	Hargrett	25	5	11	83
34	Beard	28	6	15	82
34	Jenne	23	5	3	82
36	Wexler	25	6	1	81
37	Boczar	24	6	15	80
38	Scott	19	5	1	79
39	Crist	23	7	1	77
40	Holzendorf	15	11	6	58
TOTAL		1047	113		90

Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

Senators Alphabetical by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Senator	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
9	Bankhead	23	1	15	96
34	Beard	28	6	15	82
37	Boczar	24	6	15	80
14	Brown-Waite	32	2	1	94
26	Burt	27	3	2	90
30	Casas	29	4	12	88
19	Childers	35	3	15	92
14	Crenshaw	17	1	8	94
39	Crist	23	7	1	77
7	Dantzler	31	1	11	97
7	Diaz-Balart	28	1	5	97
28	Dudley	32	4	11	89
1	Dyer	34	0	1	100
19	Foley	23	2	3	92
32	Forman	31	6	5	84
24	Grant	31	3	14	91
1	Grogan	10	0	1	100
9	Gutman	25	1	9	96
19	Harden	22	2	7	92
33	Hargrett	25	5	11	83
40	Holzendorf	15	11	6	58
34	Jenne	23	5	3	82
28	Jennings	33	4	15	89
26	Johnson	27	3	1	90
9	Jones	27	1	3	96
1	Kirkpatrick	27	0	13	100
1	Kiser	31	0	13	100
1	Kurth	24	0	3	100
16	McKay	28	2	3	93

Senators Alphabetical by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Senator	Total # Votes <i>FOR</i> Position of AIF	Total # Votes <i>AGAINST</i> Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
19	Meadows	23	2	1	92
9	<i>Myers</i>	27	1	15	96
38	<i>Scott</i>	19	5	1	79
16	<i>Siegel</i>	26	2	1	93
31	Silver	30	5	15	86
9	<i>Sullivan</i>	23	1	1	96
19	Thomas	22	2	15	92
1	Turner	29	0	1	100
16	Weinstein	27	2	11	93
36	Wexler	25	6	1	81
24	Williams	31	3	1	91
TOTAL		1047	113		90

Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

1993 Senate Voting Keys

EMPLOYMENT

SB 1560
Personnel Files
 — by Sen. Patsy Kurth
 (D-Palm Bay)

Requires private sector employers permit employees to inspect, examine and duplicate their personnel files. This bill would have imposed a duty on employers to keep personnel files and investigate material contained in the files, and would have created a civil action (with attorney fees) to enforce the law. This is an unreasonable burden on employers. AIF opposes this bill.

- **Record 1-a** On March 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 7 yeas to 3 nays. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-b** On March 18, 1993, the Senate Judiciary Committee voted the bill unfavorable by a vote of 2 yeas to 4 nays. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

SB 1560 was laid on the Table

SB 14-A
Unemployment
Compensation
Benefits/Disaster
Relief Act —
 by Sen. Roberto Casas
 (R-Hialeah)

Revises the unemployment compensation law to provide that when an individual is separated from an employer as a direct result of a natural disaster declared pursuant to the Disaster Relief Act of 1974 and the Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Amendments of 1988, no benefits subsequently paid to the individual based on his wages shall be charged to the employer's account. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 2-a** On Dec. 9, 1992, the Senate Commerce Committee passed the bill by a vote of 11 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 2-b** On Dec. 10, 1992, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 34 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On Dec. 11, 1992, the House passed the bill by a vote of 111 yeas to 0 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #92-352

Senate Average on Employment Issues = 85%

	1a - Personnel Files/ Private-Sector	1b - Personnel Files/ Private-Sector	2a - U.C. Benefits/Disaster Relief	2b - U.C. Benefits/Disaster Relief	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Bankhead</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Beard</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Boczar</i>		A		F	1	1	50
<i>Brown-Waite</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Burt</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Casas</i>	A		F	F	2	1	67
<i>Childers</i>	A		F	F	2	1	67
<i>Crenshaw</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Crist</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Dantzler</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Diaz-Balart</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Dudley</i>	F	F	F	F	4	0	100
<i>Dyer</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Foley</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Forman</i>	A		F	F	2	1	67
<i>Grant</i>	A		F	F	2	1	67
<i>Grogan</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Gutman</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Harden</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Hargrett</i>							
<i>Holzendorf</i>	A				0	1	0
<i>Jenne</i>		A	F		1	1	50
<i>Jennings</i>				F	1	0	100
<i>Johnson</i>				F	1	0	100

	1a - Personnel Files/ Private-Sector	1b - Personnel Files/ Private-Sector	2a - U.C. Benefits/Disaster Relief	2b - U.C. Benefits/Disaster Relief	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Jones		F		F	2	0	100
Kirkpatrick				F	1	0	100
Kiser				F	1	0	100
Kurth				F	1	0	100
McKay	F		F	F	3	0	100
Meadows							
Myers				F	1	0	100
Scott		F		F	2	0	100
Siegel				F	1	0	100
Silver	A		F	F	2	1	67
Sullivan				F	1	0	100
Thomas				F	1	0	100
Turner				F	1	0	100
Weinstein		F		F	2	0	100
Wexler	A		F		1	1	50
Williams	F		F	F	3	0	100
TOTAL					52	9	85

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

ENVIRONMENTAL — PERMITTING

SB 1122 Environmental Control/Electric Utility — by Sen. Charles Williams (D-Live Oak)

Provides that certain electric utility activities may be authorized by general permit, and removes unnecessary regulatory barriers to constructing power lines through wetlands. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 1-a** On March 3, 1993, the Senate Natural Resources Committee passed the bill with one amendment by a vote of 13 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-b** On March 16, 1993, the Senate passed the bill as amended by a vote of 36 yeas to 4 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On March 17, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 101 yeas to 12 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-24

SB 1500 DER/DNR Merger — by Sen. Rick Dantzler (D-Winter Haven)

Merges the Department of Environmental Regulation and the Department of Natural Resources into the Department of Environmental Protection. The bill provides that it is the policy of the state that the newly merged agency provide services to the public in a cost efficient, effective manner. The bill also mandates that the merger reduce duplication and overlap in programs. This should reduce the number of regulations with which the private sector has to comply. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 2-a** On Feb. 19, 1993, the Senate Natural Resources Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 13 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 2-b** On March 22, 1993, the Senate Governmental Operations Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

SB 1500 was laid on the Table; refer to HB 1751

**SB 1606 Florida Job
Siting Act — by Sen.
Charles Williams
(D-Live Oak)**

Establishes a job siting process, recommended by the Partners for a Better Florida Advisory Council, with the governor and Cabinet sitting as a Job Siting Board. The process is designed to provide an expedited, consolidated review of projects especially beneficial to Florida's economy. It is hoped this expedited permit review will make it more attractive and less expensive to locate jobs in Florida by reducing environmental permitting red tape. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 3-a** On March 3, 1993, the Senate International Trade Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-b** On March 15, 1993, the Senate Community Affairs Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-c** On March 29, 1993, the Senate passed the amended bill by a vote of 36 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

SB 1606 died in Messages; refer to CS/CS/HB 2013

**HB 1751 DER/DNR
Merger — by Rep.
Peter Rudy Wallace
(D-St. Petersburg)**

Creates the Florida Environmental Reorganization Act of 1993, creating the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) by merging the departments of Environmental Regulation and Natural Resources. The merger creates the second largest agency in the state.

The secretary of the new department will be appointed by the governor, with the concurrence of the Cabinet, and confirmed by the Senate. The governor and Cabinet will retain the authority they currently have over state lands and siting issues. The secretary of the new department is directed to prepare a report and recommendations by Dec. 10, 1993, regarding ways to complete the merger and reduce duplication of services.

The DER/DNR merger also includes a declaration that it is the legislative policy of the state to "streamline governmental services, providing for the delivery of such services to the public in a timely, cost efficient manner."

During the process, the bill became the vehicle for many large, substantive amendments that passed. AIF supports this bill and the amendments.

The amendments included:

■ **Permit streamlining (HB 2261)**

The permit streamlining portion of this bill achieves procedural and process changes only. It eliminates government duplication and inefficiencies but makes no substantive changes to environmental protection.

■ **National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)
(HB 1345)**

This is a major portion of the bill and provides for changes to Florida's statutes to conform to federal requirements that will allow the Environmental Protection Agency to delegate the NPDES permit program to the state. The EPA is authorized to delegate the NPDES program to states that qualify after a formal delegation process. The bill modifies Florida law to conform to EPA requirements, establishes an annual fee structure to make the program self-sufficient and provides adequate revenues to fund additional program responsibilities.

■ **Cross-Florida Greenway (HB 1727)**

The bill creates a state park on lands acquired for the Cross-Florida Barge Canal and requires a study and recommendations to the governor and Cabinet by Jan. 1, 1995.

AIF supports these amendments.

On Feb. 16, 1993, the Subcommittee on Natural Resources Management of the House Natural Resources Committee passed the merger bill as a proposed committee substitute by a vote of 10 yeas to 0 nays.

On Feb. 19, 1993, the House Natural Resources Committee passed the merger bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 18 yeas to 0 nays.

On March 2, 1993, the House Committee on Governmental Operations passed the merger bill as a committee substitute for a committee substitute by a vote of 23 yeas to 0 nays.

On March 8, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 36 yeas to 0 nays.

On March 16, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 111 yeas to 0 nays.

Record 4-a On April 2, 1993, the Senate substituted HB 1751 for SB 1500 and passed the amended bill 38 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Record 4-b On April 2, 1993, the Senate passed the bill as amended by a vote of 35 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 4-c** On April 2, 1993, the Senate reconsidered the previous vote on HB 1751 and passed the amended bill by a vote of 35 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 2, 1993, the House concurred with Senate amendments and passed the bill by a vote of 113 yeas to 0 nays.
- On April 2, 1993, the Senate concurred with the House and passed the bill 35 yeas to 0 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-213

**HB 2013 Florida Job
Siting Act — by the
House Committee
on Tourism and
Economic Development**

Establishes a job siting process, recommended by the Partners for a Better Florida Advisory Council, with the governor and Cabinet sitting as a Job Siting Board. The process is designed to provide an expedited, consolidated review of projects especially beneficial to Florida's economy. It is hoped this expedited permit review will make it more attractive and less expensive to locate jobs in Florida by reducing environmental permitting red tape. AIF supports this bill.

- On Feb. 26, 1993, the House Natural Resources Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 21 yeas to 0 nays.
- On March 16, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee passed the committee substitute for committee substitute by a vote of 35 yeas to 0 nays.
- On March 25, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 114 yeas to 0 nays.
- **Record 5-a** On April 2, 1993, the Senate passed the committee substitute as amended by a vote of 38 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 2, 1993, the House concurred with the Senate and passed the bill 112 yeas to 0 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-205

Senate Average on Environmental Permitting Issues = 98%

	1a - Environmental Control/Electric Utility	1b - Environmental Control/Electric Utility	2a - Consolidation of DER and DNR	2b - Consolidation of DER and DNR	3a - Florida Job Siting Act	3b - Florida Job Siting Act	3c - Florida Job Siting Act	4a - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	4b - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	4c - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	5a - Florida Job Siting Act	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Bankhead		F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Beard	A	A	F				F	F	F	F	F	6	2	75
Boczar		F		F			F	F		F	F	6	0	100
Brown-Waite	F	F	F			F	F	F	F	F	F	9	0	100
Burt		F		F		F	F	F	F	F	F	8	0	100
Casas	F	F	F		F		F	F	F	F	F	9	0	100
Childers		F				F	F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
Crenshaw		F					F	F			F	4	0	100
Crist	F	F	F				F	F	F	F	F	8	0	100
Dantzler	F	F	F				F	F	F	F		7	0	100
Diaz-Balart	F	F	F				F	F	F	F	F	8	0	100
Dudley		F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Dyer	F	F	F	F		F	F	F	F	F	F	10	0	100
Foley		F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Foman		A					F	F	F	F	F	6	1	86
Grant		F			F		F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
Grogan	F	F	F		F							4	0	100
Gulman		F			F			F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Harden		F		A			F	F	F	F	F	6	1	86
Hargrett	F	F	F		F	F	F		F	F	F	9	0	100
Holzendorf		F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Jenne		A					F	F			F	3	1	75

	1a - Environmental Control/Electric Utility	1b - Environmental Control/Electric Utility	2a - Consolidation of DER and DNR	2b - Consolidation of DER and DNR	3a - Florida Job Siting Act	3b - Florida Job Siting Act	3c - Florida Job Siting Act	4a - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	4b - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	4c - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	5a - Florida Job Siting Act	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Jennings		A				F	F	F	F	F	F	6	1	86
Johnson	F	F	F				F	F	F	F	F	8	0	100
Jones		F		F			F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
Kirkpatrick	F	F	F				F	F	F	F	F	8	0	100
Kiser	F	F	F	F			F	F	F	F	F	9	0	100
Kurth		F			F			F	F	F	F	6	0	100
McKay		F		F			F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
Meadows		F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Myers	F	F					F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
Scott		F						F			F	3	0	100
Siegel		F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Silver		F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Sullivan		F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Thomas		F					F	F	F		F	5	0	100
Turner		F			F		F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
Weinstein		F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Wexler		F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Williams	F	F	F	F			F	F	F	F	F	9	0	100
TOTAL												265	6	98

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; Republicans in italic

ENVIRONMENTAL —
GENERAL/GROWTH MANAGEMENT

**SB 44 Nongame
Wildlife Advisory
Council — by the
Senate Committee on
Natural Resources**

Reviews and readopts, notwithstanding the Sundown Act, the Nongame Wildlife Advisory Council.

AIF took no position on this bill, but supported floor amendments that increase the number of members on the council from nine to 13 members. AIF supports this amendment because it will balance the council by allowing industry representation.

- On March 16, 1993, the House passed the amended bill 110 yeas to 0 nays.
- **Record 1-a** On March 30, 1993, the Senate concurred with the House and passed the amended bill by a vote of 36 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-64

**HB 2115 Major Sources
of Air Pollution — by
the House Committee
on Natural Resources**

Clarifies provisions related to permits the Department of Environmental Regulation issues for operating major sources of air pollution. AIF supports this bill.

- On March 25, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 112 yeas to 0 nays.
- **Record 2-a** On March 30, 1993, the Senate passed the bill 34 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-94

**CS/CS/HB 2315 Growth
Management — by the
House Committee on
Community Affairs**

In 1991, Gov. Lawton Chiles created the Environmental and Land Management Study III Commission (ELMS III) to review existing planning and growth management programs and to recommend the next step in the evolution of growth management in Florida.

During the 1993 Regular Session, the Legislature passed major revisions to Florida's existing growth management laws. Many of the recommendations submitted to the Legislature by ELMS III were incorporated in this comprehensive package. Major provisions of the bill included:

- A phase-out of the development regional impact (DRI) program by Dec. 31, 1997.
- Specific provisions which provide that when a federal, state or regional agency has implemented a program, the Department of Community Affairs shall not require local governments to “duplicate or exceed” that permitting program in their plans, or to implement such permitting programs in their land development regulations. This provision was originally the Agency Out of Control Bill (AOC bill), HB 2323, by the House Committee on Community Affairs. That bill was adopted as an amendment to HB 2315 in the House Community Affairs Committee.
- Contains a statutory conveyance of all the state’s rights, title and interest in certain sovereignty submerged lands. This provision was originally HB 757 and was amended onto the bill on the House floor.
- On March 25, 1993, the House Governmental Operations Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 13 yeas to 6 nays.
- On March 26, 1993, the House Finance and Taxation Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 25 yeas to 0 nays.
- On March 26, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute for a committee substitute by a vote of 23 yeas to 2 nays.
- On April 1, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 116 yeas to 1 nay.
- **Record 3-a** On April 2, 1993, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 35 yeas to 2 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-206

Senate Average on General\Growth Management Issues = 98%

	1a - Nongame Wildlife Advisory Council	2a - Major Sources Of Air Pollution	3a - Growth Management/ ELMS Committee	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Bankhead</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Beard</i>	F	F	A	2	1	67
<i>Boczar</i>	F		F	2	0	100
<i>Brown-Waite</i>	F		F	2	0	100
<i>Burt</i>	F	F		2	0	100
<i>Casas</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Childers</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Crenshaw</i>	F		F	2	0	100
<i>Crist</i>	F	F	A	2	1	67
<i>Dantzler</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Diaz-Balart</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Dudley</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Dyer</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Foley</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Forman</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Grant</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Grogan</i>						
<i>Gutman</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Harden</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Hargrett</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Holzendorf</i>			F	1	0	100
<i>Jenne</i>		F	F	2	0	100
<i>Jennings</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Johnson</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Jones</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Kirkpatrick</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Kiser</i>		F	F	2	0	100
<i>Kurth</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>McKay</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Meadows</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Myers</i>	F	F		2	0	100
<i>Scott</i>	F		F	2	0	100

	1a - Nongame Wildlife Advisory Council	2a - Major Sources Of Air Pollution	3a - Growth Management/ ELMS Committee	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Siegel</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
Silver	F	F	F	3	0	100
<i>Sullivan</i>	F	F	F	3	0	100
Thomas	F	F	F	3	0	100
Turner	F	F	F	3	0	100
Weinstein	F	F	F	3	0	100
Wexler	F	F	F	3	0	100
Williams	F	F	F	3	0	100
TOTAL				105	2	98

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; Republicans in italic

ENVIRONMENTAL — SOLID WASTE

CS/HB 461 Waste Management — by Rep. George Crady (D-Yulee)

When this bill was filed AIF took no position. The bill originally required state agencies, the judiciary and the state university system to collect and sell recyclable materials used in operating facilities and offices. However, on the House floor, the provisions of the rewrite of the 1988 Solid Waste Act were amended onto this bill. AIF supports these rewrites (see HB 2241).

- On March 31, 1993, the House adopted substantial amendments, which AIF supports; the bill passed by a vote of 104 yeas to 10 nays.
- **Record 1-a** On April 2, 1993, the Senate passed the amended bill by a vote of 31 yeas to 5 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 2, 1993, the House refused to concur on two amendments and requested the Senate to recede. The bill passed as amended 104 yeas to 8 nays.
- **Record 1-b** On April 2, 1993, the Senate receded and passed the bill by a vote of 31 yeas to 2 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-207

SB 464 Solid Waste/Recovered Material (Flow Control) — by Sen. George Kirkpatrick (D-Gainesville)

Establishes the ownership and control of various solid wastes transported across local government boundaries. Industry, local governments and the Department of Environmental Regulation worked together to forge a consensus bill. The agreement includes provisions that recovered materials dealers register with local governments, gives local governments enforcement power against sham recycling, and keeps track of solid waste reduction and recycling rates. It clarifies that recyclables remain the property of the generator. AIF supports the amendment and the bill.

