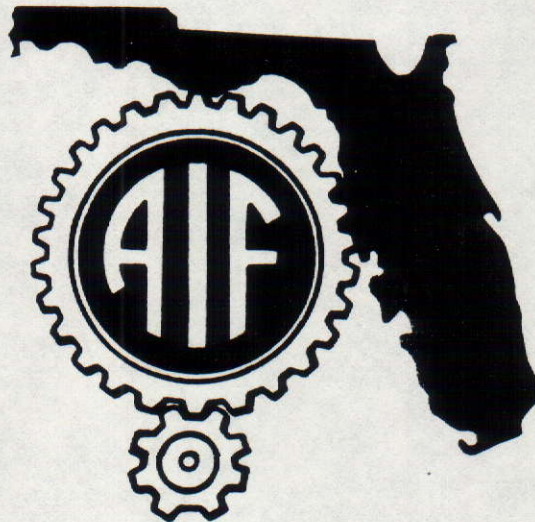


VOTING RECORDS

**ON
KEY BUSINESS ISSUES
1981 & 1982 SESSIONS
OF
THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE**



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"VOTING RECORDS" ARE THE "KEY"

The voting records contained herein show how the members of the Florida Legislature voted on major issues of interest to the general business community in Florida during the 1981 and 1982 Regular and Special Sessions of the Legislature. These certainly are not the only major issues of interest to the business community, but they are the ones where it is felt a definite philosophical vote was necessary. As will be noted, there are votes listed on amendments, and in committees in addition to votes on final passage of bills. In many cases, the votes on amendments, and in committees are much more significant than votes on final passage but are seldom reported to the business community and the public. This report attempts to fill that void.

No one vote should sway your opinion of your legislators. However, after reviewing this booklet, it is hoped you will draw your own conclusions as to whether or not your legislators' "votes" on major business issues have been in the best interest of your business and the entire business community.

PICK YOUR CANDIDATES AND "GET INVOLVED"

It matters little what a legislator says during a campaign for office unless his "voting record" speaks the same language. Your company, its employees, and the stockholders have a big stake in the legislative process. The "votes" of your legislators should be a major criteria on which you base your "support" or "opposition" at election time.

Your Association cannot tell you which legislators you should "support" or which you should "oppose" — BUT, WE FEEL COMPELLED IN THE BEST INTEREST OF YOUR COMPANY TO URGE YOU TO BECOME INVOLVED IN THE ELECTIVE PROCESS BY SUPPORTING THOSE CANDIDATES WHO, BY THEIR VOTING RECORDS, HAVE SHOWN THAT THEY SUPPORT THE FREE ENTERPRISE SYSTEM. IF YOU FAIL TO STAND UP FOR YOUR COMPANY'S INTEREST AT ELECTION TIME, THEN HALF OF THE BATTLE HAS BEEN LOST BEFORE THE FIRST VOTE IS CAST BY THE LEGISLATURE.

This year, 120 members of the Florida House of Representatives and 40 members of The Florida Senate will be running for election. For the first time, legislators will be running in single member districts due to reapportionment. PLEASE CONSIDER THE VOTING RECORDS OF THE CANDIDATES BEFORE BECOMING INVOLVED IN THE ELECTIVE PROCESS — THEN, "BECOME INVOLVED" BY SUPPORTING THE CANDIDATES WHO BEST REPRESENT YOUR INTERESTS.

Sincerely,

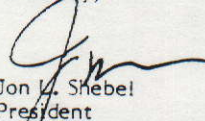

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This is a reprint to correct an error in the "Voting Records" originally submitted on June 18, 1982. Due to an oversight, the Senate vote on Issue 2, HB-5B was taken from the Provisional Journal rather than the bound Senate Journal. There was an error in the Provisional Journal which was corrected in the bound version. This reprint is to correct the error on the one vote and the resulting changes in Senate rankings. Please destroy the "Voting Records" dated June 18, 1982.

We Stand Up For Business!

"SENATE VOTING STATISTICS"

