

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC COUNSEL OVERSIGHT
Senator Powell, Alternating Chair**

MEETING DATE: Thursday, February 4, 2021

TIME: 2:00—4:00 p.m.

PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room*, 110 Senate Building

SENATE MEMBERS: Senator Powell, Alternating Chair; Senators Broxson, Hooper, Pizzo, and Rodrigues

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
PUBLIC TESTIMONY WILL BE RECEIVED FROM ROOM A1 AT THE DONALD L. TUCKER CIVIC CENTER, 505 W. PENSACOLA STREET, TALLAHASSEE, FL. 32301			
1	Introduction of Members		
2	Interview of Public Counsel candidates		
Other Related Meeting Documents			



THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION



Human Resources
Suite 701, Claude Pepper Building
111 W. Madison Street ♦ Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1400
(850) 488-6803 ♦ FAX (850) 413-7984

APPLICANT INFORMATION

NAME (Last, First, Middle) Barry, Michael, John	(Prior)	HOME / CELLULAR TELEPHONE (850) 345-7083
MAILING ADDRESS 3798 Piney Grove Drive		BUSINESS TELEPHONE (850) 345-7083
CITY, STATE, COUNTY, ZIP Tallahassee, Florida, Leon 32311		EMAIL ADDRESS mikebarry@hotmail.com
Are you retired from any Florida State Administered retirement plan? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If yes, date retired: _____		

WORK PREFERENCE

EMPLOYMENT REQUESTED: (check all that apply)	POSITION APPLIED FOR : <u>Public Counsel</u> If you are not applying for a specific vacancy, please indicate your work preference:		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Year-Round <input type="checkbox"/> Session Only <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full Time <input type="checkbox"/> Part Time <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> Accounting <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Support <input type="checkbox"/> Clerical/Secretarial <input type="checkbox"/> Communications <input type="checkbox"/> Economics	<input type="checkbox"/> Editing/Proofreading <input type="checkbox"/> Information Technology <input type="checkbox"/> Investigation <input type="checkbox"/> Legal <input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Assistant	<input type="checkbox"/> Management <input type="checkbox"/> Printing/Reproduction <input type="checkbox"/> Research & Analysis <input type="checkbox"/> Support Services
DATE AVAILABLE: <u>Flexible</u>	COUNTY PREFERENCE: <u>Leon</u>		

EMPLOYMENT ELIGIBILITY

The Florida Legislature hires only U.S. citizens and lawfully authorized alien workers. If hired you will be required to provide identification and either proof of citizenship or proof of authorization to work in the U.S.

Are you legally eligible to work in the United States? Yes No

EXEMPTION FROM PUBLIC RECORDS DISCLOSURE

Are you a current or former law enforcement officer, other covered employee**, or the spouse or child of one, whose information is exempt from public records disclosure under section 119.071(4)(d), Florida Statutes (F.S.)? Yes No

**Other covered jobs include but are not limited to: correctional and correctional probation officers, firefighters, certain judges, assistant state attorneys, state attorneys, assistant and statewide prosecutors, personnel of the Department of Revenue or local governments whose responsibilities include revenue collection and enforcement or child support enforcement, and certain investigators in the Department of Children and Families [see§ 119.071.F.S.].

SELECTIVE SERVICE

Section 110.1128, Florida Statutes, requires male applicants between the ages of 18 and 26 to provide proof of registration or exemption issued by the United States Selective Service as required by the Military Selective Service Act. If you are in this age group, please provide your Selective Service number, if applicable.

Registration Number: _____

EDUCATION

A copy of your college transcript reflecting your highest level of education completed and degree received must be submitted with the completed application

INDICATE highest grade completed:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 GED College 1 2 3 4 5 Graduate School 1 2 3 4 5

SCHOOL	DID YOU GRADUATE?		NAME AND ADDRESS	MAJOR / MINOR	DEGREE RECEIVED	MONTH/YEAR GRADUATED	IF NO DEGREE # HRS. EARNED	
	YES	NO					QTR	SEM
High School	✓		Winter Park High School Winter Park, Florida			May 1995		
Community/ Vocational/ Technical/ College								
College/ University	✓		Florida State University Tallahassee, Florida	Economics and History	B.S.	April 1999		
Graduate/ Professional	✓		Florida State University Tallahassee, Florida	Law	J.D.	May 2002		
Other								

LICENSES • CERTIFICATIONS • SPECIAL SKILLS

Please indicate typing, computer/wordprocessing skills, foreign language proficiency, professional or occupational licensure you currently possess. Please provide a copy of certifications and licensures with the application.

Member, Florida Bar (Bar number 646911)
Proficient in Microsoft Word and Outlook, and other computer tasks associated with working in a legal office

Has any disciplinary action ever been taken against your certificate or license? ___ Yes No

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Describe your work experience in detail, beginning with your current or most recent job. Include military service (indicate rank) and job-related volunteer work, if applicable. Use a separate block to describe each position or gap in employment. If needed, attach additional sheets, using the same format as on the application. All information in this section must be completed. Resumes may be attached to provide additional information.