- **Record 2-a** On Feb. 24, 1993, the Senate Natural Resource Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 11 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

SB 464 died on the Senate Calendar; refer to CS/HB 461.

**SB 528 Solid Waste
Management
— by Sen. Rick
Dantzler (D-Winter
Haven)**

When originally filed, contained provisions that redesignated hazardous waste as biomedical waste. It also substantially revised provisions relating to the disposal of solid waste and recycling, recovery and use of specified types of solid waste. During the committee process major amendments were adopted that added provisions for an ADF at the wholesale level, ownership and control of recyclable materials (flow control) and a Florida Packaging Council to study trends, market development and rates-and-dates requirements. AIF took no position on the ADF provisions but supported the remaining amendments.

- **Record 3-a** On Feb. 11, 1993, the Senate Natural Resources Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 10 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-b** On Feb. 23, 1993, the Senate Community Affairs Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute for a committee substitute by a vote of 6 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-c** On March 4, 1993, the Senate Finance and Taxation Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute for a committee substitute with five amendments by a vote of 9 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-d** On March 23, 1993, the Senate Appropriations Committee passed the committee substitute for a committee substitute by a vote of 18 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-e** On March 30, 1993, the Senate passed the amended bill by a vote of 39 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

SB 528 died in Messages; refer to CS/HB 461

**SB 978 Packaging
— by Sen. Ginny
Brown-Waite
(R-Brooksville)**

Prohibits the use of certain toxics in packaging materials. The bill also contained the Florida Packaging Waste Reduction Council. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 4-a** On Feb. 19, 1993, the Senate Natural Resources Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 11 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 4-b** On March 23, 1993, the Senate Rules and Calendar Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 11 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

SB 978 died on the Senate Calendar; refer to CS/HB 461

Senate Average on Solid Waste Issues = 96%

	1a - Waste Management and Regulation	1b - Waste Management and Regulation	2a - Solid Waste/Recovered Material	3a - Solid Waste/Biomaterial Waste	3b - Solid Waste/Biomaterial Waste	3c - Solid Waste/Biomaterial Waste	3d - Solid Waste/Biomaterial Waste	3e - Solid Waste/Biomaterial Waste	4a - Packaging	4b - Packaging	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Bankhead	F	F						F			3	0	100
Beard	F	F	F	F			F	F	F	F	8	0	100
Boczar	A	F				F		F			3	1	75
Brown-Waite	A	F	F	F	F			F	F		6	1	86
Burt	F	F					F	F			4	0	100
Casas	F	F	F					F	F	F	6	0	100
Childers	F	F						F		F	4	0	100
Crenshaw	F							F			2	0	100
Crist	A	A	F	F				F	F		4	2	67
Dantzler	F	F	F	F			F	F	F	F	8	0	100
Diaz-Balart	F	F		F	F			F	F		6	0	100
Dudley	F	F						F		F	5	0	100
Dyer	F	F	F	F	F		F	F	F		8	0	100
Foley	F							F			2	0	100
Forman	F	F		F	F	F		F			5	0	100
Grant	F	F						F		F	4	0	100
Grogan			F						F		2	0	100
Gutman		F				F		F			3	0	100
Harden	F	F					F	F			4	0	100
Hargrett	A	F		F	F		F	F	F		6	1	86
Holzendorf	A	A					F	F			2	2	50
Jenne	F	F						F			3	0	100

	1a - Waste Management and Regulation	1b - Waste Management and Regulation	2a - Solid Waste/Recovered Material	3a - Solid Waste/Biomedical Waste	3b - Solid Waste/Biomedical Waste	3c - Solid Waste/Biomedical Waste	3d - Solid Waste/Biomedical Waste	3e - Solid Waste/Biomedical Waste	4a - Packaging	4b - Packaging	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Jennings	F	F				F		F		F	5	0	100
Johnson	F	F	F	F		F		F			6	0	100
Jones	F	F					F	F			4	0	100
Kirkpatrick	F	F	F	F			F	F	F		7	0	100
Kiser	F		F		F	F		F		F	6	0	100
Kurth	F	F					F	F			4	0	100
McKay	F	F						F			3	0	100
Meadows	F	F				F		F			4	0	100
Myers	F	F	F					F			4	0	100
Scott							F	F			2	0	100
Siegel	F					F		F			3	0	100
Silver	F	F					F	F		F	5	0	100
Sullivan		F					F	F			3	0	100
Thomas	F	F					F	F		F	5	0	100
Turner	F	F					F	F			4	0	100
Weinstein	F	F					F	F			4	0	100
Wexler	F	F				F		F		F	5	0	100
Williams	F			F			F	F	F		5	0	100
TOTAL											177	7	96

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; Republicans in italic

HEALTH CARE

SB 12 Health Care Cost Containment Board — by Sen. W.D. Childers (D-Pensacola)

Repeals the fee caps on radiation therapy contained in the 1992 Physician Self-Referral Act. AIF takes no position on fee caps but supports moving the divestiture date up by one year for physicians owning interests in self-referring joint ventures.

- **Record 1-a** On March 10, 1993, the Senate Health Care Committee passed the bill 7 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On March 31, 1993, the Senate adopted one amendment to conform SB 12 to the committee substitute for HB 139. The amendment moved up the divestiture date from 1995 to 1994. HB 139 was substituted for SB 12.

SB 12 was laid on the Table; refer to CS/HB 139

SB 134 Health Care Providers — by Sen. Doc Myers (R-Stuart)

Prohibits a health care provider, billing for services rendered by an entity outside the provider's practice, from charging more than the entity would have charged if billed directly. Removes authority to charge a handling fee for such billing. This repeals the so-called "mark-up" provision in the 1992 Physician Self-Referral Act.

AIF took no position on mark-ups but supports an amendment to move up the divestiture date for physicians owning interests in self-referring joint ventures. The divestiture date was moved up in an amendment.

- **Record 2-a** On March 10, 1993, the Senate Health Care Committee passed the bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 2-b** On March 24, 1993, the Senate passed the bill as amended by a vote of 37 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 2, 1993, the House passed the bill as amended by a vote of 111 yeas to 0 nays.

SB 134 died in Messages; refer to CS/HB 139

**HB 139 Health Care
Cost Containment —
by Rep. Buzz Ritchie
(D-Pensacola)**

Repeals the fee caps on radiation therapy contained in the 1992 Physician Self-Referral Act. AIF takes no position on fee caps but supports moving the divestiture date up by one year for physicians owning interests in self-referring joint ventures. The divestiture date was moved up in an amendment.

- On Jan. 26, 1993, the Subcommittee on Health Standards of the House Health Care Committee passed the bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays.
- On Jan. 27, 1993, the House Health Care Committee passed the bill as amended by a vote of 19 yeas to 0 nays.
- On Feb. 23, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 119 yeas to 0 nays.
- **Record 3—a** On March 31, 1993, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 36 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-226

**SB 1248 Health Care
Providers
— by Sen. Mark Foley
(R-West Palm Beach)**

Repeals a provision that prohibits a health care provider from charging a handling fee in excess of \$2 for services rendered by an entity outside that provider's practice. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 4—a** On March 10, 1993, the Senate Health Care Committee passed the bill by a vote of 8 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Died on Senate Calendar; refer to HB 2071

**SB 1914 Establishment
of Rural Health
Networks and Rural
Regional Hospital
Systems
— by Sen. Al Gutman
(R-Miami)**

Became the Florida Health Care and Insurance Reform Act of 1993. The act reforms the health care and health insurance systems in order to reduce costs and increase access. The bill reforms the small group health insurance market, implements a system of managed competition for health care services, creates a health care data base, creates a Medicaid buy-in system, calls for development of health care practice parameters, and accelerates divestiture by physicians owning interests in health care facilities.

AIF supports this bill. It takes a market-based rather than a regulatory approach to health care reform. It also contains no new taxes or employer mandates (which AIF traditionally opposes).

This bill went through a number of major revisions both in the Senate Health Care Committee and on the Senate floor. AIF consistently supported the concept contained in the final version of this bill. However, this concept did not appear until the bill reached the House floor. Although the bill was different, AIF supported it in committee because the bill had to reach the floor so it could become law.

- **Record 5-a** On March 29, 1993, the Senate Health Care Committee passed the bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 1 nay. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 5-b** On April 2, 1993, the Senate substantially amended the bill and passed it as amended by a vote of 21 yeas to 17 nays. AIF did not support any of the amendments. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 2, 1993, the House amended the bill — striking everything after the enacting clause and inserting the final version of the bill — by a vote of 110 yeas to 3 nays.
- **Record 5-c** On April 2, 1993, the Senate concurred in the amendment and passed the bill by a vote of 29 yeas to 10 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-129

Senate Average on Health Care Issues = 82%

	1a - Health Care Cost Containment Board	2a - Health Care Providers	2b - Health Care Providers	3a - Health Care Cost Containment Board	4a - Health Care Providers	5a - Establishment of Rural Health Networks/Rgl. Hosp.	5b - Establishment of Rural Health Networks/Rgl. Hosp.	5c - Establishment of Rural Health Networks/Rgl. Hosp.	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Bankhead</i>			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
<i>Beard</i>			F	F			F	A	3	1	75
<i>Boczar</i>			F	F			A	A	2	2	50
<i>Brown-Waite</i>	F	F	F	F	F	F	A	F	7	1	88
<i>Burt</i>			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
<i>Casas</i>			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
<i>Childers</i>	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	8	0	100
<i>Crenshaw</i>			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
<i>Crist</i>			F	F			A	A	2	2	50
<i>Dantzler</i>			F	F			F	F	4	0	100
<i>Diaz-Balart</i>			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
<i>Dudley</i>			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
<i>Dyer</i>			F	F			F	F	4	0	100
<i>Foley</i>	F	F	F	F	F	F	A	F	7	1	88
<i>Forman</i>			F	F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
<i>Grant</i>			F	F			F	A	3	1	75
<i>Grogan</i>											
<i>Gutman</i>	F	F	F	F	F	F	A	F	7	1	88
<i>Harden</i>				F			F	F	3	0	100
<i>Hargrett</i>			F	F			A	A	2	2	50
<i>Holzendorf</i>			F	F			A	A	2	2	50
<i>Jenne</i>			F				F	F	3	0	100
<i>Jennings</i>			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
<i>Johnson</i>			F	F			A	A	2	2	50

	1a - Health Care Cost Containment Board	2a - Health Care Providers	2b - Health Care Providers	3a - Health Care Cost Containment Board	4a - Health Care Providers	5a - Establishment of Rural Health Networks/Rgl. Hosp.	5b - Establishment of Rural Health Networks/Rgl. Hosp.	5c - Establishment of Rural Health Networks/Rgl. Hosp.	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Jones			F				F	F	3	0	100
Kirkpatrick				F				F	2	0	100
Kiser			F	F			F	F	4	0	100
Kurth			F	F			F	F	4	0	100
McKay			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
Meadows			F	F			F	A	3	1	75
Myers	F	F	F	F	F	A	F	F	7	1	88
Scott			F				F	F	3	0	100
Siegel			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
Silver	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	A	7	1	88
Sullivan			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
Thomas			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
Turner	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	8	0	100
Weinstein			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
Wexler			F	F			F	A	3	1	75
Williams			F	F			A	F	3	1	75
TOTAL									148	32	82

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

LEGAL AND JUDICIAL

SB 354 Rates of Interest/Judgments and Decrees — by Sen. Donald Sullivan (R-Seminole)

Provides a 9-percent rate of interest (reduced from 12 percent) on judgments in the absence of a contract beginning on the effective date of the act. AIF supports reduction of the interest rate because 12 percent is higher than the market rate. A hostile amendment was added to the bill which would have allowed for prejudgment interest at 9 percent. AIF opposes prejudgment interest and opposes this bill as a result of the amendment. If passed, the bill would have allowed interest to accrue from the date of the cause of action. And usually, it's years before a lawsuit is even filed.

- **Record 1-a** On March 22, 1993, the Senate Judiciary Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 4 yeas to 2 nays. A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

SB 354 died in the Senate Commerce Committee

SB 1000 Private Property Rights Act — by Sen. Doc Myers (R-Stuart)

Originally created the Private Property Rights Act to ensure that government decision-makers evaluate the effect their regulatory actions have on constitutionally protected property rights in order to avoid or reduce unreasonable financial burdens imposed on persons whose properties are directly or indirectly affected by otherwise lawful governmental actions. The bill provides for compensation for regulatory takings if the regulation reduces the property value by 40 percent.

- **Record 2-a** On March 18, 1993, the Senate Judiciary Committee amended and passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

The amended bill creates a study commission on inverse condemnation law to:

- Study existing remedies; and
- Prepare reports on a legislative formula for presumption of taking.

The commission is also to recommend statutory standards and criteria for local government decision-makers and for courts to use in inverse condemnation decisions and proceedings. AIF supports the original bill and the amended version.

- **Record 2-b** On April 1, 1993, the Senate passed the committee substitute as amended by a vote of 33 yeas to 3 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- On April 2, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 89 yeas to 20 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Vetoed by the governor

**SB 1066 Deceptive and
Unfair Trade Practices
— by Sen. Ken Jenne
(D-Ft. Lauderdale)**

Amends Florida's "Little FTC Act," which prohibits deceptive and unfair trade practices. The amendments to Chapter 501 reflect case law and were needed by the attorney general to better enforce the act in light of case law. The attorney general has been changing this law piecemeal for years. This rewrite should solve most problems and be operational for many years. It is better to amend a regulatory statute once rather than keep the regulated community guessing for years. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 3-a** On Feb. 24, 1993, the Senate Judiciary Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 6 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-b** On March 16, 1993, the Senate Committee on Professional Regulation passed the bill by a vote of 5 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-c** On March 24, 1993, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 38 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On March 25, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 109 yeas to 0 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-38

**HB 5A Profiteering
During State of
Emergency
— by Rep. Jim King
(R-Jacksonville)**

Provides that if the governor declares a state of emergency, it is a violation of the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act for a person to sell goods necessary for use during the emergency at unfair or excessive prices within the area for which the emergency is declared. AIF supports this bill.

- On Dec. 10, 1992, the House Commerce Committee passed the amended bill as a committee substitute 21 yeas to 1 nay.
- On Dec. 10, 1992, the House Appropriations committee passed the bill by a vote of 33 yeas to 0 nays.
- On Dec. 10, 1992, the House passed the bill by a vote of 100 yeas to 17 nays.

- **Record 4-a** On Dec. 11, 1992, the Senate Judiciary Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 4-b** On Dec. 11, 1992, the Senate passed the bill as amended by a vote of 34 yeas to 4 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On Dec. 11, 1992, the House concurred 109 yeas to 2 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #92-353

Senate Average on Legal and Judicial Issues = 92%

	1a - Rates of Interest/ Judgments and Decrees	2a - Private Property Rights Act	2b - Private Property Rights Act	3a - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	3b - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	3c - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	4a - Profiteering During State of Emergency	4b - Profiteering During State of Emergency	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Bankhead</i>			F		F	F	F		4	0	100
<i>Beard</i>			F			F	A		2	1	67
<i>Boczar</i>	A	F	F	F		F	F	F	6	1	86
<i>Brown-Waite</i>			F		F	F	F		4	0	100
<i>Burt</i>			F			F	F		3	0	100
<i>Casas</i>			F			F	F		3	0	100
<i>Childers</i>						F	F		2	0	100
<i>Crenshaw</i>						F	F		2	0	100
<i>Crist</i>			F			F	F		3	0	100
<i>Dantzler</i>			F			F	A		2	1	67
<i>Diaz-Balart</i>			F		F	F	F		4	0	100
<i>Dudley</i>	F	F	F	F		F	F	F	7	0	100
<i>Dyer</i>			F		F	F	F		4	0	100
<i>Foley</i>			F			F			2	0	100
<i>Forman</i>			A			F	F		2	1	67
<i>Grant</i>	F	F	F	F		F	F		6	0	100
<i>Grogan</i>							F		1	0	100
<i>Gutman</i>						F	F		2	0	100
<i>Harden</i>			F			F	F		3	0	100
<i>Hargrett</i>			F			F	A		2	1	67
<i>Holzendorf</i>			F			F	A		2	1	67
<i>Jenne</i>	A	F	F	F		F	F	F	6	1	86
<i>Jennings</i>			F			F	F		3	0	100
<i>Johnson</i>			F			F	F		3	0	100

	1a - Rates of Interest/ Judgments and Decrees	2a - Private Property Rights Act	2b - Private Property Rights Act	3a - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	3b - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	3c - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	4a - Profiteering During State of Emergency	4b - Profiteering During State of Emergency	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Jones	A	F	F			F	F	F	5	1	83
Kirkpatrick			F			F	F		3	0	100
Kiser			F			F	F		3	0	100
Kurth			F			F	F		3	0	100
McKay			F			F	F		3	0	100
Meadows			A			F	F		2	1	67
Myers			F			F	F		3	0	100
Scott			F				F	F	3	0	100
Siegel		F	F	F		F	F	F	6	0	100
Silver			F			F	F		3	0	100
Sullivan			F		F	F	F		4	0	100
Thomas			F			F	F		3	0	100
Turner			F			F	F		3	0	100
Weinstein	A	F	F	F		F	F	F	6	1	86
Wexler			A			F			1	1	50
Williams			F			F	F		3	0	100
TOTAL									132	11	92

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

TAXATION

SB 364 Occupational License Taxes — by Sen. Fred Dudley (R-Cape Coral)

Substantially revises provisions associated with the local occupational license tax which cities and counties are authorized to levy.

The most significant revision establishes procedures for cities and counties to revise their occupational license classifications and rate structures. Before revisions may be implemented, the city or county must appoint an equity study commission, composed of members from the business community, to recommend a new classification system and rate structure.

