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PROCEEDINGS

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY - MONDAY, MARCH 4, 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 55).

Present — Mr. Speaker; Allen; Alonzo; Anchia; Anderson; Ashby; Aycock; Bell; Bohac; Bonnen, D.; Bonnen, G.; Branch; Burkett; Burnam; Button; Callegari: Canales; Capriglione; Carter; Clardy; Collier; Cook; Cortez; Craddick; Creighton; Crownover; Dale; Darby; Davis, J.; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Deshotel; Dukes: Dutton; Eiland; Elkins; Fallon; Farias; Farney; Farrar; Fletcher; Flynn; Frank; Frullo; Geren; Giddings; 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; Kolkhorst; Krause; Kuempel; Larson; Laubenberg; Lavender; Leach; Lewis; Longoria; Lozano; Lucio; Márquez; Martinez; Martinez Fischer; McClendon; Menéndez; Miles; Miller, D.; Miller, R.; Moody; Morrison; Muñoz; Naishtat; Nevárez; Oliveira; Orr; Otto; Paddie; Parker; Patrick; Perez; Perry; Phillips; Pickett; Pitts; Price; Raney; Ratliff; Raymond; Reynolds; Riddle; Ritter; Rodriguez, E.; Rodriguez, J.; Rose; Sanford; Schaefer; Sheets; Sheffield, J.; Sheffield, R.; Simmons; Simpson; Smith; Smithee; Springer; Stephenson; Stickland; Strama; Taylor; Thompson, E.; Thompson, S.; Toth; Turner, C.; Turner, E.S.; Turner, S.; Villalba; Villarreal; Vo; Walle; White; Workman; Wu; Zedler; Zerwas.

Absent, Excused — Alvarado; Coleman; Murphy.

The speaker recognized Representatives Laubenberg and Sanford who introduced Reverend Trey E. Graham, senior pastor, First Baptist Church, Melissa, who offered the invocation as follows:

Dear great God and king, we bow our hearts before you today in praise and worship. We humbly acknowledge that you are our Creator and our Redeemer. You are holy, and we are not. You are wise, and we are not. You are perfect, and we are not. You are God, and we are not, so we must depend on you.

I ask that your word would be the source for courage and insight. I pray that the members of this house would seek your face daily as they make important decisions which have consequences for millions of Texans. I pray that mercy and grace may abound in this chamber. I pray that our representatives will do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with their God. I pray that their deliberations and legislations would protect innocents, serve citizens, correct injustices, and value life.

Thank you for each member of this house and of the senate, citizens of Texas who have answered the call to serve our state and do the will of the people. Thank you for their commitments to us as Texans. Please bless them today, and please bless their families today. Please remind them that you love them and that we support them.

I ask you to provide wisdom when answers are missing, courage when the right choice must be made, and hope when darkness seems victorious. I pray for these members a constant willingness to follow the greatest commandment of Jesus: to love God and love one another. I ask you to bless our great state, to protect our nation, to provide for our needs, and lead us to be your people. I pray all of this in the name of my Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

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

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

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

Alvarado on motion of Raymond.

Coleman on motion of Raymond.

Murphy on motion of D. Miller.

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

The speaker recognized Representative Gooden who presented Dr. Charlie Risinger of Terrell as the "Doctor for the Day."

The house welcomed Dr. Risinger and thanked him for his participation in the Physician of the Day Program sponsored by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians.

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS SUSPENDED

On motion of Representative Workman and by unanimous consent, the reading and referral of bills was postponed until just prior to adjournment.

(Raney in the chair)

HR 693 - ADOPTED (by Bell)

Representative Bell moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 693**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 693, Recognizing March 4, 2013, as Hempstead Day at the State Capitol.

HR 693 was adopted.

HR 342 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED (by Simmons)

The chair laid out the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 342, Congratulating Yash Patel of Carrollton on attaining a perfect score on the SAT.

On motion of Representative Simmons, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 342** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Simmons who introduced Yash Patel and members of his family.

HR 695 - ADOPTED (by T. King)

Representative T. King moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 695**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 695, Recognizing March 6, 2013, as Uvalde County Day at the State Capitol.

HR 695 was adopted.

On motion of Representative T. King, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 695** as signers thereof.

HR 696 - ADOPTED (by T. King)

Representative T. King moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 696**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 696, Recognizing March 6, 2013, as Dimmit County Day at the State Capitol.

HR 696 was adopted.

On motion of Representative T. King, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 696** as signers thereof.

HR 657 - ADOPTED (by Villalba)

Representative Villalba moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 657**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 657, Recognizing March 4, 2013, as Texas Young Republican Legislative Day at the State Capitol.

HR 657 was adopted.

HR 654 - ADOPTED (by Deshotel)

Representative Deshotel moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 654**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 654, Recognizing March 3-5, 2013, as Golden Triangle Days at the State Capitol.

HR 654 was read and was adopted.

On motion of Representative Ritter, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 654** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Deshotel who introduced a delegation from the Golden Triangle area.

HR 699 - ADOPTED (by Deshotel)

Representative Deshotel moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 699**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 699, In memory of U.S. Congressman Jack Brooks of Beaumont.

HR 699 was read and was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

On motion of Representative Raymond, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 699** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Deshotel who introduced family members of the Honorable Jack Brooks.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

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

Smithee on motion of Hilderbran.

FIVE-DAY POSTING RULE SUSPENDED

Representative Keffer moved to suspend the five-day posting rule to allow the Committee on Energy Resources to consider pipeline safety at 2 p.m. or upon adjournment Wednesday, March 6 in JHR 120.

The motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following committee meeting was announced:

Energy Resources, 2 p.m. or upon adjournment Wednesday, March 6, JHR 120, for a public hearing, to consider pipeline safety.

HR 98 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED (by Gooden)

The chair laid out and had read the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 98, In memory of Sergeant Carl "Skip" Thomas III of Kemp.

On motion of Representative Gooden, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 98** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Gooden who introduced family members and friends of Sergeant Carl "Skip" Thomas III.