Present or Most Recent Employer

If currently employed, may we contact your employer? Yes ___ No

Employer: Florida House of Representatives Supervisor: Kurt Hamon

Address: 402 South Monroe Street, Suite 317 Supervisor's Title: Staff Director

City, State, Zip: Tallahassee, Florida 32399 Phone number: 850-717-5699

Employment Dates: 10 / 03 / 2016 to 01 / 04 / 2021

Hours per week: 40+ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$92,000

Position Title: Policy Chief

Primary Duties:

I advised members and senior staff on regulatory, legal and policy issues relating to gaming, tourism, and economic development. I assisted the chairman of my assigned subcommittees in the performance of his duties, including by advising on policy, evaluating bills for consideration, analyzing bills to be heard in committee, arranging and conducting committee meetings, and assisting in floor sessions on matters relating to the jurisdiction. My responsibilities included drafting legislation, amendments, analysis reports, and other materials, as well as meeting with counterparts and stakeholders on matters within the purview of the subcommittees.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

To further pursue professional goals and new job opportunities.

Next Previous Employer

Employer: Rutledge Ecenia, P.A. Supervisor: Gary Rutledge
Address: 119 South Monroe Street, Suite 202 Supervisor's Title: President
City, State, Zip: Tallahassee, Florida 32301 Phone number: 850-681-6788
Employment Dates: 12 / 06 / 2010 to 03 / 31 / 2016
Hours per week: 40+ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$130,000
Position Title: Attorney

Primary Duties:

I advised and represented clients in state administrative and state civil proceedings. My practice was focused on regulated industries, representing private clients before state regulators, primarily in the gaming industry. My work included formal and informal agency proceedings, as well as formal administrative proceedings at the Division of Administrative Hearings, such as licensing decisions, agency rulemaking, agency final actions, administrative rule challenges, and bid protests.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

To further pursue professional goals and new job opportunities.

Next Previous Employer

Employer: State of Florida, Executive Office of the Governor Supervisor: Robert Wheeler
Address: 402 South Monroe Street, Suite 209 Supervisor's Title: General Counsel
City, State, Zip: Tallahassee, Florida 32399 Phone number: 850-875-8031
Employment Dates: 07 / 24 / 2009 to 12 / 03 / 2010
Hours per week: 40 Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$80,000
Position Title: Assistant General Counsel

Primary Duties:

I assisted the Governor and senior staff on various legal matters involving executive powers, liability and risk, legislation, real property leases and real estate development, public meetings and public records, public procurement, collective bargaining, economic development, gaming, and state judicial appointments. One aspect of my role was serving as counsel to the Governor and Cabinet on land use and growth management cases, which involved drafting proposed orders and presenting cases at Cabinet meetings. Finally, monitored legal issues at various state agencies and kept the Governor's senior staff apprised of important developments.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

To further pursue professional goals and new job opportunities.

Next Previous Employer

Employer: State of Florida, Department of Management Services Supervisor: John Brenneis
Address: 4050 Esplanade Way Supervisor's Title: General Counsel
City, State, Zip: Tallahassee, Florida 32311 Phone number: 850-413-1192
Employment Dates: 05 / 23 / 2005 to 07 / 24 / 2009
Hours per week: 40 Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$63,000
Position Title: Assistant General Counsel

Primary Duties:

I advised the DMS Secretary and senior management on legal and policy issues related to various agency operations, including real estate development projects and commercial leases, private prison construction and operations, contract negotiations and disputes, agency policies and procedures, and public records and public meetings. I also assisted more senior attorneys in representing the agency in administrative hearings at the Division of Administrative Hearings and managed outside counsel in civil cases.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

To further pursue professional goals and new job opportunities.

Next Previous Employer

Employer: U.S. House of Representatives Supervisor: Sheryl Wooley
 Address: 108 Cannon House Office Building Supervisor's Title: Chief of Staff
 City, State, Zip: Washington, D.C. 20515 Phone number: 239-851-1368
 Employment Dates: 09 / 03 / 2003 to 01 / 05 / 2005
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR
 Hours per week: 40 Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$47,000
 Position Title: Legislative Assistant

Primary Duties:

I worked in the personal office of Congressman Porter Goss (R-Sanibel), who was serving what turned out to be his final term in Congress prior to being appointed director of the Central Intelligence Agency in the fall of 2004. My main job was to draft responses to constituent mail and compose other materials, such as floor speeches, as needed for the Congressman or senior staff. I also attended meetings and worked with stakeholders, executive branch officials, and staff in the House and Senate to advance the Congressman's priorities.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

To further pursue professional goals and new job opportunities.