1981 & 1982 Regular & Special Sessions

of

THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE

SENATOR	ISSUE	HB 3-F	HB 5-B	SB 228	SB 14-D	SB 236	SB 110	SB 229	SB 907	SB 639	SB 3-F	CS/HB 344	HJR 1032	SB 655	SB 162	CS/SB 395	SB 511	SB 322	HB 4-F	SB 67	HB 20-B	TOTAL	TOTAL	% WITH AIF
Anderson	HB 3-F - Piggyback of corporate income tax - Senate final passage - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	14	0	100
Barron	HB 5-B - Repeals inventory tax - Senate final passage - 1981	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	14	3	82
Beard	SB 228 - Sales tax exemption for machinery and equipment - Senate final passage - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	10	0	100
Carlucci	SB 14-D - Sales tax exemption for research and development - Senate final passage - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	13	3	81
Childers, D.	SB 236 - Sales tax exemption for pollution control equipment - Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee vote - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	10	0	100
Childers, W. D.	SB 110 - Sales tax exemption for industrial energy - Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee vote - 1981	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	1	92
Dunn	SB 229 - Investment tax credit for "Section 38" property - Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee vote - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	13	2	87
Frank	SB 907 - Corporate tax - Amendment to maintain insurance premium tax credit - Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee vote - 1981	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	10	1	91
Gersten	SB 639 - Limits occupational license tax - Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee vote - 1981	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	8	1	86
Gordon	SB 3-F - Credit card use for purchase of insurance - Senate final passage - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	2	85
Grizzle	CS/HB 344 and 741 - Interest rates on life insurance policy loans - Senate final passage - 1981	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	2	85
Hair	HJR 1032 - Limits public employee collective bargaining - Senate Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining Committee vote - 1981	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	15	1	94
Henderson	SB 655 - Workers' compensation/increased benefits - Senate final passage - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	10	1	91
Hill	SB 162 - Unemployment compensation hearings - Senate Commerce Committee vote - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	3	80
Jenkins	CS/SB 395 - Environmental/mixing zones - Senate final passage - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	0	100
Jenne	SB 511 - Unemployment compensation hearings - Senate Judiciary - Civil Committee vote - 1981	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	15	2	88
Jennings	SB 322 - Ridesharing liability limitation - Senate final passage - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	8	60
Johnston	HB 4-F - Rewrite of insurance code - Senate final passage - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	1	92
Kirkpatrick	SB 67 - Self-insurance - Creates Florida Self-Insurers Guaranty Association, Inc. - Senate final passage - 1982	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	14	1	93
Langley	HB 20-B - Dealer collection allowance reduction - Senate final passage - 1981	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	1	92
Lewis	TOTAL +	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	2	85
Margolis	TOTAL -	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	1	92
Maxwell	% WITH AIF	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	10	3	77
McClain		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	0	100
McKnight		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	0	100
Neal		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	13	1	93
Peterson		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	9	1	90
Poole		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	1	92
Rehm		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	4	75
Renick		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	14	2	88
Scott		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	9	2	82
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Stevens		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	14	3	82
Stuart		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	0	100
Thomas		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	10	1	91
Tobiasen		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	0	100
Trask		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	1	92
Vogt		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	1	92
Ware		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	15	4	79
Winn		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	4	0	100
ISSUE # (See key on P. 2)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21		

