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PROCEEDINGS

SEVENTH DAY — WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 2019

The house met at 10:02 a.m. and was called to order by the speaker.

The roll of the house was called and a quorum was announced present (Record 17).

Present — Mr. Speaker(C); Allen; Allison; Anchia; Anderson; Ashby; Bailes; Beckley; Bell, C.; Bell, K.; Bernal; Biedermann; Blanco; Bohac; Bonnen; Bowers; Buckley; Bucy; Burns; Burrows; Button; Cain; Calanni; Canales; Capriglione; Clardy; Cole; Coleman; Collier; Cortez; Craddick; Cyrier; Darby; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Dean; Deshotel; Dominguez; Dutton; Farrar; Flynn; Frank; Frullo; Geren; Gervin-Hawkins; Goldman; González, J.; González, M.; Goodwin; Guerra; Guillen; Gutierrez; Harless; Harris; Hefner; Hernandez; Herrero; Hinojosa; Holland; Howard; Huberty; Hunter; Israel; Johnson, E.; Johnson, J.D.; Johnson, J.E.; Kacal; King, K.; King, P.; King, T.; Klick; Krause; Kuempel; Lambert; Landgraf; Lang; Larson; Leach; Leman; Longoria; Lozano; Lucio; Martinez; Martinez Fischer; Metcalf; Meyer; Meza; Middleton; Miller; Minjarez; Moody; Morrison; Muñoz; Murphy; Murr; Neave; Nevárez; Noble; Ortega; Pacheco; Paddie; Parker; Patterson; Paul; Perez; Phelan; Price; Ramos; Raney; Raymond; Reynolds; Rodriguez; Romero; Rose; Rosenthal; Sanford; Schaefer; Shaheen; Sheffield; Sherman; Shine; Smith; Smithee; Springer; Stephenson; Stickland; Stucky; Swanson; Talarico; Thierry; Thompson, E.; Thompson, S.; Tinderholt; Toth; Turner, C.; Turner, J.; VanDeaver; Vo; Walle; White; Wilson; Wray; Wu; Zedler; Zerwas; Zwiener.

Absent, Excused — Oliverson.

The invocation was offered by Fred Morgan, retired pastor, Hope Presbyterian Church, Austin, as follows:

Holy One, Holy Three, today we come with gratitude for your presence and with thanks for your guidance as we seek to serve all citizens of the great State of Texas. You have created us with opportunities to serve others in their need, to share together in respect and affection, and to be faithful in the responsibilities given members of the people's house. Strengthen and enable us to show forth the fruits of your spirit of love, joy, peace, and generosity as we go about our work.

In this moment of prayer, grant to the members of this people's house not only a spirit of compassion and cooperation but also the gifts of wisdom and discernment, that in their words and actions they will do justice, love with mercy, and walk humbly with you. May the peace that passes all understanding guide our hearts and minds in the days to come. Amen.

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

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of illness in the family:

Oliverson on motion of Springer.

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

The chair recognized Representative White who presented Dr. Ron McMurry of Jasper as the "Doctor for the Day."

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

HR 102 - ADOPTED (by Geren)

Representative Geren moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 102**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 102, Granting permission for the use of the chamber of the Texas House of Representatives by the YMCA Texas Youth and Government Program, Texas Lyceum, Capitol Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America, Texas DeMolay, and Boy Scout Troop No. 5 Court of Honor.

HR 102 was adopted by (Record 18): 145 Yeas, 0 Nays, 1 Present, not voting.