Next Previous Employer

Employer: _____ Supervisor: _____
 Address: _____ Supervisor's Title: _____
 City, State, Zip: _____ Phone number: _____
 Employment Dates: _____ / _____ / _____ to _____ / _____ / _____
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR
 Hours per week: _____ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: _____
 Position Title: _____

Primary Duties:

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:**Next Previous Employer**

Employer: _____ Supervisor: _____
 Address: _____ Supervisor's Title: _____
 City, State, Zip: _____ Phone number: _____
 Employment Dates: _____ / _____ / _____ to _____ / _____ / _____
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR
 Hours per week: _____ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: _____
 Position Title: _____

Primary Duties:

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

RELATIVES

Please list the names and relationships of relatives* who are a member of the Legislature, a legislative employee, a lobbyist, a member of the Florida Cabinet or the Governor, a key Cabinet aide, the head of an executive branch department or an appointed secretary or executive director.

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Office: _____

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*"Relative" is defined as: Father, mother, son, daughter, brother, sister, uncle, aunt, first cousin, nephew, niece, husband, wife, father-in-law, mother-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, stepfather, stepmother, stepson, stepdaughter, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother, or half-sister.

LEGAL HISTORY

A criminal history record check will be conducted prior to hiring.

Have you pleaded nolo contendere to, or been convicted of, a first degree misdemeanor or a felony in any court, domestic or foreign? Yes No
A conviction includes a plea of guilty, guilty verdict, or finding of guilt, regardless of whether the sentence is imposed by the Court or adjudication is withheld. If "Yes", please explain:

A "yes" answer to these questions will not necessarily bar you from employment. Each case will be judged on its own merit, with respect to time, circumstances, and seriousness as it may relate to employment.

REFERENCES

Please list three references excluding relatives and former employers.

NAME	MAILING ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NUMBER
Judge Garnet Chisenhall	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Mike La Rosa	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Judge J. Andrew Atkinson	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

AUTHORIZATION AND CERTIFICATION

I hereby authorize the Florida Legislature to verify all information contained in this application and supplement hereto. I consent to the release of any information regarding my eligibility for legislative employment by employers, educational institutions, law enforcement agencies, personal references or other organizations.

I certify that the above statements are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I further understand that any misrepresentations or false statements made by me on this application, or any supplement hereto, may be grounds for immediate discharge and/or rejection from consideration for further employment. If employed, I understand that my employment and compensation can be terminated with or without cause and with or without notice at any time at the option of either the Legislature or myself.

Signature:  Date: 12/17/20

If employed by the Florida Legislature, you will be subject to the provisions of Section 11.26, Florida Statutes which prohibit legislative employees from lobbying or providing legal advice outside the Legislature.

All employment applications will remain active for six months, and pursuant to legislative policy, are available for review by the public.

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 282 Champions Way
 PO Box 3062480
 Tallahassee, Florida 32306-2480

Name: Michael J Barry
 Student ID: [REDACTED]
 Birthdate: 06/30/XXXX
 Residency: Florida Resident (USA)
 Print Date: 12/17/2020

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Transfer Credits

Transfer Credit from Florida State University
 Applied Toward Undergraduate Studies Program

1995

Trm	Course	Description	Grd	GB	RP	Input	Eval
FALL	MAC1102	BSC COL ALG (GRP5)	ED			3.000	0.000
Term Totals						3.000	0.000

1996 Fall

Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
CPO3002	INTRO COMPARATV GOVT	B		3.000	3.000	9.000
ECO2013	ECS OF NATNL ECONOMY	A		3.000	3.000	12.000
PSY2012	GEN PSYCHOLOGY	A		3.000	3.000	12.000
WOH4244	WORLD WAR II	B+		3.000	3.000	9.750
Term Totals:						12.000 12.000 42.750
Term GPA:						3.562

Transfer Credit from Valencia Cmty College
 Applied Toward Undergraduate Studies Program

1996

Trm	Course	Description	Grd	GB	RP	Input	Eval
SUMR	POS1041	US GOVERN I	A			3.000	0.000
Term Totals						3.000	0.000

1997 Spring

Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
AMH2020	U.S. SINCE 1865	C+		3.000	3.000	6.750
AMH3352	US POLIT HIS SN 1877	A-		3.000	3.000	11.250
EUI3462	MODERN GERMANY	B+		3.000	3.000	9.750
ISC2003	GLOBAL CHANGE SCIENC	A		3.000	3.000	12.000
Term Totals:						12.000 12.000 39.750
Term GPA:						3.312

Beginning of Undergraduate Record

1995 Summer

Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
ANT2410	INTRO CULT ANTHRO	B+		3.000	3.000	9.750
ENC1101	FRESH COMP & RHETRC	A-		3.000	3.000	11.250
Term Totals:						6.000 6.000 21.000
Term GPA:						3.500

1997 Summer

Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
LIT3383	WOMEN IN LITERATURE	A-		3.000	3.000	11.250
Term Totals:						3.000 3.000 11.250
Term GPA:						3.750

1995 Fall

Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
AST1002	PLANETS/STARS/GALXES	A-		3.000	3.000	11.250
AST1002L	INTRO ASTRONOMY LAB	C-		1.000	1.000	1.750
CLT3041	GRK&LAT ELMTS IN VOC	A-		3.000	3.000	11.250
THE3000	INTROD TO THEATRE	B-		3.000	3.000	8.250
WOH1023	MODRN WORLD TO 1815	B		3.000	3.000	9.000
Term Totals:						13.000 13.000 41.500
Term GPA:						3.192