- **Record 1-a** On Feb. 9, 1993, the Senate Community Affairs Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 6 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-b** On March 4, 1993, the Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 2 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-c** On March 29, 1993, the Senate passed the bill as amended by a vote of 28 yeas to 9 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 2, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 118 yeas to 0 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-180

CS/SB 1772 Expiration of Various Tax Exemptions — by Sen. Howard Forman (D-Hollywood) and Sen. Curt Kiser (R-Dunedin)

The combined bill requires the staff of the Economic and Demographic Research Division of the Joint Legislative Management Committee to study the impact of taxation, fees and assessments on each of the eight major industry groups. Criteria outlined for study and evaluation must be considered when evaluating any tax exemptions enjoyed by the industries. This bill does not contain any automatic repeal language for current exemptions. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 2-a** On March 23, 1993, the Senate Finance and Tax Committee created a committee substitute for the bill by a vote of 9 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

SB 1772 died in the Senate Community Affairs Committee

Senate Average on Taxation Issues = 81%

	1a - Occupational License Taxes	1b - Occupational License Taxes	1c - Occupational License Taxes	2a - Expiration of Various Tax Exemptions	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Bankhead</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Beard</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Boczar</i>		F	A	F	2	1	67
<i>Brown-Waite</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Burt</i>	F		A		1	1	50
<i>Casas</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Childers</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Crenshaw</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Crist</i>		A	A	F	1	2	33
<i>Dantzler</i>							
<i>Diaz-Balart</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Dudley</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Dyer</i>	F		F		2	0	100
<i>Foley</i>			A		0	1	0
<i>Forman</i>	F	F	F	F	4	0	100
<i>Grant</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Grogan</i>							
<i>Gutman</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Harden</i>			A		0	1	0
<i>Hargrett</i>	A		F		1	1	50
<i>Holzendorf</i>			A		0	1	0
<i>Jenne</i>			F		1	0	100
<i>Jennings</i>	F	F	F	F	4	0	100
<i>Johnson</i>		F	A	F	2	1	67

	1a - Occupational License Taxes	1b - Occupational License Taxes	1c - Occupational License Taxes	2a - Expiration of Various Tax Exemptions	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Jones	F		F		2	0	100
Kirkpatrick			F		1	0	100
Kiser	F	F	F	F	4	0	100
Kurth			F		1	0	100
McKay			F		1	0	100
Meadows		F	F	F	3	0	100
Myers			F		1	0	100
Scott							
Siegel		A	F	F	2	1	67
Silver			F		1	0	100
Sullivan			F		1	0	100
Thomas			A		0	1	0
Turner			F		1	0	100
Weinstein			F		1	0	100
Wexler		F	F	F	3	0	100
Williams			A		0	1	0
TOTAL					50	12	81

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
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WORKERS' COMPENSATION

**SB 12C 1993 Workers'
Compensation Reform
Act — by Sen. Toni
Jennings (R-Orlando)**

An act relating to workers' compensation. Substantially revises provisions relating to workers' compensation.

Amendment Number 59 relating to attorney fees as addressed in the Senate Commerce Committee

On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee considered the Senate workers' compensation package developed by the Select Committee on Workers' Compensation.

The select committee bill contained a 5-percent reduction in attorney fees, which AIF supports. Attorneys are one of the major cost drivers in workers' comp. They encourage injured employees to stay out of work and encourage doctor shopping, usually in an attempt to gain a larger fee for themselves.

Senators Robert Wexler (D-Boca Raton), Ron Silver (D-North Miami Beach), Howard Forman (D-Hollywood) and Fred Dudley (R-Cape Coral) offered an amendment to remove the attorney fee provision. The amendment would leave the existing attorney fee schedule (thereby removing any savings) but slightly change fees by awarding a fee of 10 percent of all benefits secured after 10 years. AIF opposes this amendment. It is important to reduce the incentive for attorney involvement.

- **Record 1-b** On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee voted 8 yeas to 7 nays to defeat the Wexler amendment (Amendment Number 59). A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-c** On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee voted to reconsider the vote on amendment number 59a. By a vote of 8 yeas to 6 nays the committee adopted the amendment. A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Amendment Number 52a relating to impairment ratings by chiropractors as addressed in the Senate Commerce Committee

On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee considered the Senate workers' compensation package developed by the Select Committee on Workers' Compensation.

The select committee bill contained language to prevent chiropractors from giving impairment ratings, which AIF supports. Impairment ratings (under pre-1991 law, chiropractors can give impairment ratings) determine the level of disability and thus the level of benefits. Chiropractors usually give higher impairment ratings than medical

doctors. Chiropractors should not be allowed to make such determinations.

Senators Howard Forman (D-Hollywood) and Ron Silver (D-North Miami Beach) offered an amendment to remove the prohibition and to continue to allow impairment ratings by chiropractors.

- **Record 1-d** On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee voted 11 yeas to 4 nays to adopt the Forman Amendment. A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position. The Forman Amendment was later replaced by a limit on chiropractic visits. No roll call vote was recorded

- **Record 1-a** On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee voted 11 yeas to 2 nays to pass the bill. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position. The Senate Committee put together a viable package with some major issues left unresolved. Debate on the Senate floor was necessary to workout final details.

On Nov. 2, 1993, the Senate debated SB 12C on workers' compensation. More than 100 amendments were considered. The Senate voted, by a vote of 40 yeas to 0 nays to pass the bill.

AIF supports the Senate bill. It reduces attorney fees, changes the way Judges of Compensation Claims are appointed, tightens many definitions, limits chiropractic visits and institutes managed care. It makes changes to the system necessary to keep rates down. It is not a perfect bill, however; an excellent product could be crafted by joining this bill with the House bill.

- **Record 1-e** On Nov. 2, 1993, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 40 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

On Nov. 3, 1993, the House struck everything after the enacting clause in SB 12C and inserted the House bill and passed the bill by a vote of 113 yeas to 3 nays. This is a parliamentary move to put the bill in the proper posture for conference. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

On Nov. 8, 1993, the Workers' Compensation Conference Committee met to compromise and craft a final package by mixing the House and Senate provisions. The House and Senate bills contained a provision to move regulation of individual self-insured companies from the Department of Labor and Employment Security (FDLES) into the Department of Insurance (DOI). AIF opposes this. Individual self-insurers are not insurance companies. They should be regulated by FDLES. The conference committee agreed to change the position and not move the individual self-insureds.

- **Record 1-f** When the draft conference report was released it contained language to move the individual self-insureds to DOI. On

November 8, 1993, a motion was made in conference to amend that language and retain regulation of the individual self-insureds at FDLES. In order for a motion to be adopted in conference committee a majority of both senators and house members must vote in favor, rather than a simple majority of the committee approving the motion. The motion failed by 2 yeas to 7 nays as the 2 yeas did not constitute a majority of senators voting in favor. Regulation of the individual self-insureds was moved to DOI. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 1-g** On Nov. 8, 1993, the conference committee again addressed the attorney fee issue. A motion was made to raise attorney fees allowed for in the conference report and return attorney fees to their current levels. AIF opposes this. (See record 1c.) The motion failed by a vote of 5 yeas to 4 nays. A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-h** On Nov. 8, 1993, the conference committee considered the creation of a Workers' Compensation Appeals Commission. A motion was made to create a commission that would come into existence if the First District Court of Appeals does not form a specialized panel. AIF supports this. The commission would be a specialized panel of judges to hear workers' compensation appeals. This is important for reform to avoid confusing, contradictory opinions and to speed up appeals. The motion was adopted by a vote of 8 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-i** On Nov. 9, 1993, the conference committee adopted the conference report on workers' compensation by a vote of 10 yeas to 0 nays. AIF supports the conference report. This report represents the best workers' compensation bill crafted by the Florida Legislature in many years. It reforms a system that is driving up costs. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-j** On Nov. 10, 1993, the Senate considered the conference report. AIF supports the conference report. It contains systemic reform of Judges of Compensation Claims, attorney involvement, medical care, appeals, aid for injured workers, and payment of benefits. This bill should bring lasting rate reductions. The report passed by a vote of 39 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

On Nov. 10, 1993, the House considered the conference report. AIF supports the conference report. It contains systemic reform of Judges of Compensation Claims, attorney involvement, medical care, appeals, aid for injured workers, and payment of benefits. This bill should bring lasting rate reductions. The report passed by a vote of 100 yeas to 12 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Senate Average on Workers' Compensation Issues = 80%

	1a - WC: Election and Revocation	1b - WC: Election and Revocation	1c - WC: Election and Revocation	1d - WC: Election and Revocation	1e - WC: Election and Revocation	1f - WC: Election and Revocation	1g - WC: Election and Revocation	1h - WC: Election and Revocation	1i - WC: Election and Revocation	1j - WC: Election and Revocation	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Bankhead</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Beard</i>	F	F	F	A	F					F	5	1	83
<i>Boczar</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Boyd</i>						F	F	F	F		4	0	100
<i>Brown-Waite</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Burke</i>									F		1	0	100
<i>Burt</i>	F	F	F	A	F					F	5	1	83
<i>Casas</i>		A		A	F					F	2	2	50
<i>Childers</i>	F	F	A	F	F	F	A	F	F	F	8	2	80
<i>Crenshaw</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Crist</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Dantzler</i>					F	F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
<i>Diaz-Balart</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Dudley</i>	F	A	A	A	F					F	3	3	50
<i>Dyer</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Foley</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Forman</i>	F	A	A	A	F					F	3	3	50
<i>Grant</i>	A	F	F	F	F					F	5	1	83
<i>Grogan</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Gutman</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Harden</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Hargrett</i>					F					F	2	0	100
<i>Hawkes</i>						F	A	F	F		3	1	75
<i>Holzendorf</i>	A	A	A	A	F					F	2	4	33

	1a - WC: Election and Revocation	1b - WC: Election and Revocation	1c - WC: Election and Revocation	1d - WC: Election and Revocation	1e - WC: Election and Revocation	1f - WC: Election and Revocation	1g - WC: Election and Revocation	1h - WC: Election and Revocation	1i - WC: Election and Revocation	1j - WC: Election and Revocation	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Jenne	F	F	A	A	F					F	4	2	67
Jennings	F	F	F	F	F	A	A	F	F	F	8	2	80
Johnson					F					F	2	0	100
Jones					F						1	0	100
King						F	F	F	F		4	0	100
Kirkpatrick					F					F	2	0	100
Kiser					F					F	2	0	100
Kurth					F					F	2	0	100
Lippman						F	F	F	F		4	0	100
Mackey						F	F	F	F		4	0	100
McKay	F	F	F	A	F					F	5	1	83
Meadows					F					F	2	0	100
Myers					F					F	2	0	100
Scott		A	A	F	F	A	A	A	F	F	4	5	44
Siegel					F					F	2	0	100
Silver	F	A	A	A	F					F	3	3	50
Sullivan					F					F	2	0	100
Thomas					F					F	2	0	100
Turner					F					F	2	0	100
Weinstein					F					F	2	0	100
Wexler	F	A	A	A	F					F	3	3	50
Williams	F	F	F	A	F					F	5	1	83
TOTAL											138	35	80

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The Florida House of Representatives

1993 Regular and Special Sessions

Ranking and Record on Issues

Representatives by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Representative	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
1	Safley	35	0	5	100
2	Bainter	32	1	7	97
2	Johnson, Buddy	28	1	3	97
2	Starks	33	1	5	97
2	Tedder	33	1	1	97
2	Valdes	34	1	5	97
7	King	50	2	7	96
7	Saunders, Dean	50	2	1	96
9	Couch	35	2	1	95
9	Gay	37	2	1	95
9	Hawkins	39	2	15	95
9	Laurent	35	2	3	95
9	Ogles	39	2	1	95
9	Reddick	39	2	11	95
9	Webster	35	2	13	95
16	Brown	31	2	1	94
16	Crady	48	3	15	94
16	Crist	32	2	1	94
16	Eggelletion	47	3	1	94
16	Garcia	29	2	8	94
16	Ireland	33	2	7	94
16	Littlefield	32	2	1	94
16	Merchant	31	2	1	94
16	Minton	31	2	1	94
16	Sembler	32	2	3	94
16	Smith	29	2	4	94
27	Albright	39	3	5	93
27	Bronson	40	3	11	93
27	Goode	42	3	7	93

Representatives by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Representative	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
27	Martinez	38	3	15	93
27	Sindler	27	2	5	93
32	Arnold	45	4	11	92
32	<i>Futch</i>	33	3	1	92
32	Johnson, Bo	24	2	15	92
32	Long	46	4	7	92
32	Rudd	45	4	7	92
32	Upchurch	34	3	1	92
38	Ascherl	31	3	7	91
38	Bullard	30	3	1	91
38	Casey	31	3	1	91
38	<i>Fuller</i>	30	3	1	91
38	Geller	32	3	5	91
38	<i>Manrique</i>	31	3	1	91
38	McClure	31	3	1	91
38	McMahan	30	3	1	91
38	<i>Pruitt</i>	51	5	3	91
38	Rayson	40	4	3	91
38	<i>Thrasher</i>	30	3	1	91
38	<i>Villalobos</i>	30	3	1	91
50	<i>Arnall</i>	36	4	5	90
50	Burke	28	3	1	90
50	Cosgrove	26	3	10	90
50	Hafner	44	5	5	90
50	Kelly	45	5	15	90
50	Mitchell	47	5	15	90
56	Bloom	31	4	8	89
56	Charles	32	4	1	89
56	Chestnut	34	4	3	89

Representatives by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Representative	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
56	<i>Constantine</i>	39	5	1	89
56	Harris	31	4	11	89
56	Klein	32	4	1	89
56	Logan	39	5	10	89
56	Peebles	39	5	11	89
56	Saunders, Ron	42	5	7	89
56	Warner	39	5	1	89
66	<i>Benson</i>	29	4	1	88
66	Boyd	37	5	5	88
66	Clemons	29	4	3	88
66	Dennis	29	4	1	88
66	Hill	28	4	1	88
66	Mackenzie	38	5	11	88
66	McAndrews	30	4	1	88
66	<i>Morse</i>	37	5	9	88
66	Ritchie	43	6	5	88
66	Simon	29	4	11	88
66	<i>Stabins</i>	28	4	1	88
66	Tobin	29	4	11	88
66	Trammell	36	5	7	88
66	<i>Wise</i>	28	4	6	88
80	Abrams	27	4	11	87
80	Bush	26	4	1	87
80	Dawson	34	5	1	87
80	Healey	33	5	11	87
80	<i>Jones</i>	40	6	15	87
80	<i>Mortham</i>	26	4	7	87
80	<i>Rojas</i>	20	3	5	87
87	Davis	43	7	5	86

Representatives by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Representative	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
87	Hawkes	30	5	3	86
87	Morrone	25	4	1	86
87	Sublette	25	4	1	86
91	Barreiro	28	5	1	85
91	Feeney	22	4	3	85
91	Feren	23	4	1	85
91	Roberts	28	5	5	85
91	Sanderson	33	6	11	85
91	Stafford	28	5	3	85
97	Bitner	31	6	1	84
97	Brennan	43	8	3	84
97	Lippman	27	5	15	84
97	Wallace	27	5	11	84
101	Edwards	20	4	1	83
101	Thomas	43	9	9	83
103	Graber	32	7	5	82
103	Hanson	32	7	11	82
105	Armesto-Garcia	26	6	1	81
105	De Grandy	26	6	4	81
105	Jacobs	25	6	1	81
105	Mackey	38	9	7	81
109	Gordon	39	10	15	80
109	Jamerson	33	8	11	80
111	Kerrigan	30	8	1	79
111	Lawson	31	8	11	79
111	Shepard	27	7	1	79
114	Posey	21	6	1	78
114	Schultz	28	8	1	78
116	Miller	26	8	1	76

Representatives by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Representative	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
117	Glickman	24	8	7	75
118	Rush	32	12	7	73
119	Greene	20	9	1	69
119	Mishkin	22	10	3	69
TOTAL		3967	512		89

Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

Representatives Alphabetical by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Representative	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
80	Abrams	27	4	11	87
27	Albright	39	3	5	93
105	Armesto-Garcia	26	6	1	81
50	Arnall	36	4	5	90
32	Arnold	45	4	11	92
38	Ascherl	31	3	7	91
2	Bainter	32	1	7	97
91	Barreiro	28	5	1	85
66	Benson	29	4	1	88
97	Bitner	31	6	1	84
56	Bloom	31	4	8	89
66	Boyd	37	5	5	88
97	Brennan	43	8	3	84
27	Bronson	40	3	11	93
16	Brown	31	2	1	94
38	Bullard	30	3	1	91
50	Burke	28	3	1	90
80	Bush	26	4	1	87
38	Casey	31	3	1	91
56	Charles	32	4	1	89
56	Chestnut	34	4	3	89
66	Clemons	29	4	3	88
56	Constantine	39	5	1	89
50	Cosgrove	26	3	10	90
9	Couch	35	2	1	95
16	Crady	48	3	15	94
16	Crist	32	2	1	94
87	Davis	43	7	5	86
80	Dawson	34	5	1	87

Representatives Alphabetical by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Representative	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
105	<i>De Grandy</i>	26	6	4	81
66	Dennis	29	4	1	88
101	Edwards	20	4	1	83
16	Eggelletion	47	3	1	94
91	<i>Feeney</i>	22	4	3	85
91	Feren	23	4	1	85
38	<i>Fuller</i>	30	3	1	91
32	<i>Futch</i>	33	3	1	92
16	<i>Garcia</i>	29	2	8	94
9	Gay	37	2	1	95
38	Geller	32	3	5	91
117	Glickman	24	8	7	75
27	Goode	42	3	7	93
109	Gordon	39	10	15	80
103	Graber	32	7	5	82
119	Greene	20	9	1	69
50	Hafner	44	5	5	90
103	<i>Hanson</i>	32	7	11	82
56	Harris	31	4	11	89
87	<i>Hawkes</i>	30	5	3	86
9	<i>Hawkins</i>	39	2	15	95
80	Healey	33	5	11	87
66	Hill	28	4	1	88
16	<i>Ireland</i>	33	2	7	94
105	Jacobs	25	6	1	81
109	Jamerson	33	8	11	80
32	Johnson, Bo	24	2	15	92
2	<i>Johnson, Buddy</i>	28	1	3	97
80	<i>Jones</i>	40	6	15	87

Representatives Alphabetical by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Representative	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
50	Kelly	45	5	15	90
111	Kerrigan	30	8	1	79
7	King	50	2	7	96
56	Klein	32	4	1	89
9	Laurent	35	2	3	95
111	Lawson	31	8	11	79
97	Lippman	27	5	15	84
16	Littlefield	32	2	1	94
56	Logan	39	5	10	89
32	Long	46	4	7	92
66	Mackenzie	38	5	11	88
105	Mackey	38	9	7	81
38	Manrique	31	3	1	91
27	Martinez	38	3	15	93
66	McAndrews	30	4	1	88
38	McClure	31	3	1	91
38	McMahan	30	3	1	91
16	Merchant	31	2	1	94
116	Miller	26	8	1	76
16	Minton	31	2	1	94
119	Mishkin	22	10	3	69
50	Mitchell	47	5	15	90
87	Morrone	25	4	1	86
66	Morse	37	5	9	88
80	Mortham	26	4	7	87
9	Ogles	39	2	1	95
56	Peeples	39	5	11	89
114	Posey	21	6	1	78
38	Pruitt	51	5	3	91

Representatives Alphabetical by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Representative	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
38	Rayson	40	4	3	91
9	Reddick	39	2	11	95
66	Ritchie	43	6	5	88
91	Roberts	28	5	5	85
80	Rojas	20	3	5	87
32	Rudd	45	4	7	92
118	Rush	32	12	7	73
1	Safley	35	0	5	100
91	Sanderson	33	6	11	85
7	Saunders, Dean	50	2	1	96
56	Saunders, Ron	42	5	7	89
114	Schultz	28	8	1	78
16	Sembler	32	2	3	94
111	Shepard	27	7	1	79
66	Simon	29	4	11	88
27	Sindler	27	2	5	93
16	Smith	29	2	4	94
66	Stabins	28	4	1	88
91	Stafford	28	5	3	85
2	Starks	33	1	5	97
87	Sublette	25	4	1	86
2	Tedder	33	1	1	97
101	Thomas	43	9	9	83
38	Thrasher	30	3	1	91
66	Tobin	29	4	11	88
66	Trammell	36	5	7	88
32	Upchurch	34	3	1	92
2	Valdes	34	1	5	97
38	Villalobos	30	3	1	91

Representatives Alphabetical by Ranking — 1993

1993 Rank	Representative	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	Years Ranked	Historical Percentage
97	Wallace	27	5	11	84
56	Warner	39	5	1	89
9	<i>Webster</i>	35	2	13	95
66	<i>Wise</i>	28	4	6	88
TOTAL		3967	512		89

Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

1993 House Voting Keys

EMPLOYMENT

HB 293 Minimum Wage
— by Rep. Tim
Jamerson (D-St.
Petersburg)

Seeks to place on the ballot in the November 1994 general election a proposed constitutional amendment to provide that every natural person age 16 or older be entitled to earn an hourly wage that will provide an annual income no less than the annual poverty level for a family of three. AIF opposes this bill. It would require that the minimum wage change every year and would make Florida a non-competitive state. Florida-made goods would cost more on the global market.