+ Vote FOR position of AIF
- Vote AGAINST position of AIF

SENATE AVERAGE = 89%

KEY TO SENATE VOTES

- #1 **HB 3-F — PIGGYBACK OF CORPORATE INCOME TAX** — provides for the piggybacking of the Federal Corporate Income Tax Code. It imposes an emergency excise tax on certain taxpayers liable for the corporate income tax. The Senate passed the proposal on April 7, 1982, by a vote of 36-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #2 **HB 5-B — REPEALS INVENTORY TAX** — provides that items of inventory shall be exempt from taxation. It was passed during the 1981 Special Session on June 17, 1981, by the Senate, by a margin of 39-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #3 **SB 228 — SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT** — provides that industrial machinery and equipment purchased for new and expanding business shall be exempt from the sales tax at the time of purchase. It provides the method for calculating "productive output" to determine if a business is eligible for the tax exemption. The proposal passed the Senate on February 4, 1982, by a vote of 36-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #4 **SB 14-D — SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT** — exempts the costs of research and development from the tax on sales, use and other transactions. It was passed by the Senate on April 7, 1982, by a vote of 37-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #5 **SB 230 — SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR POLLUTION CONTROL EQUIPMENT** — exempts from the sales and use tax any device, equipment or machinery used for pollution control. The Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee passed the proposal on January 28, 1982, by a vote of 9-3. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #6 **SB 110 — SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR INDUSTRIAL ENERGY** — provided a sales tax exemption for electrical energy and liquid propane gas used in industrial manufacturing, processing, compounding, research or production. The bill was heard by the Senate Finance, Taxation, and Claims Committee on May 7, 1981, and failed by a vote of 5-6. A motion was made to reconsider the vote and on May 12, 1981, the bill was passed by a vote of 6-5. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #7 **SB 229 — INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT** — allows an investment tax credit against the corporate income tax for the purchase of "section 38" property. It was passed by the Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee on January 28, 1982, by a vote of 10-1. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #8 **SB 907 — CORPORATE TAX/INSURANCE PREMIUM TAX CREDIT** — repealed the corporate income tax credit against insurance company premium taxes. The Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee, on May 19, 1981, passed an amendment to maintain the corporate income tax credit on the insurance premium tax, by a vote of 12-1. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #9 **SB 907 — TAXATION OF FOREIGN SOURCE INCOME** — as originally drafted, included language which would have required the inclusion in the corporate income tax formula of any income derived from foreign sales over \$200,000. The Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee, on May 19, 1981, by a vote of 7-6, passed an amendment which struck from the bill language requiring the taxation of foreign source income. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #10 **SB 639 — OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE TAX** — was derived from complaints by employers throughout the state caused by a 1980 amendment to the law which provided that the occupational license tax would be increased 100% for license taxes up to \$100, 50% for license taxes between \$100 and \$300, and 25% for license taxes over \$300. This bill would have limited the amounts that counties could have increased occupational license taxes. The Senate Finance, Taxation and Claims Committee killed the proposal on May 12, 1981, by a vote of 4-5. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #11 **SB 3-F — CREDIT CARD USE FOR PURCHASE OF INSURANCE** — provides that credit cards may be used for the collection of premiums and the solicitation of insurance subject to certain limitations. It was passed by the Senate on April 7, 1982, by a vote of 34-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #12 **CS/HB 344 AND 741 — INTEREST RATES ON LIFE INSURANCE POLICY LOANS** — provided that the maximum rate of interest on loans made on life insurance policies shall fluctuate according to the prime rate of interest and not be fixed at a set amount. The proposal passed the Senate on June 5, 1981, by a vote of 34-4. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #13 **HJR 1032 — LIMITS PUBLIC EMPLOYEE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING** — proposed a constitutional amendment to limit the areas subject to collective bargaining by public employees. It was killed by the Senate Personnel, Retirement and Collective Bargaining Committee on May 26, 1981, by a vote of 4-4. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #14 **SB 655 — WORKERS' COMPENSATION/INCREASED BENEFITS** — eliminates factors that must be proven in order for a hernia to be compensable and eliminates the required period for which compensation must be paid. It increases permanent impairment benefits and death benefits in workers' compensation cases. The increase in impairment and death benefits was proposed by AIF to head off a "sunset" of the new workers' compensation law, which has reduced rates by over 50%, during the 1983 Session of the Legislature. The proposal passed the Senate on March 25, 1982, by a vote of 39-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- #15 **SB 162 -- UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION HEARINGS** -- authorized employers and claimants to be represented by any authorized agent or by counsel at an unemployment compensation hearing. The Senate Commerce Committee passed the proposal on January 21, 1982, by a vote of 8-5. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #16 **CS/SB 395 -- ENVIRONMENTAL/MIXING ZONES** -- authorizes the Department of Environmental Regulation to establish zones of mixing. This means that a discharge into the waters of the state will not have to meet water quality standards at the point of discharge, but will be given an opportunity to mix with the receiving body prior to measurement. The Senate passed the proposal on March 9, 1982, by a vote of 40-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #17 **SB 511 -- UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION HEARINGS** -- would have allowed an employer to be represented by any full-time employee, or by an employee of a business association of which the employer was a member, and would have allowed a claimant to be represented by his union, at unemployment compensation hearings. The proposal was killed by the Senate Judiciary-Civil Committee on May 20, 1981, by a vote of 3-3. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position. Similar legislation was passed by the 1982 Legislature.
- #18 **SB 322 -- RIDESHARING LIABILITY LIMITATION** -- limits the liability of employers for injuries or damages sustained by persons participating in ridesharing programs. It was passed by the Senate on February 17, 1982, by a vote of 30-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #19 **HB 4-F -- REWRITE OF INSURANCE CODE** -- in its final form, the proposal includes significant benefits for business. It passed the Senate on April 7, 1982, by a vote of 34-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #20 **SB 67 -- SELF-INSURANCE** -- creates the Florida Self-Insurers Guaranty Association, Incorporated to reinsure individual self-insurers. It was passed by the Senate on February 4, 1982, by a vote of 37-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #21 **HB 20-B -- DEALER COLLECTION ALLOWANCE REDUCTION** -- reduced the dealer's credit for collecting the sales and use tax when the tax remitted exceeds \$1,000. The proposal was passed by the Senate on June 17, 1981, by a vote of 26-13. A nay vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ranking of the Florida Senate by Percentage of Votes
FOR the Position of Associated Industries of Florida
During 1981-1982 Regular & Special Sessions
(Highest to Lowest)