HR 689 - ADOPTED (by Farney)

Representative Farney moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 689**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 689, Recognizing March 4-5, 2013, as Arts Education Days at the State Capitol.

HR 689 was adopted.

On motion of Representative Paddie, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 689** as signers thereof.

HR 380 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED (by Raymond and Naishtat)

The chair laid out the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 380, Commemorating the first mariachi summer music camp sponsored by the Butler School of Music at The University of Texas at Austin.

On motion of Representative Raymond, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 380** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Raymond who introduced representatives of the Butler School of Music at The University of Texas at Austin.

HR 642 - ADOPTED (by Guillen)

Representative Guillen moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 642**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 642, Congratulating the 2013 Texas Medal of Arts honorees.

HR 642 was adopted.

On motion of Representative Guillen, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 642** as signers thereof.

HR 95 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED (by Gooden)

The chair laid out the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 95, Honoring Constable Lowrie Sanders for his 45 years in law enforcement.

On motion of Representative Gooden, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 95** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Gooden who introduced Constable Lowrie Sanders and members of his family.

COMMITTEES GRANTED PERMISSION TO MEET

Pursuant to Rule 4, Section 9 of the House Rules, Representative Perez requested permission for all committees and subcommittees to meet while the house is in session, during bill referral today, pursuant to their committee postings.

Permission to meet was granted.

HR 115 - PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED (by Gooden)

The chair laid out the following previously adopted resolution:

HR 115, Recognizing March 4, 2013, as Kaufman County Day at the State Capitol.

On motion of Representative Gooden, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 115** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Gooden who introduced a delegation from Kaufman County.

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEES

Bills and joint resolutions were at this time laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees. (See the addendum to the daily journal, Referred to Committees, List No. 2.)

FIVE-DAY POSTING RULE SUSPENDED

Representative Cook moved to suspend the five-day posting rule to allow the Committee on State Affairs to consider **HB 1600** and the previously posted agenda at 1:30 p.m. or upon adjournment Wednesday, March 6 in JHR 140.

The motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The following committee meeting was announced:

State Affairs, 1:30 p.m. or upon adjournment Wednesday, March 6, JHR 140, for a public hearing, to consider **HB 1600** and the previously posted agenda.

PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT

At 3:14 p.m., the chair announced that, at the conclusion of the reading of bills and resolutions on first reading and referral to committees, the house would adjourn until 10 a.m. tomorrow.

The motion prevailed.

(Márquez in the chair)

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING AND REFERRAL TO COMMITTEES RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEES CORRECTIONS IN REFERRAL

Bills and joint resolutions were at this time laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees. Resolutions were at this time laid before the house and referred to committees. Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 4 of the House Rules, the chair at this time corrected the referral of measures to committees. (See the addendum to the daily journal, Referred to Committees, List No. 1.)

(Pickett in the chair)

ADJOURNMENT

In accordance with a previous motion, the house, at 3:59 p.m., adjourned until 10 a.m. tomorrow.

ADDENDUM

REFERRED TO COMMITTEES

The following bills and joint resolutions were today laid before the house, read first time, and referred to committees, and the following resolutions were today laid before the house and referred to committees. If indicated, the chair today corrected the referral of the following measures:

List No. 1

HB 20 (By Kolkhorst), Relating to the repurchase of real property from an entity with eminent domain authority.

To Land and Resource Management.

HB 1318 (By S. Turner), Relating to the duration of a youth's detention following a detention hearing and the appointment of counsel for that hearing for certain youths.

To Corrections.

HB 1429 (By Paddie), Relating to the exemption from certain construction requirements for volunteer fire departments in certain counties.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 1431 (By White), Relating to the exclusion of certain funds in determining total revenue for purposes of the franchise tax by taxable entities engaged in the business of harvesting trees for wood.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1432 (By White), Relating to the computation of cost of goods sold for purposes of the franchise tax by taxable entities primarily engaged in the business of harvesting trees for wood.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1454 (By N. Gonzalez), Relating to a program to educate students about Type 2 diabetes in certain school districts.

To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 1467 (By Sheets), Relating to the eligibility for service retirement annuities of certain elected officials convicted of certain crimes.

To Pensions.

HB 1500 (By Muñoz), Relating to a workforce high school diploma program.

To Public Education.

HB 1529 (By Fallon), Relating to the availability of certain school district financial information on certain districts' Internet websites.

To Public Education.

HB 1575 (By Zedler), Relating to the effect on a credit report of certain transactions by a person's spouse pending a divorce decree.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1577 (By Taylor), Relating to the eligibility for service retirement annuities from a public retirement system of public officers or employees convicted of certain offenses.

To Pensions.

HB 1593 (By Huberty), Relating to the powers and duties of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 505; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose fees and taxes.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 1594 (By Huberty), Relating to the powers and duties of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 504; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose fees and taxes.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 1596 (By N. Gonzalez), Relating to the exclusion of certain flow-through funds by taxable entities engaged in the business of transporting barite in determining total revenue for purposes of the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1597 (By N. Gonzalez), Relating to installment agreements for the payment of delinquent ad valorem taxes.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1598 (By N. Gonzalez), Relating to the jurisdiction of county and justice courts.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1599 (By Fletcher), Relating to the punishment for defendants who commit certain aggravated sexual assaults.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1601 (By Villarreal), Relating to the regulation of residential mortgage loan originators, residential mortgage loan companies, mortgage bankers, and residential mortgage loan servicers under the jurisdiction of the Department of Savings and Mortgage Lending; providing for the imposition of fees.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1602 (By Villarreal), Relating to the administration, operation, supervision, and regulation of credit unions.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1603 (By Geren), Relating to the use of certain tax revenue to enhance and upgrade convention center facilities, multipurpose arenas, multiuse facilities, and related infrastructure in certain municipalities.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1604 (By S. Davis), Relating to the creation of a standard request form for preauthorization of medical care or health care services.

To Insurance.