- **Record 1-a** On Feb. 23, 1993, the Subcommittee on Employee Benefits of the House Employee and Management Relations Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 5 yeas to 1 nay. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-b** On Feb. 25, 1993, the House Committee on Employee and Management Relations passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 11 yeas to 2 nays. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 293 died in the House Appropriations Committee

HB 301 Personnel Files
— by Rep. Addie
Greene (D-West Palm
Beach)

Requires private sector employers permit employees to inspect, examine and duplicate their personnel files. This bill would have imposed a duty on employers to keep personnel files and investigate material contained in the files, and would have created a civil action (with attorney fees) to enforce the law. This is an unreasonable burden on employers. AIF opposes this bill.

- **Record 2-a** On Feb. 17, 1993, the Subcommittee on Employee Benefits of the House Committee on Employment and Management Relations passed the proposed committee substitute by a vote of 5 yeas to 0 nays. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 2-b** On Feb. 18, 1993, the House Committee on Employee and Management Relations passed the bill as a committee substitute

by a vote of 13 yeas to 0 nays. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 301 died on the House Calendar

**HB 877 Unemployment
Compensation/Benefits
— by Rep. Addie
Greene (D-West Palm
Beach)**

Originally contained provisions relating to disqualification for unemployment compensation benefits. The bill provided that when a person is disqualified for unemployment benefits because he voluntarily quits a temporary job to take a permanent job or a better paying job, to requalify for benefits, the claimant would be required to earn three times his weekly benefit amount (WBA), rather than 17 times that amount. AIF opposed this bill until an amendment was adopted which further clarified disqualification requirements. AIF supported the amendment but still did not support the bill. The amendment allowed AIF to become neutral and take no position on the bill.

- **Record 3-a** On Feb. 23, 1993, the Subcommittee on Employee Benefits of the House Employee and Management Relations Committee passed the original bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 1 nay. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-b** On Feb. 25, 1993, the House Employee and Management Relations Committee amended the bill and passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 12 yeas to 0 nays. AIF took no position on this bill at that time, but supported the amendment. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 877 died on the House Calendar

**SB 14-A
Unemployment
Compensation
Benefits/Disaster Relief
Act — by Sen. Roberto
Casas (R-Hialeah)**

Revises the unemployment compensation law to provide that when an individual is separated from an employer as a direct result of a natural disaster declared pursuant to the Disaster Relief Act of 1974 and the Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Amendments of 1988, no benefits subsequently paid to the individual based on his wages shall be charged to the employer's account. AIF supports this bill.

- On Dec. 9, 1992, the Senate Commerce Committee passed the bill by a vote of 11 yeas to 0 nays.
- On Dec. 10, 1992, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 34 yeas to 0 nays.
- **Record 4-a** On Dec. 11, 1992, the House passed the bill by a vote of 111 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #92-352

House Average on Employment Issues = 76%

	1a - Const. Amend./Minimum Wage	1b - Const. Amend./Minimum Wage	2a - Inspection of Personnel Files	2b - Inspection of Personnel Files	3a - Unemployment Compensation/Benefits	3b - Unemployment Compensation/Benefits	4a - U.C. Benefits/Disaster Relief	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Abrams							F	1	0	100
Albright							F	1	0	100
Armesto-Garcia	A	A		A			F	1	3	25
Arnall										
Arnold							F	1	0	100
Ascherl							F	1	0	100
Bainter							F	1	0	100
Barreiro							F	1	0	100
Benson							F	1	0	100
Bitner							F	1	0	100
Bloom							F	1	0	100
Boyd										
Brennan							F	1	0	100
Bronson							F	1	0	100
Brown							F	1	0	100
Bullard							F	1	0	100
Burke							F	1	0	100
Bush							F	1	0	100
Casey		A		A	F	F	F	3	2	60
Charles							F	1	0	100
Chestnut							F	1	0	100
Clemons							F	1	0	100
Constantine		A		A	A	F	F	2	3	40
Cosgrove							F	1	0	100

	1a - Const. Amend./Minimum Wage	1b - Const. Amend./Minimum Wage	2a - Inspection of Personnel Files	2b - Inspection of Personnel Files	3a - Unemployment Compensation/Benefits	3b - Unemployment Compensation/Benefits	4a - U.C. Benefits/Disaster Relief	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Couch</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Crady</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Crist</i>	F	F		A		F	F	4	1	80
<i>Davis</i>		A		A		F	F	2	2	50
<i>Dawson</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>De Grandy</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Dennis</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Edwards</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Eggelletion</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Feeney</i>										
<i>Feren</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Fuller</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Futch</i>		A		A	A	F	F	2	3	40
<i>Garcia</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Gay</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Geller</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Glickman</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Goode</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Gordon</i>	A	A	A	A		F	F	2	4	33
<i>Graber</i>			A	A			F	1	2	33
<i>Greene</i>		A		A	A	F	F	2	3	40
<i>Hafner</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Hanson</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Harris</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Hawkes</i>							F	1	0	100

	1a - Const. Amend./Minimum Wage	1b - Const. Amend./Minimum Wage	2a - Inspection of Personnel Files	2b - Inspection of Personnel Files	3a - Unemployment Compensation/Benefits	3b - Unemployment Compensation/Benefits	4a - U.C. Benefits/Disaster Relief	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Hawkins</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Healey</i>										
<i>Hill</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Ireland</i>		F			A	F	F	3	1	75
<i>Jacobs</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Jamerson</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Johnson, Bo</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Johnson, Buddy</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Jones</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Kelly</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Kerrigan</i>	A	A	A	A		F	F	2	4	33
<i>King</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Klein</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Laurent</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Lawson</i>	A	A	A	A		F	F	2	4	33
<i>Lippman</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Littlefield</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Logan</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Long</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Mackenzie</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Mackey</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Manrique</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Martinez</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>McAndrews</i>										
<i>McClure</i>							F	1	0	100

	1a - Const. Amend./Minimum Wage	1b - Const. Amend./Minimum Wage	2a - Inspection of Personnel Files	2b - Inspection of Personnel Files	3a - Unemployment Compensation/Benefits	3b - Unemployment Compensation/Benefits	4a - U.C. Benefits/Disaster Relief	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
McMahan										
Merchant							F	1	0	100
Miller							F	1	0	100
Minton										
Mishkin	A	A	A			F	F	2	3	40
Mitchell							F	1	0	100
Morrone							F	1	0	100
Morse										
Mortham							F	1	0	100
Ogles							F	1	0	100
Peeples							F	1	0	100
Posey							F	1	0	100
Pruitt							F	1	0	100
Rayson							F	1	0	100
Reddick							F	1	0	100
Ritchie							F	1	0	100
Roberts							F	1	0	100
Rojas										
Rudd							F	1	0	100
Rush		A		A	A		F	1	3	25
Safley							F	1	0	100
Sanderson							F	1	0	100
Saunders, Dean							F	1	0	100
Saunders, Ron							F	1	0	100
Schultz							F	1	0	100
Sembler							F	1	0	100

	1a - Const. Amend./Minimum Wage	1b - Const. Amend./Minimum Wage	2a - Inspection of Personnel Files	2b - Inspection of Personnel Files	3a - Unemployment Compensation/Benefits	3b - Unemployment Compensation/Benefits	4a - U.C. Benefits/Disaster Relief	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Shepard</i>							F	1	0	100
Simon					A	F	F	2	1	67
Sindler							F	1	0	100
Smith							F	1	0	100
<i>Stabins</i>							F	1	0	100
Stafford							F	1	0	100
Starks							F	1	0	100
<i>Sublette</i>							F	1	0	100
Tedder							F	1	0	100
<i>Thomas</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Thrasher</i>							F	1	0	100
Tobin							F	1	0	100
Trammell				A	A		F	1	2	33
Upchurch							F	1	0	100
<i>Valdes</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Villalobos</i>							F	1	0	100
Wallace							F	1	0	100
Warner							F	1	0	100
<i>Webster</i>							F	1	0	100
<i>Wise</i>							F	1	0	100
TOTAL								127	41	76

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

ENVIRONMENTAL — PERMITTING

SB 1122 Environmental Control/Electric Utility — by Sen. Charles Williams (D-Live Oak)

Provides that certain electric utility activities may be authorized by general permit, and removes unnecessary regulatory barriers to constructing power lines through wetlands. AIF supports this bill.

- On March 3, 1993, the Senate Natural Resources Committee passed the bill with one amendment by a vote of 13 yeas to 1 nay.
- On March 16, 1993, the Senate passed the bill as amended by a vote of 36 yeas to 4 nays.
- **Record 1-a** On March 17, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 101 yeas to 12 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-24

HB 1751 DER/DNR Merger — by Rep. Peter Rudy Wallace (D-St. Petersburg)

Creates the Florida Environmental Reorganization Act of 1993, creating the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) by merging the departments of Environmental Regulation and Natural Resources. The merger creates the second largest agency in the state.

The secretary of the new department will be appointed by the governor, with the concurrence of the Cabinet, and confirmed by the Senate. The governor and Cabinet will retain the authority they currently have over state lands and siting issues. The secretary of the new department is directed to prepare a report and recommendations by Dec. 10, 1993, regarding ways to complete the merger and reduce duplication of services.

The DER/DNR merger also includes a declaration that it is the legislative policy of the state to “streamline governmental services, providing for the delivery of such services to the public in a timely, cost efficient manner.”

During the process, the bill became the vehicle for many large, substantive amendments that passed. AIF supports this bill and the amendments.

The amendments included:

■ **Permit streamlining (HB 2261)**

The permit streamlining portion of this bill achieves procedural and process changes only. It eliminates government duplication and inefficiencies but makes no substantive changes to environmental protection.

■ **National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) (HB 1345)**

This is a major portion of the bill and provides for changes to Florida's statutes to conform to federal requirements that will allow the Environmental Protection Agency to delegate the NPDES permit program to the state. The EPA is authorized to delegate the NPDES program to states that qualify after a formal delegation process. The bill modifies Florida law to conform to EPA requirements, establishes an annual fee structure to make the program self-sufficient and provides adequate revenues to fund additional program responsibilities.

■ **Cross-Florida Greenway (HB 1727)**

The bill creates a state park on lands acquired for the Cross-Florida Barge Canal and requires a study and recommendations to the governor and Cabinet by Jan. 1, 1995. AIF supports these amendments.

Record 2-a On Feb. 16, 1993, the Subcommittee on Natural Resources Management of the House Natural Resources Committee passed the merger bill as a proposed committee substitute by a vote of 10 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Record 2-b On Feb. 19, 1993, the House Natural Resources Committee passed the merger bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 18 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Record 2-c On March 2, 1993, the House Committee on Governmental Operations passed the merger bill as a committee substitute for a committee substitute by a vote of 23 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Record 2-d On March 8, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 36 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Record 2-e On March 16, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 111 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

On April 2, 1993, the Senate substituted HB 1751 for SB 1500 and passed the amended bill 38 yeas to 0 nays.

- On April 2, 1993, the Senate reconsidered the previous vote on HB 1751 and passed the amended bill by a vote of 35 yeas to 0 nays.

- **Record 2-f** On April 2, 1993, the House concurred with Senate amendments and passed the bill by a vote of 113 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 2, 1993, the Senate concurred with the House and passed the bill 35 yeas to 0 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-213

**PCB TED-93-13 Florida
Job Siting Act — by
the House Committee
on Tourism and
Economic Development**

Establishes a job siting process, recommended by the Partners for a Better Florida Advisory Council, with the governor and Cabinet sitting as a Job Siting Board. The process is designed to provide an expedited, consolidated permit review of projects especially beneficial to Florida's economy. It is hoped this expedited permit review will make it more attractive and less expensive to locate jobs in Florida by reducing environmental permitting red tape. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 3-a** On Feb. 15, 1993, the Subcommittee on International Trade, Small and Minority Business and Economic Development of the House Tourism and Economic Development Committee passed the proposed committee bill by a vote of 9 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-b** On Feb. 17, 1993, the House Committee on Tourism and Economic Development passed the bill by a vote of 22 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

PCB TED-93-13 became HB 2013

**HB 2013 Florida Job
Siting Act — by the
House Committee on
Tourism and Economic
Development**

Establishes a job siting process, recommended by the Partners for a Better Florida Advisory Council, with the governor and Cabinet sitting as a Job Siting Board. The process is designed to provide an expedited, consolidated review of projects especially beneficial to Florida's economy. It is hoped this expedited permit review will make it more attractive and less expensive to locate jobs in Florida by reducing environmental permitting red tape. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 3-c** On Feb. 26, 1993, the House Natural Resources Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 21 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-d** On March 16, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee passed the committee substitute for a committee substitute by a vote of 35 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 3-e** On March 25, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 114 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 2, 1993, the Senate passed the committee substitute as amended by a vote of 38 yeas to 0 nays.
- **Record 3-f** On April 1, 1993, the House concurred with the Senate and passed the bill 112 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-205

**PCB NR-93-06 Permit
Streamlining — by the
House Committee on
Natural Resources**

Contains provisions that would statutorily consolidate responsibility for wetland surface water and stormwater permitting in water management districts. It would also require that wetland, surface water and stormwater permits move through the permit process concurrently and require that all rules governing wetland surface water and stormwater permitting be established by the Environmental Regulation Commission. The bill further requires the Department of Environmental Regulation to perform wetland, surface water and stormwater permitting activities in all areas of the state when projects seeking permits are required to obtain additional environmental permits from DER. AIF supports this bill because it secures partial permit streamlining.

- **Record 4-a** On Feb. 24, 1993, the Natural Resources Management Subcommittee of the House Natural Resources Committee passed the proposed committee substitute as amended by a vote of 9 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 4-b** On Feb. 26, 1993, the House Natural Resources Committee passed the proposed committee substitute by a vote of 15 yeas to 6 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

PCB NR-93-06 became HB 2261

**HB 2261 Permitting —
by the House
Committee on Natural
Resources**

Contains provisions that would statutorily consolidate responsibility for wetland surface water and stormwater permitting in water management districts. It would also require that wetland, surface water and stormwater permits move through the permit process concurrently and require that all rules governing wetland surface water and stormwater permitting be established by the Environmental Regulation Commission. The bill further requires the Department of Environmental Regulation to perform wetland, surface water and stormwater permitting activities in

all areas of the state when projects seeking permits are required to obtain additional environmental permits from DER. AIF supports this bill because it secures partial permit streamlining.