RANK	SENATOR	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	% of Votes with AIF
1	Anderson	14	0	100
1	Carlucci	10	0	100
1	Childers, W.D.	10	0	100
1	Jenne	12	0	100
1	McKnight	11	0	100
1	Skinner	14	0	100
1	Stuart	11	0	100
1	Tobiassen	12	0	100
9	Henderson	15	1	94
10	Langley	14	1	93
10	Neal	13	1	93
12	Dunn	12	1	92
12	Kirkpatrick	11	1	92
12	Lewis	11	1	92
12	Maxwell	11	1	92
12	Poole	12	1	92
12	Trask	12	1	92
12	Vogt	12	1	92
19	Hill	10	1	91
19	Thomas	10	1	91
21	Peterson	9	1	90
22	Barron	8	1	89
23	Jennings	15	2	88
23	Renick	14	2	88
25	Frank	13	2	87
26	Gordon	6	1	86
26	Steinberg	12	2	86
28	Grizzle	11	2	85
28	Hair	11	2	85
28	Margolis	11	2	85
31	Beard	14	3	82
31	Scott	9	2	82
31	Stevens	14	3	82
34	Childers, D.	13	3	81
35	Jenkins	12	3	80
36	Ware	15	4	79
37	McClain	10	3	77
38	Rehm	12	4	75
39	Johnston	12	8	60

SENATE AVERAGE = 89%

Note: Rankings are based on overall position within each house, with all members with the same percentage of votes with AIF receiving the same ranking.
 Senator Winn resigned September 15, 1981, from the Senate. He served for only one of the two years these voting records cover. During that span, he voted for the AIF position 4 times and 0 times against for a 100% voting record with AIF.
 Senator Gersten resigned from the House on November 3, 1981, and was elected to the Senate the same day. While in the House, he voted for the AIF position 1 time and 3 times against for a 25% voting record with AIF. While in the Senate, he voted for the AIF position 10 times and 1 time against for a 91% voting record with AIF.