1997 Fall

Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
AMH3351	US POLIT HIS TO 1876	B+		3.000	3.000	9.750
ECO3213	MONEY BNK MNTRY PLCY	A		3.000	3.000	12.000
STA3014	FUND BUS STATISTICS	B		3.000	3.000	9.000
WOH1030	MODRN WRLD SINC 1815	A-		3.000	3.000	11.250
Term Totals:						12.000 12.000 42.000
Term GPA:						3.500

1996 Spring

Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
AMH1000	AMERICAN CIVILIZATION	B+		3.000	3.000	9.750
ECO2023	ECONOMCS PRICE SYSTEM	A		3.000	3.000	12.000
ENC1102	FRESHMAN WRITNG LIT	B+		3.000	3.000	9.750
MAC1141	PRECAL/FINITE MAT BU	B+		3.000	3.000	9.750
MET1010	INTRO TO ATMOSPHERE	B		3.000	3.000	9.000
Term Totals:						15.000 15.000 50.250
Term GPA:						3.350

1998 Spring

Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
AMH2010	HISTRY OF US TO 1865	B		3.000	3.000	9.000

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Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
ECO4101	MICROECONOMIC THEORY	B-		3.000	3.000	8.250
ECO4203	NATL INCOM DETERMNTN	B-		3.000	3.000	8.250
ECP3451	ECONOMICS THE LAW	C+		3.000	3.000	6.750
Term Totals:				12.000	12.000	32.250
Term GPA:				2.688		

1998 Fall

Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
AMH4172	THE CIVIL WAR ERA	A		3.000	3.000	12.000
ECO3933	SP TPC ECONOMICS	A-		3.000	3.000	11.250
ECO4532	PUBLIC CHOICE	A		3.000	3.000	12.000
EUH4121	EARLIER MIDDLE AGES	C		3.000	3.000	6.000
Term Totals:				12.000	12.000	41.250
Term GPA:				3.438		

1999 Spring

Course	Description	Grd	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
ECO4504	FED PUBLIC FINANCE	A		3.000	3.000	12.000
ECP3322	ECONMS MARINE RESRCS	A-		3.000	3.000	11.250
HIS4935	SR SEM: AMERICAN LAW	A		3.000	3.000	12.000
LAH3203	MEXICO/CENT AM/CARIB	B-		3.000	3.000	8.250
PEL1341	TENNIS	B+		1.000	1.000	3.250
STA2122	INTRO APPL STATISTIC	C+		4.000	4.000	9.000
Term Totals:				17.000	17.000	55.750
Term GPA:				3.279		

Degrees Awarded

Degree: Associate of Arts
Program: Associate of Arts
Confer Date: 08/16/1997
Plan: Associate of Arts

Degree: Bachelor of Science
Program: Economics, General
Confer Date: 05/01/1999
Plan: Economics
Plan: History

End of Undergraduate

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2000 Summer

Program: Law
Plan: Law Major

Beginning of Law Record

1999 Fall

Program: Law
Plan: Law Major

Course	Description	Grd	GB	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
LAW5000	CONTRACTS I	76	LAW		3.000	3.000	228.000
LAW5300	CIVIL PROCEDURE	78	LAW		4.000	4.000	312.000
LAW5400	PROPERTY I	86	LAW		2.000	2.000	172.000
LAW5700	TORTS	77	LAW		4.000	4.000	308.000
LAW5792	LEGAL WRITNG & RSCH I	77	LAW		2.000	2.000	154.000

Course	Description	Grd	GB	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
LAW7250	COMPARATIVE LAW	72	LAW		2.000	2.000	144.000
LAW7930	SPECIAL TOPICS	S	LAW		2.000	2.000	0.000
	Topic: RESTITUTION						
LAW7930	SPECIAL TOPICS	70	LAW		2.000	2.000	140.000
	Topic: ENGLISH LEGAL HISTOR						
LAW7930	SPECIAL TOPICS	72	LAW		2.000	2.000	144.000
	Topic: INTERNATIONAL SALES						
LAW7930	SPECIAL TOPICS	73	LAW		2.000	2.000	146.000
	Topic: CZECH LEGAL SYSTEM						
LAW7930	SPECIAL TOPICS	81	LAW		2.000	2.000	162.000
	Topic: PUBLIC UTILITY LAW						

			Taken	Passed	GPA	Points
					Hrs	
Term GPA	78.267	Term Totals	15.000	15.000	15.000	1174.000
Transfer Term GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Term GPA	78.267	Comb Totals	15.000	15.000	15.000	1174.000
Cum GPA	78.267	Cum Totals	15.000	15.000	15.000	1174.000
Transfer Cum GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Cum GPA	78.267	Comb Totals	15.000	15.000	15.000	1174.000