Yeas — Allen; Allison; Anchia; Anderson; Ashby; Bailes; Beckley; Bell, C.; Bell, K.; Bernal; Biedermann; Blanco; Bohac; Bonnen; Bowers; Buckley; Bucy; Burns; Burrows; Button; Cain; Calanni; Canales; Capriglione; Clardy; Cole; Coleman; Collier; Cortez; Craddick; Cyrier; Darby; Davis, S.; Davis, Y.; Dean; Deshotel; Dominguez; Dutton; Farrar; Flynn; Frank; Frullo; Geren; Gervin-Hawkins; Goldman; González, J.; González, M.; Goodwin; Guerra; Guillen; Gutierrez; Harless; Harris; Hefner; Hernandez; Herrero; Hinojosa; Holland; Howard; Huberty; Hunter; Israel; Johnson, E.; Johnson, J.D.; Johnson, J.E.; Kacal; King, K.; King, P.; King, T.; Klick; Krause; Kuempel; Lambert; Landgraf; Lang; Larson; Leach; Leman; Longoria; Lozano; Lucio; Martinez; Martinez Fischer; Metcalf; Meyer; Meza; Middleton; Miller; Minjarez; Moody; Morrison; Muñoz; Murphy; Murr; Neave; Nevárez; Noble; Ortega; Pacheco; Paddie; Parker; Patterson; Paul; Perez; Phelan; Price; Ramos; Raney; Raymond; Reynolds; Rodriguez; Romero; Rose; Rosenthal; Sanford; Schaefer; Shaheen; Sheffield; Sherman; Shine; Smith; Smithee; Springer; Stephenson; Stickland; Stucky; Swanson; Talarico; Thierry; Thompson, E.; Thompson, S.; Tinderholt; Toth; Turner, C.; Turner, J.; VanDeaver; Vo; Walle; White; Wilson; Wray; Wu; Zedler; Zerwas; Zwiener.

Present, not voting — Mr. Speaker(C).

Absent, Excused — Oliverson.

**HR 64 - ADOPTED
(by Wray)**

Representative Wray moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 64**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 64, Congratulating the Texas Association of Public Employee Retirement Systems on its 30th anniversary.

HR 64 was read and was adopted.

On motion of Representative Anderson, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 64** as signers thereof.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

The chair recognized Representative Wray who introduced representatives of the Texas Association of Public Employee Retirement Systems.

**HR 27 - ADOPTED
(by Raney)**

Representative Raney moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 27**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

HR 27, Congratulating the Public Policy Research Institute at Texas A&M University on its 35th anniversary.

HR 27 was read and was adopted.

PERMANENT OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE APPOINTED

Pursuant to the House Rules and the Housekeeping Resolution, Speaker Bonnen announced the appointment of the following permanent officers of the House of Representatives of the Eighty-Sixth Legislature of the State of Texas:

Parliamentarians	Sharon Carter and Hugh L. Brady
Chief Clerk	Robert Haney
Assistant Chief Clerk	Stephen Brown
Journal Clerk	Jennifer Teigen Doran
Voting Clerk	Scottie Hagen
Reading Clerk	Bianca Alonso
Sergeant-at-Arms	David Saucedo
Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms	Robert Barrios
Doorkeeper	Christopher L. Currans
Committee Coordinator	Stacey Nicchio

Assistant Committee Coordinator Damian Duarte
 Executive Director, House Business Office Steve Adrian
 Chaplain The Most Reverend Joe S. Vásquez, Bishop of Austin

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED

The appointed officers assembled in front of the Reading Clerk's desk, and pursuant to Section 301.006, Government Code, Speaker Bonnen administered the constitutional oath of office to the following appointed officers of the House of Representatives of the Eighty-Sixth Legislature of the State of Texas:

Sharon Carter and Hugh L. Brady, Parliamentarians; Robert Haney, Chief Clerk; Stephen Brown, Assistant Chief Clerk; Jennifer Teigen Doran, Journal Clerk; Scottie Hagen, Voting Clerk; Bianca Alonso, Reading Clerk; David Saucedo, Sergeant-at-Arms; Robert Barrios, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms; Christopher L. Currens, Doorkeeper; Stacey Nicchio, Committee Coordinator; Damian Duarte, Assistant Committee Coordinator; and Steve Adrian, Executive Director, House Business Office. (Hugh L. Brady requested to be shown as affirming the oath.)

DEAN OF THE TEXAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The speaker laid before the house and had read the following statement:

The Honorable Tom Craddick of Midland County, as the longest continuously serving member of the Texas House, is recognized as the Dean of the Texas House of Representatives.

SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE APPOINTED

The speaker laid before the house and had read the following statement:

Pursuant to Rule 1, Section 10, of the Rules of the Texas House of Representatives, I appoint the Honorable Joseph Moody of El Paso County to serve as the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Texas House of Representatives, 86th Legislature.

STANDING COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Speaker Bonnen appointed the following standing committees of the house:

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND LIVESTOCK

Springer, chair; Anderson, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Anderson and Buckley.

Speaker appointments: Beckley, Burns, Meza, Raymond, Zwiener, and District 79.

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Zerwas, chair; Longoria, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: G. Bonnen, S. Davis, M. González, Howard, Longoria, Miller, Muñoz, Rose, Schaefer, Sheffield, Wu, and Zerwas.

Speaker appointments: C. Bell, Buckley, Capriglione, Cortez, Hefner, J.D. Johnson, Minjarez, Sherman, Smith, Stucky, Toth, J. Turner, VanDeaver, Walle, and Wilson.

COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY

Martinez Fischer, chair; Darby, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Collier, Landgraf, and Shine.

Speaker appointments: Beckley, Moody, Parker, and Patterson.

COMMITTEE ON CALENDARS

Price, chair; Moody, vice-chair.

Speaker appointments: Deshotel, Frullo, Goldman, Longoria, Metcalf, Oliverson, Rodriguez, Rose, and Wray.

COMMITTEE ON CORRECTIONS

White, chair; Allen, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Bowers.

Speaker appointments: Bailes, Dean, Neave, Sherman, Stephenson, and District 145.

COMMITTEE ON COUNTY AFFAIRS

Coleman, chair; Bohac, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Cole, Dominguez, and Rosenthal.

Speaker appointments: Anderson, Biedermann, Huberty, and Stickland.

COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JURISPRUDENCE

Collier, chair; Zedler, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: J. González and Moody.

Speaker appointments: K. Bell, Hunter, P. King, Murr, and Pacheco.

COMMITTEE ON CULTURE, RECREATION, AND TOURISM

Cyrier, chair; Martinez, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Cyrier, Morrison, and Toth.

Speaker appointments: Bucy, Gervin-Hawkins, Holland, J.D. Johnson, and Kacal.

COMMITTEE ON DEFENSE AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Flynn, chair; Tinderholt, vice-chair.

Speaker appointments: Ashby, Hinojosa, Lozano, Ramos, Reynolds, Romero, and District 125.

COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS

Klick, chair; Cortez, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Cain, Israel, and Swanson.

Speaker appointments: Bucy, Burrows, Middleton, and District 79.

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY RESOURCES

Paddie, chair; Herrero, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Anchia, Craddick, Darby, and Herrero.

Speaker appointments: Bailes, Geren, Gutierrez, Harris, Perez, and Rosenthal.

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

Lozano, chair; E. Thompson, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Kuempel, Lozano, and Reynolds.

Speaker appointments: Blanco, Kacal, Morrison, J. Turner, and Zwiener.

COMMITTEE ON GENERAL INVESTIGATING

Meyer, chair; Collier, vice-chair.

Speaker appointments: Krause, Noble, and Pacheco.

COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION

C. Turner, chair; Stucky, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Button, Frullo, E. Johnson, and Walle.

Speaker appointments: Howard, Pacheco, Schaefer, Smithee, and Wilson.

COMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY AND PUBLIC SAFETY

Nevárez, chair; Paul, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Goodwin, Lang, and Tinderholt.

Speaker appointments: Burns, Calanni, Clardy, and Israel.

COMMITTEE ON HOUSE ADMINISTRATION

Geren, chair; Howard, vice-chair.

Speaker appointments: Anchia, Anderson, Flynn, Ortega, Parker, Sanford, Sherman, Thierry, and E. Thompson.

COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

Frank, chair; Hinojosa, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Frank, Klick, and Meza.

Speaker appointments: Clardy, Deshotel, Miller, Noble, and Rose.

COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE

Lucio, chair; Oliverson, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Paul, C. Turner, and Vo.

Speaker appointments: G. Bonnen, S. Davis, J.E. Johnson, and Lambert.

**COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Anchia, chair; Frullo, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Blanco, Perez, and Romero.

Speaker appointments: Cain, Larson, Metcalf, and Raney.

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND CIVIL JURISPRUDENCE

Leach, chair; Farrar, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Farrar, Leach, and White.

Speaker appointments: Y. Davis, J.E. Johnson, Krause, Meyer, Neave, and Smith.

COMMITTEE ON JUVENILE JUSTICE AND FAMILY ISSUES

Dutton, chair; Murr, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Calanni and Talarico.

Speaker appointments: Bowers, Cyrier, Dean, Shine, and District 125.

COMMITTEE ON LAND AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Craddick, chair; Muñoz, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: C. Bell, Biedermann, and Stickland.

Speaker appointments: Canales, Leman, Minjarez, and Thierry.

**COMMITTEE ON LICENSING
AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES**

T. King, chair; Goldman, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Geren, Guillen, Hernandez, and S. Thompson.

Speaker appointments: Harless, Herrero, K. King, Kuempel, and Paddie.

COMMITTEE ON LOCAL AND CONSENT CALENDARS

Morrison, chair; M. González, vice-chair.

Speaker appointments: Bernal, Bowers, Buckley, Harris, Hefner, Martinez, Middleton, Springer, and Walle.

COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

Larson, chair; Metcalf, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: T. King, Larson, Nevárez, and Price.

Speaker appointments: Dominguez, Farrar, Harris, Lang, Oliverson, and Ramos.

**COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS, INVESTMENTS,
AND FINANCIAL SERVICES**

Murphy, chair; Vo, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Capriglione, Flynn, Gervin-Hawkins, and Stephenson.

Speaker appointments: Gutierrez, Lambert, Leach, Longoria, and Wu.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC EDUCATION

Huberty, chair; Bernal, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Allen, Dutton, Huberty, K. King, and Meyer.

Speaker appointments: Allison, Ashby, K. Bell, M. González, Sanford, Talarico, and VanDeaver.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH

S. Thompson, chair; Wray, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Coleman, Guerra, Lucio, and Zedler.

Speaker appointments: Allison, Frank, Ortega, Price, and Sheffield.

COMMITTEE ON REDISTRICTING

P. King, chair; C. Turner, vice-chair.

Speaker appointments: Cole, Krause, Larson, Leach, Leman, Minjarez, Moody, Paddie, Price, Rose, S. Thompson, Walle, and White.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS CALENDARS

Guillen, chair; Miller, vice-chair.

Speaker appointments: Burns, Cain, Cortez, Gervin-Hawkins, Meza, Patterson, Stucky, Vo, and Zedler.

COMMITTEE ON STATE AFFAIRS

Phelan, chair; Hernandez, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Deshotel, Hunter, P. King, Raymond, and Smithee.

Speaker appointments: Guerra, Harless, Holland, Parker, Rodriguez, and Springer.

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Canales, chair; Landgraf, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Y. Davis, Krause, Martinez, Raney, and E. Thompson.

Speaker appointments: Bernal, Goldman, Hefner, Leman, Ortega, and Thierry.

COMMITTEE ON URBAN AFFAIRS

Button, chair; Shaheen, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Patterson.

Speaker appointments: J. González, Goodwin, E. Johnson, Middleton, Swanson, and District 145.

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

Burrows, chair; Guillen, vice-chair.

Seniority appointments: Bohac, Martinez Fischer, Murphy, and Rodriguez.

Speaker appointments: Cole, Noble, Sanford, Shaheen, and Wray.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Farrar moved that the house adjourn until 4 p.m. Monday, January 28.

The motion prevailed.

The house accordingly, at 10:45 a.m., adjourned until 4 p.m. Monday, January 28.

APPENDIX

SENT TO THE SECRETARY OF THE STATE

January 22 - HCR 6