- **Record 4-c** On March 16, 1993, the House Committee on Appropriations passed the bill by a vote of 32 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 4-d** On March 25, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 111 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 2261 died in the Senate Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation; refer to CS/CS/HB 1751

House Average on Environmental Permitting Issues = 98%

	1a - Environmental Control/Electric	2a - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	2b - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	2c - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	2d - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	2e - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	2f - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	3a - Florida Job Siting Act	3b - Florida Job Siting Act	3c - Florida Job Siting Act	3d - Florida Job Siting Act	3e - Florida Job Siting Act	3f - Florida Job Siting Act	4a - Environmental Permits	4b - Environmental Permits	4c - Environmental Permits	4d - Environmental Permits	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Abrams	F					F	F				F	F	F	F			F	6	0	100
Albright	F				F	F	F				F	F	F	F			F	8	0	100
Arnesio-Garcia						F	F					F	F				F	5	0	100
Arnall	F			F		F	F					F	F				F	7	0	100
Arnold	F	F	F		F	F	F			F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	13	0	100
Ascherl	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Bainter	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Barreiro	F			F		F	F					F	F				F	7	0	100
Benson	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Bitner	F			F		F	F					F	F				F	7	0	100
Bloom	F			F		F	F					F	F				F	7	0	100
Boyd	F			F	F	F	F				F	F	F	F		F	F	10	0	100
Brennan	F			F	F	F	F			F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	12	0	100
Bronson	F				F	F	F				F	F	F	F		F	F	9	0	100
Brown	F			F		F	F		F			F	F	F			F	8	0	100
Bullard	F			F		F	F		F			F	F	F			F	8	0	100
Burke	F					F	F	F					F					6	0	100
Bush	F					F	F					F	F	F			F	6	0	100
Casey							F					F	F				F	4	0	100
Charles	F			F			F					F	F	F			F	7	0	100
Chestnut	A					F	F					F	F				F	5	1	83
Clemons	F					F	F					F	F	F			F	6	0	100

	1a - Environmental Control/Electric	2a - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	2b - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	2c - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	2d - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	2e - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	2f - Environmental Functions/Reorganization	3a - Florida Job Siting Act	3b - Florida Job Siting Act	3c - Florida Job Siting Act	3d - Florida Job Siting Act	3e - Florida Job Siting Act	3f - Florida Job Siting Act	4a - Environmental Permits	4b - Environmental Permits	4c - Environmental Permits	4d - Environmental Permits	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Constantine	A	F	F				F		F	F		F	F		F		F	10	1	91
Cosgrove	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Couch	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Crady	F	F	F		F	F	F			F	F	F	F		F	F	F	13	0	100
Crist	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Davis	F				F	F	F			F	F	F	F	F		F	F	11	0	100
Dawson	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
De Grandy							F					F	F				F	4	0	100
Dennis	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Edwards							F						F					2	0	100
Eggelleton	F	F		F	F	F	F			F	F	F	F		F	F	F	13	0	100
Feeney	F			F	F	F						F					F	5	0	100
Feren	F				F	F						F	F				F	4	0	100
Fuller	F				F	F						F	F				F	6	0	100
Futch	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Garcia	F				F		F				F	F	F			F	F	8	0	100
Gay	F		F			F	F			F		F	F	F	A		F	9	1	90
Geller	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Glickman	A					F	F					F	F				F	5	1	83
Goode	F		F			F	F			F		F	F	F	F		F	10	0	100
Gordon	F				F	F	F				F	F	F			F	F	9	0	100
Graber	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Greene	F					F						F					F	4	0	100

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Hafner	F	F	F		F	F	F			F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	13	0	100
Hanson	F				F	F	F			F		F	F				F	7	0	100
Harris	F	F	F				F			F					A			6	1	86
Hawkes	F			F			F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Hawkins	F			F	F	F	F		F			F	F				F	9	0	100
Healey	A			F	F	F	F					F	F				F	7	1	88
Hill	F						F	F	F			F	F				F	8	0	100
Ireland	F					F	F					F	F					5	0	100
Jacobs	A						F					F	F				F	4	1	80
Jamerson	F				F	F	F				F	F	F				F	8	0	100
Johnson, Bo	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Johnson, Buddy	F			F		F	F						F					5	0	100
Jones	F				F	F	F				F	F	F			F	F	9	0	100
Kelly	F		F		F	F	F			F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	13	0	100
Kerrigan	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
King	F		F		F	F	F			F	F	F	F		A		F	11	1	92
Klein	A					F	F					F	F				F	5	1	83
Laurent	F				F	F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Lawson	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Lippman	F					F	F						F					4	0	100
Littlefield	F					F	F	F	F			F	F				F	8	0	100
Logan	F				F	F	F				F	F	F			F	F	9	0	100
Long	F	F	F		F	F	F			F	F	F	F		F	F	F	13	0	100

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Mackenzie	F				F	F	F	F	F		F	F	F			F	F	11	0	100
Mackey	F				F	F	F				F	F	F			F	F	9	0	100
Manrique	F						F					F	F				F	5	0	100
Martinez					F	F	F				F	F	F				F	7	0	100
McAndrews	A					F	F	F	F			F	F				F	7	1	88
McClure	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
McMahan	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Merchant	F					F	F	F	F			F	F				F	8	0	100
Miller	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Minton	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Mishkin	A					F						F					F	3	1	75
Mitchell	F		F		F	F	F			F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	13	0	100
Morrone	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Morse					F	F	F		F	F	F	F	F			A	F	10	1	91
Mortham	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Ogles	A	F	F			F	F					F	F		F		F	8	1	89
Peeples	F			F	F	F	F				F	F	F			F	F	10	0	100
Posey	F					F			F			F	F				F	5	0	100
Pruitt	F	F	F		F	F	F			F	F	F	F		A	F	F	12	1	92
Rayson	F		F			F	F				F	F	F	F		F	F	10	0	100
Reddick	F				F	F	F		F		F	F	F			F	F	10	0	100
Ritchie	F			F	F	F	F	F	F		F	F	F			F	F	12	0	100
Roberts	F					F	F	F	F			F	F				F	6	0	100

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Rojas							F					F		F				3	0	100
Rudd	F	F			F	F	F		F	F	F		F		F	F	F	12	0	100
Rush	A					F	F					F	F				F	5	1	83
Safley	F					F	F			F		F	F	F	F			8	0	100
Sanderson	F				F	F					F	F				F	F	7	0	100
Saunders, Dean	F	F		F	F	F	F			F	F	F	F		F	F	F	13	0	100
Saunders, Ron	F	F		F	F	F	F		F		F	F	F			F	F	11	0	100
Schultz	A					F	F					F	F				F	5	1	83
Sembler	F	F				F				F		F		F	A		F	7	1	88
Shepard	A					F	F		F			F	F				F	6	1	86
Simon	F					F	F	F	F			F	F	F			F	8	0	100
Sindler	F					F	F					F	F	F			F	6	0	100
Smith	F					F	F					F	F					5	0	100
Stabins	F	F				F	F					F	F				F	7	0	100
Stafford	F					F	F		F			F	F				F	7	0	100
Starks	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Sublette	F					F	F	A	F			F	F				F	7	1	88
Tedder	F	F				F	F	F	F			F	F				F	9	0	100
Thomas	F				F	F	F				F	F	F			F	F	9	0	100
Thrasher	F					F	F		F			F	F				F	8	0	100
Tobin	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Trammell	F				F	F	F				F	F	F			F	F	9	0	100
Upchurch	F			F		F	F					F	F				F	7	0	100

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Valdes	F				F	F	F				F	F	F			F	F	9	0	100
Villalobos	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Wallace	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
Warner	F	F	F			F	F			F		F	F		F		F	10	0	100
Webster	F					F	F				F	F	F			F	F	8	0	100
Wise	F					F	F					F	F				F	6	0	100
TOTAL																		892	19	98

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF

Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

ENVIRONMENTAL — GENERAL/GROWTH MANAGEMENT

HB 269 Nongame Wildlife Advisory Council — by the House Committee on Business and Professional Regulation

Reviews and readopts, notwithstanding the Sundown Act, the Nongame Wildlife Advisory Council.

AIF took no position on this bill, but supported floor amendments that increase the number of members on the council from nine to 13 members. AIF supports this amendment because it will balance the council by allowing industry representation.

- **Record 1-a** AIF had no position on this bill until March 9, 1993, when the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 116 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 269 died in the Senate Natural Resources Committee; refer to SB 44

SB 44 Nongame Wildlife Advisory Council — by the Senate Committee on Natural Resources

Reviews and readopts, notwithstanding the Sundown Act, the Nongame Wildlife Advisory Council.

AIF took no position on this bill, but supported floor amendments that increase the number of members on the council from nine to 13 members. AIF supports this amendment because it will balance the council by allowing industry representation.

- **Record 2-a** On March 16, 1993, the House passed the amended bill 110 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On March 30, 1993, the Senate concurred with the House and passed the amended bill by a vote of 36 yeas to 0 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-64

HB 503 C. Fred Jones Dispute Resolution Act — by Rep. Steven Geller (D-Hallandale)

Provides that local governments or the state land planning agency may, under certain conditions, grant exemptions from the requirement that adequate transportation facilities be available concurrent with the impact of development. Provides that any related comprehensive plan amendment is not subject to the statutory limit on the frequency of plan amendments. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 3-a** On Feb. 23, 1993, the Subcommittee on Growth Management of the House Community Affairs Committee passed

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the bill with one amendment by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 3-b** On March 4, 1993, the House Committee on Community Affairs passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 22 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-c** On March 23, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee passed the bill by a vote of 33 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

CS/HB 503 died on the House Calendar; refer to CS/CS/HB 2315

**PCB NR-93-07 Major
Sources of Air
Pollution — by the
House Committee on
Natural Resources**

Clarifies provisions related to permits the Department of Environmental Regulation issues for operating major sources of air pollution. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 4-a** On Feb. 17, 1993, the Subcommittee on Environmental Protection of the House Natural Resources Committee passed the proposed committee bill by a vote of 11 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 4-b** On Feb. 19, 1993, the House Natural Resources Committee passed the proposed committee bill by a vote of 23 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

PCB NR-93-07 became HB 2115

**HB 2115 Major Sources
of Air Pollution — by
the House Committee
on Natural Resources**

Clarifies provisions related to permits the Department of Environmental Regulation issues for operating major sources of air pollution. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 4-c** On March 25, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 112 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On March 30, 1993, the Senate passed the bill 34 yeas to 0 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-94

**CS/CS/HB 2315 Growth
Management — by the
House Committee on
Community Affairs**

In 1991, Gov. Lawton Chiles created the Environmental and Land Management Study III Commission (ELMS III) to review existing planning and growth management programs and to recommend the next step in the evolution of growth management in Florida.

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During the 1993 Regular Session, the Legislature passed major revisions to Florida's existing growth management laws. Many of the recommendations submitted to the Legislature by ELMS III were incorporated in this comprehensive package. Major provisions of the bill included:

- A phase-out of the development of regional impact (DRI) program by Dec. 31, 1997.
- Specific provisions which provide that when a federal, state or regional agency has implemented a program, the Department of Community Affairs shall not require local governments to "duplicate or exceed" that permitting program in their plans, or to implement such permitting programs in their land development regulations. This provision was originally the Agency Out of Control Bill (AOC bill), HB 2323, by the House Committee on Community Affairs. That bill was adopted as an amendment to HB 2315 in the House Community Affairs Committee.
- Contains a statutory conveyance of all the state's rights, title and interest in certain sovereignty submerged lands. This provision was originally HB 757 and was amended onto the bill on the House floor.
- **Record 5-a** On March 25, 1993, the House Governmental Operations Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 13 yeas to 6 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 5-b** On March 26, 1993, the House Finance and Taxation Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 25 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 5-c** On March 26, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute for a committee substitute by a vote of 23 yeas to 2 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 5-d** On April 1, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 116 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 2, 1993, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 35 yeas to 2 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-206

**PCB CA-93-02 State
Agency Regulatory
Authority — by the
House Committee on
Community Affairs**

Also known as the AOC (Agency Out of Control) bill, prohibits the Department of Community Affairs — through rules, agency statements, comments, objections or recommendations on any local government comprehensive plan, plan amendment, evaluation and appraisal report, compliance agreement or compliance determination — from requiring a local government to exceed or expand upon a law, rule or definition of any state or regional regulatory agency.

AIF strongly supports this bill. AIF believes that DCA has repeatedly required local governments to go beyond acceptable state standards for issues such as stormwater quality, silviculture practices and wetland protection. This dual regulatory practice causes confusion for business. This bill will eliminate much of the confusion and reduce costs to businesses.

- **Record 6-a** On March 11, 1993, the House Committee on Community Affairs passed the proposed committee substitute by a vote of 16 yeas to 1 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

PCB CA-93-02 became HB 2323

**HB 2323 State Agency
Regulatory Authority
— by the House
Committee on
Community Affairs**

Also known as the AOC (Agency Out of Control) bill, prohibits the Department of Community Affairs — through rules, agency statements, comments, objections or recommendations on any local government comprehensive plan, plan amendment, evaluation and appraisal report, compliance agreement or compliance determination — from requiring a local government to exceed or expand upon a law, rule or definition of any state or regional regulatory agency.

AIF strongly supports this bill. AIF believes that DCA has repeatedly required local governments to go beyond acceptable state standards for issues such as stormwater quality, silviculture practices and wetland protection. This dual regulatory practice causes confusion for business. This bill will eliminate much of the confusion and reduce costs to businesses.

- **Record 6-a** On April 1, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 113 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 2323 died in Messages; refer to HB 2315

House Average on General\Growth Management Issues = 99%

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Abrams		F						F		F		F		F	5	0	100
Albright	F	F						F			F	F		F	6	0	100
Armesto-Garcia	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Arnall	F	F	F	F				F		F		F	F	F	9	0	100
Arnold	F	F			F		F	F				F		F	8	0	100
Ascherl	F	F						F		F		F		F	6	0	100
Bainter	F	F	F	F				F				F		F	7	0	100
Barreiro	F	F						F	A			F		F	5	1	83
Benson	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Bitner	F	F						F	A			F		F	5	1	83
Bloom	F	F						F	F			F		F	6	0	100
Boyd	F	F			F			F	F			F		F	7	0	100
Brennan	F	F			F			F	F			F		F	8	0	100
Bronson	F	F	F					F			A	F		F	6	1	86
Brown	F	F						F	F			F		F	6	0	100
Bullard	F	F						F	F			F		F	6	0	100
Burke	F	F										F		F	4	0	100
Bush	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Casey	F	F						F		F		F		F	6	0	100

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Charles	F	F						F	F	F		F		F	7	0	100
Chestnut	F	F				F	F	F		F		F		F	8	0	100
Clemons	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Constantine	F	F		F		F	F	F				F		F	7	0	100
Cosgrove								F		F		F		F	5	0	100
Couch	F	F		F				F		F		F	F	F	8	0	100
Crady	F	F			F	F	F	F			F	F			8	0	100
Crist	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Davis	F	F			F		F	F				F		F	7	0	100
Dawson	F	F						F		F		F		F	6	0	100
De Grandy								F		F		F		F	5	0	100
Dennis	F	F		F				F				F		F	6	0	100
Edwards				F								F		F	3	0	100
Eggelletion	F	F			F		F	F			F	F		F	8	0	100
Feeney	F	F						F	A			F		F	5	1	83
Feren	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Fuller	F	F		F				F				F	F	F	7	0	100
Futch	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Garcia								F				F		F	4	0	100
Gay	F	F					F	F				F		F	6	0	100

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Geller	F	F	F	F				F		F		F		F	8	0	100
Glickman	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Goode	F	F	F	F			F	F				F	F	F	9	0	100
Gordon	F	F			F			F			F	F		F	7	0	100
Graber	F	F						F		F		F		F	6	0	100
Greene	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Hafner	F	F			F	F	F	F			F	F		F	9	0	100
Hanson	F	F			F			F			F	F		F	7	0	100
Harris		F				F	F					F		F	5	0	100
Hawkes		F						F	A			F		F	4	1	80
Hawkins	F	F			F			F	F			F		F	7	0	100
Healey	F	F		F	F			F			F	F	F	F	9	0	100
Hill	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Ireland	F	F						F		F		F		F	6	0	100
Jacobs		F						F		F		F		F	5	0	100
Jamerson	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Johnson, Bo	F	F						F				F			4	0	100
Johnson, Buddy	F	F										F		F	4	0	100
Jones	F	F			F			F			F	F		F	7	0	100
Kelly	F	F					F	F			F	F		F	7	0	100
Kerrigan	F	F		F				F				A	F	F	6	1	86

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King	F	F			F	F	F	F				F		F	8	0	100
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Laurent	F	F						F		F		F		F	6	0	100
Lawson	F	F						F		F		F			5	0	100
Lippman	F	F										F		F	4	0	100
Littlefield	F	F		F				F				F	F	F	7	0	100
Logan	F	F			F			F			F	F		F	7	0	100
Long	F	F			F	F	F	F			F	F		F	9	0	100
Mackenzie	F	F			F			F			F	F		F	7	0	100
Mackey	F	F			F			F			A	F		F	6	1	86
Manrique		F						F				F		F	4	0	100
Martinez	F	F	F		F			F			F	F	F	F	9	0	100
McAndrews	F	F						F		F		F		F	6	0	100
McClure	F	F		F				F				F	F	F	7	0	100
McMahan	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Merchant	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Miller	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Minton	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Mishkin	F	F		F				F						F	5	0	100
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Peeples	F	F			F			F				F		F	8	0	100
Posey	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Pruitt	F	F	F		F	F	F	F	F		F	F	F	F	11	0	100
Rayson	F	F					F	F			F	F		F	7	0	100
Reddick	F	F		F				F			F	F		F	8	0	100
Ritchie	F	F			F			F				F		F	7	0	100
Roberts	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Rojas		F					F							F	4	0	100
Rudd	F	F		F	F		F	F			F	F	F		9	0	100
Rush	F	F						F		F		F		F	6	0	100
Safley	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Sanderson	F	F			F			F			F	F		F	7	0	100
Saunders, Dean	F	F		F	F		F	F	F			F	F	F	10	0	100
Saunders, Ron	F	F		F	F			F	F		F	F			8	0	100
Schultz	F	F						F		F		F		F	6	0	100
Sembler	F	F					F	F		F		F		F	7	0	100
Shepard	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Simon	F	F							F	F		F		F	5	0	100

	1a - Nongame Wildlife Advisory Council	2a - Nongame Wildlife Advisory Council	3a - State and Local Government	3b - State and Local Government	3c - State and Local Government	4a - Major Sources Of Air Pollution	4b - Major Sources Of Air Pollution	4c - Major Sources Of Air Pollution	5a - Growth Management/ ELMS Committee	5b - Growth Management/ ELMS Committee	5c - Growth Management/ ELMS Committee	5d - Growth Management/ ELMS Committee	6a - State Agency Regulatory Authority	6b - State Agency Regulatory Authority	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Sindler	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Smith	F	F		F				F				F	F	F	7	0	100
Stabins	F	F						F	A			F		F	5	1	83
Stafford	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Starks	F	F						F		F		F	F	F	7	0	100
Sublette	F	F										F		F	4	0	100
Tedder	F	F						F	F			F		F	6	0	100
Thomas	F	F			F			F				F		F	6	0	100
Thrasher	F							F	A			F		F	4	1	80
Tobin	F	F		F				F				F	F	F	7	0	100
Trammell	F	F			F			F							4	0	100
Upchurch	F	F						F	F	F		F		F	7	0	100
Valdes	F				F			F				F		F	5	0	100
Villalobos	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
Wallace	F	F	F	F				F				F	A		6	1	86
Warner	F	F				F	F					F		F	7	0	100
Webster	F	F			F			F				F		F	6	0	100
Wise	F	F						F				F		F	5	0	100
TOTAL															740	10	99

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF

Democrats in roman; Republicans in italic

ENVIRONMENTAL — SOLID WASTE

CS/HB 461 Waste Management — by Rep. George Crady (D-Yulee)

When this bill was filed, AIF took no position. The bill originally required state agencies, the judiciary and the state university system to collect and sell recyclable materials used in operating facilities and offices. However, on the House floor, the provisions of the rewrite of the 1988 Solid Waste Act were amended onto this bill. AIF supports these rewrites (see HB 2241).