			Taken	Passed	GPA	Points
					Hrs	
Term GPA	73.600	Term Totals	12.000	12.000	10.000	736.000
Transfer Term GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Term GPA	73.600	Comb Totals	12.000	12.000	10.000	736.000
Cum GPA	77.872	Cum Totals	41.000	41.000	39.000	3037.000
Transfer Cum GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Cum GPA	77.872	Comb Totals	41.000	41.000	39.000	3037.000

2000 Spring

Program: Law
Plan: Law Major

Course	Description	Grd	GB	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
LAW5001	CONTRACTS II	80	LAW		2.000	2.000	160.000
LAW5100	CRIMNL LAW / PROCEDR	79	LAW		4.000	4.000	316.000
LAW5402	PROPERTY II	80	LAW		3.000	3.000	240.000
LAW5501	CONSTITUTIONAL LAW I	85	LAW		3.000	3.000	255.000
LAW5793	LEGAL WRITNG/RECH II	78	LAW		2.000	2.000	156.000

			Taken	Passed	GPA	Points
					Hrs	
Term GPA	80.500	Term Totals	14.000	14.000	14.000	1127.000
Transfer Term GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Term GPA	80.500	Comb Totals	14.000	14.000	14.000	1127.000
Cum GPA	79.345	Cum Totals	29.000	29.000	29.000	2301.000
Transfer Cum GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Cum GPA	79.345	Comb Totals	29.000	29.000	29.000	2301.000

2000 Fall

Program: Law
Plan: Law Major

Course	Description	Grd	GB	RP	Taken	Passed	Points
LAW5502	CONSTITUTIONL LAW II	69	LAW		3.000	3.000	207.000
LAW6060	BUSINESS ASSOCIATION	S	LAW		4.000	4.000	0.000
LAW6430	GRATUITOUS TRANSFERS	76	LAW		4.000	4.000	304.000
LAW6600	TAXATION I	86	LAW		4.000	4.000	344.000
LAW7950	LAW REVIEW	S	SOU		2.000	2.000	0.000
	Topic: TRANSNAT LAW						

			Taken	Passed	GPA	Points
					Hrs	
Term GPA	77.727	Term Totals	17.000	17.000	11.000	855.000
Transfer Term GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Term GPA	77.727	Comb Totals	17.000	17.000	11.000	855.000
Cum GPA	77.840	Cum Totals	58.000	58.000	50.000	3892.000
Transfer Cum GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Cum GPA	77.840	Comb Totals	58.000	58.000	50.000	3892.000

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2001 Spring

Program: Law
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Course	Description	Grd	GB	RP	Taken	Passed	Points						
LAW6460	LAND USE REGULATION	77	LAW		3.000	3.000	195.000						
LAW7950	LAW REVIEW	S	SOU		2.000	2.000	0.000						
Topic: TRANSNAT LAW JOURNAL													
LAW6310	ALT DISPUTE RESOLUTN	65	LAW		3.000	3.000	195.000						
LAW6330	EVIDENCE	73	LAW		4.000	4.000	292.000						
LAW6550	ANTITRUST LAW	81	LAW		2.000	2.000	162.000						
LAW6670	REAL ESTATE TRANSACT	73	LAW		3.000	3.000	219.000						
LAW7750	PROFSNL RESPONSIBLTY	83	LAW		3.000	3.000	249.000						
								<u>Taken</u>	<u>Passed</u>	<u>GPA</u>	<u>Points</u>		
										<u>Hrs</u>			
Term GPA	74.467	Term Totals	15.000	15.000	15.000	1117.000	Cum GPA	76.494	Cum Totals	91.000	91.000	81.000	6196.000
Transfer Term GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Transfer Cum GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Term GPA	74.467	Comb Totals	15.000	15.000	15.000	1117.000	Combined Cum GPA	76.494	Comb Totals	91.000	91.000	81.000	6196.000
Cum GPA	77.062	Cum Totals	73.000	73.000	65.000	5009.000							
Transfer Cum GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000							
Combined Cum GPA	77.062	Comb Totals	73.000	73.000	65.000	5009.000							

Degrees Awarded

Degree: Juris Doctor
 Program: Law (LL.B., J.D.)
 Confer Date: 04/27/2002
 Plan: Law

2001 Fall

Program: Law
 Plan: Law Major

Course	Description	Grd	GB	RP	Taken	Passed	Points						
LAW7262	INTERNATIONAL TRADE	76	LAW		3.000	3.000	228.000						
LAW7340	CONFLICT OF LAWS	80	LAW		3.000	3.000	240.000						
LAW7930	SPECIAL TOPICS	85	LAW		2.000	2.000	170.000						
Topic: TAX POLICY SEMINAR													
LAW7930	SPECIAL TOPICS	70	LAW		1.000	1.000	70.000						
Topic: ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY													
LAW7930	SPECIAL TOPICS	62	LAW		4.000	4.000	248.000						
Topic: STATE CON LAW													
								<u>Taken</u>	<u>Passed</u>	<u>GPA</u>	<u>Points</u>		
										<u>Hrs</u>			
Cum GPA:	76.494	Cum Totals	91.000	91.000	81.000	6196.000	Trans Cum GPA		Trans Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Trans Cum GPA		Trans Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Comb Cum GPA	76.494	Comb Totals	91.000	91.000	81.000	6196.000
Comb Cum GPA	76.494	Comb Totals	91.000	91.000	81.000	6196.000							