HB 1605 (By S. Davis), Relating to the establishment of a pilot program in Harris County to provide maternity care management to certain women enrolled in the Medicaid managed care program.

To Public Health.

HB 1606 (By Moody), Relating to the prosecution of the offenses of harassment and stalking.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1607 (By Farney), Relating to the authority of the commissioners court of a county to alter speed limits on county roads.

To Transportation.

HB 1608 (By Hughes), Relating to warrants issued to obtain location information from wireless communications devices and to public access to law enforcement or prosecutor requests for certain related location or communication information.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1609 (By Hughes), Relating to the limit on the rate of growth in appropriations and to the authority of the comptroller to reduce the state sales tax rate for designated periods.

To Appropriations.

HB 1610 (By Schaefer), Relating to the establishment of a pharmacy school at The University of Texas at Tyler.

To Higher Education.

HB 1612 (By Workman), Relating to the priority of ad valorem tax liens on personal property subject to a purchase money security interest.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1613 (By Phillips), Relating to access to criminal history record information by the banking commissioner.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1617 (By Collier), Relating to the availability of free prekindergarten programs in public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 1618 (By Muñoz), Relating to limitations imposed on baccalaureate degree programs offered by public junior colleges.

To Higher Education.

HB 1619 (By Laubenberg), Relating to the powers and duties of the Collin County Water Control and Improvement District No. 3; providing authority to impose a tax and issue bonds.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 1620 (By G. Bonnen), Relating to the eligibility for judge-ordered community supervision or for release on parole of certain defendants convicted of burglary with the intent to commit a sex offense.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1621 (By Aycock), Relating to the regulation and practice of veterinary medicine; authorizing a fee.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 1622 (By Stickland), Relating to the alcoholic beverage licenses and permits that may be issued in an area that has approved the sale of mixed beverages.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1623 (By N. Gonzalez), Relating to a sales and use tax exemption for certain property and services used in research and development activities by a qualifying biotechnology start-up.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1624 (By Cortez), Relating to the name of a series limited liability company.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1625 (By McClendon), Relating to discovery in a criminal case.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1626 (By D. Miller), Relating to specifications for legal papers filed with a county clerk.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1627 (By Harper-Brown), Relating to the allocation of revenue derived from state gasoline and special fuels taxes.

To Appropriations.

HB 1628 (By Harper-Brown), Relating to the punishment for the offense of indecent exposure.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1629 (By Murphy), Relating to information prepared by the Texas Education Agency for public school students regarding institutions of higher education in this state.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1630 (By Murphy), Relating to the temporary exemption of certain tangible personal property related to data centers from the sales and use tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1631 (By Fletcher), Relating to the circumstances under which a final judgment of bond forfeiture may be reformed under a special bill of review.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1633 (By Dukes), Relating to creating an advisory committee to study child abuse and neglect fatalities.

To Human Services.

HB 1634 (By Dukes), Relating to assistance and education regarding personal finance for certain children in foster care.

To Human Services.

HB 1636 (By Johnson), Relating to eligibility to serve as an interpreter in an election.

To Elections.

HB 1637 (By Johnson), Relating to the reporting of political contributions from corporations or labor organizations by certain political parties.

To Elections.

HB 1638 (By Johnson), Relating to electronic submission of certain political convention records.

To Elections.

HB 1639 (By Johnson), Relating to preregistration for participants in a political party's precinct conventions.

To Elections.

HB 1640 (By Johnson), Relating to the time of holding precinct conventions in certain counties.

To Elections.

HB 1641 (By Johnson), Relating to electronic filing software provided or approved by the Texas Ethics Commission.

To Technology.

HB 1643 (By Dutton), Relating to equal opportunity for access by private and parochial school students to certain University Interscholastic League sponsored activities.

To Public Education.

HB 1644 (By Dutton), Relating to filing requirements applicable to administrative writs of withholding for child support.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1648 (By Raymond), Relating to the confidentiality of certain information held by the Department of Protective and Family Services.

To Human Services.

HB 1649 (By Raymond), Relating to the regulation of crafted precious metals dealers.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1650 (By Raymond), Relating to county and municipal land development regulation.

To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 1651 (By Smithee), Relating to a claim filing period and contractual limitations period in certain property insurance policies.

To Insurance.

HB 1652 (By Miles), Relating to liability of an owner, lessee, or occupant of land that allows land to be used as a community garden.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1653 (By Darby), Relating to the operations of the Texas Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Compact waste disposal facility.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 1654 (By Lavender), Relating to designation of certain vehicles of the Texas Division of Emergency Management as authorized emergency vehicles. To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1655 (By J. Rodriguez), Relating to the expiration of the municipal sales and use tax for street maintenance in certain municipalities.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1658 (By P. King), Relating to requiring the arrest and collection of a breath or blood specimen of persons operating a motor vehicle or watercraft while intoxicated under certain circumstances.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1659 (By S. Thompson), Relating to certain actions taken by certain licensing authorities regarding a license holder or applicant who received deferred adjudication for certain offenses.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1660 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the collection and reporting of municipal and other local governmental entity sales and use taxes.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1661 (By S. Thompson), Relating to child custody evaluations and adoption evaluations conducted and testimony provided in certain suits affecting the parent-child relationship; providing penalties; authorizing fees.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1662 (By Price), Relating to the use of local hotel occupancy tax revenue to conduct an audit.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1663 (By Guillen), Relating to timing and frequency with which a public utility may file for a rate change application.

To Natural Resources.

HB 1664 (By Villarreal), Relating to the regulation of banks, trust companies, and bank holding companies.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1665 (By Price), Relating to the continuation and functions of the State Preservation Board.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HB 1666 (By Carter), Relating to a task force on school district administrative efficiency.

To Public Education.