- **Record 1-a** On March 31, 1993, the House adopted substantial amendments which AIF supports; the bill passed by a vote of 104 yeas to 10 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position. After adoption of the amendments, AIF supports the bill in its entirety. After adoption of the major amendments on the House floor, HB 461 became the major solid waste package.
- On April 2, 1993, the Senate passed the amended bill by a vote of 31 yeas to 5 nays.
- **Record 1-b** On April 2, 1993, the House refused to concur on two amendments and requested the Senate to recede. The bill passed as amended 104 yeas to 8 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 2, 1993, the Senate receded and passed the bill by a vote of 31 yeas to 2 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-207

PCB NR-93-01 Solid Waste Management — by the House Committee on Natural Resources

A large, comprehensive bill relating to solid waste. The PCB is a complete rewrite of the 1992 solid waste package. The bill includes:

- An update to the Advance Disposal Fee (ADF) provision of the 1988 Solid Waste Act, which originally had the point of tax collection at the retail level; the new version brings the point of collection to the wholesale level;
- Establishment of a Florida Packaging Council to study market development and recycling trends; and
- A section on ownership and control of recyclable materials (flow control).

AIF did not take a position on this bill as a whole; however, it did take a position on packaging. The AIF position again this year focused on the

likelihood of attempts to require some sort of mandatory rate and date requirements. "Rates and Dates" are arbitrary goals governments force packaging manufacturers to meet by dictating how consumer goods must be packaged. This bill did not contain rates and dates; instead it created a council to track and report packaging trends. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 2-a** On Feb. 24, 1993, the Subcommittee on Environmental Protection of the House Committee on Natural Resources passed the amended proposed committee substitute by a vote of 12 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 2-b** On March 2, 1993, the House Natural Resources Committee passed the amended proposed committee substitute by a vote of 24 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

PCB NR-93-01 became HB 2241

**HB 2241 Waste
Management — by
Rep. Hurley Rudd
(D-Tallahassee)**

A complete rewrite of the 1992 solid waste package. Provisions include:

- An update to the Advance Disposal Fee (ADF) provision of the 1988 Solid Waste Act, which originally had the point of tax collection at the retail level; the new version brings the point of collection to the wholesale level;
- Establishment of a Florida Packaging Council to study market development and recycling trends; and
- A section on ownership and control of recyclable materials (flow control).

AIF did not take a position on this bill as a whole; however, it did take a position on packaging. The AIF's position again this year focused on the likelihood of attempts to require some sort of mandatory rate and date requirements. "Rates and Dates" are arbitrary goals governments force packaging manufacturers to meet by dictating how consumer goods must be packaged.

- **Record 2-c** On March 4, 1993, the House Finance and Taxation Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 23 yeas to 4 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 2-d** On March 8, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 25 yeas to 6 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 2-e** On March 10, 1993, the House voted unfavorable on an amendment which would require mandatory content rates by certain

dates (Rates and Dates) by a vote of 57 yeas to 58 nays. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 2-f** On March 11, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 99 yeas to 15 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 2241 died in the Senate Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation; refer to CS/HB 461

House Average on Solid Waste Issues = 82%

	1a - Waste Management & Regulation	1b - Waste Management & Regulation	2a - Waste Management	2b - Waste Management	2c - Waste Management	2d - Waste Management	2e - Waste Management	2f - Waste Management	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Abrams	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
Albright	F	F				A	F	F	4	1	80
Armesto-Garcia	F	F					F	A	3	1	75
Arnall	F	F			A		F	F	4	1	80
Arnold	F	F	F	F		F	A	F	6	1	86
Ascherl	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
Bainter	F	F					F	F	4	0	100
Barreiro	F	F					A	A	2	2	50
Benson	F	F					F	F	4	0	100
Bitner	F	F					F	A	3	1	75
Bloom	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Boyd	F	F				A	F	F	4	1	80
Brennan	A	A		F		F	A	F	3	3	50
Bronson	F	F				F	F	F	5	0	100
Brown	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Bullard	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Burke	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
Bush	F	F					A		2	1	67
Casey	F	F			F		F	F	5	0	100
Charles	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
Chestnut	F	F	F	F	F		A	F	6	1	86
Clemons	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Constantine	F	F	F	F			A	F	5	1	83
Cosgrove	F	F						F	3	0	100

	1a - Waste Management & Regulation	1b - Waste Management & Regulation	2a - Waste Management	2b - Waste Management	2c - Waste Management	2d - Waste Management	2e - Waste Management	2f - Waste Management	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Couch</i>	F	F			A		F	F	4	1	80
<i>Crady</i>	F	F	F	F		F	F	F	7	0	100
<i>Crist</i>	F	F						F	3	0	100
<i>Davis</i>	F	F		F		F	A	F	5	1	83
<i>Dawson</i>	F	F			F		F	F	5	0	100
<i>De Grandy</i>	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
<i>Dennis</i>	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
<i>Edwards</i>	F								1	0	100
<i>Eggelletion</i>	F	F	F	F		F	F	F	7	0	100
<i>Feeney</i>	A				A		F	F	2	2	50
<i>Feren</i>	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
<i>Fuller</i>	A	A					F	F	2	2	50
<i>Futch</i>	F	F					F	F	4	0	100
<i>Garcia</i>	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
<i>Gay</i>	F	F		F			A	F	4	1	80
<i>Geller</i>	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
<i>Glickman</i>	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
<i>Goode</i>	F	F		F				F	4	0	100
<i>Gordon</i>	F	F				F	A	F	4	1	80
<i>Graber</i>	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
<i>Greene</i>	F						A	F	2	1	67
<i>Hafner</i>	F	F	F	F		F	A	F	6	1	86
<i>Hanson</i>	A	A				A	F	F	2	3	40
<i>Harris</i>	F	F	F	F			F	F	6	0	100
<i>Hawkes</i>	F	F					F	F	4	0	100

	1a - Waste Management & Regulation	1b - Waste Management & Regulation	2a - Waste Management	2b - Waste Management	2c - Waste Management	2d - Waste Management	2e - Waste Management	2f - Waste Management	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Hawkins</i>	F	F				F	F	F	5	0	100
Healey	F	F				F	A	F	4	1	80
Hill	F						A	F	2	1	67
<i>Ireland</i>	F	F			F		F	F	5	0	100
Jacobs	A	F			F		A	F	3	2	60
Jamerson	A	F				F	A	F	3	2	60
Johnson, Bo	F						F	F	3	0	100
<i>Johnson, Buddy</i>	F	F					F		3	0	100
<i>Jones</i>	F	A					F	A	2	2	50
Kelly	F	F		F		A	F	F	5	1	83
<i>Kerrigan</i>	A	F					F	A	2	2	50
<i>King</i>	F	F	F	F		F	F	F	7	0	100
Klein	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
<i>Laurent</i>	F	F			F		F	F	5	0	100
Lawson	F	F			F		F	F	5	0	100
Lippman	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
<i>Littlefield</i>	F	F					F	A	3	1	75
Logan		F				F	A	F	3	1	75
Long	F	F	F	F		F		F	6	0	100
Mackenzie	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Mackey	F	F				A	F	A	3	2	60
<i>Manrique</i>	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Martinez	F	F				F	A	F	4	1	80
McAndrews	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
McClure	F	F					A	F	3	1	75

	1a - Waste Management & Regulation	1b - Waste Management & Regulation	2a - Waste Management	2b - Waste Management	2c - Waste Management	2d - Waste Management	2e - Waste Management	2f - Waste Management	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
McMahan	F	F					F	F	4	0	100
Merchant	F	F					F	F	4	0	100
Miller	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Minton	F	F					F	F	4	0	100
Mishkin	F						A	F	2	1	67
Mitchell	F	F		F		F	F		5	0	100
Morrone		A					A	A	0	3	0
Morse	F	F		F			F	A	4	1	80
Mortham	A	A					F	A	1	3	25
Ogles	F	F	F	F			A	F	5	1	83
Peeples	F	F				F	A	F	4	1	80
Posey	A						F	A	1	2	33
Pruitt	F	F	F	F		F	F	F	7	0	100
Rayson	F	F		F			A	F	4	1	80
Reddick	F	F				F	F	F	5	0	100
Ritchie	F	F				F	A	F	4	1	80
Roberts	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Rojas		F			F		F		3	0	100
Rudd	F	F		F		F	F	F	6	0	100
Rush	F	F		F	F		A	F	5	1	83
Safley	F	F		F			F	F	5	0	100
Sanderson	F					F	F	A	3	1	75
Saunders, Dean	F	F		F		F	F	F	6	0	100
Saunders, Ron	F	F				F	A	F	4	1	80
Schultz		F			F		A	F	3	1	75

	1a - Waste Management & Regulation	1b - Waste Management & Regulation	2a - Waste Management	2b - Waste Management	2c - Waste Management	2d - Waste Management	2e - Waste Management	2f - Waste Management	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Sembler</i>	F	F					F	F	4	0	100
<i>Shepard</i>	F	A					A	F	2	2	50
Simon	F	F			F		A	F	4	1	80
Sindler	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Smith	F	F					F	F	4	0	100
<i>Stabins</i>	F	A					F	F	3	1	75
Stafford	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
<i>Starks</i>	F	F			F		F	F	5	0	100
<i>Sublette</i>		F					A	F	2	1	67
Tedder	F	F					F	F	4	0	100
<i>Thomas</i>	F	F				A	F	A	3	2	60
<i>Thrasher</i>	F	F					F	F	4	0	100
Tobin	F	F					A	A	2	2	50
Trammell	F	F				F	F	F	5	0	100
Upchurch	F	F			F		F	F	5	0	100
<i>Valdes</i>	F	F					F		3	0	100
<i>Villalobos</i>	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Wallace	F	F					A	F	3	1	75
Warner	F	F	F	F			F	F	6	0	100
<i>Webster</i>		F					F	F	3	0	100
Wise	A	F			A		F	A	2	3	40
TOTAL									449	100	82

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

HEALTH CARE

HB 1 Universal Access to Health Care — by Rep. Elaine Gordon (D-North Miami)

Creates the Florida Universal Access Health Plan. Universal access is a Canadian-style health plan whereby every Florida resident would be entitled to free access to health care. "Florida resident" is defined by the courts to mean any person who is in the state of Florida with the intent to stay — no matter how long he or she has been in Florida.

Free health care available in a state as friendly to live in as ours would result in adverse selection. An explosion of seriously ill "residents" searching for free health care would move into the state. The health plan would be financed by most Floridians through a tax similar to an income tax. However, AIF believes the costs would rise so rapidly (due to adverse selection and other factors) that the tax would be raised every year to keep the system out of bankruptcy. AIF opposes universal access at this time because it is not a viable option when done on a state-by-state basis.

- **Record 1-a** On Feb. 22, 1993, the Subcommittee on Health Care Services of the House Health Care Committee passed the unamended bill by a vote of 6 yeas to 1 nay. A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-b** On March 3, 1993, the House Health Care Committee passed the unamended bill by a vote of 12 yeas to 9 nays. A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 1 died in the House Committee on Appropriations

SB 134 Health Care Providers — by Sen. Doc Myers (R-Stuart)

Prohibits a health care provider, billing for services rendered by an entity outside the provider's practice, from charging more than the entity would have charged if billed directly. Removes authority to charge a handling fee for such billing. This repeals the so-called "mark-up" provision in the 1992 Physician Self-Referral Act.

AIF took no position on mark-ups but supports an amendment to move up the divestiture date for physicians owning interests in self-referring joint ventures. The divestiture date was moved up in an amendment.

- On March 10, 1993, the Senate Health Care Committee passed the bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays.
- On March 24, 1993, the Senate passed the bill as amended by a vote of 37 yeas to 0 nays.

- **Record 2-a** On April 2, 1993, the House passed the bill as amended by a vote of 111 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

SB 134 died in Messages; refer to CS/HB 139

**HB 139 Health Care
Cost Containment —
by Rep. Buzz Ritchie
(D-Pensacola)**

Repeals the fee caps on radiation therapy contained in the 1992 Physician Self-Referral Act. AIF takes no position on fee caps but supports moving the divestiture date up by one year for physicians owning interests in self-referring joint ventures. The divestiture date was moved up in an amendment.

- **Record 3-a** On Jan. 26, 1993, the Subcommittee on Health Standards of the House Health Care Committee passed the bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-b** On Jan. 27, 1993, the House Health Care Committee passed the bill as amended by a vote of 19 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-c** On Feb. 23, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 119 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On March 31, 1993, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 36 yeas to 0 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-226

**HB 701 Reform Of
Florida's Health Care
— by Rep. Ben Graber
(D-Coral Springs)**

The first version of a health care proposal to pass the House during the regular session. The bill provides access to basic health services to all Floridians through a Medicaid buy-in program and is a bold attempt to contain rising health care costs through implementation of managed competition. It restructures health care regulation, establishes a comprehensive health care data base, and creates community purchasing alliances throughout Florida. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 4-a** On Feb. 17, 1993, the House Health Care Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 22 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 4-b** On Feb. 22, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee passed the committee substitute by a vote of 28 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 4-c** On Feb. 25, 1993, the House passed the committee substitute by a vote of 115 yeas to 3 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Died in Senate HRS Committee; refer to CS/SB 1914 and CS/HB 139

**SB 1914 Establishment
of Rural Health
Networks and Rural
Regional Hospital
Systems — by Sen. Al
Gutman (R-Miami)**

Became the Florida Health Care and Insurance Reform Act of 1993. The act reforms the health care and health insurance systems in order to reduce costs and increase access. The bill reforms the small group health insurance market, implements a system of managed competition for health care services, creates a health care data base, creates a Medicaid buy-in system, calls for development of health care practice parameters, and accelerates divestiture by physicians owning interests in health care facilities.

AIF supports this bill. It takes a market-based, rather than a regulatory approach to health care reform. It also contains no new taxes or employer mandates (which AIF traditionally opposes).

This bill went through a number of major revisions both in the Senate Health Care Committee and on the Senate floor. AIF consistently supported the concept contained in the final version of this bill. However, this concept did not appear until the bill reached the House floor. Although the bill was different, AIF supported it in committee because the bill had to reach the floor so it could become law.

- On March 29, 1993, the Senate Health Care committee passed the bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 1 nay.
- On April 2, 1993, the Senate substantially amended the bill and passed it as amended by a vote of 21 yeas to 17 nays. AIF did not support any of the amendments.
- **Record 5-a** On April 2, 1993, the House amended the bill — striking everything after the enacting clause and inserting the final version of the bill — by a vote of 110 yeas to 3 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On April 3, 1993, the Senate concurred in the amendment and passed the bill by a vote of 29 yeas to 10 nays.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-129

PCB IN-93-09
Community Health
Purchasing Alliances
— by the House
Committee on
Insurance

Creates within the state 11 CHPAs, or community health purchasing alliances, for the purpose of developing a program of managed competition in Florida. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 6-a** On March 3, 1993, the House Insurance Committee passed the bill by a vote of 18 yeas to 0 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

PCB IN-93-09 became HB 2271

HB 2271 Community
Health Purchasing
Alliances
— by the House
Committee on
Insurance

Creates within the state 11 CHPAs, or community health purchasing alliances, for the purpose of developing a program of managed competition in Florida. Also expands small group health insurance reforms to make health insurance more available. Institutes modified community rating and guarantee issue to groups of one to 50 employees. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 6-b** On March 11, 1993, the House committee on Appropriations passed the amended bill by a vote of 22 yeas to 8 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 6-c** On March 23, 1993, the House passed the amended bill by a vote of 76 yeas to 40 nays. A “yea” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 2271 died in the Senate Committee on Appropriations; refer to CS/SB 1914

House Average on Health Care Issues = 90%

	1a - Universal Access to Health Care	1b - Universal Access to Health Care	2a - Health Care Providers	3a - Health Care Cost Containment	3b - Health Care Cost Containment	3c - Health Care Cost Containment	4a - Reform of Florida's Health Care	4b - Reform of Florida's Health Care	4c - Reform of Florida's Health Care	5a - Establishment of Rural Health Networks/Rgl. Hosp. Employers	6a - Health Plans/Small Employers	6b - Health Plans/Small Employers	6c - Health Plans/Small Employers	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Abrams			F	F	F	F			F	F	F		F	5	0	100
Albright			F	F		F	F	F	F	F		A	F	8	1	89
Armesto-Garcia			F						F	F			A	4	1	80
Arnall			F			F			F	F	F		A	5	1	83
Arnold			F			F			F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
Ascherl			F			F			F	F	F		F	6	0	100
Bainter			F			F			F	F	F		A	5	1	83
Barreiro			F			F			F	A			A	3	2	60
Benson			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Bitner			F			F			F	A			A	3	2	60
Bloom		A	F		F	F	F		F	F			F	7	1	88
Boyd			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
Brennan		A	F		F	F	F	F	F	F		F	F	9	1	90
Bronson			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
Brown			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Bullard			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Burke			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Bush			F			F			F	F	F		F	6	0	100
Casey			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Charles			F			F			F	F			F	6	0	100
Chestnut			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Clemons			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100

	1a - Universal Access to Health Care	1b - Universal Access to Health Care	2a - Health Care Providers	3a - Health Care Cost Containment	3b - Health Care Cost Containment	3c - Health Care Cost Containment	4a - Reform of Florida's Health Care	4b - Reform of Florida's Health Care	4c - Reform of Florida's Health Care	5a - Establishment of Rural Health Networks/Rgl. Hosp. Employers	6a - Health Plans/Small Employers	6b - Health Plans/Small Employers	6c - Health Plans/Small Employers	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Constantine			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Cosgrove			F			F				F	F		F	5	0	100
Couch		F	F			F	F		F	F			A	6	1	86
Crady			F			F		F	F	F		F	A	6	1	86
Crist			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Davis			F			F	F		F	F			F	7	0	100
Dawson		A	F			F	F		F	F			F	7	1	88
De Grandy			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Dennis			F			F			F	F	F		F	6	0	100
Edwards			F			F			F	F				4	0	100
Eggelletion			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
Feeney						F			F		F		A	3	1	75
Feren						F			F		F		F	4	0	100
Fuller			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Futch			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Garcia			F			F			F	F				4	0	100
Gay			F			F			F	F	F		F	6	0	100
Geller			F			F			F	F	F		F	6	0	100
Glickman		A				F	A		F	F			F	4	2	67
Goode	A	F	F	F	F	F	F		F	F			A	8	2	80
Gordon	A	A	F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	2	78
Graber	A	A	F	F	F	F	F		F	F			F	8	2	80
Greene						F			F				F	3	0	100