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REPRESENTATIVE	ISSUE	HB 3-F — Piggyback of corporate income tax — House final passage — 1982	HB 644 — Corporate tax increase — House Criminal Justice Committee vote — 1982	PCB-5 — Corporate income tax/foreign source income — House Finance and Taxation Committee vote — 1982	PCB 27 — Sales tax/dealers' collection allowance — House Finance and Taxation Committee vote — 1982	SB 14-D — Sales tax exemption for research and development — House final passage — 1982	HB 5-B — Repeals inventory tax — House final passage — 1981	HB 73 — Occupational license tax limitation — House Community Affairs Committee vote — 1982	CS/CS/HB 607 — Monthly premium payments for property and casualty insurance — House vote on amendment — 1982	SB 3-F — Credit card use for purchase of insurance — House final passage — 1982	PCB-4 — Amendment 279 — No-fault threshold/180 days — House Insurance Committee vote — 1982	PCP-4 — Amendment 255 — Uninsured motorist/business option — House Insurance Committee vote — 1982	PCB-4 — Amendment 267 — Risk retention groups — House Insurance Committee vote — 1982	CS/HB 344 & 741 — Interest rate on life insurance policy loans — House final passage — 1981	SB 855 — Workers' compensation/increased benefits — House final passage — 1982	HB 561 — Workers' compensation/"washouts" — House Insurance Committee vote — 1982	HB 194 — Apprentices and state contracts — House Appropriations Committee vote — 1982	HJR 1032 — Limits public employee collective bargaining — House final passage — 1981	PCB 33-4 — Toxic substances — House Commerce Subcommittee vote — 1982	CS/SB 395 — Environmental/mixing zones — House final passage — 1982	HB 734 — Oil drilling — House final passage — 1981	HB 35 — Oil companies/divestiture — House Commerce Subcommittee vote — 1982	HB 20-B — Dealer collection allowance reduction — House final passage — 1981	TOTAL +	TOTAL -	% WITH AIF
Allen		+			+	+	+			+				+	+				+					10	2	83
Bankhead		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					12	1	92
Batchelor		+					+		+						+		+							8	3	73
Bell		+				+	+			+			+		+				+					8	3	73
Boles		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					11	1	92
Brantley		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					8	2	80
Brodie		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					8	3	73
Brown		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					8	4	87
Burnsed		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					12	1	92
Burrall		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					7	5	58
Bush		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					5	3	63
Carlton		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					9	3	75
Carpenter		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					9	3	75
Casas		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					5	0	100
Clements		+	+			+	+			+				+	+				+					10	2	83
Cosgrove		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					7	1	88
Cox		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					6	5	55
Crady		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					8	2	80
Crawford		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					10	2	83
Croft		+	+			+	+			+				+	+				+					12	0	100
Danson		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					8	3	73
Davis						+	+			+				+	+				+					5	4	58
Deratany		+				+	+	+		+				+	+				+					9	3	75
Drage		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					12	0	100
Dunbar		+		+		+	+			+				+	+				+					8	3	73
Dyer		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					9	3	75
Easley		+				+	+			+				+	+				+					10	3	77
Evans-Jones						+	+			+				+	+				+					5	3	63
Ewing		+				+	+	+		+				+	+				+			+		12	1	92
Fontana						+	+			+				+	+				+					2	3	40
Foster						+	+		+	+				+	+				+					6	2	75
Fox		+		+		+	+		+	+				+	+				+			+		13	3	81
Friedman		+				+	+		+	+				+	+				+					7	5	58
Gallagher		+				+	+		+	+	+			+	+	+			+					12	3	80
Gardner		+				+	+		+	+				+	+				+					7	3	70
Gersten						+	+			+				+	+				+					1	3	25
Girardeau		+				+	+		+	+				+	+				+					8	2	80
Gordon		+				+	+		+	+				+	+				+					6	5	55
Grant		+				+	+		+	+				+	+				+					11	3	79
Gustafson		+				+	+		+	+				+	+				+	+				11	3	79
Haben		+				+	+		+	+				+	+				+					8	1	89
Hagler		+				+	+		+	+				+	+				+					11	1	92
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Hall, C.		+																						8	2	55
Hall, L.		+																						8	2	88
Hattaway		+			+																			8	2	88
Hawkins, L.		+															+							11	2	88
Hawkins, M.E.		+			+																			8	2	88
Hazouri		+																						11	1	92
Hieber		+																						7	5	58
Hodes		+																						8	3	73
Hodges, G.		+																						10	1	91
Hodges, W.		+			+																			7	4	64
Hollingsworth		+																						8	2	73
Johnson, A.		+																						8	2	80
Johnson, B.		+																						8	2	80
Johnson, R.		+																						9	2	82
Jones, C.F.		+																						11	2	85
Jones, D.		+						+									+							10	0	100
Kelly		+																						8	2	80
Kershaw		+																						7	4	64
Kimmel		+																						8	2	80
Kiser		+																						8	0	100
Kutun																								8	1	89
Lehman		+																						6	3	67
Lehtinen		+	+																					11	3	79
Lewis		+																						11	1	92
Liberti		+																						5	5	50
Lippman		+																						8	2	80
Mann		+															+							9	3	75
Martin																								6	4	60
Martinez		+																						11	5	69
McEwan		+	+																					14	2	88
McPherson, S.		+																						10	1	91
McPherson, T.		+																						7	4	64
Meek		+																						6	6	50
Meffert		+			+														+					12	3	80
Melby		+																						8	2	80
Messersmith		+																						9	2	82
Mills		+																						9	3	75
Mitchell		+																						9	2	82
Moffitt		+																						9	3	75
Moore		+																						9	3	75
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Morgan		+				+	+			+				+	+			+		+				9	2	82
Myers		+				+	+	+		+				+	+			+		+				10	2	83
Nergard		+				+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				9	2	82
Nuckolls		+				+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				10	1	91
Ogden		+				+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				8	5	62
O'Malley						+	+					+			+			+		+				4	6	40
Pajcic		+			+	+	+			+					+			+		+				3	5	38
Patchett		+			+	+	+			+				+	+			+		+				11	1	92
Patterson		+			+	+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				12	0	100
Plummer, J.		+			+	+	+			+				+	+			+		+				7	3	70
Plummer, L.		+			+	+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				8	1	89
Price		+			+	+	+			+				+	+			+		+				12	3	80
Ready		+			+	+	+	+		+	+	+		+	+			+		+				10	1	91
Reynolds		+	-			+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				7	4	64
Richmond		+				+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				8	0	100
Robinson		+		-	+	+	+			+				+	+			+		+				10	2	83
Rosen		+			+	+	+			+				+	+			+		+				7	3	70
Sadowski						+	+			+	+	+	+		+		-	+		+				6	5	55
Sample		+			+	+	+			+				+	+			+		+				8	3	73
Shackleford		+			+	+	+			+				+	+			+		+				7	3	70
Sheldon		+			+	+	+			+				+	+			+		+				10	5	67
Silver					+	+	+			+		+		+	+			+		+				7	4	64
Smith, C.		+			+	+	+			+				+	+			+		+				8	3	73
Smith, J.		+	+			+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				12	0	100
Smith, L.			-		+	+	+		+	+		+	+	+	+			+		+				8	6	57
Spaet					+	+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				5	5	50
Steele		+			+	+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				8	2	80
Thomas		+				+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				8	2	80
Thompson		+			+	+	+		+	+				+	+		-	+		+		+		9	3	75
Tygart		+	+		+	+	+		+	+		+	+	+	+	+	+	+		+				12	2	86
Upchurch		+			+	+	+		+	+		+	+	+	+			+		+				11	4	73
Ward		+			+	+	+		+	+				+	+		+	+		+				11	1	92
Watt		+			+	+	+	+	+	+				+	+			+		+				10	3	77
Webster		+			+	+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				10	1	91
Weinstock						+	+		+	+				+	+		-	+		+				2	6	25
Wetherell		+			+	+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				8	3	73
Williams		+			+	+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				9	3	75
Woodburn		+	+			+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				8	2	80
Woodruff		+			+	+	+		+	+				+	+			+		+				7	4	64
Young		+				+	+		+	+				+	+		+	+		+				9	3	75
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KEY TO HOUSE VOTES