HB 1667 (By Carter), Relating to the conditions of release on bond for certain defendants charged with the offense of burglary.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1668 (By Carter), Relating to a franchise tax credit for certain taxable entities that recruit new taxable entities to this state or that relocate to this state. To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1669 (By Carter), Relating to the admissibility of evidence of other crimes, wrongs, or acts in the prosecution of certain sexual offenses.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1670 (By Carter), Relating to the addition of a synthetic hallucinogenic substance to Penalty Group 2 of the Texas Controlled Substances Act.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1671 (By Carter), Relating to the designation of certain synthetic cannabinoids as controlled substances and controlled substance analogues under the Texas Controlled Substances Act.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1672 (By Perry), Relating to the determination of cost of goods sold for purposes of computing the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1673 (By Perry), Relating to the creation and dissolution of a covenant marriage.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1674 (By Price), Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Commission on the Arts.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HB 1675 (By D. Bonnen), Relating to governmental entities subject to the sunset review process.

To Government Efficiency and Reform.

HB 1676 (By Price), Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Board of Professional Engineers; changing a fee.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1677 (By Frullo), Relating to reports of missing children or attempted child abductions and to education and training for peace officers regarding missing or exploited children.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1678 (By Frullo), Relating to the issuance of specialty license plates for surviving spouses of disabled veterans of the United States armed forces.

To Transportation.

HB 1679 (By Raymond), Relating to the flexible response system for investigations of child abuse or neglect reports by the Department of Family and Protective Services.

To Human Services.

HB 1680 (By Raymond), Relating to the regulation of certain child-care facilities and administrators of those facilities.

To Human Services.

HB 1681 (By Raymond), Relating to foster care placement decisions made by the Department of Family and Protective Services.

To Human Services.

HB 1682 (By Raymond), Relating to background and criminal history checks for parents or other relatives of children in residential child-care facilities.

To Human Services.

HB 1683 (By Raymond), Relating to verification of the unavailability of community day care before the Department of Family and Protective Services provides day-care assistance or services.

To Human Services.

HB 1684 (By Raymond), Relating to the dismissal or nonsuit of a suit to terminate the parent-child relationship filed by a governmental entity.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1685 (By Price), Relating to the continuation of the self-directed and semi-independent status of the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy, the Texas Board of Professional Engineers, and the Texas Board of Architectural Examiners.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1686 (By Farney), Relating to foster care placement decisions made by the Department of Family and Protective Services.

To Human Services.

HB 1687 (By Oliveira), Relating to the composition and powers of a governing body in certain municipalities.

To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HB 1688 (By Frullo), Relating to the board of the Lubbock Reese Development Authority.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 1689 (By Villarreal), Relating to pay-for-performance contracts for certain Health and Human Services Enterprise programs and services.

To Government Efficiency and Reform.

HB 1691 (By Capriglione), Relating to the disclosure by a local government officer of certain gifts accepted as a guest.

To Elections.

HB 1692 (By Gutierrez), Relating to the regulation of motor vehicle dealers, manufacturers, and distributors.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1693 (By Farrar), Relating to property tax deferrals and abatements for small businesses located on a light rail line affected by construction.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1694 (By Farrar), Relating to a prohibition on the disposal of certain used equipment at a municipal solid waste facility; creating an offense.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 1695 (By Farrar), Relating to an exception from the veterinarian-client-patient relationship requirement for certain persons who administer rabies vaccinations.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 1698 (By Farrar), Relating to the responsibilities of public school social workers.

To Public Education.

HB 1699 (By Farrar), Relating to a requirement that any information regarding state-administered assessment instruments provided by a school district or public school to a student's parent be printed in both English and Spanish.

To Public Education.

 $HB\ 1701$ (By Farrar), Relating to the repeal of the offense of homosexual conduct.

To State Affairs.

HB 1702 (By Farrar), Relating to staff and support personnel appointed by certain judges.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1704 (By Farrar), Relating to providing information and other services relating to emergency contraception to sexual assault survivors.

To Public Health.

HB 1706 (By Farrar), Relating to the promotion of breast-feeding and the prohibition against interference with or restriction of the right to breast-feed; providing a private cause of action for denial of this right.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1707 (By Farrar), Relating to capping interest rates in executory contracts.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1710 (By Raymond), Relating to a cost-of-living increase in compensation for district judges and longevity pay for certain judges and justices. To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1711 (By Fletcher), Relating to civil liability for prohibited barratry. To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1712 (By Lozano), Relating to exemptions from property taxation and sales and use taxation for certain offshore spill response and well containment property used to control pollution.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1713 (By Lozano), Relating to reimbursing property owners for certain damages caused by criminal activities; authorizing a fee.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1714 (By Smith), Relating to the discontinuance of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality's compliance history program.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 1717 (By Price), Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Board of Architectural Examiners; changing certain fees.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1718 (By Guillen), Relating to the eligibility of certain terminally ill individuals to purchase a resident hunting license.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HB 1720 (By Workman), Relating to the duties and number of certified counselors in public schools.

To Public Education.

HB 1721 (By Villarreal), Relating to use of the Nationwide Mortgage Licensing System and Registry in connection with the regulatory authority of the consumer credit commissioner.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1722 (By N. Gonzalez), Relating to the amount of indirect or administrative overhead costs that a taxable entity may subtract as a cost of goods sold under the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1723 (By Bohac), Relating to the redemption of certain stored value cards, including gift cards, for cash.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1724 (By Bohac), Relating to the statute of limitations on municipal and county hotel occupancy taxes and interest on delinquent payments of municipal hotel occupancy taxes.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1725 (By Bohac), Relating to the procedures to modify employment termination reports for law enforcement officers.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1726 (By Bohac), Relating to shipping coordination services for state agencies.

To Government Efficiency and Reform.

HB 1727 (By Bohac), Relating to the exclusion from total revenue of certain payments received by health care providers for purposes of computing the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1728 (By Ashby), Relating to the use of an unsworn declaration, the disposition of certain court exhibits, and the seal of a constitutional county court or county clerk.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1729 (By Ashby), Relating to the award of attorney's fees in a judicial appeal of certain ad valorem tax determinations.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1730 (By White), Relating to requiring state contractors to participate in the federal electronic verification of work authorization program, or E-verify. To State Affairs.

