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## PROCEEDINGS

ELEVENTH DAY — MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2019

The house met at 4:01 p.m. and was called to order by the speaker.

The roll of the house was called and a quorum was announced present (Record 25).

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; Oliverson; 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.

The invocation was offered by Chase Bowers, pastor, Temple Bible Church, Temple, as follows:

Sovereign and holy God, we come to you in the name of your son, Jesus, giving thanks for life and breath and everything else. Every good and perfect gift comes from you, and in you we live and move and have our being. Thank you, God for all of the men and women in this room, for their families, and for the staffs that serve with them. By your grace and through our democratic process, you have assembled some of the brightest minds in our state in this room to serve your purposes for Texas. God, would you give wisdom to these men and women to execute their duties in a way that honors you and causes our state to continue to flourish.

Lord, grant that their faith would inform their decisions. Help them to love what is good, beautiful, and true, and carry out their duties in such a way that goodness, beauty, and truth are understood by our people as the gifts from you that they indeed are. Father, grant that these men and women would, above any

political agenda or platform, love you, love your word, love your ways, and love one another. And may their service bring them joy, and may it ultimately bring honor to you, O God. We pray in the name above every other name, Jesus, our savior and king. Amen.

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

### **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. 3).

### **CAPITOL PHYSICIAN**

The chair recognized Representative Schaefer who presented Dr. Li-Yu Mitchell of Tyler as the "Doctor for the Day."

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

### **MOTION IN WRITING AUTHORIZING COMMITTEES**

Representative Moody offered the following motion in writing:

Mr. Speaker:

I move that a committee of five members of the house be appointed by the speaker to escort the Governor and First Lady of Texas to the Joint Session for the State of the State address on Tuesday.

I further move that a committee of five members of the house be appointed by the speaker to escort the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas to the Joint Session for the State of the Judiciary address on Wednesday.

Moody

The motion was read and prevailed.

### **COMMITTEES APPOINTED**

The chair announced the appointment of the following committee to escort Governor Greg Abbott and First Lady Cecilia Abbott to the speaker's rostrum: Sanford, chair; Hunter, Ortega, Thierry, and Zedler.

The chair announced the appointment of the following committee to escort Chief Justice Nathan L. Hecht to the speaker's rostrum: Leach, chair; Collier, Dutton, Neave, and Smith.

**HCR 52 - ADOPTED**  
**(by Moody)**

Representative Moody moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HCR 52**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

**HCR 52**, Granting the legislature permission to adjourn for more than three days during the period beginning on Wednesday, February 6, 2019, and ending on Monday, February 11, 2019.

**HCR 52** was adopted by (Record 26): 146 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; Oliverson; 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).

**HR 174 - ADOPTED**  
**(by K. Bell)**

Representative K. Bell moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 174**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

**HR 174**, Recognizing February 4, 2019, as Cedar Creek Lake Area Day at the State Capitol.

**HR 174** was adopted.

**HR 192 - ADOPTED**  
**(by Noble)**

Representative Noble moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 192**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

**HR 192**, Commemorating the 60th anniversary of the founding of Lucas.

**HR 192** was adopted.

On motion of Representative Rodriguez, the names of all the members of the house were added to **HR 192** as signers thereof.

**HR 178 - ADOPTED**  
**(by Lambert)**

Representative Lambert moved to suspend all necessary rules to take up and consider at this time **HR 178**.

The motion prevailed.

The following resolution was laid before the house:

**HR 178**, Welcoming the Sweetwater Jaycees to the State Capitol for their Rattlesnake Roundup.

**HR 178** was adopted.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Representatives Reynolds and Deshotel moved that the house adjourn until 9:30 a.m. tomorrow in memory of Lara Kay Deadrick-Glasper of Houston.

The motion prevailed.

The house accordingly, at 4:48 p.m., adjourned until 9:30 a.m. tomorrow.

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**ADDENDUM**

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**HOUSE COMMITTEE SCHEDULE**  
86th Legislature - Regular Session  
Effective Thursday, January 31, 2019

**MONDAY**

<b>7:30 a.m.</b>	Appropriations	E1.030
<b>9 a.m.</b>	Elections	E2.016
	Local and Consent Calendars	Agricultural Museum, 1W.14
<b>10 a.m.</b>	International Relations and Economic Development	E2.014

**2 p.m. or upon final adjournment/recess**

Criminal Jurisprudence	E2.012
Defense and Veterans' Affairs	E1.026
Energy Resources	E2.010
Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence	E2.026

**TUESDAY****8 a.m.**

Human Services	E2.030
Insurance	E2.014
Land and Resource Management	E2.012
Licensing and Administrative Procedures	E2.028
Public Education	E2.036

**10:30 a.m. or upon final adjournment/recess**

Business and Industry	E2.016
Natural Resources	E2.010
Resolutions Calendars	Agricultural Museum, 1W.14

**2 p.m. or upon final adjournment/recess**

Culture, Recreation, and Tourism	E1.014
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**WEDNESDAY****8 a.m.**

Higher Education	E1.014
Homeland Security and Public Safety	E2.016
Ways and Means	JHR 140

**10:30 a.m. or upon final adjournment/recess**

Environmental Regulation	E1.026
Juvenile Justice and Family Issues	E2.012
Public Health	E2.026
State Affairs	E2.014

**2 p.m. or upon final adjournment/recess**

Transportation	E2.030
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**THURSDAY****8 a.m.**

Agriculture and Livestock	E2.036
Corrections	E2.030
Pensions, Investments, and Financial Services	E2.026
Urban Affairs	E2.010

**10:30 a.m. or upon final adjournment/recess**

County Affairs	E2.028
General Investigating	E1.010
Redistricting	JHR 140

**SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER**

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

**House List No. 3****HCR 38, HCR 39**

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**APPENDIX**

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**ENROLLED****January 30 - HCR 38, HCR 39**