End of Law

End of Academic Transcript

			<u>Taken</u>	<u>Passed</u>	<u>GPA</u>	<u>Points</u>
Term GPA	73.538	Term Totals	13.000	13.000	13.000	956.000
Transfer Term GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Term GPA	73.538	Comb Totals	13.000	13.000	13.000	956.000
Cum GPA	76.474	Cum Totals	86.000	86.000	78.000	5965.000
Transfer Cum GPA		Transfer Totals	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Combined Cum GPA	76.474	Comb Totals	86.000	86.000	78.000	5965.000

2002 Spring

Program: Law
 Plan: Law Major

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

State of Florida, House of Representatives

Tallahassee, Florida

Policy Chief, Gaming Control Subcommittee

2016 – 2020

Policy Chief, Workforce Development and Tourism Subcommittee

2019 – 2020

- Advised leadership and members on matters relating to gaming, tourism, and economic development
- Consulted with members, legislative staff, executive branch officials, lobbyists, and other stakeholders regarding legislative, legal, and policy matters within the purview of the two subcommittees
- Drafted and reviewed legislation, amendments, staff analysis reports, and other supporting materials
- Managed workloads of subcommittee staffs comprised of an attorney, interns, and administrative assistants

Rutledge Ecenia, P.A.

Tallahassee, Florida

Attorney

2010 – 2016

- Advised and represented clients in administrative actions, agency licensing matters, agency rulemaking, business transactions, and legislative affairs, with an emphasis in regulated industries
- Conducted administrative and civil litigation, including mediation and arbitration; primary focus was informal agency proceedings and formal state administrative proceedings at the Florida Division of Administrative Hearings (DOAH), including licensing proceedings, rule challenges, and bid protests

State of Florida, Executive Office of the Governor

Tallahassee, Florida

Attorney/Assistant General Counsel

2009 – 2010

- Advised the Governor and senior staff on various legal and policy issues, including executive powers, liability and risk, legislation, real property and facilities management, public meetings/records, procurement, collective bargaining, economic development, gaming, and state judicial appointments
- Served as counsel to the Governor and Cabinet on administrative proceedings concerning land use and growth management appeals, which included the drafting and presentation of final orders for adoption

State of Florida, Department of Management Services

Tallahassee, Florida

Attorney/Assistant General Counsel

2005 – 2009

- Advised the Secretary and senior management on legal and policy issues and matters related to various agency operations, including real estate/property rights, contract negotiations and disputes, agency policies and procedures, and public records/open meetings
- Assisted with administrative hearings at DOAH and managed outside counsel on civil cases

U.S. House of Representatives

Washington, D.C.

Legislative Assistant, Office of Congressman Porter Goss (FL-14)

2003 – 2004

- Advised Congressman Goss and senior staff on various legal and legislative matters, including infrastructure, natural resources, economic development/tax policy, and appropriations for projects in the district
- Drafted speeches, constituent and official correspondence, talking points, and related materials
- Managed or monitored special projects of particular interest to Congressman Goss

FORMAL EDUCATION

Florida State University, J.D., 2002

Tallahassee, Florida

Florida State University, B.S., Economics and History, 1999

Tallahassee, Florida

ARTICLES AND PUBLICATIONS

“A Sensible Alternative to Revoking the Boy Scouts’ Tax Exemption,” 30 FLA. ST. U. LAW REV. 137 (2002)

MEMBERSHIPS AND HONORS

Member, Florida Bar

AV-Rated by Martindale Hubble (highest attorney peer review rating)



THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

NAME (Last, First, Middle) Gentry, Richard Earl	(Prior)	HOME / CELLULAR TELEPHONE (850) 251-1837
MAILING ADDRESS 3074 Obrien Drive		BUSINESS TELEPHONE (850) 251-1837
CITY, STATE, COUNTY, ZIP Tallahassee, FL 32309		EMAIL ADDRESS rgentry@comcast.net
Are you retired from any Florida State Administered retirement plan? ___ Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If yes, date retired: _____		

WORK PREFERENCE

EMPLOYMENT REQUESTED: (check all that apply)	POSITION APPLIED FOR : <u>Public Counsel</u> If you are not applying for a specific vacancy, please indicate your work preference:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Year-Round <input type="checkbox"/> Session Only <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full Time <input type="checkbox"/> Part Time <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> Accounting <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Support <input type="checkbox"/> Clerical/Secretarial <input type="checkbox"/> Communications <input type="checkbox"/> Economics <input type="checkbox"/> Editing/Proofreading <input type="checkbox"/> Information Technology <input type="checkbox"/> Investigation <input type="checkbox"/> Legal <input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Assistant <input type="checkbox"/> Management <input type="checkbox"/> Printing/Reproduction <input type="checkbox"/> Research & Analysis <input type="checkbox"/> Support Services
DATE AVAILABLE: <u>3/1/2021</u>	COUNTY PREFERENCE: <u>Leon</u>

EMPLOYMENT ELIGIBILITY

The Florida Legislature hires only U.S. citizens and lawfully authorized alien workers. If hired you will be required to provide identification and either proof of citizenship or proof of authorization to work in the U.S.