HB 1731 (By McClendon), Relating to a mile-based rating plan for personal automobile insurance.

To Insurance.

HB 1732 (By C. Turner), Relating to requiring a dimensional drawing of leased premises in a residential lease.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1733 (By Hilderbran), Relating to the exclusion of certain flow-through funds by taxable entities engaged in the business of transporting aggregates in determining total revenue for purposes of the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1734 (By Gutierrez), Relating to the authority of a General Law City in calling for a Special Council meeting

To Urban Affairs.

HB 1735 (By Hilderbran), Relating to the franchise tax of certain nonqualified affiliates.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1736 (By Anchia), Relating to an exemption from property taxation for certain facilities that convert landfill generated methane into renewable natural gas.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1737 (By Naishtat), Relating to the terms of the public members of the Texas Holocaust and Genocide Commission.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HB 1740 (By Naishtat), Relating to the electronic monitoring of residents at state supported living centers; providing criminal penalties.

To Human Services.

HB 1741 (By Naishtat), Relating to requiring child safety alarms in certain vehicles used by child-care facilities to transport children.

To Human Services.

HB 1742 (By Johnson), Relating to the release by a lender of insurance proceeds for damage to residential real property.

To Insurance.

HB 1743 (By Johnson), Relating to the prosecution of certain offenses involving controlled substances and other prohibited drugs, substances, or paraphernalia.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1744 (By Elkins), Relating to authorizing local governments to participate in statewide technology centers.

To Technology.

HB 1745 (By Naishtat), Relating to suicide reporting by hospitals and emergency medical care facilities.

To Public Health.

HB 1748 (By Branch), Relating to the punishment for defendants who commit certain aggravated sexual assaults.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1750 (By Ashby), Relating to the development and distribution of information regarding certain breast surgeries for patients.

To Public Health.

HB 1751 (By Patrick), Relating to the public school educator excellence innovation program.

To Public Education.

HB 1752 (By Patrick), Relating to creating the Texas Teacher Residency Program.

To Higher Education.

HB 1753 (By Patrick), Relating to authorizing the board of regents of The University of Texas System to acquire certain property in the city of Arlington.

To Higher Education.

HB 1755 (By Patrick), Relating to authorizing the appointment of a public probate administrator; authorizing fees.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1756 (By Stephenson), Relating to the peer review program for certified public accountants and certified public accountancy firms.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1757 (By Stephenson), Relating to the composition of the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1758 (By Hunter), Relating to a correction, clarification, or retraction of incorrect information published.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1759 (By Hunter), Relating to a correction, clarification, or retraction of incorrect information published.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1760 (By Darby), Relating to the provision of services to certain individuals with developmental disabilities by a state supported living center.

To Human Services.

HB 1761 (By Kolkhorst), Relating to the consideration of strategies by the Health and Human Services Commission to ensure the appropriate use of diagnostic ancillary services in the Medicaid program.

To Public Health.

HB 1762 (By Price), Relating to workers' compensation and other remedies available to an injured temporary employee.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1763 (By Smith), Relating to the sale of malt liquor, ale, and beer by the holder of a brewpub license.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1764 (By Smith), Relating to the distribution of ale by certain brewers. To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1765 (By Smith), Relating to the distribution of beer by certain manufacturers.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1766 (By Smith), Relating to the authority of certain brewers and manufacturers to sell beer and ale to ultimate consumers.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1770 (By C. Turner), Relating to an appropriation of money from the economic stabilization fund to the foundation school fund for grants to school districts to use in improving the security of school facilities.

To Appropriations.

HB 1773 (By E. Thompson), Relating to named driver insurance policies and certain related exclusions.

To Insurance.

HB 1774 (By E. Thompson), Relating to liability for injury arising from certain motor vehicle accidents.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1775 (By E. Thompson), Relating to the authority of the University Interscholastic League regarding activities involving sports officials.

To Public Education.

HB 1776 (By Schaefer), Relating to the definition of "drought" for the purposes of emergency orders concerning water rights issued by the executive director of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

To Natural Resources.

HB 1778 (By Schaefer), Relating to abolishing the regulation of the practice of interior design.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1779 (By Schaefer), Relating to the regulation of the practices of barbering and cosmetology and associated locations.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1782 (By S. Davis), Relating to the requirement that health care practitioners wear photo identification badges.

To Public Health.

HB 1783 (By S. Davis), Relating to the authority of the county clerk with respect to certain early voting election officers.

To Elections.

HB 1785 (By Farney), Relating to the date by which a voter's registration becomes effective.

To Elections.

HB 1786 (By Farney), Relating to including community and student engagement performance in rating school districts and campuses under the public school accountability system.

To Public Education.

HB 1788 (By Dale), Relating to the name of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1789 (By R. Sheffield), Relating to authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for a research building at Texas A&M University Health Science Center College of Medicine–Temple.

To Higher Education.

HB 1790 (By Longoria), Relating to certain procedures for defendants who successfully complete a period of state jail felony community supervision.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1792 (By Paddie), Relating to safety standards and practices applicable to the transportation by pipeline of certain substances.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1793 (By Pitts), Relating to the creation of a judicial district composed of Ellis County.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1794 (By Pitts), Relating to ballot propositions authorizing certain political subdivisions to issue bonds.

To Elections.

HB 1795 (By Isaac), Relating to authorizing broker agreements for the sale of real property by certain municipalities.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1796 (By Isaac), Relating to the renewal or amendment of permits issued by groundwater conservation districts; providing authority to impose fees.

To Natural Resources.

HB 1797 (By Isaac), Relating to the authority to regulate certain water and sewage utilities to ensure public safety in and around certain municipalities.

To Natural Resources.

HB 1799 (By Guillen), Relating to the private practice of law by a judge of the County Court at Law of Starr County on commissioners court approval.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1800 (By Huberty), Relating to the powers and duties of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 422; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose fees and taxes.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 1801 (By Huberty), Relating to the powers and duties of the Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 423; providing authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose fees and taxes.

To Special Purpose Districts.

