

# HOUSE JOURNAL

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EIGHTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE, REGULAR SESSION

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## PROCEEDINGS

FIFTH DAY (CONTINUED) — WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2021

The house met at 10:05 a.m. and was called to order by the speaker.

The invocation was offered by Representative Dutton as follows:

To the God of the Panhandle, to the God of the Rio Grande Valley, to the God of the High Plains, to the God of the Gulf Coast, to the God of the Piney Woods, to the God of Central Texas, to the God of West Texas, to the God of rural Texas, to the God of urban Texas, to the God of the poor, to the God of the powerful, we thank you for being one God. And today, we pray that our differences serve to keep us one under God. Amen.

The speaker 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).

### **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. 1 and Senate List No. 2).

### **LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED**

The following member was granted leave of absence for today because of his daughter's surgery:

Parker on motion of Stucky.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Representative Bonnen moved that the house adjourn until 2 p.m. Tuesday, February 16.

The motion prevailed.

The house accordingly, at 10:11 a.m., adjourned until 2 p.m. Tuesday, February 16.

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**ADDENDUM**

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**SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER**

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

**House List No. 1****HCR 37****Senate List No. 2****SCR 5****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  
Wednesday, February 10, 2021

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 37** Metcalf

Granting the legislature permission to adjourn for more than three days during the period beginning on Tuesday, February 9, 2021, and ending on Tuesday, February 16, 2021.

Respectfully,  
Patsy Spaw  
Secretary of the Senate