Are you legally eligible to work in the United States? Yes ___ No

EXEMPTION FROM PUBLIC RECORDS DISCLOSURE

Are you a current or former law enforcement officer, other covered employee**, or the spouse or child of one, whose information is exempt from public records disclosure under section 119.071(4)(d), Florida Statutes (F.S.)? ___ Yes No

**Other covered jobs include but are not limited to: correctional and correctional probation officers, firefighters, certain judges, assistant state attorneys, state attorneys, assistant and statewide prosecutors, personnel of the Department of Revenue or local governments whose responsibilities include revenue collection and enforcement or child support enforcement, and certain investigators in the Department of Children and Families [see§ 119.071.F.S.].

SELECTIVE SERVICE

Section 110.1128, Florida Statutes, requires male applicants between the ages of 18 and 26 to provide proof of registration or exemption issued by the United States Selective Service as required by the Military Selective Service Act. If you are in this age group, please provide your Selective Service number, if applicable.

Registration Number: N/A

EDUCATION

A copy of your college transcript reflecting your highest level of education completed and degree received must be submitted with the completed application

INDICATE highest grade completed:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 GED College 1 2 3 4 5 Graduate School 1 2 4 5

SCHOOL	DID YOU GRADUATE?		NAME AND ADDRESS	MAJOR / MINOR	DEGREE RECEIVED	MONTH/YEAR GRADUATED	IF NO DEGREE # HRS. EARNED	
	YES	NO					QTR	SEM
High School	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Coral Shores High School, Tavernier, FL			5/1969		
Community/ Vocational/ Technical/ College	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>						
College/ University	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	University of Miami, Miami, FL	Political Science History	Bachelor of Arts	5/1973		
Graduate/ Professional	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	University of Miami Law School	Law	Juris Doctor	1/1976		
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>						

LICENSES • CERTIFICATIONS • SPECIAL SKILLS

Please indicate typing, computer/wordprocessing skills, foreign language proficiency, professional or occupational licensure you currently possess. Please provide a copy of certifications and licensures with the application.

Juris Doctor - see attached Certificate of Good Standing from the Florida Bar dated January 2, 2021

Has any disciplinary action ever been taken against your certificate or license? Yes No

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Describe your work experience in detail, beginning with your current or most recent job. Include military service (indicate rank) and job-related volunteer work, if applicable. Use a separate block to describe each position or gap in employment. If needed, attach additional sheets, using the same format as on the application. All information in this section must be completed. Resumes may be attached to provide additional information.

Present or Most Recent Employer

If currently employed, may we contact your employer? Yes No

Employer: Gentry & Associates, LLC Supervisor: Self

Address: 3074 Obrien Drive Supervisor's Title: Owner

City, State, Zip: Tallahassee, FL 32309 Phone number: (850) 251-1837

Employment Dates: 11 / 27 / 2006 to 1 / 6 / 2021
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR

Hours per week: 40+ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$ 240,000.00

Position Title: Owner/Consultant

Primary Duties:

Represent clients before the Florida executive and legislative branches.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

New opportunities

Next Previous Employer

Employer: Florida Home Builders Association Supervisor: Paul Thompson
Address: 2600 Centennial Place Supervisor's Title: Executive Director
City, State, Zip: Tallahassee, FL 32308 Phone number: (850) 224-4316
Employment Dates: 11 / / 1983 to 1 / / 2007
Hours per week: 40+ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$ 180,000.00
Position Title: General Counsel, Chief Legislative Counsel

Primary Duties:

Served as General Counsel and Chief Legislative Counsel to the nation's largest Home Builders Association. Directed all legal and legislative advocacy operations for the organization and managed a large team of internal and external lawyers, government relations consultants and support staff.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

Create consulting firm of my own.

Next Previous Employer

Employer: Department of Business Regulation Supervisor: James Kearney
Address: 2601 North Blairstone Road Supervisor's Title: _____
City, State, Zip: Tallahassee, FL 32399 Phone number: (850) 487-1395
Employment Dates: _____ / _____ / 1980 to _____ / _____ / 1983
Hours per week: 40++ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$ 48,000.00
Position Title: Land sales and condominium lawyer, Chief of Bureau of Condominium Arbitration

Primary Duties:

Served in various roles, including legal counsel on key land sales issues, as well as a hearing officer for the Bureau of Condominium Arbitration. Represented the agency before the Florida Legislature.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

Accepted offer from the Florida Home Builders Association.