HB 1802 (By Huberty), Relating to the date by which a school district must complete a report of an initial evaluation of a student for special education services.

To Public Education.

HB 1804 (By Callegari), Relating to the authority of political subdivisions to offer certain deferred compensation plans to employees.

To Pensions.

HB 1805 (By Pitts), Relating to the fiscal transparency and accountability of certain entities responsible for public money.

To Appropriations.

HB 1807 (By T. King), Relating to fever tick eradication; creating a penalty. To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 1808 (By Lucio), Relating to an award of attorney's fees for certain dismissed claims joined to an action under the Family Code.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1809 (By Lucio), Relating to the authority of a cultural education facilities finance corporation to acquire and finance certain public property projects.

To Ways and Means.

 $HB\ 1810$ (By Lucio), Relating to permissive driver exclusions for automobile insurance.

To Insurance.

HB 1811 (By Lucio), Relating to redesignation of the 357th District Court as a family district court.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

 $HB\ 1812$ (By Lucio), Relating to the events eligible to receive funding through a major events trust fund.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1813 (By Lucio), Relating to the authority of a municipality to confiscate packaged fireworks.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 1814 (By Lucio), Relating to the preservation of Texas Historical Use Buildings.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HB 1816 (By Cortez), Relating to lighting requirements for drivers during motor vehicle stops.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1817 (By Kuempel), Relating to authorizing a change in the fee for a hunter education course.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HB 1818 (By Kuempel), Relating to the disposition of confiscated game, animal parts, and animal products.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HB 1819 (By Kacal), Relating to liability for injuring a trespassing sheep or goat.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 1820 (By Kacal), Relating to the eligibility of a disabled veteran to pay ad valorem taxes imposed on a residence homestead in installments.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1823 (By Harper-Brown), Relating to the allocation of revenue received from the tax imposed on the gross receipts from the rental of a motor vehicle.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1824 (By Harper-Brown), Relating to the operation of master mixed-use property owners' associations.

To Business and Industry.

HB 1825 (By M. González), Relating to the sale or transportation of certain desert plants; creating an offense; providing a penalty.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 1826 (By M. González), Relating to authorizing the Department of Agriculture to create a database of nonpaying buyers of agricultural products; authorizing a fee.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 1827 (By N. Gonzalez), Relating to advertising by retailers participating in the supplemental nutrition assistance program.

To Human Services.

HB 1828 (By N. Gonzalez), Relating to hazardous duty pay for certain employees working at state supported living centers and state hospitals.

To Human Services.

HB 1830 (By N. Gonzalez), Relating to a pilot program authorizing the chief appraiser of certain appraisal districts to compel certain property owners who file a protest with the appraisal review board to disclose certain information related to the property.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1832 (By R. Miller), Relating to granting certain local governments general zoning authority around certain military facilities; providing a penalty.

To Defense and Veterans' Affairs.

HB 1834 (By Herrero), Relating to a fixed tuition rate provided by general academic teaching institutions and public junior colleges to certain undergraduate students.

To Higher Education.

HB 1835 (By Herrero), Relating to a franchise tax credit for wages paid to graduates of certain institutions of higher education.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1836 (By Zedler), Relating to the exclusion of certain flow-through funds by taxable entities in determining total revenue for purposes of the franchise tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1837 (By Wu), Relating to the registration of voters at certain polling places during early voting by personal appearance and related procedures.

To Elections.

HB 1838 (By Wu), Relating to the registration of certain voters at a polling place and related procedures.

To Elections.

HB 1839 (By Wu), Relating to the registration of certain voters at a polling place and related procedures.

To Elections.

 $HB\ 1840$ (By Wu), Relating to the identification of a person as an election poll watcher.

To Elections.

HB 1841 (By Wu), Relating to requirements for certain forms provided by a voter registrar.

To Elections.

HB 1842 (By Strama), Relating to the selection of certain candidates for office through a unitary primary election.

To Elections.

HB 1843 (By Branch), Relating to limitations on the automatic admission of undergraduate students to general academic teaching institutions.

To Higher Education.

HB 1844 (By Branch), Relating to the official name of The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center.

To Higher Education.

HB 1845 (By Gooden), Relating to capital murder of a district attorney, criminal district attorney, or county attorney performing the duties of a district attorney.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1846 (By Carter), Relating to suspension or denial of issuance or renewal of a license for failure to pay child support.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1847 (By Carter), Relating to continuing legal education in ethics or professional responsibility for prosecutors.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1848 (By Carter), Relating to certain conditions of, penalties for violating, or collection of information about protective orders issued in certain family violence, sexual assault or abuse, stalking, or trafficking cases.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1849 (By Carter), Relating to criminal asset forfeiture, the disposition of proceeds and property from criminal asset forfeiture, and accountability for that disposition.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1850 (By Dale), Relating to eligibility for full-time enrollment of private school students and home-schooled students in the state virtual school network.

To Public Education.

HB 1851 (By Sanford), Relating to the operation of health care sharing ministries.

To Insurance.

HB 1852 (By Moody), Relating to the notice to the parent or other person having lawful control of a public school student concerning the student's class performance.

To Public Education.

HB 1853 (By Ratliff), Relating to a behavior improvement plan adopted for certain students with an individualized education program.

To Public Education.

HB 1854 (By C. Turner), Relating to the appropriation of money from the economic stabilization fund to be used for upgrading fixtures and materials in state buildings to maximize energy and water conservation.

To Appropriations.

HB 1855 (By D. Miller), Relating to mandatory disclosure of third-party litigation financing agreements.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1857 (By Burkett), Relating to the elimination of straight-party voting for county or precinct offices.

To Elections.

