

HOUSE JOURNAL

EIGHTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE, SECOND CALLED SESSION

PROCEEDINGS

SEVENTH DAY (CONTINUED) — TUESDAY, JULY 30, 2013

The house met at 2 p.m. and was called to order by the speaker.

The roll of the house was called and a quorum was announced present (Record 50).

Present — Mr. Speaker; Alonzo; Alvarado; Anderson; Ashby; Aycock; Bell; Bohac; Bonnen, G.; Branch; Burkett; Burnam; Button; Callegari; Canales; Capriglione; Clardy; Coleman; Collier; Cook; Cortez; Craddick; Creighton; Crownover; Dale; Darby; Davis, J.; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Dukes; Dutton; Eiland; Elkins; Fallon; Farney; Farrar; Fletcher; Flynn; Frank; Frullo; Geren; Goldman; Gonzales; González, M.; Gonzalez, N.; Gooden; Guerra; Guillen; Gutierrez; Harless; Harper-Brown; Hernandez Luna; Herrero; Hilderbran; Howard; Huberty; Hughes; Hunter; Isaac; Johnson; Kacal; Keffer; King, K.; King, P.; King, S.; King, T.; Kleinschmidt; Klick; Krause; Kuempel; Larson; Lavender; Leach; Lewis; Longoria; Lozano; Lucio; Márquez; Martinez; Menéndez; Miles; Miller, D.; Miller, R.; Moody; Morrison; Muñoz; Murphy; Naishtat; Nevárez; Oliveira; Orr; Otto; Parker; Patrick; Perez; Perry; Phillips; Pickett; Pitts; Price; Raney; Ratliff; Raymond; Ritter; Rodriguez, E.; Rodriguez, J.; Rose; Sanford; Schaefer; Sheffield, J.; Sheffield, R.; Simmons; Simpson; Smith; Springer; Stephenson; Stickland; Taylor; Thompson, E.; Thompson, S.; Toth; Turner, C.; Turner, E.S.; Villalba; Villarreal; Vo; White; Workman; Wu; Zedler; Zerwas.

Absent, Excused — Allen; Anchia; Bonnen, D.; Carter; Deshotel; Farias; Giddings; Kolkhorst; Laubenberg; Martinez Fischer; McClendon; Reynolds; Sheets; Smithee; Turner, S.; Walle.

Absent — Paddie; Riddle.

The speaker recognized Representative Hughes who offered the invocation.

The speaker recognized Representative Hughes who led the house in the pledges of allegiance to the United States and Texas flags.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the senate was received at this time (see the addendum to the daily journal, Messages from the Senate, Message No. 1).

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following members were granted leaves of absence for today because of important business:

Allen on motion of C. Turner.

Anchia on motion of C. Turner.

D. Bonnen on motion of Geren.

Carter on motion of J. Davis.

Giddings on motion of C. Turner.

Kolkhorst on motion of Geren.

Martinez Fischer on motion of C. Turner.

McClendon on motion of C. Turner.

S. Turner on motion of C. Turner.

Walle on motion of C. Turner.

The following members were granted leaves of absence for today because of important business in the district:

Laubenberg on motion of Geren.

Reynolds on motion of C. Turner.

Smithee on motion of Taylor.

Sheets on motion of Taylor.

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of personal business:

Farias on motion of Moody.

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of important state business:

Deshotel on motion of Taylor.

The following member was granted leave of absence for the remainder of today because of personal business:

Canales on motion of Moody.

(Riddle now present)

The following member was granted leave of absence for the remainder of today because of important business:

Schaefer on motion of Toth.

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of important business in the district:

Paddie on motion of Larson.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

Representative Kuempel moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time the following congratulatory resolutions:

HR 150 (by Branch), Commemorating the sesquicentennial of the death of Sam Houston.

HR 191 (by Guillen), Extending an invitation to the Secretary of the U. S. Department of Interior Sally Jewell to visit Willacy County.

HR 192 (by Herrero), Commemorating the seventh annual Nueces County Youth Football League BBQ Cook-Off, taking place October 25 and 26, 2013.

HR 193 (by Guillen), Commemorating the 200th anniversary of the Battle of Medina.

HR 195 (by Guillen), Congratulating the 58th Texas Game Warden Cadet Class on completing its training.

HR 196 (by Guillen), Congratulating Colton Thomas on his completion of the Texas Game Warden Academy.

The resolutions were adopted.

On motion of Representative Huberty, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 150** as signers thereof.

HR 194 - ADOPTED
(by Johnson)

Representative Kuempel moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 194**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 194, In memory of Willie Sylvester Thompson of Dallas.

HR 194 was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

(Kuempel in the chair)

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following members were granted leaves of absence for the remainder of today because of important business in the district:

Frank on motion of Clardy.

Sanford on motion of Hughes.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

Notice was given at this time that the speaker had signed bills and resolutions in the presence of the house (see the addendum to the daily journal, Signed by the Speaker, House List No. 5).

(Speaker in the chair)

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for the remainder of today because of important business in the district:

Perry on motion of Geren.

ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE

Representatives Huberty, Gonzales, and Phillips moved that the house stand adjourned sine die.

The motion prevailed.

Speaker Straus, at 2:48 p.m., pronounced the House of Representatives of the Second Called Session of the Eighty-Third Legislature adjourned sine die.

ADDENDUM

SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The following bills and resolutions were today signed in the presence of the house by the speaker:

House List No. 5**HCR 8, HCR 13****MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

The following messages from the senate were today received by the house:

Message No. 1**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE****SENATE CHAMBER**

Austin, Texas

Tuesday, July 30, 2013 - 1

The Honorable Speaker of the House

House Chamber

Austin, Texas

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by the senate to inform the house that the senate has taken the following action:

THE SENATE HAS PASSED THE FOLLOWING MEASURES:**HCR 8**

Davis, John

SPONSOR: Watson

Congratulating James Oran McCorquodale of Austin on his 90th birthday.

HCR 13

Moody

SPONSOR: Rodríguez

In memory of World War II veteran Jacinto Romo of El Paso.

Respectfully,

Patsy Spaw

Secretary of the Senate

APPENDIX

ENROLLED

July 30 - HCR 8, HCR 13

SENT TO THE GOVERNOR

July 29 - HCR 3, HCR 5, HCR 6, HCR 9, HCR 10, HCR 12, HCR 19

July 31 - HCR 8, HCR 13

SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR

**August 19 - HCR 3, HCR 4, HCR 5, HCR 6, HCR 7, HCR 8, HCR 9,
HCR 10, HCR 11, HCR 12, HCR 13, HCR 14, HCR 16, HCR 18, HCR 19**