- #1 **HB 3-F — PIGGYBACK OF CORPORATE INCOME TAX** — provides for the piggybacking of the Federal Corporate Income Tax Code. It imposes an emergency excise tax on certain taxpayers liable for the corporate income tax. The proposal passed the House of Representatives on April 7, 1982, by a vote of 109-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #2 **HB 644 — CORPORATE TAX INCREASE** — increases the corporate income taxes from 5% to 6% and earmarks the increased dollars to go to the Local Law Enforcement Assistance Trust Fund. The House Criminal Justice Committee killed the proposal on February 8, 1982, by a vote of 4-8. A nay vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #3 **PCB-5 — CORPORATE INCOME TAX/FOREIGN SOURCE INCOME** — dealt with piggybacking the Federal Corporate Income Tax Code. An amendment was offered to this bill which strikes the foreign source income exemption from the bill. The amendment was passed by the Financial Institutions' Subcommittee of the House Finance and Taxation Committee by a vote of 4-1 on January 19, 1982. A nay vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #4 **PCB-27 — SALES TAX/DEALERS' COLLECTION ALLOWANCE** — by the House Finance and Taxation Committee was the initial bill to increase the sales tax from 4% to 5%. A provision of that measure would have reduced the dealer's credit from 3% to 2.4% on amounts under \$1,000 and from 1% to .8% on amounts over \$1,000. This provision is intended to adjust the value of the dealer's collection allowance so that sales tax dealers receive the same dollar amount as currently provided. An amendment was offered by Representative Meffert (D-Ocala) to prevent the reduction in the percentage for the dealer's collection allowance. The amendment was passed by the House Finance and Taxation Committee by a vote of 15-8 on March 2, 1982. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #5 **SB 14-D — SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT** — exempts the costs of research and development from the tax on sales, use and other transactions. The proposal was passed by the House on April 7, 1982, by a vote of 105-4. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #6 **HB 5-B — REPEALS INVENTORY TAX** — provides that items of inventory shall be exempt from taxation. It was passed during the 1981 Special Session on June 16, 1981, by the House, by a vote of 116-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #7 **HB 73 — OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE TAXES** — provides limitations on certain occupational license taxes levied by counties and municipalities. The House Community Affairs Committee passed the proposal on January 11, 1982, by a vote of 8-7. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #8 **CS/CS/HB 607 — MONTHLY PREMIUM PAYMENTS FOR PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE** — provided for giving employers the option of selecting a monthly premium payment mode for payment of property and casualty premiums. This amendment was actively supported by Representatives Hamilton Upchurch (D-St. Augustine), Tom Gustafson (D-Ft. Lauderdale), James Ward (D-Ft. Walton Beach), and Elaine Gordon (D-Miami). This amendment passed the House on March 2, 1982, by a vote of 58-52. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position. This amendment subsequently failed on a voice vote after a motion to reconsider by Representative Gene Hodges (D-Cedar Key).
- #9 **SB 3-F — CREDIT CARD USE FOR PURCHASE OF INSURANCE** — provides that credit cards may be used for the collection of premiums and the solicitation of insurance subject to certain limitations. The House passed the proposal on April 7, 1982, by a vote of 102-4. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #10 **PCB 4 - AMENDMENT 279 - NO-FAULT THRESHOLD/180 DAYS** — changed the no-fault threshold to allow for serious non-permanent injuries, seriously affecting a person's lifestyle for at least 180 days. This language weakening the no-fault threshold did not contain a requirement that the injury must be medically and scientifically demonstrable. AIF went on record to the House Insurance Committee on June 15, 1981, as opposing any changes to the no-fault law. This amendment passed the House Insurance Committee on January 11, 1982, by a vote of 12-5. A nay vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #11 **PCB-4 - AMENDMENT 255 - UNINSURED MOTORIST/BUSINESS OPTION** — was important to business because it allowed commercial vehicles to opt out of uninsured motorist coverage. At this point the House was considering making uninsured motorist coverage mandatory for all vehicles. This amendment passed the House Insurance Committee January 11, 1982, by a vote of 16-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #12 **PCB-4 - AMENDMENT 267 - RISK RETENTION GROUPS** — allowed for the organization of risk retention groups in Florida. This legislation closely paralleled recently enacted federal legislation. This proposal allowed any number of employers to form risk retention groups for the purpose of insuring property and casualty insurance risks. This amendment was adopted with the active support of Representative Tom Gustafson (D-Ft. Lauderdale) and Representative Bill Sadowski (D-Miami). This amendment passed the House Insurance Committee on December 14, 1982, by a 9-3 vote. This proposal was critical to enabling AIF to gain support for developing and passing the Limited Reciprocal Act and the Captive Insurers Act. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.