HB 1859 (By Crownover), Relating to security interests in oil and gas production and its proceeds.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1860 (By Button), Relating to a deduction under the franchise tax for certain contracts with the federal government.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1861 (By Dutton), Relating to service of process on certain public officials.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1862 (By Dutton), Relating to the criminal consequences of engaging in certain conduct with respect to a switchblade knife.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1863 (By Wu), Relating to the amounts of the administrative, civil, and criminal penalties for violating certain statutes under the jurisdiction of, rules or orders adopted by, or licenses, permits, or certificates issued by the Railroad Commission of Texas.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1864 (By Wu), Relating to certain energy security technologies for critical governmental facilities.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1865 (By Klick), Relating to authorizing school districts to suspend classes on primary and general election days and requiring the commissioner of education to adjust funding for certain related absences.

To Public Education.

HB 1866 (By Klick), Relating to the composition of a political party's state executive committee.

To Elections.

HB 1867 (By Klick), Relating to the administration by certain health care professionals of treatments, therapy, or medication ordered by an optometrist or therapeutic optometrist.

To Public Health.

HB 1868 (By Villarreal), Relating to conditioning certain TEXAS grant awards on a grant recipient's participation in a student engagement program.

To Higher Education.

HB 1870 (By P. King), Relating to the limitation on the rate of growth in appropriations from state tax revenues.

To Appropriations.

HB 1872 (By Simmons), Relating to federal firearm reporting for a person who voluntarily identifies as a person with mental illness.

To Homeland Security and Public Safety.

HB 1873 (By Simmons), Relating to a limitation on the expansion of certain landfills.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 1874 (By Lewis), Relating to an appeal from an interlocutory order of certain courts.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1875 (By Lewis), Relating to a case transferred from one district court to another district court.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1876 (By Zedler), Relating to the ability of certain professional associations of chiropractors to hire physicians.

To Public Health.

HB 1877 (By Keffer), Relating to the operation of and license plates for private buses.

To Transportation.

HB 1882 (By Callegari), Relating to the Employees Retirement System of Texas.

To Pensions.

HB 1883 (By Callegari), Relating to the Harris-Galveston Subsidence District; providing authority to impose a fee.

To Natural Resources.

HB 1884 (By Callegari), Relating to the administration of and benefits payable by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

To Pensions.

HB 1885 (By Dutton), Relating to the functions and operation of the State Commission on Judicial Conduct.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1886 (By Farias), Relating to requirements applicable to certain credit services organizations and certain extensions of consumer credit the organizations obtain for a consumer or assist a consumer in obtaining.

To Investments and Financial Institutions.

HB 1888 (By Anchia), Relating to the definition of an at-risk development for the purpose of awarding low income housing tax credits.

To Urban Affairs.

HB 1890 (By Stephenson), Relating to certain contracts between the Texas Windstorm Insurance Association or the Texas Public Finance Authority and a financial advisor or investment banking services provider.

To Insurance.

HB 1891 (By Gonzales), Relating to the authority of the commissioner of agriculture to approve the testing and sale of certain aviation gasoline.

To Agriculture and Livestock.

HB 1892 (By Gonzales), Relating to the composition and functions of the Texas Guaranteed Student Loan Corporation.

To Higher Education.

HB 1893 (By Gonzales), Relating to the Texas Funeral Service Commission and the regulation of funeral directing and embalming.

To Public Health.

HB 1895 (By P. King), Relating to the dissolution of the Parker County Utility District No. 1.

To Natural Resources.

HB 1897 (By Eiland), Relating to the exemption from ad valorem taxation of pollution control property.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1898 (By Eiland), Relating to requiring certain residential property insurers to adjust certain claims under Texas Windstorm Insurance Association policies; imposing fees.

To Insurance.

HB 1900 (By Eiland), Relating to exempting certain amounts charged for certain cable television services from the sales and use tax.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1901 (By Eiland), Relating to payment of out-of-network ambulatory surgery benefits by certain health benefit plans.

To Insurance.

HB 1902 (By Eiland), Relating to the refund of unearned premium for a personal automobile or residential property insurance policy.

To Insurance.

HB 1904 (By Eiland), Relating to the payment of an attorney ad litem appointed to represent a defendant in a delinquent tax suit.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1905 (By Eiland), Relating to certain promotional practices not considered to be prohibited discrimination, rebates, or inducements in insurance.

To Insurance.

HB 1906 (By Eiland), Relating to insurers' duty to provide information in a fraud investigation.

To Insurance.

HB 1907 (By Eiland), Relating to review by the office of public insurance counsel of rate filings by health benefit plan issuers.

To Insurance.

HB 1908 (By Eiland), Relating to sports and community venue projects. To Ways and Means.

HB 1909 (By Eiland), Relating to surplus lines insurance. To Insurance.

HB 1910 (By Smith), Relating to the purchase of plastic bulk merchandise containers by certain businesses; providing a civil penalty.

To Environmental Regulation.

HB 1911 (By Klick), Relating to the date of the primary election and related procedures.

To Elections.

HB 1913 (By Bohac), Relating to the waiver of penalties and interest on certain delinquent ad valorem taxes.

To Ways and Means.

HB 1914 (By Cortez), Relating to certain required notices under the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act, including employer liability arising from failure to provide the notice.

To Economic and Small Business Development.

HB 1916 (By White), Relating to exempting students from certain end-of-course assessment instruments based on certain alternative performance.

To Public Education.

HB 1917 (By E. Rodriguez), Relating to alcoholic beverage advertising on the outside of certain vehicles.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HB 1919 (By Eiland), Relating to the defenses to prosecution of certain gambling offenses.

To Criminal Jurisprudence.

HB 1920 (By J. Sheffield), Relating to the election and authority of the board of directors of the McCulloch County Hospital District.

To County Affairs.

HB 1921 (By S. Thompson), Relating to disciplinary standards and procedures applicable to grievances alleging certain prosecutorial misconduct.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1922 (By S. Thompson), Relating to certain information to which a social study evaluator is entitled in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship; providing a criminal penalty.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HB 1923 (By S. Thompson), Relating to the administration, collection, and enforcement of sales and use taxes.

To Ways and Means.

HCR 50 (By Creighton), Claiming sovereignty under the Tenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution over all powers not otherwise enumerated and granted to the federal government by the U.S. Constitution, serving notice to the federal government to halt and reverse certain mandates, and providing that certain federal legislation be prohibited or repealed.