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Hafner			F			F			F	F		F	F	6	0	100
Hanson			F			F		F	F	F		A	A	5	2	71
Harris			F			F			F	F				4	0	100
Hawkes		F	F		F	F	F		F	F			A	7	1	88
Hawkins			F			F		F	F	F		F	A	6	1	86
Healey			F			F		F	F	F			F	6	0	100
Hill			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Ireland			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Jacobs			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Jamerson			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Johnson, Bo								F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
Johnson, Buddy									F	F			F	4	0	100
Jones		F	F		F	F	F		F	F			A	7	1	88
Kelly	A	A	F		F	F	F	F	F	F			F	8	1	89
Kerrigan			F			F			F	F		F	F	9	1	90
King		F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F			A	4	1	80
Klein		A	F		F	F	F		F	F			F	9	1	90
Laurent			F			F			F	F			A	7	1	88
Lawson		A	F			F	F		F	F			A	4	1	80
Lippman			F			F			F	F			F	6	1	86
Littlefield			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Logan			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Long			F			F		F	F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100

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Mackenzie			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
Mackey			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	6	0	100
Manrique		F	F		F	F	F		F	F			A	7	1	88
Martinez			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
McAndrews			F			F		F	F	F			F	5	0	100
McClure			F			F		F	F	F			F	5	0	100
McMahan			F			F		F	F	F			F	5	0	100
Merchant			F			F		F	F	F			A	4	1	80
Miller	A	A	F	F			F		F	F			F	7	2	78
Minton			F			F		F	F	F			F	5	0	100
Mishkin	A	A		F	F	F	F		F				F	6	2	75
Mitchell			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
Morrone			F			F			F	F	F		F	6	0	100
Morse			F			F			F	F		A	A	4	2	67
Mortham			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Ogles			F			F			F	F	F		F	6	0	100
Peeples			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
Posey						F			F				A	2	1	67
Pruitt			F			F		F	F	F		A	A	5	2	71
Rayson			F			F		F	F	F	F	F	F	8	0	100
Reddick			F			F		F		F			F	5	0	100
Ritchie			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
Roberts			F			F		F	F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100

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Rojas			F		F	F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Rudd			F			F	F	F	F	F		A	A	5	2	71
Rush		A	F		F	F	F		F	F			A	6	2	75
Safley			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Sanderson						F			A			A	A	1	3	25
Saunders, Dean			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
Saunders, Ron			F			F		F	F	F		F	F	7	0	100
Schultz			F			F			F	F	F		F	6	0	100
Sembler						F			F					2	0	100
Shepard			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Simon			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Sindler			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Smith			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Stabins			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Stafford			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Starks			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Sublette			F			F			A	F			F	4	1	80
Tedder			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Thomas		F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F		A	A	9	2	82
Thrasher			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Tobin			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Trammell			F			F		F	F	F			F	6	0	100
Upchurch		F	F		F	F	F		F	F			F	8	0	100

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Valdes			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
Villalobos			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Wallace			F			F			F	F			F	5	0	100
Warner	F	F	F		F	F	F		A	A			A	6	3	67
Webster			F			F			F	F		A	A	4	2	67
Wise			F			F			F	F			A	4	1	80
TOTAL														657	73	90

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; Republicans in italic

LEGAL AND JUDICIAL

HB 185 Suits Against Public Speakers (SLAPP Suits) — by Rep. Mimi McAndrews (D-West Palm Beach)

Originally restricted the ability of businesses to fight back when citizen groups slander them. After adoption of a substantive amendment, the bill no longer restricts the ability of corporate citizens to sue when harassed. The amendments allow private citizens or the attorney general to recover damages in an action against any person for violation of the federal constitution, the state constitution or any law of the state. This greatly expands the power of the attorney general and puts defendants (usually businesses) at a disadvantage. AIF opposes all revisions of this bill.

- **Record 1-a** On Feb. 10, 1993, the Subcommittee on Court Systems, Probate and Consumer Law of the House Judiciary Committee passed the bill as amended by a vote of 8 yeas to 0 nays. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 185 died in the House Judiciary Committee

HB 241 Interest Rates — by Rep. Luis Rojas (R-Hialeah)

Provides a 9-percent rate of interest (reduced from 12 percent) on judgments in the absence of a contract beginning on the effective date of the act. AIF supports reduction of the interest rate because 12 percent is higher than the market rate. A hostile amendment was added to the bill which would have allowed for prejudgment interest at 9 percent. AIF opposes prejudgment interest and opposes this bill as a result of the amendment. If passed, the bill would have allowed interest to accrue from the date of the cause of action. And usually, it's years before a lawsuit is even filed.

- **Record 2-a** On Feb. 19, 1993, the Subcommittee on Court Systems, Probate and Consumer Law of the House Judiciary Committee passed the bill as amended by a vote of 6 yeas to 2 nays. A “nay” vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 241 died in the House Judiciary Committee

CS/HB 757 Sovereign Lands — by Rep. Ron Saunders (D-Key West)

Provides for conveyance of title by the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund to owners of tidal lands exposed, extended, filled or added to before July 1, 1975, if the upland is developed, is residentially zoned, if the riparian owners are not responsible for the increase in land, and if the conveyance is in the public interest. The bill also provides for recordable legal descriptions of the increased land

upon payment by a riparian owner of a filing fee and submittal of appropriate evidence of the increase in land. AIF supports this bill because it clears title and makes riparian tidal lands marketable.

- **Record 3-a** On Feb. 17, 1993, the Subcommittee on Natural Resources of the House Natural Resources Committee passed the bill as a proposed committee substitute by a vote of 10 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 3-b** On Feb. 26, 1993, the House Natural Resources Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 20 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 757 died on the House Calendar; refer to HB 2315 (located in Senate Environmental — General/Growth Management section, page 5-1)

**HB 1437 Private
Property Rights Act
— by Rep. Bert Harris
(D-Lake Placid)**

This bill creates the Private Property Rights Act to ensure that government decision-makers evaluate the effects their administration and regulatory actions have on constitutionally protected property rights. Prior evaluation would avoid or reduce unreasonable financial burdens imposed on persons whose properties are directly or indirectly affected by otherwise lawful governmental actions.

- **Record 4-a** On March 4, 1993, the House Judiciary Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 17 yeas to 3 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 1437 died on the House Calendar; refer to CS/SB 1000

**SB 1066 Deceptive and
Unfair Trade Practices
— by Sen. Ken Jenne
(D-Ft. Lauderdale)**

Amends Florida's "Little FTC Act," which prohibits deceptive and unfair trade practices. The amendments to Chapter 501 reflect case law and were needed by the attorney general to better enforce the act in light of case law. The attorney general has been changing this law piecemeal for years. This rewrite should solve most problems and be operational for many years. It is better to amend a regulatory statute once rather than keep the regulated community guessing for years. AIF supports this bill.

- On Feb. 24, 1993, the Senate Judiciary Committee passed the bill as a committee substitute by a vote of 6 yeas to 0 nays.
- On March 16, 1993, the Senate Committee on Professional Regulation passed the bill by a vote of 5 yeas to 0 nays.
- On March 24, 1993, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 38 yeas to 0 nays.

- **Record 5-a** On March 25, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 109 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-38

**SB 1000 Private
Property Rights Act
— by Sen. Doc Myers
(R-Stuart)**

Originally created the Private Property Rights Act to ensure that government decision-makers evaluate the effect their regulatory actions have on constitutionally protected property rights in order to avoid or reduce unreasonable financial burdens imposed on persons whose properties are directly or indirectly affected by otherwise lawful governmental actions. The bill provides for compensation for regulatory takings if the regulation reduces the property value by 40 percent.

- On March 18, 1993, the Senate Judiciary Committee passed the bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays.
- On April 1, 1993, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 33 yeas to 3 nays.
- **Record 6-a** On April 2, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 89 yeas to 20 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/vetoed by the governor

**HB 1753 Deceptive and
Unfair Trade Practices
— by Rep. Tracy
Stafford (D-Ft.
Lauderdale)**

Amends Florida's "Little FTC Act," which prohibits deceptive and unfair trade practices. The amendments to Chapter 501 reflect case law and were needed by the attorney general to better enforce the act in light of case law. The attorney general has been changing this law piecemeal for years. This rewrite should solve most problems and be operational for many years. It is better to amend a regulatory statute once rather than keep the regulated community guessing for years. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 7-a** On Feb. 17, 1993, the Subcommittee on Consumer Services of the House Agriculture and Consumer Services Committee passed the bill as a proposed committee substitute by a vote of 6 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 7-b** On Feb. 19, 1993, the House Agriculture and Consumer Services Committee passed the bill favorably as a committee substitute by a vote of 13 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 1753 was laid on the Table; refer to SB 1066

**PCB AR-93-01
Administrative
Procedures
— by the House Select
Committee on Agency
Rules**

Requires that agencies assess the impact of proposed rules on small counties and reduce disproportionate burdens on such counties when practicable. AIF took no position on this bill, but supported an amendment to the bill. The amendment would shift the burden of proof in an administrative challenge to the party bringing the challenge. This change would shorten the length of hearings and save money for permit applicants.

- **Record 8-a** On Feb. 22, 1993, the House Select Committee on Agency Rules passed the proposed committee substitute, including the AIF amendment, by a vote of 11 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

PCB AR-93-01 became HB 2177

**HB 2177 Administrative
Procedures
— by the House Select
Committee on Agency
Rules**

Requires that agencies assess the impact of proposed rules on small counties and reduce disproportionate impacts on such counties when practicable. AIF supported this bill until an amendment was adopted that removed a provision shifting the burden of proof in an administrative challenge to the party bringing the challenge. This provision was removed on the House floor. AIF took no position on the bill after the provision was removed.

- **Record 8-b** On March 16, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 35 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 2177 died in the House Committee on Governmental Operations

**HB 5A Profiteering
During State of
Emergency
— by Rep. Jim King
(R-Jacksonville)**

Provides that if the governor declares a state of emergency, it is a violation of the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act for a person to sell goods necessary for use during the emergency at unfair or excessive prices within the area for which the emergency is declared. AIF supports this bill.

- **Record 9-a** On Dec. 10, 1992, the House Commerce Committee passed the amended bill as a committee substitute 21 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 9-b** On Dec. 10, 1992, the House Appropriations Committee passed the bill by a vote of 33 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 9-c** On Dec. 10, 1992, the House passed the bill by a vote of 100 yeas to 17 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- On Dec. 11, 1992, the Senate Judiciary Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 0 nays.
- On Dec. 11, 1992, the Senate passed the bill as amended by a vote of 34 yeas to 4 nays.
- **Record 9-d** On Dec. 11, 1992, the House concurred 109 yeas to 2 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter # 92-353

House Average on Legal and Judicial Issues = 91%

	1a - Suits against Public Speakers	2a - Interest Rates on Judgments	3a - Sovereignty Lands	3b - Sovereignty Lands	4a - Private Property Rights Act	5a - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	6a - Private Property Rights Act	7a - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	7b - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	8a - Administrative Procedures	8b - Administrative Procedures	9a - Profiteering During State of Emergency	9b - Profiteering During State of Emergency	9c - Profiteering During State of Emergency	9d - Profiteering During State of Emergency	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Abrams																1	0	100
Albright					F	F					F		F	F	F	6	0	100
Armesto-Garcia					F	F										4	0	100
Arnall					F	F						F				4	0	100
Arnold				F	A	F					F		F	F	F	6	1	86
Ascherl					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Bainter					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Barreiro					F	F				F				F	F	5	0	100
Benson					F	F						F		A	F	4	1	80
Bitner					F	F	F					F		F	F	6	0	100
Bloom					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Boyd					F	F					F		F	A		4	1	80
Brennan			F		A	F					F		F	F	F	6	1	86
Bronson					F	F			F	F			F	A	F	7	1	88
Brown					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Bullard					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Burke												F		F	F	3	0	100
Bush					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Casey					F									F	F	3	0	100
Charles					F	F								A	F	3	1	75
Chestnut				F	F	F								F	F	5	0	100
Clemons					F	F						F		F	F	5	0	100

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Constantine				F	F	F								F	F	5	0	100
Cosgrove		A			F	F	F								F	3	1	75
Couch					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Crady				F	F	F	F				F		F	F	F	8	0	100
Crist					F	F				F				F	F	5	0	100
Davis			F	F	A	F					F		F	F	F	7	1	88
Dawson					F	F						F		F	F	5	0	100
De Grandy	A	A			A	F								F	F	3	3	50
Dennis					F	F				F				A	F	4	1	80
Edwards					F				F			F		F	F	5	0	100
Eggleston				F	F	F					F		F	F	F	7	0	100
Feeney						F								F		2	0	100
Feren					A	F								F	F	3	1	75
Fuller					F	F			F					F	F	5	0	100
Futch					F	F		F	F					F	F	6	0	100
Garcia					A	F					F	F	F	F	F	6	1	86
Gay			F	F	F	F								F	F	6	0	100
Geller					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Glickman					A	F				A				F	F	3	2	60
Goode			F	F	F	F								F	F	6	0	100
Gordon					F	F					F		F	F	F	6	0	100
Graber					F	F						F		F	F	5	0	100
Greene					A	F								A	F	2	2	50
Hafner					A	F					F		F	F	F	5	1	83

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Hanson					A	F							F	F	F	4	1	80
Harris			A		F		F		F	F				F	F	6	1	86
Hawkes					F	F						F		A	F	4	1	80
Hawkins					F	F							F	F	F	5	0	100
Healey					A	F							F	F		3	1	75
Hill					F	F	F							F	F	5	0	100
Ireland					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Jacobs					A	F								F	F	3	1	75
Jamerson					A	F		F		F				F	F	5	1	83
Johnson, Bo						F								F	F	3	0	100
Johnson, Buddy					F									F	F	3	0	100
Jones					F	F					F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
Kelly			F		F	F					F			F	F	6	0	100
Kerrigan					F	F			F					F	F	5	0	100
King				F	F	F				F			F	F	F	7	0	100
Klein					F		F							F	F	4	0	100
Laurent	A	F			F	F	F		F					F	F	7	1	88
Lawson					F	F								F		3	0	100
Lippman					F							F		F	F	4	0	100
Littlefield					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Logan					F	F					F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
Long				F	F	F					F		F	A	F	6	1	86
Mackenzie					A	F					F		F	F	F	5	1	83
Mackey					F	F	F			F	F	F	F	A	F	8	1	89

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Manrique					F	F						F		F	F	5	0	100
Martinez					F	F				F	F		F	F	F	7	0	100
McAndrews					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
McClure					F	F		F	F					A	F	5	1	83
McMahan					F	F		F	F			F		F		6	0	100
Merchant					F	F	F							F	F	5	0	100
Miller					F	F								A	A	2	2	50
Minton					F	F			F					F	F	5	0	100
Mishkin						F								F	F	3	0	100
Mitchell	A	A	F	F	F	F	F			F			F	F	F	9	2	82
Morrone					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Morse			F	F	F	F				F						5	0	100
Mortham					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Ogles				F	F	F								F	F	5	0	100
Peeples					A	F					F		F	F	F	5	1	83
Posey	A	A				F	F							A	F	3	3	50
Pruitt				F	F	F		F	F	F			F	F	F	10	0	100
Rayson			F			F				F			F	F	F	6	0	100
Reddick					F	F				F			F	F	F	6	0	100
Ritchie					F	F	F			F		F		F	F	7	0	100
Roberts					F	F								F		3	0	100
Rojas									F					F	F	3	0	100
Rudd				F	F	F					F		F	A	A	5	2	71
Rush	A	A	F		A	F	F							F	F	5	3	63

	1a - Suits against Public Speakers	2a - Interest Rates on Judgments	3a - Sovereignty Lands	3b - Sovereignty Lands	4a - Private Property Rights Act	5a - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	6a - Private Property Rights Act	7a - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	7b - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	8a - Administrative Procedures	8b - Administrative Procedures	9a - Profiteering During State of Emergency	9b - Profiteering During State of Emergency	9c - Profiteering During State of Emergency	9d - Profiteering During State of Emergency	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Safley			F	F	F	F					F	F	F	F	F	6	0	100
Sanderson					F	F	F				F	F	F	F	F	7	0	100
Saunders, Dean				F	F	F		F	F		F			F	F	8	0	100
Saunders, Ron						F				F	F	F	F		F	6	0	100
Schultz	A	A			A	F	A							F	F	3	4	43
Sembler			F	F	F	F				F		A		F	F	6	1	86
Shepard					A	F						A		F	F	3	2	60
Simon					F									F	F	3	0	100
Sindler					F	F	F							F	F	4	0	100
Smith					F	F	F							A	F	3	1	75
Stabins					F	F	F							A	F	3	1	75
Stafford	A				F	F	A							F	F	4	2	67
Starks					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Sublette					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Tedder					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Thomas	A	F			F	F	F			F	F	F	F	F	F	9	1	90
Thrasher					F	F				F				F	F	5	0	100
Tobin					F	F								F	F	4	0	100
Trammell					F	F	F				F		F	F	F	7	0	100
Upchurch					F								F	A	F	2	1	67
Valdes					F	F					F		F	F	F	6	0	100
Villalobos					F	F						F		F	F	5	0	100
Wallace					A	F								F	F	3	1	75
Warner				F	A	F	A							F	F	4	2	67

	1a - Suits against Public Speakers	2a - Interest Rates on Judgments	3a - Sovereignty Lands	3b - Sovereignty Lands	4a - Private Property Rights Act	5a - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	6a - Private Property Rights Act	7a - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	7b - Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices	8a - Administrative Procedures	8b - Administrative Procedures	9a - Profiteering During State of Emergency	9b - Profiteering During State of Emergency	9c - Profiteering During State of Emergency	9d - Profiteering During State of Emergency	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Warner				F	A	F	A						F	F	F	4	2	67
Webster					F	F	F				F		F	F	F	7	0	100
Wise					F	F	F							F	F	4	0	100
TOTAL																575	59	91

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF

Democrats in roman; Republicans in italic

TAX

**SB 364 Occupational
License Taxes
— by Sen. Fred Dudley
(R-Cape Coral)**

Substantially revises provisions associated with the local occupational license tax which cities and counties are authorized to levy.

The most significant revision establishes procedures for cities and counties to revise their occupational license classifications and rate structures. Before revisions may be implemented, the city or county must appoint an equity study commission, composed of members from the business community, to recommend a new classification system and rate structure.