- #13 **CS/HB 344 AND 741 — INTEREST RATES ON LIFE INSURANCE POLICY LOANS** — provided that the maximum rate of interest on loans made on life insurance policies shall fluctuate according to the prime rate of interest and not be fixed at a set amount. The House passed the proposal on June 2, 1981, by a vote of 81-30. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #14 **SB 655 — WORKERS' COMPENSATION/INCREASED BENEFITS** — eliminates factors that must be proven in order for a hernia to be compensable and eliminates the required period for which compensation must be paid. It increases permanent impairment benefits and death benefits in workers' compensation cases. The increase in impairment and death benefits was proposed by AIF to head off a "sunset" of the new workers' compensation law, which has reduced rates by over 50%, during the 1983 Session of the Legislature. It passed the House of Representatives on March 17, 1982, by a vote of 88-17. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #15 **HB 561 — WORKERS' COMPENSATION/"WASHOUTS"** — allows lump sum payments or "washouts" in those workers' compensation cases in which the employer or carrier controverts the claimant's right to compensation or medical benefits due to the fact that the claimant did not sustain an accident or injury arising out of or in the course of his employment. The proposal was passed by the House Insurance Committee on February 23, 1982, by a vote of 7-3. A nay vote is a vote for the AIF position. The bill subsequently died on the House Calendar.
- #16 **HB 194 — APPRENTICES AND STATE CONTRACTS** frees contractors from the requirement by law that they hire apprentices on state government jobs. It was passed by the House Appropriations Committee on March 2, 1982, by a vote of 22-6. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #17 **HJR 1032 — LIMITS PUBLIC EMPLOYEE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING** — was a proposed constitutional amendment which would limit the areas subject to collective bargaining by public employees. It was passed by the Florida House of Representatives on April 28, 1981, by a vote of 92-26. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #18 **PCB 82-4 — TOXIC SUBSTANCES** — by the House Commerce Committee, requires an employer to inform its employees of the presence and hazards of exposure to toxic substances in the work place. The proposal creates duplicative regulation and is premature, in light of OSHA's recent statement that it would be proposing a hazard communications standard act. On January 27, 1982, an amendment was offered to strike the enacting clause of the bill, effectively killing it. The amendment was passed by a vote of 6-0. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #19 **CS/SB 395 — ENVIRONMENTAL/MIXING ZONES** — authorizes the Department of Environmental Regulation to establish zones of mixing. This means that a discharge into the waters of the state will not have to meet water quality standards at the point of discharge, but will be given an opportunity to mix with the receiving body prior to measurement. The House passed the measure on March 12, 1982, by a vote of 99-4. A yea vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #20 **HB 734 — OIL DRILLING** — would have given the go ahead for drilling to companies that purchased drilling leases prior to 1972. It would have given Getty Oil Company clearance to do exploratory drilling for natural gas in East Bay near Pensacola. The proposal was initially defeated by a vote of 49-51 by the House of Representatives. The vote was reconsidered and on final passage, HB 734 passed by a 57-50 margin on May 26, 1981. A yea vote is a vote for the position of AIF.
- #21 **HB 35 — OIL COMPANIES/DIVESTITURE** — prevents oil producers and refiners from running their own service stations. The proposal was killed by a subcommittee of the House Commerce Committee on December 1, 1981, by a vote of 0-6. A nay vote is a vote for the AIF position.
- #22 **HB 20-B — DEALER COLLECTION ALLOWANCE REDUCTION** — reduced the dealer's credit for collecting the sales and use tax when the tax remitted exceeds \$1,000. The proposal was passed by the House on June 16, 1981, by a vote of 89-30. A nay vote is a vote for the AIF position.