To Select Federalism and Fiscal Responsibility.

HCR 55 (By Lucio), Urging the U.S. Department of State to take appropriate action to ensure that Mexico complies with the 1944 Treaty regarding shared water resources and that it make required water deliveries to the United States a priority.

To International Trade and Intergovernmental Affairs.

HCR 56 (By Hunter), Requesting the lieutenant governor and the speaker of the house of representatives to provide for a joint interim legislative study regarding the development and potential economic impact of a cruise industry on the Texas coast between Calhoun and Cameron Counties.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HCR 58 (By Stephenson), Supporting prayers, including the use of the word "God," at public gatherings as well as displays of the Ten Commandments in public educational institutions and other government buildings.

To State Affairs.

HCR 59 (By Hunter), Requesting the speaker and lieutenant governor to create a joint interim committee to study seawater desalination on the Texas coast.

To Natural Resources.

HCR 61 (By Raymond), Urging the U.S. Congress to propose and submit to the states for ratification a federal balanced budget amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

To Select Federalism and Fiscal Responsibility.

HCR 62 (By Kleinschmidt), Designating October 2 as "Come and Take It" Day for a 10-year period beginning in 2013.

To Culture, Recreation, and Tourism.

HCR 63 (By Sanford), Asserting sovereignty under the Tenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution and beseeching the federal government to immediately cease and desist from the promulgation of mandates that infringe on the Second Amendment right to keep and bear arms or that are otherwise beyond the scope of its constitutionally delegated powers.

To Select Federalism and Fiscal Responsibility.

HJR 93 (By Hughes), Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the rate of growth of appropriations from all sources of revenue except the federal government and to authorize the legislature to appropriate money for tax rebates.

To Appropriations.

HJR 94 (By Burnam), Urging Congress to call a convention to propose amendments to the United States Constitution to address concerns raised by the decision of the United States Supreme Court in Citizens United v. Federal Election Commission and related cases and events.

To Select Federalism and Fiscal Responsibility.

HJR 95 (By Harper-Brown), Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit the purposes for which revenues from motor vehicle registration fees and taxes on motor fuels and lubricants may be used.

To Appropriations.

HJR 96 (By Coleman), Proposing a constitutional amendment allowing a state mandate imposed on a county to have effect only if the state provides for payment to the county of the cost of the mandate.

To County Affairs.

HJR 97 (By Dale), Proposing a constitutional amendment to rename the Railroad Commission of Texas as the Texas Energy Commission.

To Energy Resources.

HJR 98 (By Nevárez), Proposing a constitutional amendment to authorize the Kickapoo Traditional Tribe of Texas to conduct gaming by executing a gaming agreement with this state.

To Licensing and Administrative Procedures.

HJR 99 (By Villarreal), Proposing a constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds to finance pay-for-performance contracts for certain programs and services for health programs.

To Government Efficiency and Reform.

HJR 100 (By Dutton), Proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the sanctions that may be assessed against a judge or justice following a formal proceeding instituted by the State Commission on Judicial Conduct.

To Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence.

HR 590 (By Raney), Honoring former Texas A&M punter Steve O'Neal on his induction into the American Football Kicking Hall of Fame.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 591 (By Y. Davis), Congratulating the members of Concord Missionary Baptist Church in Dallas on the completion of their new sanctuary.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 600 (By Y. Davis), Honoring the Democratic women of Texas. To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 601 (By Stephenson), Honoring the life of U.S. Air Force Master Sergeant James Calfee and commemorating his posthumous receipt of the Silver Star.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 602 (By Gooden), In memory of Barbara McFaul of Kemp. To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 608 (By Raymond), In memory of former state representative Eldon Edge, Sr., of Ingram.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 609 (By Darby), Congratulating Leroy and Jackie Palmer of San Angelo on their 64th wedding anniversary.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 610 (By Darby), In memory of John Stark Cargile of San Angelo. To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 611 (By Darby), In memory of Charles Wayne Smith of San Angelo. To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 612 (By Darby), In memory of Amy Johnson McLaughlin of San Angelo.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 615 (By Dale), Honoring the 100th anniversary of the Round Rock Independent School District.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 616 (By Dale), Commending U.S. Army Staff Sergeant Jeffery Musgrave of Austin, a recipient of the Bronze Star with Valor Device and the Purple Heart, for his exemplary service to his country.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 619 (By Howard), Honoring the 100th anniversary of the Young Men's Business League of Austin.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 620 (By Howard), Honoring Ken Kramer on his retirement as executive director of the Lone Star Chapter of the Sierra Club.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 621 (By Kolkhorst), Recognizing March 6, 2013, as Austin County Day at the State Capitol.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 622 (By Kleinschmidt), Recognizing the Gonzales "Come and Take It" Cannon as a Texas Treasure.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 623 (By Callegari), Recognizing the 24th Annual Conference of the Texas Association of Public Employee Retirement Systems taking place March 3 through 6, 2013.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 627 (By Canales), In memory of Mayor Pro Tempore Noe Garza of Edinburg.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 632 (By S. Davis), Honoring the Chinese American Doctors Association of Houston on the 20th anniversary of its founding.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 633 (By K. King), Honoring Gruver Elementary School on its selection as a 2012 Blue Ribbon School.

To Rules and Resolutions.

HR 634 (By D. Miller), Honoring country music legend Merle Haggard. To Rules and Resolutions.

Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 4 of the House Rules, the chair corrects the referral of the following bills and resolutions:

HB 1094 (By Keffer), Relating to authorizing assessments for water and energy improvements in districts designated by municipalities and counties.

To Energy Resources.

HB 1496 (By Taylor), Relating to governmental actions affecting private property rights in certain oil and gas wells.

To Land and Resource Management.

List No. 2

HB 1600 (By Cook), Relating to the continuation and functions of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, to the transfer of certain functions from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and to the functions of the Office of Public Utility Counsel; authorizing a fee.

To State Affairs.