- On Feb. 9, 1993, the Senate Community Affairs Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 6 yeas to 1 nay.
- On March 4, 1993, the Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee passed the amended bill by a vote of 7 yeas to 2 nays.
- On March 29, 1993, the Senate passed the bill as amended by a vote of 28 yeas to 9 nays.
- **Record 1-a** On April 2, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 118 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ordered Enrolled/Chapter #93-180

**HB 2055 Taxation of
Computer and
Information Services
— by the House
Finance and Taxation
Committee, Rep. Mike
Abrams (D-North Miami
Beach) and Rep.
Cynthia Chestnut
(D-Gainesville)**

Proposed to subject computer-related services to the state sales tax. The services contemplated to be taxed were so widely ranged that the true fiscal impact of the bill became questionable. The business community thought the impact estimate of \$100 million in revenue was too low and was probably closer to \$200 million. All organized business interests in Florida opposed this legislation.

- **Record 2-a** On Feb. 25, 1993, the House took up and passed the bill as amended by a vote of 65 yeas to 54 nays. A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

HB 2055 died in the Senate Finance and Taxation committee.

House Average on Taxation Issues = 73%

	1a - Occupational License Taxes	2a - Taxation of Computer and Information Services	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Abrams	F	A	1	1	50
Albright	F	F	2	0	100
Armesto-Garcia	F	F	2	0	100
Arnall	F	F	2	0	100
Arnold	F	A	1	1	50
Ascherl	F	A	1	1	50
Bainter	F	F	2	0	100
Barreiro	F	F	2	0	100
Benson	F	F	2	0	100
Bitner	F	F	2	0	100
Bloom	F	A	1	1	50
Boyd	F	A	1	1	50
Brennan	F	A	1	1	50
Bronson	F	F	2	0	100
Brown	F	F	2	0	100
Bullard	F	A	1	1	50
Burke	F	A	1	1	50
Bush	F	A	1	1	50
Casey	F	F	2	0	100
Charles	F	A	1	1	50
Chestnut	F	A	1	1	50
Clemons	F	A	1	1	50
Constantine	F	F	2	0	100
Cosgrove	F	A	1	1	50

	1a - Occupational License Taxes	2a - Taxation of Computer and Information Services	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Couch</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Crady</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Crist</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Davis</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Dawson</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>De Grandy</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Dennis</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Edwards</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Eggelleton</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Feeney</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Feren</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Fuller</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Futch</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Garcia</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Gay</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Geller</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Glickman</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Goode</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Gordon</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Graber</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Greene</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Hafner</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Hanson</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Harris</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Hawkes</i>	F	F	2	0	100

	1a - Occupational License Taxes	2a - Taxation of Computer and Information Services	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Hawkins</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Healey	F	A	1	1	50
Hill	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Ireland</i>	F	A	1	1	50
Jacobs	F	A	1	1	50
Jamerson	F	A	1	1	50
Johnson, Bo	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Johnson, Buddy</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Jones</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Kelly	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Kerrigan</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>King</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Klein	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Laurent</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Lawson	F	A	1	1	50
Lippman	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Littlefield</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Logan	F	A	1	1	50
Long	F	A	1	1	50
Mackenzie	F	A	1	1	50
Mackey	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Manrique</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Martinez	F	A	1	1	50
McAndrews	F	A	1	1	50
McClure	F	F	2	0	100

	1a - Occupational License Taxes	2a - Taxation of Computer and Information Services	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
McMahan	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Merchant</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Miller	F	A	1	1	50
Minton	F	F	2	0	100
Mishkin		A	0	1	0
Mitchell	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Morrone</i>	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Morse</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Mortham</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Ogles</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Peeples	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Posey</i>		F	1	0	100
<i>Pruitt</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Rayson	F	A	1	1	50
Reddick	F	A	1	1	50
Ritchie	F	A	1	1	50
Roberts	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Rojas</i>	F	A	1	1	50
Rudd	F	F	2	0	100
Rush	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Safley</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Sanderson</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Saunders, Dean	F	A	1	1	50
Saunders, Ron	F	A	1	1	50
Schultz	F	A	1	1	50

	1a - Occupational License Taxes	2a - Taxation of Computer and Information Services	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
<i>Sembler</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Shepard</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Simon	F	A	1	1	50
Sindler	F		1	0	100
Smith	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Stabins</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Stafford	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Starks</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Sublette</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Tedder	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Thomas</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Thrasher</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Tobin	F	A	1	1	50
Trammell	F	A	1	1	50
Upchurch	F	A	1	1	50
<i>Valdes</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Villalobos</i>	F	F	2	0	100
Wallace	F	A	1	1	50
Warner	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Webster</i>	F	F	2	0	100
<i>Wise</i>	F	F	2	0	100
TOTAL			172	65	73

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

WORKERS' COMPENSATION

**HB 85C Workers'
Compensation Reform
— by Rep. Fred
Lippman (D-Hollywood)**

An act relating to workers' compensation. Substantially revises provisions relating to workers' compensation.

On Nov. 1, 1993, the House began consideration of HB 85C on workers' compensation. The House workers' compensation package was developed mostly by the House Commerce Committee in the regular 1993 session. It contains some good, worthwhile reform but does not go far enough.

- **Record 3-c** On Nov. 1, 1993, the House Commerce Committee reported the bill favorable by a vote of 26 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote **for** the AIF position.
- **Record 3-b** On Nov. 2, 1993, the House Finance and Tax Committee reported the bill favorable by a vote of 28 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote **for** the AIF position.
- **Record 3-c** On Nov. 2, 1993, the House Appropriations Committee reported the bill favorable by a vote of 37 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote **for** the AIF position.

On Nov. 2, 1993, the House passed the bill by a vote of 107 yeas to 6 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote **for** the AIF position, however, in an unusual move a "nay" vote is also a vote **for** the AIF position. This bill did not represent a final product, thus; some members were unwilling to vote for an incomplete bill. AIF supports that position and also supports having the bill in conference. The final House bill contained very effective language regarding dispute resolution and managed medical care.

Please refer to SB 12C, which became the workers' compensation conference report.

**SB 12C 1993 Workers'
Compensation Reform
Act — by Sen. Toni
Jennings (R-Orlando)**

An act relating to workers' compensation. Substantially revises provisions relating to workers' compensation.

Amendment Number 59 relating to attorney fees as addressed in the Senate Commerce Committee

On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee considered the Senate workers' compensation package developed by the Select Committee on Workers' Compensation.

The select committee bill contained a 5-percent reduction in attorney fees, which AIF supports. Attorneys are one of the major cost drivers in workers' comp. They encourage injured employees to stay out of work and encourage doctor shopping, usually in an attempt to gain a larger fee for themselves.

Senators Robert Wexler (D-Boca Raton), Ron Silver (D-North Miami Beach), Howard Forman (D-Hollywood) and Fred Dudley (R-Cape Coral) offered an amendment to remove the attorney fee provision. The amendment would leave the existing attorney fee schedule (thereby removing any savings) but slightly change fees by awarding a fee of 10 percent of all benefits secured after 10 years. AIF opposes this amendment. It is important to reduce the incentive for attorney involvement.

On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee voted 8 yeas to 7 nays to defeat the Wexler amendment (Amendment Number 59). A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee voted to reconsider the vote on amendment number 59. By a vote of 8 yeas to 6 nays the committee adopted the amendment. A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Amendment Number 52a relating to impairment ratings by chiropractors as addressed in the Senate Commerce Committee

On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee considered the Senate workers' compensation package developed by the Select Committee on Workers' Compensation.

The select committee bill contained language to prevent chiropractors from giving impairment ratings, which AIF supports. Impairment ratings (under pre-1991 law, chiropractors can give impairment ratings) determine the level of disability and thus the level of benefits. Chiropractors usually give higher impairment ratings than medical doctors. Chiropractors should not be allowed to make such determinations.

Senators Howard Forman (D-Hollywood) and Ron Silver (D-North Miami Beach) offered an amendment to remove the prohibition and to continue to allow impairment ratings by chiropractors.

On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee voted 11 yeas to 4 nays to adopt the Forman Amendment. A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position. The Forman Amendment was later replaced by a limit on chiropractic visits. No roll call vote was recorded.

On Nov. 1, 1993, the Senate Commerce Committee voted 11 yeas to 2 nays to pass the bill. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position. The Senate Committee put together a viable package with some major issues

left unresolved. Debate on the Senate floor was necessary to workout final details.

On Nov. 2, 1993, the Senate debated SB 12C on workers' compensation. More than 100 amendments were considered. The Senate voted, by a vote of 40 yeas to 0 nays to pass the bill.

AIF supports the Senate bill. It reduces attorney fees, changes the way Judges of Compensation Claims are appointed, tightens many definitions, limits chiropractic visits and institutes managed care. It makes changes to the system necessary to keep rates down. It is not a perfect bill, however; an excellent product could be crafted by joining this bill with the House bill.

On Nov. 2, 1993, the Senate passed the bill by a vote of 40 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 2-a** On Nov. 3, 1993, the House struck everything after the enacting clause in SB 12C and inserted the House bill and passed the bill by a vote of 113 yeas to 3 nays. This is a parliamentary move to put the bill in the proper posture for conference. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

On Nov. 8, 1993, the Workers' Compensation Conference Committee met to compromise and craft a final package by mixing the House and Senate provisions. The House and Senate bills contained a provision to move regulation of individual self-insured companies from the Department of Labor and Employment Security (FDLES) into the Department of Insurance (DOI). AIF opposes this. Individual self-insurers are not insurance companies. They should be regulated by FDLES. The conference committee agreed to change the position and not move the individual self-insureds.

- **Record 1-f** When the draft conference report was released it contained language to move the individual self-insureds to DOI. On November 8, 1993, a motion was made in conference to amend that language and retain regulation of the individual self-insureds at FDLES. In order for a motion to be adopted in conference committee a majority of both senators and house members must vote in favor, rather than a simple majority of the committee approving the motion. The motion failed by 2 nays to 7 yeas as the 2 nays did not constitute a majority of senators voting in favor. Regulation of the individual self-insureds was moved to DOI. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-g** On Nov. 8, 1993, the conference committee again addressed the attorney fee issue. A motion was made to raise attorney fees allowed for in the conference report and return attorney fees to their current levels. AIF opposes this. (See record

1c.) The motion failed by a vote of 5 yeas to 4 nays. A "nay" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 1-h** On Nov. 8, 1993, the conference committee considered the creation of a Workers' Compensation Appeals Commission. A motion was made to create a commission that would come into existence if the First District Court of Appeals does not form a specialized panel. AIF supports this. The commission would be a specialized panel of judges to hear workers' compensation appeals. This is important for reform to avoid confusing, contradictory opinions and to speed up appeals. The motion was adopted by a vote of 8 yeas to 1 nay. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- **Record 1-i** On Nov. 9, 1993, the conference committee adopted the conference report on workers' compensation by a vote of 10 yeas to 0 nays. AIF supports the conference report. This report represents the best workers' compensation bill crafted by the Florida Legislature in many years. It reforms a system that is driving up costs. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

On Nov. 10, 1993, the Senate considered the conference report. AIF supports the conference report. It contains systemic reform of Judges of Compensation Claims, attorney involvement, medical care, appeals, aid for injured workers, and payment of benefits. This bill should bring lasting rate reductions. The report passed by a vote of 39 yeas to 0 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- **Record 2-b** On Nov. 10, 1993, the House considered the conference report. AIF supports the conference report. It contains systemic reform of Judges of Compensation Claims, attorney involvement, medical care, appeals, aid for injured workers, and payment of benefits. This bill should bring lasting rate reductions. The report passed by a vote of 100 yeas to 12 nays. A "yea" vote is a vote for the AIF position.

House Average on Workers' Compensation Issues = 71%

	1a - Workers' Compensation	1b - Workers' Compensation	1c - Workers' Compensation	1d - Workers' Compensation	2a - WC: Election and Revocation	2b - WC: Election and Revocation	3a - WC: Prosecution of Criminal V	3b - WC: Prosecution of Criminal V	3c - WC: Prosecution of Criminal V	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Abrams		A		A	F	F	F	F		4	2	67
Albright			A	F	F	F			F	4	1	80
Armesto-Garcia				F	F	A				2	1	67
Arnall	A	A		F	F	F	F	F		5	2	71
Arnold				A	F	F			F	3	1	75
Ascherl				A	F	F		F		3	1	75
Bainter				F	F	F				3	0	100
Barreiro				F	F	F				3	0	100
Benson		A		A	F	F	F			3	2	60
Bitner	A	A		F	F	F	F			4	2	67
Bloom				A	F	F				2	1	67
Boyd			A	A	F	F	F		F	4	2	67
Brennan			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Bronson				A	F	F			F	3	1	75
Brown				A	F	F				2	1	67
Bullard				F	F	A				2	1	67
Burke				A	F	F	F	F		4	1	80
Bush				A	F	A				1	2	33
Casey				F	F	F		F		4	0	100
Charles				A	F	F		F		3	1	75
Chestnut				A	F	F		F		3	1	75
Clemons		A		A	F	F	F			3	2	60
Constantine				F	F	F				3	0	100
Cosgrove				A	F			F		2	1	67
Couch				F	F	F		F		4	0	100

	1a - Workers' Compensation	1b - Workers' Compensation	1c - Workers' Compensation	1d - Workers' Compensation	2a - WC: Election and Revocation	2b - WC: Election and Revocation	3a - WC: Prosecution of Criminal V	3b - WC: Prosecution of Criminal V	3c - WC: Prosecution of Criminal V	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Crady			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Crist				F	F	F				3	0	100
Davis			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Dawson		A		A	F	A	F	F		3	3	50
De Grandy				F	F	A		F		3	1	75
Dennis				A	F	F				2	1	67
Edwards	A	A		A	F	F	F			3	3	50
Eggelletion			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Feeney				F	F			F		3	0	100
Feren				A	F	F				2	1	67
Fuller				F	F	F				3	0	100
Futch				F	F	F				3	0	100
Garcia					F					1	0	100
Gay				F	F	F				3	0	100
Geller				A	F			F		2	1	67
Glickman				A	F	F				2	1	67
Goode				F	F	F				3	0	100
Gordon			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Grabner				A		F				1	1	50
Greene				A	F	A				1	2	33
Hafner			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Hanson			F	F	A	F			F	4	1	80
Harris				A	F	F				2	1	67
Hawkes		A		A		F	F			2	2	50
Hawkins			A	F	F	F			F	4	1	80
Healey				A	F	F			F	3	1	75

	1a - Workers' Compensation	1b - Workers' Compensation	1c - Workers' Compensation	1d - Workers' Compensation	2a - WC: Election and Revocation	2b - WC: Election and Revocation	3a - WC: Prosecution of Criminal V	3b - WC: Prosecution of Criminal V	3c - WC: Prosecution of Criminal V	TOTAL FOR	TOTAL AGAINST	% WITH AIF
Hill				A	F	A				1	2	33
Ireland				F	F	F		F		4	0	100
Jacobs				A	F	F		F		3	1	75
Jamerson		A	A	A	F	A	F		F	3	4	43
Johnson, Bo				A	F	F				2	1	67
Johnson, Buddy				F	F	F				3	0	100
Jones		A	A	A	F	F	F		F	4	3	57
Kelly			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Kerrigan				F	F	F				3	0	100
King			F	F	F	F			F	5	0	100
Klein				A	F	F		F		3	1	75
Laurent				F	F	F		F		4	0	100
Lawson		A		F		A	F	F		3	2	60
Lippman	A	A		A	F	F	F	F		4	3	57
Littlefield				F	F	F				3	0	100
Logan		A	A	A	F	F	F		F	4	3	57
Long			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Mackenzie			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Mackey	A	A	A	A	F	F	F		F	4	4	50
Manrique		A		F	F	F	F			4	1	80
Martinez				A	F				F	2	1	67
McAndrews				A	F	F		F		3	1	75
McClure				A	F	F				2	1	67
McMahan		A		A	F	F	F			3	2	60
Merchant				F	A	F				2	1	67
Miller				A	F	A				1	2	33

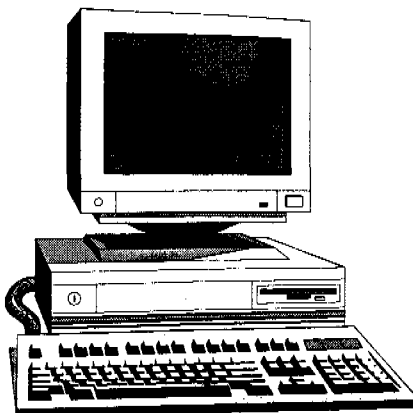
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Minton	A	A		F	F	F	F			4	2	67
Mishkin				A	F	A				1	2	33
Mitchell			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Morrone				F		F				2	0	100
Morse			A	F	F	F			F	4	1	80
Mortham				F	F	F				3	0	100
Ogles				F	F	F				3	0	100
Peeples			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Posey				F	F	F				3	0	100
Pruitt			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Rayson			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Reddick				A	F	F			F	3	1	75
Ritchie	A	A	A	A	F	F	F		F	4	4	50
Roberts	F	A		A	F	A	F			3	3	50
Rojas				A	F			F		2	1	67
Rudd			F	F	F	F			F	5	0	100
Rush				A	F	F		F		3	1	75
Safley				F	F	F				3	0	100
Sanderson		A	A	F	F	F	F		F	5	2	71
Saunders, Dean			A	F	F	F			F	4	1	80
Saunders, Ron		A	A	A	F	F	F		F	4	3	57
Schultz				A	F	F		F		3	1	75
Sembler					F	F		F		3	0	100
Shepard		A		A	F	F	F			3	2	60
Simon				A	F					1	1	50
Sindler				A	F	F				2	1	67

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Smith				F	F	F				3	0	100
Stabins				F	F	F				3	0	100
Stafford				A	F	F				2	1	67
Starks				F	F	F		F		4	0	100
Sublette				A	F					1	1	50
Tedder				F	F	F				3	0	100
Thomas	A	A	A	A	F	F	F		F	4	4	50
Thrasher				F	A	F				2	1	67
Tobin				A	F	F		F		3	1	75
Trammell			A	A	F	F			F	3	2	60
Upchurch				A	F	F		F		3	1	75
Valdes				F	F	F			F	4	0	100
Villalobos		A		A	F	F	F			3	2	60
Wallace				A	F	F				2	1	67
Warner				F	F	F				3	0	100
Webster				F	F	F			F	4	0	100
Wise				F	F	F		F		4	0	100
TOTAL										355	145	71

F - Vote for position of AIF; A - Vote against position of AIF
 Democrats in roman; *Republicans in italic*

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