Ranking of the Florida House of Representatives
by Percentage of Votes FOR the Position of
Associated Industries of Florida
During the 1981-1982 Regular & Special Sessions
(Highest to Lowest)

RANK	REPRESENTATIVE	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	% of Votes with AIF	RANK	REPRESENTATIVE	Total # Votes FOR Position of AIF	Total # Votes AGAINST Position of AIF	% of Votes with AIF
1	Crotty	12	0	100	59	Watt	10	3	77
1	Drage	12	0	100	61	Carlton	9	3	75
1	Jones, D.	10	0	100	61	Carpenter	9	3	75
1	Kiser	8	0	100	61	Deratany	9	3	75
1	Patterson	12	0	100	61	Dyer	9	3	75
1	Richmond	8	0	100	61	Foster	6	2	75
1	Smith, J.	12	0	100	61	Mann	9	3	75
8	Bankhead	12	1	92	61	Mills	9	3	75
8	Boles	11	1	92	61	Moffitt	9	3	75
8	Burnsed	12	1	92	61	Thompson	9	3	75
8	Ewing	12	1	92	61	Williams	9	3	75
8	Hagler	11	1	92	61	Young	9	3	75
8	Hazouri	11	1	92	72	Batchelor	8	3	73
8	Lewis	11	1	92	72	Bell	8	3	73
8	Patchett	11	1	92	72	Brodie	8	3	73
8	Ward	11	1	92	72	Danson	8	3	73
17	Hodges, G.	10	1	91	72	Dunbar	8	3	73
17	McPherson, S.	10	1	91	72	Hodes	8	3	73
17	Nuckolls	10	1	91	72	Hollingsworth	8	3	73
17	Ready	10	1	91	72	Johnson, B.	8	3	73
17	Webster	10	1	91	72	Moore	8	3	73
22	Haben	8	1	89	72	Sample	8	3	73
22	Kutun	8	1	89	72	Smith, C.	8	3	73
22	Plummer, L.	8	1	89	72	Upchurch	11	4	73
25	McEwan	14	2	88	72	Wetherell	8	3	73
28	Tvart	12	2	86	85	Gardner	7	3	70
27	Hattaway	11	2	85	85	Plummer, J.	7	3	70
27	Jones, C.F.	11	2	85	85	Rosen	7	3	70
29	Allen	10	2	83	85	Shackelford	7	3	70
29	Clements	10	2	83	89	Martinez	11	5	69
29	Crawford	10	2	83	90	Brown	8	4	67
29	Myers	10	2	83	90	Lehman	6	3	67
29	Robinson	10	2	83	90	Sheldon	10	5	67
34	Hawkins, M.E.	9	2	82	93	Hodges, W.	7	4	64
34	Johnson, R.	9	2	82	93	Kershaw	7	4	64
34	Messersmith	9	2	82	93	McPherson, T.	7	4	64
34	Mitchell	9	2	82	93	Reynolds	7	4	64
34	Morgan	9	2	82	93	Silver	7	4	64
34	Nergard	9	2	82	93	Woodruff	7	4	64
40	Fox	13	3	81	99	Bush	5	3	63
41	Brantley	8	2	80	99	Evans-Jones	5	3	63
41	Cady	8	2	80	101	Ogden	8	5	62
41	Gallagher	12	3	80	102	Hawkins, L.	6	4	60
41	Girardeau	8	2	80	102	Martin	6	4	60
41	Hall, L.	8	2	80	104	Burrall	7	5	58
41	Johnson, A.	8	2	80	104	Friedman	7	5	58
41	Kelly	8	2	80	104	Hieber	7	5	58
41	Kimmel	8	2	80	107	Smith, L.	8	6	57
41	Lipoman	8	2	80	108	Davis	5	4	56
41	Meffert	12	3	80	109	Cox	6	5	55
41	Melby	8	2	80	109	Gordon	6	5	55
41	Price	12	3	80	109	Hall, C.	6	5	55
41	Steele	8	2	80	109	Sadowski	6	5	55
41	Thomas	8	2	80	113	Liberti	5	5	50
41	Woodburn	8	2	80	113	Meek	6	6	50
56	Grant	11	3	79	113	Spaet	5	5	50
56	Gustafson	11	3	79	116	O'Malley	4	6	40
56	Lehtinen	11	3	79	117	Paicic	3	5	38
59	Easley	10	3	77	118	Weinstock	2	6	25

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Notes: Rankings are based on overall position within each house, with all members with the same percentage of votes with AIF receiving the same ranking.

Representative Casas was elected January 26, 1982, to the House. He served for only a fraction of the final year covered by this 2-year voting record. During that time he voted for the position of AIF 5 times and no times against for a 100% voting record with AIF.

Representative Cosgrove became a member of the House on November 3, 1981. He served in the House for only one of the two years these voting records cover. During that span, he voted for the AIF position 7 times and 1 time against for an 88% voting record with AIF.

Representative Fontana resigned from the House on January 26, 1982. He served for slightly over one year of the two years these voting records cover. During that span, he voted for the AIF position 2 times and 3 times against for a 40% voting record with AIF.