Next Previous Employer

Employer: Patterson, Turk, Hudson & Barclay, P.A. Supervisor: Larry Turk
Address: Cape Coral, Florida Supervisor's Title: Managing Partner
City, State, Zip: _____ Phone number: _____
Employment Dates: _____ / _____ / 1979 to _____ / _____ / 1980
Hours per week: 40+ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$ 30,000.00
Position Title: Associate

Primary Duties:

Handled all trial work for a real estate firm. This firm is no longer in existence.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

Desire to relocate to Tallahassee. Accepted offer from state agency.

Next Previous Employer

Employer: Carl Bertoch, P.A. Supervisor: Carl Bertoch
 Address: 6339 Glynborne Loop Supervisor's Title: Owner
 City, State, Zip: Crystal River, Florida 34429 Phone number: _____
 Employment Dates: / / 1978 to / / 1979
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR
 Hours per week: 40+ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$ 25,000.00
 Position Title: Associate

Primary Duties:

Engaged in the registration of land sales developers with state and federal regulatory agencies; ensuring regulatory compliance with local, state and federal agencies.
 This firm is no longer in existence.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

New opportunities.

Next Previous Employer

Employer: Florida Department of Business Regulation Supervisor: Harry Parnell
 Address: 2601 North Blairstone Road Supervisor's Title: General Counsel
 City, State, Zip: Tallahassee, FL 850-487-1395 Phone number: (850) 487-1395
 Employment Dates: / / 1977 to / / 1988
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR
 Hours per week: 40+ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$ 26,000.00
 Position Title: Assistant General Counsel

Primary Duties:

Worked in the office of General Counsel, primarily land sales compliance, administrative and appellat matters.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

New opportunities

Next Previous Employer

Employer: Office of the Controller Supervisor: Ed Kunell
 Address: Old Capitol Supervisor's Title: General Counsel
 City, State, Zip: Tallahassee, FL 32301 Phone number: _____
 Employment Dates: / / 1976 to / / 1977
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR
 Hours per week: 40+ Check box if Volunteer work: Ending Salary: \$ 23,000.00
 Position Title: Assistant General Counsel

Primary Duties:

Worked in the Office of General Counsel, primarily on banking and securities regulatory, administrative and appellate matters.

Reason for leaving or seeking other employment:

New opportunities

RELATIVES

Please list the names and relationships of relatives* who are a member of the Legislature, a legislative employee, a lobbyist, a member of the Florida Cabinet or the Governor, a key Cabinet aide, the head of an executive branch department or an appointed secretary or executive director.

Name: N/A Relationship: _____ Office: _____

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Office: _____

*"Relative" is defined as: Father, mother, son, daughter, brother, sister, uncle, aunt, first cousin, nephew, niece, husband, wife, father-in-law, mother-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, stepfather, stepmother, stepson, stepdaughter, stepbrother, stepsister, half-brother, or half-sister.

LEGAL HISTORY

A criminal history record check will be conducted prior to hiring.

Have you pleaded nolo contendere to, or been convicted of, a first degree misdemeanor or a felony in any court, domestic or foreign? ___ Yes No

A conviction includes a plea of guilty, guilty verdict, or finding of guilt, regardless of whether the sentence is imposed by the Court or adjudication is withheld. If "Yes", please explain:

A "yes" answer to these questions will not necessarily bar you from employment. Each case will be judged on its own merit, with respect to time, circumstances, and seriousness as it may relate to employment.

REFERENCES

Please list three references excluding relatives and former employers.

NAME	MAILING ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NUMBER
<u>Alan Hays</u>		_____
<u>Ron Coppenbarger</u>		_____
<u>Gene Valentino</u>		_____

AUTHORIZATION AND CERTIFICATION

I hereby authorize the Florida Legislature to verify all information contained in this application and supplement hereto. I consent to the release of any information regarding my eligibility for legislative employment by employers, educational institutions, law enforcement agencies, personal references or other organizations.

I certify that the above statements are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I further understand that any misrepresentations or false statements made by me on this application, or any supplement hereto, may be grounds for immediate discharge and/or rejection from consideration for further employment. If employed, I understand that my employment and compensation can be terminated with or without cause and with or without notice at any time at the option of either the Legislature or myself.

Signature:  Date: January 6, 2021

If employed by the Florida Legislature, you will be subject to the provisions of Section 11.26, Florida Statutes which prohibit legislative employees from lobbying or providing legal advice outside the Legislature.

All employment applications will remain active for six months, and pursuant to legislative policy, are available for review by the public.



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I CERTIFY THE FOLLOWING:

I am the custodian of membership records of The Florida Bar.

Membership records of The Florida Bar indicate that The Florida Bar member listed above was admitted to practice law in the state of Florida on **June 1, 1976**.

The Florida Bar member above is an active member in good standing of The Florida Bar who is eligible to practice law in the state of Florida.

Dated this 2nd day of **January, 2021**.

Cynthia B. Jackson, CFO
Administration Division
The Florida Bar

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